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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8152A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2448A.D.—The 11th September 1916.*—Mr. C. C. V. R. Sells, I.C.S., on leave, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

No. 3063A.D.—The 26th September 1916.—Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Mumin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on special duty, is appointed to be Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Revenue Department.

Calcutta.

No. 3090A.D.—The 27th September 1916.—In modificati of the orders of the 7th March 1916, Military Assistant Surgeon J. C. Che, in charge of His Excellency the Governor's Staff Dispensary, is apinted temporarily to have charge of the current duties of the office of rgeon to His Excellency the Governor of Bengal.

No. 3115A.D.—The 28th September 1916.—Mr. Baidya ath Ghatak, Subordinate Judge and Assistant ions Judge, Faridpur, is appointed to act, until fur r orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Faridpur.

No. 3121A.D.—The 29th September 1916.—Mr. J. Cam, Officiating Deputy Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, is appointed temporary to act, in addition to his own duties, as Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, with effect from the afternoon of the 23rd Sep ber 1916.

Calcutta.

No. 3136A.D.—The 30th September 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), e Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. G. P. Hogg, I.C.S., on leave to be Additional District Magistrate, Tippera, for a period not exceeding six months and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Tippera.

POLICE.—*No. 3084A.D.—The 27th September 1916.*—Mr. P. C. Durup de Dombal, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Diamond Harbour, and in charge of the Sadar B Division of the 24-Parganas district, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Chittagong district.

24-Parganas. Chittagong.

No. 3086A.D.—The 27th September 1916.—Babu Bhola Nath Banarji, Deputy Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is appointed to have charge of the Police work of the Diamond Harbour subdivision and of the Sadar B Division of the district.

24-Parganas.

No. 3088A.D.—The 27th September 1916.—Rai Sahib Kumud Mohan Das Gupta, Deputy Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

No. 3140A.D.—The 30th September 1916.—The officers, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fourth grade of Deputy Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 1st July 1916:—

Babu Kedareswar Chakrabatti.
„ Kshetra Mohan Gangali.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3048A.D.—The 26th September 1916.*—Mr. Jogendra Narayan Mitra is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his present appointment as Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Revenue Department.

Calcutta.

No. 3107A.D.—The 28th September 1916.—In modification of the orders of the 19th July and 12th August 1916, Mr. J. Vas, I.C.S., is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 230 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 30th July 1916, and furlough for the remaining period under article 398 (b) of the Regulations.

No. 3126A.D.—The 29th September 1916.—Babu Surendra Mohan Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tippera, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 191[illegible].

Tippera.

No. 3132A.D.—The 30th September 1916.—Mr. J. C. Tyndell, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Chittagong, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 30th October 1916.

Chittagong.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Rajshahi.

No. 7928L.R.—The 25th September 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Latif Chaudhuri, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 12th October to the 3rd November 1916, both days inclusive.

Rajshahi.

No. 7970L.R.—The 25th September 1916.—Whereas by Notification No. 2470L.R., dated the 6th September 1912, an order was made under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of the lands falling within the administrative boundaries of the district of Rajshahi:

And whereas in pursuance of the said order a survey was made of the said lands:

Manda, Mahdebpur, Panchupur and Singra

Now therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by clause (10) (*b*) of section 3 of the said Act, *read* with section 3 of the Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam Laws Act, 1912 (VII of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that that survey shall be adopted as defining villages for the purposes of the said clause in the area comprised in the marginally noted thanas of the aforesaid district.

Rajshahi.

No. 8088L.R.—The 27th September 1916.—Notification No. 5407L.R., dated the 10th July 1916, granting to Babu Rajendra Narayan Rakshit, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and five days, with effect from the 25th July 1916, is hereby cancelled.

24-Parganas.

No. 8[illegible]7L.R.—The 3rd October 1916.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of the lands appertaining to the Akra-Matiabruz Road in the district of the 24-Parganas, of which the total length is nearly two miles, and that the boundaries be identified and demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

Mymensingh.
Rangpur.
Pabna.
Bogra.
Tippera.

No. 8[illegible]9L.R.—The 3rd October—1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the district of Mymensingh as well as in those Revenue-Survey mauzas which are comprised within the administrative boundaries of the districts of Rangpur, Bogra, Pabna and Tippera, but which fall, wholly or partly, within five miles from the main stream of any river which forms the administrative boundary of the district of Mymensingh, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

Babu Abani Kumar Sen ... Sub-Deputy Collector.
Akshay Kumar Mukharji ... Ditto.

Dacca.
Tippera.
Pabna.

No. 81[illegible]L.R.—The 3rd October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Maulvi Mahammad Ishaq, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Dacca, as well as in those Revenue-Survey mauzas which are comprised within the administrative boundaries of the district of Tippera or Pabna but which fall, wholly or partly, within five miles from the main stream of any river which forms the administrative boundary of the district of Dacca, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 8173L.R.—The 3rd October 1916.—The undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 12th October 1916 :—

Midnapore.

Babu Phani Bhusan Mitra ... Deputy Collector.
„ Karali Charan Gangali ... Ditto.

No. 8174L.R.—The 3rd October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the district of Midnapore, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Midnapore.

They are also vested with the powers of Assistant Settlement Officers under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

Babu Karali Charan Gangali ... Deputy Collector.
„ Phani Bhusan Mitra ... Ditto.

No. 8127L.R.—The 3rd October 1916.—The following account of the receipts and disbursements of the Mohsin Endowment Fund for the year 1915-16 is published for general information :—

Annual Account of the Mohsin Endowment Fund for the year 1915-16.

Receipts.	⅛th share of the Matwali.	⅞ths share for religious purposes.	⅛th and ⅞ths shares for secular and educational purposes.	Total	Expenditure	⅛th share of the Matwali.	⅞ths share for religious purposes.	⅛th and ⅞ths shares for secular and educational purposes.	Total.
Income from Endowment.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A P	Rs A. P.		Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Syedpur Trust Estate—Ordinary receipts ...	6,666 10 8	20,000 0 0	33,333 5 4	60,000 0 0	1. Maintenance allowance of Mahomedan boys residing in hostels attached to recognised schools.	.....	.....	888 9 0	888 9 0
Interest on fixed investments.	.....	.....	36,902 8 2	36,902 8 2	2. Special Mahomedan Scholarships.	.....	.....	9,985 3 4	9,985 3 4
Interest on variable investment.	.....	.....	3,156 1 6	3,156 1 6	3. Short-fee payments by Mahomedan students—				
Total Receipts ...	6,666 10 8	20,000 0 0	73,391 15 0	1,00,058 9 8	(a) In Government Colleges.	.....	.....	7,699 0 0	7,699 0 0
Opening Balance ...	1,666 7 7	.....	—706 7 9	959 15 10	(b) In Government Schools.	.....	.....	6,962 14 0	6,962 14 0
					(c) In Private Colleges ...	.....	.....	599 13 0	599 13 0
					„ „ Collegiate Schools.	.....	.....	47 13 0	47 13 0
					(d) „ „ Schools ...	.....	.....	4,096 11 1	4,096 11 1
					4 Grant for Mahomedan Education in Bihar.	.....	.....	3,200 0 0	3,200 0 0
					Medical.				
					1. Unani Dispensary ...	.....	.....	3,329 15 1	3,329 15 1
					2. Contribution to Imambara-Dufferin Hospital.	.....	.....	14,200 0 0	14,200 0 0
					Miscellaneous.				
					1. Local Agents' Establishment	.....	.....	4,016 9 5	4,016 9 5
					2. Pension	.....	.....	1,426 1 0	1,426 1 0
					3. Grain Compensation allowance	.....	.....	45 0 0	45 0 0
					Religious Endowments.				
					1. Matwali ⅛th share	6,666 11 0	.....	.....	6,666 11 0
					2. Committee's ⅞ths share ...	.....	20,000 0 0	.....	20,000 0 0
					3. Imambara Establishment ...	.....	.....	9,669 5 0	9,669 5 0
					Total Payments ...	6,666 11 0	20,000 0 0	65,066 10 11	91,733 5 11
					Closing Balance ...	1,666 7 3	.....	7,618 12 4	9,285 3 7
GRAND TOTAL ...	8,333 2 3	20,000 0 0	72,685 7 3	1,01,018 9 6	GRAND TOTAL ...	8,333 2 3	20,000 0 0	72,685 7 3	1,01,018 9 6

No. 1563T.R.—The 22nd September 1916.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, who is now in charge of minor operations in district Bakarganj, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement officer in the district of Rajshahi, with effect from the 12th October 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duty there.

Bakarganj. Rajshahi.

No. 1564T.R.—The 22nd September 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Ishaq, Sub-Deputy Collector, Pirojpur, Bakarganj, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Dacca, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duty.

Bakarganj. Dacca.

No. 1565T.R.—The 22nd September 1916.—The undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 12th October 1916 or any subsequent date on which the officers may join their settlement duties :—

Mymensingh.

(1) Babu Abani Kumar Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, Feni, Noakhali, on leave.

(2) Babu Akshay Kumar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jessore.

No 1566T.R.—The 22nd September 1916.—Maulvi Ali Azam, Sub-Deputy Collector, now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, with effect from the 12th October 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duty there.

Mymensingh, Noakhali and Tippera.

No. 1567T.R.—The 22nd September 1916.—Babu Rajendra Narayan Rakshit, Sub-Deputy Collector, now employed as Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties there.

Rajshahi. Mymensingh.

No. 1568T.R.—The 22nd September 1916.—Babu Probhat Chandra Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Dacca, with effect from the 12th October 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duty there.

Noakhali and Tippera. Dacca.

No. 1569T.R.—The 22nd September 1916.—Babu Upendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Dacca, with effect from the 12th October 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duty there.

Mymensingh. Dacca.

No. 1588T.R.—The 27th September 1916.—With reference to rule 7 of the Rules issued by the Government of India with their Resolution No. 7552—7581-121, dated the 15th September 1913, for regulating the grant by Local Governments of licenses to prospect for minerals and the grant of mining leases in British India, it is hereby certified that Mr. L. A. Creet, Ghusick, Kalipahari, East Indian Railway, is approved by the Government of Bengal as a fit and proper person to whom such licenses or leases can be granted in the Presidency of Bengal.

Certificate of Approval.

2. Under rule 8 of the aforesaid Rules this certificate will expire at midnight on the 31st of December 1916.

No. 1633T.R.—The 2nd October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned Settlement Kanungos are appointed to discharge, in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights :—

Tippera and Noakhali.

1. Babu Suresh Chandra Ghosh.
2. Maulvi Fazlul Karim
3. Babu Rajendra Nath Chatarji.
4. Maulvi Abdul Hashem.
5. Babu Narendra Chandra Banarji.
6. „ Anukul Chandra Sarkar.
7. „ Sailendra Nath Gangali.

No. 1634T.R.—The 2nd October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Jatindra Nath Mukharji, Settlement Kanungo, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Midnapore, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Midnapore.

No. 1635T.R.—The 2nd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sections 4 and 100 of the Cess Act, 1880 (Bengal Act IX of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to invest Mr. F. D. Ascoli, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Dacca with the powers of a Collector, under chapters II, IV and VII of the said Act, within the district of Tippera, for the purpose of making valuations or revaluations of estates and tenures.

Dacca. Tippera.

No. 1640T.R.—The 2nd October 1916.—Mr. J. R. Johnson, Deputy Collector, now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duty in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera.

Mymensingh, Noakhali and Tippera.

No. 1641T.R.—The 2nd October 1916.—Mr. I. Newton, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India and Technical Adviser to the Settlement Officer, Midnapore, is appointed to be Technical Adviser to the Settlement Officer, Noakhali and Tippera, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may join his duties there.

Midnapore. Noakhali and Tippera.

No. 1642T.R.—The 2nd October 1916.—Babu Sashi Bhushan Ghosh, Kanungo, now employed as Technical Adviser to the Settlement Officer, Noakhali and Tippera, is appointed to be Technical Adviser to the Settlement Officer, Midnapore, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may join his duties in that district.

Noakhali and Tippera. Midnapore.

No. 7916L.A.—The 25th September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48(*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 3·973 acres, which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 2787L.A., dated the 10th March 1914, published at page 454, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, and required by the Eastern Bengal Railway for a crossing station at mile 54-6 on the Northern Section of the Railway, in the village of Chutteeangram, pargana Khatta, zilla Bogra.

Bogra.

No. 8059L.A.—The 29th September 1916.—Babu Krishna Gopal Ghose, Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Faridpur.

No. 7908L.A.—The 23rd September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 54 bighas 19 cottahs and 1·00 chitak of standard measurement, which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 13361L.A., dated the 7th February 1914, published at page 257, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, and required by the Eastern Bengal Railway for Uthrail crossing station between Adamdighi and Santahar at mile 54-1 to 54-7 from Sara to Fulchari, in the villages of Uthrail, Chakshabaj and Kaitpara, pargana Khatta, zilla Bogra.

Bogra.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No 7991L.A.—The 27th September 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the further extension of the land acquired for the improvement of the Angaria Creek, in the district of Bakarganj, in the villages of West Char Bagry and Char Sangar, pargana Selimabad, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 13 bighas 13 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Bakarganj.

A.

North—By Daliluddi's land,

East—By Sonamuddi and others, Kalu Akar Jennat Khan and others' lands,

South—By acquired land, Sonamuddi and others' lands and Kalu Akar's land,

West—By Angaria Creek.

B.

North, East and South—By acquired land,

West—By Esmail's *nal* land, Ahamad Ali and others' land, Emdadali Mirdha and others' lands, Abdul Gani and others' lands.

C.

North, East and South—By acquired land,

West—By Hinguluddi Sikdar and others' lands,

are required within the aforesaid villages of West Char Bagry and Char Sangar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bakarganj

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8067L.A.—The 29th September 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for easing a bend of the Kumar river at Takerhat, in the village

Faridpur.

of Pattabuka, pargana Fatejangpur, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 bighas 11 cottahs and 1 chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Nababalj Shaikh, Halat, Shonamaddin Shaikh, Imanaddin Shaikh, Sherazaddin, Basu Bayati, Kazem Shaikh, Kasimamud Shaikh, and Daliladdin,

East—By the land of Aizaddin Shaikh,

South—By the river Lowef Kumar,

West—By the river Upper Kumar,

is required within the aforesaid village of Pattabuka.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Madaripur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bankura.

No. 8077L.A.—The 29th September 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bankura for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of Araldihi bund, in the village of Araldihi, pargana Supur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 80 bighas 1 cottah and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 26·47 acres, bounded on the—

North, East, South and West—By the lands of Kedar Nath Kundu, Baikantha Kundu, Bipin Bihari Kundu, Rakhal Chandra Kundu, Jogendra Kundu, Surendra Kundu, Fakir Chandra Dutta, Haripada Dutta, Mrinmoyee Dasya, Souravini Dasya, Doyamoyee Dasya, Brindaban Dutta, Kisan Lal Dutta, Bepin Behari Dutta, Prayag Dutta, Radha Krishna Dutta, Ganesh Dutta, Raj Kishore Dutta, Baikuntha Nath Dutta, Ram Kumar Dutta, Maheswar Dutta, Ram Kison Das, Rameswar Das, Ram Lal Das, Satish Chandra Das, and Ram Krishna Das,

is required within the aforesaid village of Araldihi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894 to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Bogra.

No. 7831L.A.—The 21st September 1916.—In Declaration No. 9962L.A., dated the 26th October 1914, published at page 1964, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the Eastern Bengal Railway for widening the existing railway embankment from Santahar in mile 52-53 reckoning from Sara northwards as far as mile 86-87, in the district of Bogra, *for* the words beginning with "viz.", in line 4, and ending with "Aptoor", in line 40, *read* the following:—

"Viz., for widening the existing Railway embankment from Santahar to Parbatipur, in the district of Bogra, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose plots of land of varying width, altogether measuring, more or less, 126·57 acres are required within the undermentioned villages, in parganas Khatta, Fatejangpur, Sindabaju, Mahasingpur, Kantunagar,

Shaguna, Apail, Talukjay, Barbakpur, Khastaluk, Khangoir, Alihat, Kismat Barbakpur and Shankair :—

Names of villages.

Sargapur.	Ikarkuri.	Khasbaguri.
Parbatipur.	Amatta.	Ajrabaguri.
Kalok.	Aligram.	Balighata.
Tikri.	Kanupur.	Damdama.
Chhatingram.	Bhandaripara.	Jantigari.
Abdullapur.	Gabarpur.	Gopalpur.
Nurnagar.	Monail.	Radhabari.
Gilakuri.	Chakbila.	Phyantara.
Kanochpara.	Gangaprosad.	Karatti.
Tegharia.	Matapur.	Bhogobanpur.
Rainagar.	Rukindipur.	Noada.
Fulbari.	Chak Ramchandra.	Radhanagar.
Malancha.	Shahapur.	Koktara.
Bazrukenayetpur.	Uri.	Bangta.
Chardighi.	Chakbaban.	Anibagjana.
Koya Shobla.	Narayanpara.	Barabagjana.
Shobla.	Tegharibisha.	Kutahara.
Ganipur.	Debipur.	Khorda.
Kutra.	Mirzapur.	Ramchandrapur.
Khalakpur.	Hatil.	Kristopur.
Jafarpur.	Kashiabari.	Gopalpur.
Halhalia.	Keshabpur.	Baje Sankair.
Anantapur.	Parulia.	Bashudebpur.
Bhadrakhali.	Gaurangapur.	Bhabanandapur.
Chak Raghunath.	Puranapole.	Komorpur.
Chak Shamdas.	Kutibari.	Dhoronda.
Basantapur.	Tajpur.	Aptor.
Kendugachhi.	Parbatta.	Madhabpara.
Hasta.	Chhoto Narayanpur.	Jantigram."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 8001 Regn.—The 27th September 1916.—Maulvi Furrack Ahmad, Probationer of Chittagong, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 23rd October 1916, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 11819Regn., dated the 1st December 1915.

Chittagong.

No 8024 Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Maulvi Diwan 'Abdul Halim, Sub-Registrar, grade I, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Karimganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is confirmed in his present appointment.

Mymensingh.

No. 8028 Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Babu Pramatha Nath Das Gupta, Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur, in the district of Mymensingh, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and eleven days, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 8031 Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Babu Prabhat Chandra Datta, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur, in the district of Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Pramatha Nath Das Gupta, or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 8033Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Babu Jitendra Lal Basu, Probationer of Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Gushkara, in the same district, with effect from the 5th September 1916, until further orders.

Burdwan.

No. 8038Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Babu Kamalini Kanta Sinha Ray, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kishoreganj, in the district of Rangpur, with effect from the 22nd August 1916, until further orders.

Rangpur.

No. 8040Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Maulvi Nazirnddin Muhammad, Probationer of Dacca, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kowkhali, in the district of Bakarganj, from the afternoon of the 24th August 1916 to the afternoon of the 18th September 1916.

Dacca.
Bakarganj.

No. 8042Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Maulvi Khwaja Muhammad Bedar Bakht, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj (Sahibganj), with effect from the 12th September 1916.

Bakarganj.

No. 8044Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Babu Narendra Nath Basu, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Calcutta, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months with effect from the 12th October 1916.

Calcutta.

No. 8047Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Babu Abinash Chandra Gangali, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Durgapur, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kaliakair, in the district of Dacca.

Mymensingh.
Dacca.

No. 8049Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—Babu Dinesh Chandra Ray, Probationer of Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bakshiganj, in the same district, with effect from the 7th September 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Makbul Ahmad, or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 8082Regn.—The 30th September 1916.—Maulvi Asir-ud-din Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kathiadi in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 8084Regn.—The 30th September 1916.—Babu Digindra Nath Chakrabatti, Sub-Registrar of Kathiadi, in the district of Mymensing is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Netrakona in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 8151Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.—Babu Kalidas Chakrabatti, District Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

Bakarganj.

No. 8154Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad 'Abdul Qadir, Sadar Joint Sub-Registrar of Barisal, is appointed to act as District Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kalidas Chakrabatti, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

Rangpur. *No. 8156 Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.*—Babu Suresh Chandra Ray, Sub-Registrar of Bharackhali, in the district of Rangpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for nineteen days, with effect from the 11th September 1916.

Rangpur. *No. 8159 Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.*—Babu Jitendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bharackhali, in the district of Rangpur, with effect from the 15th September 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Suresh Chandra Ray, or until further orders.

Bankura. *No. 8161 Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.*—Chaudhuri Gholam Kibriya, Sub-Registrar of Indas, in the district of Bankura, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and three days, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

Bankura. *No. 8164 Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.*—Babu Indu Bhusan Banarji, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Indas, in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 12th October 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Chaudhuri Gholam Kibriya or until further orders.

24-Parganas. *No. 8166 Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.*—Babu Suresh Chandra Gangali, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, Officiating as Sub-Registrar of Budge-Budge, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 12th October 1916 to the 30th November 1916, both days inclusive.

24-Parganas. *No. 8169 Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.*—Sahibzada Solaiman Shekoh, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Budge-Budge, in the district of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the 12th October 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kanai Lal Mitra, or until further orders.

Noakhali. *No. 8121 Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Saiyid temporarily to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar, within the police-station Sidhi in the district of Noakhali, *vice* Maulvi Raihanuddin Ahmad, on leave.

Noakhali. *No. 8122 Regn.—The 3rd October 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Saiyid temporarily to act as Kazi within the police-station Sidhi, in the district of Noakhali, *vice* Maulvi Raihanuddin Ahmad, on leave.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Dacca. *No. 7947 Regn.—The 25th September 1916.*—It is notified for general information that the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the further retention of the office of the Second Joint Sub-Registrar of Ghior at Teota, in the district of Dacca, having concurrent jurisdiction with the office of the First Joint Sub-Registrar of Ghior, in the same district, for six months with effect from the 1st September 1916, the retention of which up to the 31st August 1916 was sanctioned under Notification No. 2069 Regn., dated the 25th February 1916.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 8010Regn.—The 28th September 1916.—In Notifications Nos. 7286Regn., and 7287 Regn, dated the 4th September 1916, published at pages 1600 and 1601, respectively, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem, *for* "Maulvi Saiyid Muniruddin Ahmad" *read* "Maulvi Saiyid Muinuddin Ahmed."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1383Edn.—The 27th September 1916.—Shams-ul-'Ulama Maulvi Kamal-uddin Ahmad, Principal, Chittagong Madrasa, is allowed combined leave for two years, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 271 of the Regulations, with effect from the 14th August 1916, and extraordinary leave without allowance for the remaining period, under article 339 of the Regulations.

Chittagong.

No. 65T.—Eccle.—The 26th September 1916.—The Revd. E. W. P. Keeling, Chaplain of Fort William, Calcutta, is granted privilege leave for 24 days, with effect from the 1st August 1916, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 201Eccle.—The 27th September 1916.—The Revd. E. W. P. Keeling Chaplain of Dum-Dum, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Peter's Church, Fort William, Calcutta, with effect from the 5th June 1916, or the subsequent date on which he took over charge of his duties.

24-Parganas. Calcutta.

No. 204Eccle.—The 28th September 1916.—The following Notification of the Government of India, Department of Education, is republished for general information.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 360, dated Simla, the 15th September 1916.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Education.

THE Reverend S. S. Scott, a Senior Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, retired from the service with effect from the 4th June 1916.

No. 71T.-Eccle.—The 28th September 1916.—The Revd. George Ewan, Missionary of the United Free Church of Scotland, is authorised, under section 6 of Act XV of 1872, to solemnize marriages between persons one or both of whom is or are a Christian or Christians, and, under section 9 of the Act, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians. The Revd. George Ewan is also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths for Calcutta.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Copy of a letter No. 5485F., dated the 29th September 1916, to the Accountant-General, Bengal.

In continuation of Government order No. 5066F., dated the 6th September 1916, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the grant of grain compensation allowance of Re. 1 a month to all whole-time servants under this Government on the Civil establishment, drawing Rs. 12 or less per month, who were employed in the districts of Bengal, except the Chittagong Hill Tracts, in which cheapest common rice was dearer than 10 seers per rupee during the month of August 1916. These orders will have effect for the month of August 1916.

No. 2045 S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1914-15, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Monday, the 16th October 1916, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 820 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 29th November 1915, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes* except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 1,800 to Rs. 2,500 per chest from 1st July 1916 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 981S.R., dated the 29th April 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 21st and 31st October 1916, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 21st October 1916, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 31st October 1916.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Government of Bengal, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory. Chests uncertified.
On or about Thursday, 9th November 1916 ...	820
On or about Tuesday, 5th December „ ...	820
Total ...	1,640

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 21st September 1916.*

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2924Medl.—The 28th September 1916.—Babu Nabajiban Banarji, M.B., a passed student of the Medical College, Calcutta, is temporarily admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 13th September 1916.

Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2913Medl.—The 26th September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 84 of the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912 (IV of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the Insane Ward at Gobra shall be an Asylum for the purposes of the said Act.

No. 2914Medl.—The 26th September 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 91 of the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912 (IV of 1912), and in addition to the rules published under Notification No. 2227-Medl., dated the 11th November 1915, which relate to all lunatics, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules for leper lunatics, namely :—

Rules.

1. Rules 6, 7 and 10 of the rules published with Notification No. 2227-Medl., dated the 11th November 1915, shall not apply to leper lunatics and the Insane Ward at Gobra.

2. Leper lunatics from any part of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal may be received in the said Insane Ward.

3. The Superintendent of the Gobra Leper Asylum and his subordinates shall have the charge and management of the said Ward under the direction of the President.

4. The Superintendent shall also discharge the duties prescribed in the rules referred to in rule 1 for the Deputy Superintendent, there being no Deputy Superintendent in the Gobra Asylum.

5. In addition to the documents prescribed in the rules published with the notification referred to in rule 1, a certificate of leprosy in the annexed Form E shall be sent to the Insane Ward with every leper lunatic.

6. No leper lunatic shall be sent to the Insane Ward at Gobra without determining previously that there is accommodation for him and that the authorities of the Gobra Asylum are willing to admit him.

7. No dangerous leper lunatics shall be sent to the Insane Ward at Gobra except under Government orders. Government orders shall also be taken for the transfer of a leper lunatic from a lunatic asylum to the Insane Ward at Gobra.

FORM E.

Certificate of Leprosy to be sent with every leper lunatic.

I, the undersigned (here enter name and official designation) hereby certify that I on the _____ day of _____ at _____ personally examined (here enter name of leper lunatic) and that the said _____ is a leper fit for admission in the Insane Ward of the Leper Asylum at Gobra, and that I have formed this opinion on the following grounds, namely :—

(Here state the grounds.)

Given under my hand this _____ day of _____ 19

(Signature and designation of
the Medical Officer.)

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8153A,

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3022A.D.—The 25th September 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Murshidabad, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Murshidabad.

(*b*) to direct that the said persons, or any two or more of them, shall sit together as a Bench at Azimganj in the said district,

(*c*) to invest the said Bench with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class,

(*d*) to direct the said Bench to exercise the said powers for the trial of—

(1) cases under the Municipal Bye-laws and section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), occurring within the limits of the Azimganj Municipality, and

(2) such cases as may be made over to it by the Subdivisional Officer of Lalbagh, and

(*e*) to direct the said persons to take down evidence in the English language :—

Babu Surendra Narayan Singh.	Babu Haridas Ghosh.
„ Surjya Kumar Adhikari.	„ Abinash Chandra Das.

The Bench is empowered, under section 190 (1) (*a*) and (*b*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take cognizance of offences under the Municipal Bye-laws and section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861).

No. 8146A.—The 30th September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Durga Prasanna Maitra the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Pabna, for a period of three years from the 1st October 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, sitting at Sara, within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district. He is also empowered to take cognizance and dispose of all nuisance cases under section 34 of Act V of 1861 within that portion of Sara to which the provisions of the said section have been extended.

Pabna.

No. 8150A.—The 3rd October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Bipin Bihari Sasmal the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of three years from the 27th October 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Contai subdivision of the said district,

Midnapore.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Contai Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 3066A.D.—The 27th September 1916.—Babu Ambu Nath Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, Asansol, Burdwan, is vested with powers under section 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Burdwan.

No. 3168A.D.—The 2nd October 1916.—The officers, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class :—

Babu Jatindra Nath Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, Tangail, Mymensingh.

„ Jiban Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, Bakarganj.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

NOTIFICATION.

Midnapore.

No. 3266J.—The 26th September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Bengal Public Gambling Act, 1867 (Bengal Act II of 1867), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the sections of the said Act (except section 13, which already applies) to the places in the subdivision of Tamluk, in the district of Midnapore, specified in the second column of the following table where the Hats and Melas mentioned in the same column are held, the said places being situated in the thanas noted in the first column of the said table and bounded as shown in the third column thereof:—

Name of thana.	Place with names of Hâts and Melâs.	Boundaries.
Tamluk ...	(1) Ramtarak Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Paddy land of Iswar Chandra Bhattacharji, Bama Charan Mukharji, Nitai Sing, Biraj Mohini Debi and Krishna Mohan Dhara. *On the East*—Bandh of Local Board. *On the South*—Jay Gopal khal. *On the West*—Boundary bandh of village Bar Agar.
Ditto ...	(2) Nikashi Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Cultivated land of Gaya Hazra and Mahesh Chhutar. *On the East*—Cultivated land of Amar Nath De and Tara Chand Roul. *On the South*—Tank of Amar. *On the West*—Tank and Thakurbari of Amar Nath Dey.
Ditto ...	(3) Demari Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Bamboo clump of Gopal Darji and Imam Bux, Tank of Ram Krishna Samanta, house and *doba* of Chandra Darji. *On the East*—Drainage of Mahisda village. *On the South*—Tank of Chandi Ghorai, *Kalabati* of Bhuban Chhutar and Chandi Ghorai. *On the West*—Tank of Fakir Chandra Bose.
Ditto ...	(4) Darjar Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Tank of Sarada Maity and cultivated land of Bhogi Maity. *On the East*—Cultivated land of Iswar Paik and Iswar Darbar. *On the South*—Tank and *khas patit* land of Sarada Maity. *On the West*—Muhammadan burial-ground on the *khas patit* land of Sarada Maity.
Ditto ...	(5) Suadighi Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—*Khas patit* land of Mahishadal Raj. *On the East*—*Khas patit* land of Mahishadal Raj and then Dokbali canal. *On the South*—Suadighi canal. *On the West*—Public Works Department Bandh.

Name of thana.	Place with names of Hats and Melas.	Boundaries.
Tamluk ...	(6) Banpore Hat or Kharai Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Cultivated land of Chuni Lal Panja and Trailokya Kodal. *On the East*—Cultivated land of Adwaita Das, Kala Chand Mandal and Basanta Das. *On the South*—Cultivated land of Lakshi Narain Sahu. *On the West*—Canal of Banpore.
Ditto ...	(7) Balluk Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Cultivated land of Panboroj of Madhab Jana. *On the East*—Garden of cocoanut trees and tank of Arun Maity and Local Board road. *On the South*—Dwelling-house of Chintamani Chamar and Suadighi canal. *On the West*—Local Board bandh, Balluk Canal and cultivated land of Dwarika Nath Mandal and Girish Chandra Mandal.
Gewankhali	(1) Babu Upendra Nath Maity's Rash Mela at Lakhia and 1,000 yards all round the Mela.	*On the North*—District Board road. *On the East*—Lakhia khal of Mahishadal Raj. *On the South*—Narrow drainage khal of Babu Upendra Nath Maity. *On the West*—Private road of Babu Upendra Nath Maity.
Ditto	(2) Gewankhali Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat except the northern side.	*On the North*—Hooghly river. *On the East*—Jalpai land of Mahishadal Raj. *On the South*—Public Works Department Doro Embankment. *On the West*—Entrance channel of Hijli Tidal Canal.
Sutahata ...	(1) Madhaber Mela at Guaberia and 1,000 yards all round the Mela.	*On the North*—Land of Gokul Adhikari and Girish Adhikari. *On the East*—Homestead land of Gobardhan Bera, tank and homestead land of Gokul Adhikari and Girish Adhikari. *On the South*—Land of Gokul Adhikari and Girish Adhikari. *On the West*—Land of Gokul Adhikari, Girish Adhikari and Kailash Kar and tank of Girish Adhikari.
Ditto ...	(2) Gewandab Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Lands of Shaik Dilu and Jay Narain Doloi. *On the East*—Land of Dilu Shaik and Kunja Singh. *On the South*—Land of Baikuntha Jana and Kunja Singh. *On the West*—Tank and land of Jay Narain Doloi and homestead land of Radhu Das.

Name of thana.	Place with names of Hats and Melas.	Boundaries.
Sutahata ...	(3) Balughata Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Balughata khal (commonly known as Shiar khal). *On the East*—Land of Mahesh Bisui, Gopal Adak, Kartik De, Mangal Kar, Paran Das and Shaik Asadaly and tank of Ghanashyam Pradhan. *On the South*—Public Works Department Embankment. *On the West*—Shiar khal and Public Works Department Embankment.
Ditto ...	(4) Kaleer Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Land of Ambika Panda. *On the South*—Land of Shruti Nath Chakrabatti and homestead land of Hara Prasad Samoyi. *On the East*—Land of Shruti Nath Chakrabatti and pond of Hara Prasad Samoyi. *On the West*—Tank of Shruti Nath Chakrabatti and homestead land of Shyama Charan Giri.
Ditto ...	(5) Basulia Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North and South*—Land of Jasim Shaik *On the East*—Khas mahal village bandh of Basulia mouza. *On the West*—Land of Suresh Panda.
Ditto ...	(6) Bardar Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Tank of Chandra Bera and land of Dinu Das. *On the East*—House and tank of Nitai Das. *On the South*—Homestead land of Dinu Das and tank of Kusum Das. *On the West*—Land of Pachu Das and and tank of Chandra Bera.
Nandigram	(1) Reyapara Mela and 1,000 yards all round the Mela.	*On the North and East*—Garkhai of god Siva. *On the South*—Rash Kundoo tank and its adjoining garden. *On the West*—Tank of goddess Kali and Kailash Bharati's pathway.
Ditto ...	(2) Terapakhia Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat except the northern side.	*On the North*—Haldi river. *On the East*—Lands belonging to Narain Patra, Bata Krishna Paramanik, Madan Mohan Jana and others. *On the South*—Public Works Department Embankment. *On the West*—Zamindar's khal.
Ditto ...	(3) Panchkhali Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat except the northern side.	*On the North*—Haldi river. *On the East*—Kumarmara khal, belonging to zamindars. *On the South and West*—Zamindar's Bandh.

Name of thana.	Place with names of Hats and Melas.	Boundaries.
Sutahata ...	(4) Tekhali Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North and East*—Land of Fakir Chand Das and others. *On the South*—Talpati khal. *On the West*—Zamindar's khal.
Mahishadal	(1) Nanda Kumar Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Bastu and kala land of Chaitanya Jana, Bastu land of Dinanath Dhobi and Bastu and kala land and a tank of Indra Adhikari. *On the East*—*Jal* land of Dwari Kuiti, Radha Kanta Saha and others, Bastu land of Mahesh Das, kala land and tank of Kali Adak, Bastu and kala land of Bepin Das, pucca building of Amulya Giri and kala land of Chandra Samanta. *On the South*—Burning ground and Bastu and kala lands and tank of Bepin Dome and Gopinath Kar. *On the West*—Kala land of Siba Jana, *jal* land of Gadadhar Samanta and Bastu and kala land and tank of Gopi Bera and others.
Ditto ...	(2) Gopal Ganja Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Bholsara khal of the Mahishadal Raj *On the East*—Nashi khal. *On the South*—Bastu of Chintamani Shee. *On the West*—Bholsara khal of the Mahishadal Raj.
Panskura ...	(1) Kola Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—*Jal* land of Bhusan Chandra Sarkar Naren Mana and Sashi Bhusan Guchait. *On the East*—Public Works Department Embankment of Rupnarain river. *On the South*—Road belonging to Zamindar Manik Lal Seal. *On the West*—*Jal* land of Naren Mana, Kamini Bewa, Bhusan Chandra Sarkar and Girish Pandit.
Ditto ...	(2) Raghunath Bari Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Houses of Chintamani Sha and Krishnadhan Sha. *On the East*—House of Nilkantha Kumar. *On the South*—Tank of Saday Charan Dhoba and land of Ishan Kumar. *On the West*—Road belonging to Achyutananda Das Mahanta.

Name of thana.	Place with names of Hats and Melas.	Boundaries.
Panskura ...	(3) Sirdha Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Land belonging to Shaik Chuni, Girish Chandra and Haradhan Samanta. *On the East*—Land belonging to Shaik Ramjan, Narain Das, Jrittibas Das and Sashi Bhusan Maity. *On the South*—Land of Siba Chandra and Parameswar Samanta and Narain Das and Adwaita Charan Ghail. *On the West*—Atchala of idol "Siva" of village Sirdha.
Ditto ...	(4) Gopalvagar Hat and 1,000 yards all round the Hat.	*On the North*—Temple of *Sitala Thakurani* and land of Srimanta Majhi. *On the South*—Land belonging to Girish Chandra Chakrabatti and Kachery house of Bhuban Mohan Jana and Bhabendra Nath Jana. *On the West*—Land belonging to Gopi Nath Mal and Upper Primary School building. *On the East*—House and kala land of Srimanta Majhi.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3269P.D.—The 27th September 1916.—Rai Rajendra Chandra Shastri Bahadur, Bengali Translator to Government, is allowed leave for one month and thirteen days, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of the 12th October 1916.

No. 3477P.D.—The 3rd October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (*1*) of the Indian Press Act 1910 (I of 1910) the Governor in Council declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies wherever found of a leaflet printed in English headed "I. R. Camp (Bengal branch) from the office of the Director-General, Administration Department administration report" beginning with the words "the Director-General is pleased to accept, etc." and ending with the words "and the second stage has passed 'and' signed R. Dhanraj, Director-General of Administration Department" and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet on the grounds that the said leaflet incites the murder of persons employed in the maintenance of law and order and contains exhortations to rebellion against the British Government and therefore appears to the Governor in Council to contain words which are likely or may have a tendency to incite to murder and interference with the maintenance of law and order and to bring into hatred and contempt and excite disaffection towards the Government established by law in British India and are of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (*1*), clauses (*a*) (*e*) and (*c*) of the said Act.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 12082P.—The 2nd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*s*) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the Ullapara Railway Station of the Sara-Sirajganj extension—

(*a*) to be a police-station, and

(*b*) to include the areas and Railway stations which are mentioned in columns 1 and 2 of the following table :—

Area according to mileage of Railway.	Railway stations.
125-174/14 (T.P.)	Mooladuli, Dhanbila, Chatmohor, Goakhora, Bhangora, Saratnagar, Dilpasar, Baloobhara, Mohishakhola, Ullapara, Salop, Jamtoli, Kalia Haripur, Sirajganj, Sirajganj Bazar.

No. 12087P.—The 3rd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend that section to the town of Rajbari consisting of mauzas Binodpur (No. 403) and Sajjan Kanda (No. 398) in the subdivision of Goalundo of the Faridpur district, within the boundaries specified below :— **Faridpur.**

North—Char Moheshpur, No. 415, Lakkmikole 414.
South—Hosnabad 397, Sripur, 389, Ramkantapur 197.
East—Nurpur 416, Ramchandrapur 401, Char Krishnapur 400, Kazikanda 399.
West—Bhabanipur 404, Bara Lakshmipur 405, Char Narayanpur 406, South Char Beninagar 407.

II. This cancels Government Notification, dated the 28th January 1890, published at pages 78 and 79 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th January 1890.

No. 12088P.—The 3rd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend that section to the town of Goalundo Ghat consisting portions of mauzas Ujanchar (582) and Daulatdia (1859), in the subdivision of Goalundo of the Faridpur district, within the boundaries specified below :— **Faridpur.**

1. The west bank of the river Padma of the Ganges, for a distance of two miles and a half above and one mile below the floating station of the Eastern Bengal Railway at Ujanchar (Goalundo), R. S. No. 582.

2. A line running parallel to the river bank as defined above and distant ½ mile inland therefrom.

II. This cancels Government Notification, dated the 28th March 1892, published at page 349 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th March 1892.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th September 1916.

No. 105.—The Public Works Department Notifications Nos. 92 and 93, dated the 18th September 1916, are hereby cancelled.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

The 25th September 1916.

No. 15.—Notification.—The following draft of a rule which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to add to the Rules for Tolly's Nala, published with notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904 (published at pages 744-46, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

11. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 8th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Draft Rule.

28. Whenever it is decided to close Tolly's Nala temporarily under section 3 of the Canals Act, 1864, for doing any act necessary for the improvement of the Nala one month's notice of the intention to close it shall be given.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 28th September 1916.

No. 101Mne.—Commander D. F. Vines, R.I.M., Port Officer and Shipping Master, Calcutta, is allowed, under the rules contained in the General Order, by the Director, Royal Indian Marine, No. 20, dated the 26th July 1916, regulating the grant of leave during war to Royal Indian Marine officers war leave for thirty days from the 15th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 28th September 1916.

No. 102Mne.—Commander G. H. S. La Touche, R.I.M., Deputy Port Officer and Senior Deputy Shipping Master, Calcutta, is appointed to officiate as Port Officer and Shipping Master, Calcutta, in addition to his own duties, *vice* Commander D. F. Vines, R.I.M., granted leave in Notification No. 101Marine, dated the 28th September 1916.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th September 1916.

No. 103.—Babu Sitakanta Ganguli, Overseer, is granted privilege leave for two months and eleven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 104.—Babu Abinash Chandra Sarkar, Overseer, is, on return from leave, posted to the Darjeeling Division.

H. H. GREEN,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8154A.

No. 3081A.D.—The 27th September 1916.—Babu Dilip Chandra Dhar, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Presidency Division. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Presidency Divn.

No. 3144A.D.—The 30th September 1916.—Babu Ramani Ranjan Datta, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for forty-two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 31st August 1916.

No. 3154A.D.—The 2nd October 1916.—Babu Sharat Chandra Lahiri (No. I), Sub-Deputy Collector, Ulubaria, Howrah, is allowed leave for two months and twelve days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Howrah.

No. 3156A.D.—The 2nd October 1916.—Maulvi Amir Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bankura, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Bankura.

No. 3158A.D.—The 2nd October 1916.—Babu Rebati Raman Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bankura, is transferred to the Rajshahi Division. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Bankura.
Rajshahi Divn.

No. 3161A.D.—The 2nd October 1916.—Maulvi Elamuddin Khan, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bankura, is transferred to the Chittagong Division. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Bankura.
Chittagong Divn.

No. 3170A.D.—The 2nd October 1916.—Babu Phani Bhusan Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, Naugaon, Rajshahi, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 12th October 1916 to the 22nd December 1916, inclusive.

Rajshahi.

No. 3173A.D.—The 2nd October 1916.—Babu Hrishikesh Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Naugaon subdivision of the Rajshahi district on being relieved of his charge of the Mainaguri tahsil in the Jalpaiguri district. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Jalpaiguri.
Rajshahi.

No. 3178A.D.—The 2nd October 1916.—In modification of the orders of the 25th May 1916, Maulvi Nausher Ali Khan Yusufji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and twenty-eight days with effect from the 16th July 1916 and leave, on medical certificate, for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1284D., dated Darjeeling, the 26th September 1916.—Second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Sen Gupta of the Asansol Subdivision, in the district of Burdwan is appointed to the Kandi Subdivision and Dispensary, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Atindra Nath Sen, transferred.

No. 1288D., dated Darjeeling, the 26th September 1916.—Second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Atindra Nath Sen of the Kandi Subdivision and Dispensary, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to the Charitable Dispensary at Berhampore, *vice* second grade Assistant Surgeon Satish Chandra Ghosh transferred.

No. 1290D., dated Darjeeling, the 26th September 1916.—Second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Gauri Prasad Bhattacherji, of the General Hospital, Chittagong, is appointed temporarily to be Instructor in First Aid to the Injured and Ambulance work, Calcutta Police, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Bama Charan Munshi, transferred.

2. This cancels Notification No. 1135-D., dated the 16th September 1916.

No 1242D., dated Darjeeling, the 23rd September 1916.—This Department Notification No. 1129D., dated the 16th September 1916, appointing third grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Joges Nath Sen of the Uttarpara Dispensary to the Berhampore Dispensary, is cancelled.

W. R. EDWARDS, M.D., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Jessore Sadar Dispensary.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913, notice is hereby given that the half-yearly examination of the compounders will be held at the Jessore Sadar Charitable Dispensary on Monday and Tuesday, the 23rd and 24th October 1916.

SHAIKH ILAHI BAKSH, *Civil Surgeon.*

JESSORE, *the 29th September 1916.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MAULVI ABUL MAHMUD has been placed in charge of the Murshidabad Treasury from the afternoon of the 23rd September 1916, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, *Collector.*

MURSHIDABAD COLLECTORATE, *the 25th September 1916.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1916 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

E. H. BRAY,
Sheriff.

সরিক আফিস, সন ১৯১৬ সাল, তারিখ ২৭শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৬ সালের ২৯শে নভেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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সরিক।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 26th September 1916.

No. 69P.—Miss Nirojbashini Shome, Additional Assistant Inspectress of Schools for Burdwan Division, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for fourteen days with effect from the 12th October 1916.

The 27th September 1916.

No. 70P.—Miss Mabel Singh, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, 24-Parganas, Jessore and Khulna, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act as Special Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Calcutta, *vice* Miss Hridaybala Basu, on deputation.

No. 71P.—Miss Nirojbashini Shome, Additional Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Midnapore, Howrah and Bankura, on leave, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act as Assistant Inspectress of Schools, 24-Parganas, Jessore and Khulna, *vice* Miss Mabel Singh, on deputation.

No. 72P.—Miss Abala Sircar is appointed to act as Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Midnapore, Howrah and Bankura, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, *vice* Miss Nirojbashini Shome, on deputation.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION—No. 2750Misc.

Calcutta, the 3rd October 1916.

THE price-lists of staple food-crops in the local areas of Bengal prepared under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), for the period from 1st April 1916 to 30th June 1916, having been approved by the Board of Revenue, Bengal, are published for general information.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

J. A. L. SWAN,
Secretary.

Price-list (retail) of Staple Food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared from April to

BURDWAN

1	2		3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.		Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
BURDWAN ...	Sadar	subdivision ...	Burdwan, Nutunganj.	Rice ... ...
	Asansol	ditto ...	Raniganj ...	Do. ... ...
	Katwa	ditto ...	Katwa ...	Do. ... ...
	Kalna	ditto ...	Kalna ...	Do. . . ...
BIRBHUM ...	Sadar	ditto ...	Suri ...	Do. ... ...
	Rampur Hât	ditto ...	Rampur Hât ...	Do. ... ...
BANKURA ...	Sadar	ditto ...	Bankura ...	Do. ... ...
	Vishnupur	ditto ...	Vishnupur ...	Do. ... ...
MIDNAPORE ...	Sadar	ditto ...	Colonelgola and School Bazar, town Midnapore.	Do. ... ...
	Ghatal	ditto ...	Ghatal Municipal Market.	Do. ... ...
	Tamluk	ditto ...	Tamluk Bazar ...	Do. ... ...
	Contai	ditto ...	Kantanala Bazar, town Contai.	Do. ... ...
HOOGHLY ...	Sadar	ditto ...	Hooghly ...	Do. ... ...
	Serampore	ditto ...	Serampore ...	Do. ... ...
	Arambagh	ditto ...	Arambagh ...	Do. ... ...
	Howrah	ditto ...	Ramkristopur ...	Do. ... ...
	Uluberia	ditto ...	Uluberia ...	Do. ... ...

under section 38 of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), for three months June 1916.

DIVISION.

5	6	7	8	9
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1916.
	April.	May.	June.	
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last day of every month	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 7
27th of every month	8 4	8 0	7 12	8 0
Ditto	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 13
28th of every month	8 0	7 12	7 10	7 13
Last day of every month	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 9
Last Monday or Friday of every month ...	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 3
Last day of every month	8 0	7 6	7 12	7 11
Ditto	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 3
Ditto	8 9	7 11	7 6	7 14
27th of every month	7 13	7 13	7 7	7 11
Ditto	8 4	7 12	7 9	7 14
Last market day, *i.e.*, last Sunday or Thursday, whichever is nearer to the last day of every month.	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 11
Last Thursday of every month ...	7 3	7 10	7 0	7 4
First or last Saturday of every month ...	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 4
Ditto ditto ...	8 6	7 12	7 12	7 15
Last day of every month	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 3
Last Saturday of every month ...	7 8	7 8	7 3	7 6

PRESIDENCY

1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
24-PARGANAS	Sadar subdivision ...	Chetla Hât ...	Rice ... ...
	Barasat and Barrackpore subdivisions.	Barasat ...	Do. ... ...
	Diamond Harbour subdivision.	Magrahât ...	Do. ... ...
	Basirhat subdivision ...	Baduria ...	Do. ... ...
NADIA ...	Sadar ditto ...	Goari ...	Do. ... ...
	Ranaghat ditto ...	Ranaghat ...	Do. ... ...
	Meherpur ditto ...	Meharpur Kalibazar	Do. ... ...
	Chuadanga ditto ...	Chuadanga ...	Do. ... ...
	Kushtia ditto ...	Bahadurkhali ...	Do. ... ...
MURSHIDABAD	Sadar ditto ...	Berhampore Khagra	Do. ... ...
	Lalbagh ditto ...	Jiaganj ...	Do. ... ..
	Kandi ditto ...	Kandi ...	Do. ... ...
	Jangipur ditto ...	Raghunathganj ...	Do. ... ...
JESSORE ...	Sadar ditto ...	Jessore ...	Do. ... ...
	Narail ditto ...	Rupganj ...	Do. ... ...
	Magura ditto ...	Magura ...	Do. ... ...
	Jhenida ditto ...	Jhenida ...	Do. ... ...
	Bongaon ditto ...	Bongaon ..	Do. ... ...

DIVISION.

5	6	7	8	9
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1916.
	April.	May.	June.	
	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
Last Wednesday of every month ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
Ditto ditto ...	8 9	8 2	7 8	8 1
Second Tuesday of every month ...	7 13	7 6	7 5	7 8
Last day of every month	7 4	7 6	6 10	7 0
28th of every month	7 4	6 12	6 8	6 13
Last Monday of every month	6 12	6 8	6 4	6 8
Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
28th of every month	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
Ditto	7 14	7 0	7 0	7 5
First Monday of every month	8 1	7 12	7 8	7 12
The last market day before the 28th of every month.	8 8	7 11	7 12	8 0
Ditto ditto ...	9 2	7 14	7 8	8 3
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	8 4	8 8	7 12	8 3
Sunday or Thursday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	7 10	7 7	7 9	7 9
Thursday or Sunday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Thursday falling on or next before the 26th.	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
Ditto ditto ...	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	8 0	8 0	7 7	7 13

PRESIDENCY

1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
KHULNA ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Khulna Bazar (*alias* Saheberhat).	Rice ... ...
	Satkhira ditto ...	Satkhira Bazar (*alias* Pranshire).	Do. ... ...
	Bagerhat ditto ...	Bagerhat .	Do. ... ...

DACCA

DACCA ...	Narayanganj subdivision ...	Narayanganj Bazar	Rice ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Dacca town Imamganj bazar.	Do. ... ...
	Manikganj ditto ...	Dasora Bazar ...	Do. ... ...
	Munshiganj ditto ...	Munshirhat ...	Do. ... ...
MYMENSINGH...	Jamalpur ditto ...	Raniganj ...	Do. ... ...
	Tangail ditto ...	Kagmari ...	Do. ... ...
	Netrakona ditto . .	Netrakona ...	Do. ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Nasirabad ...	Do. ... ...
	Kishorganj ditto ...	Kishorganj ...	Do. ... ...
FARIDPUR ...	Sadar ditto ...	Faridpur ...	Do. ... ...
	Madaripur ditto	Madaripur ...	Do. ... ...
	Goalundo ditto ...	Goalundo ...	Do. ... ...
	Gopalganj ditto ...	Gopalganj ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

5	6	7	8	9
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1916.
	April.	May.	June.	
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last market day of every month ...	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the 26th.	8 1	8 0	7 11	7 15
Sunday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Sunday falling on or before the 26th.	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 5

DIVISION.

	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last market day before the 13th of every month.	7 0	7 0	7 2	7 1
Last market day of every month ...	7 10	7 12	7 4	7 9
Market day falling on or immediately before the 28th of every month.	7 2	7 6	7 5	7 4
Last Sunday of every month ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
Last market day of the 3rd week of every month.	8 4	8 4	7 10	8 1
Ditto ditto ...	7 2	7 8	6 15	7 3
Ditto ditto ...	6 4	6 12	6 12	6 9
Ditto ditto ...	6 11	7 2	6 12	6 14
Ditto ditto ...	6 14	6 14	6 6	6 11
Last market day of every month ...	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 7
On the market day preceding the 28th of every month.	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 5
Ditto ditto ...	8 0	7 6	7 6	7 9
Last market day of every month ...	8 1	7 12	7 4	7 11

DACCA

1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
BAKARGANJ ...	Patuakhali subdivision ...	Patuakhali ...	Rice ... ...
	Pirojpur ditto ...	Pirojpur ...	Do. ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Barisal ...	Do. ... ...
	Dakhin Shahbazpur subdivision.	Bhola Hât ..	Do. ... ...

CHITTAGONG

TIPPERA ...	Brahmanbaria subdivision	Brahmanbaria ...	Rice ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Rajganja Bazar, Comilla.	Do. ... ...
	Chandpur ditto ...	Chandpur Old Bazar	Do. ... ...
NOAKHALI ...	Sadar ditto ...	Kalitara Hât ...	Do. . ...
	Feni ditto ...	Feni Bazar ...	Do. ... ...
CHITTAGONG ...	Sadar ditto ...	Buxy Hât ...	Do. ... ...
	Cox's Bazar ditto ...	Cox's Bazar ...	Do. ... ...

RAJSHAHI

RAJSHAHI ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Saheb Bazar ...	Rice ... ...
	Naogaon ditto ...	Naogaon ...	Do. ... ...
	Nator ditto ...	Nator ...	Do. ... ...
DINAJPUR ...	Sadar ditto ...	Railway Bazar Hât	Do. ... ...
	Thakurgaon ditto ...	Lahirihat ...	Do. ... ...
	Balurghat . ditto ...	Balurghat ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

5	6	7	8	9
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1916.
	April.	May.	June.	
	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	7 11	6 15	6 15	7 3
Ditto ditto ...	7 6	6 14	6 4	6 13
Last day of every month	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 13
Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0

DIVISION.

	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	7 4	7 4	6 11	7 1
Last market day of every month ...	6 14	6 12	6 6	6 11
Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 13
Last market day of every month ...	7 5	7 3	7 3	7 4
Ditto ditto ...	7 4	6 6	6 6	6 11
Last Saturday of every month ...	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
Friday immediately preceding the 26th or the 26th, if that day happens to be a Friday.	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 13

DIVISION.

	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
Last day of every month	7 8	7 8	7 5	7 7
Ditto	8 12	8 4	7 10	8 3
Ditto	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
Last market day of every month ...	8 6	8 6	7 13	8 3
.....	9 8	9 8	8 0	9 0
.....	9 3	9 2	8 12	9 0

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1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
JALPAIGURI ..	Alipur Duar subdivision ...	Alipur Duar ...	Rice ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Dinbazar ...	Do. ... ...
RANGPUR ...	Sadar ditto ...	Nawabganj Chaliamad, Rangpur.	Do. ... ...
	Nilphamari ditto ...	Sagamacha ...	Do. ... ...
	Kurigram ditto ...	Kurigram ...	Do. ... ...
	Gaibandha ditto ...	Gaibandhabazar ...	Do. ... ...
BOGRA ...	District of Bogra ...	Kalitala Hât ...	Do. ... ...
PABNA ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Pabna Bazar ...	Do. ... ...
	Sirajganj ditto ...	Fariapati at Sirajganj.	Do. ... ...
MALDA ...	District of Malda ...	Balia Nawabganj ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

5	6	7	8	9
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1916.
	April.	May.	June.	
	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
.....	8 4	7 8	7 8	7 12
15th of every month	7 13	8 0	8 0	7 15
Last Wednesday or Saturday, whichever may be next to the last day of every month.	8 9	8 9	7 11	8 4
Last Wednesday or Sunday, whichever may be close to the 28th of every month.	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 11
Last Saturday or Tuesday next to the 28th of every month.	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 3
27th of every month	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
Last Sunday of every month ...	8 12	9 0	7 6	8 6
15th of every month	8 4	8 8	8 4	8 5
Ditto	6 10	7 0	7 0	6 14
Second Wednesday of every month ..	10 0	10 0	9 6	9 13

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 165R.G.—Babu Manindra Lal Banerjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from 12th October 1916, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI SYEDUDDIN AHMAD, Sub-Deputy Collector, on relief-work at Bankura, is allowed privilege leave for six weeks, under article 242 (*a*), Civil Service Regulations, from the 25th October 1916.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 169R.G.—Babu Dwijadas Mazumdar, sub. *pro tem.* Sub-Deputy Collector, Alipore, is transferred to Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 27th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 168R.G.—Babu Satya Charan Haldar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, is transferred to Satkhira, in the district of Khulna.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 27th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 170R.G.—Maulvi Abul Fazl Mahamad Mahmud, Sub-Deputy Collector, Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is transferred to Ranaghat, in the district of Nadia.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA. *the 27th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 171R.G.—Babu Satyendra Nath Roy, sub. *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is transferred to Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 27th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power vested in me under Government Order No. 168P.D. of 22nd April 1913, I reappoint Dr. B. L. Bose and Rai Mahendra Chandra Lahiri Bahadur to be non-official visitors of the sub-jail at Serampore, in the district of Hooghly.

J. M. CHATTERJEE, for *Commissioner on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the power vested in me under Government Order No. 168P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, I reappoint the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur and Rai Sahib Mahendra Lal Bose and appoint Maulvi Mazharul Anwar Chaudhury to be non-official visitors of the District Jail of Hooghly.

J. M. CHATTERJEE, for *Commr. on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 28th September 1916*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4521J.—Babu Upendra Mohan Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Perojpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 28th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4526J.—Maulvi Mir Hafizuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 28th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 176R.G.—Babu Surendra Nath Banarji, No. III, Sub-Deputy Collector, Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is granted privilege leave for fourteen days, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4518J.—The members of the Pirojpur Local Board, in the district of Bakarganj, having at a meeting requested me, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as subsequently amended, to appoint a Chairman, I hereby appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Pirojpur to be their Chairman.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 27th September 1916*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1488J.—Under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as subsequently amended, Mr. R. E. Bradley, Superintendent of Police, is appointed a member of the Dacca District Board, *vice* Mr. F. D. Ascoli.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4567J.—It is hereby notified that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Act III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Bakarganj :—

Local Board by which elected	Names of members.
Sadar	Babu Rohini Lal Roy.
	„ Rai Charan Guha.
	„ Akhil Chandra Dutt.
	„ Devendra Nath Dutt.
	Maulvi Syed Muhammad Hossain.
Perojpur ...	The Hon'ble Maulvi A. K. Fazlal Huq.
	Rai Satyendra Nath Choudhury Bahadur.
	Maulvi Someruddin Ahamed.
Patuakhali ...	Munshi Abdul Kasem.
	Maulvi Fazlal Karim.
Bhola ...	„ Mahammad Ismail Khan Choudhury.
	„ Asghar Ali.

Under section 7 of the Act the following gentlemen are appointed members of the Board :—

The Subdivisional Officer, Perojpur.

The Subdivisional Officer, Patuakhali.

The Subdivisional Officer, Bhola.

The Khas Mahal Deputy Collector.

The District Deputy Inspector of Schools.

The Civil Surgeon, Bakarganj.

Mr. H. C. F. Meyer.

Mr. R. G. G. Brown.

The Joint Agent, India General Steam Navigation Company and River Steam Navigation Company.

Khan Bahadur Hemeyetuddin Ahmed.

Babu Kali Prosanna Guha.

„ Syama Charan Chakravarti.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 28th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 162Jct.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Sadullapur, in the district of Rangpur :—

1. Sub-Inspector of Police, Sadullapur ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. Sub-Registrar, Sadullapur ... ... }
3. Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Dutt.
4. Munshi Kalimuddin Khan.
5. Babu Iswar Chandra Sarker.
6. „ Guru Charan Shaha.
7. „ Jaga Bandhu Chaudhuri.
8. „ Joarmall Oswal.
9. Munshi Ajimuddin Khan.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP DARJEELING, *the 21st September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 166Jcl.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committees for the management of the Charitable Dispensaries at Jaldhaka, Chhatnai and Domar, in the district of Rangpur :—

Jaldhaka.

1. Sub-Registrar, Jaldhaka ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. Sub-Inspector in charge of Jaldhaka police-station. } *Ex-officio.*
3. Munshi Maniruddin Chaudhuri.
4. Babu Daiba Chandra Bose.
5. „ Peari Mohan Bose.
6. Munshi Sovanuddin Ahmed.
7. Babu Govinda Ram Mahesri.
8. „ Ram Chandra Sarker.
9. Munshi Abdul Kassim Ahmed.

Chhatnai.

1. Babu Charu Chandra Singha.
2. Munshi Amanatulla Sarker.
3. Babu Umesh Chandra Biswas.
4. Munshi Resmatulla Sarker.
5. Babu Sreekanta Adhikari.
6. „ Radha Nath Das.
7. Munshi Bashi Mahmed.
8. Babu Cheltu Ram Barman.
9. Munshi Mala Mahmed Pramanik.
10. Babu Angali Das Patwari.
11. Munshi Saritulla Sarker.

Domar.

1. Babu Sarat Chandra Kar.
2. „ Hiromba Lal Lahiri.
3. Mr. G. N. Brewin.
4. Babu J. N. Gossain.
5. „ Nabakumar Ray.
6. Sub-Registrar, Domar ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
7. Station Master, Domar Railway Station ... } *Ex-officio.*
8. Sub-Inspector in charge of Domar police-station. } *Ex-officio.*
9. Babu Surja Mal Surana.
10. „ Ram Chandra Agarwala.
11. Hazi Mosharatulla.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 21st September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 23 of the Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Mahesh Dispensary Committee in the district of Hooghly in place of Mr. Tricumdas Callyanjee and Babu Nrisingha Das Bose, resigned :—

1. Babu Satis Chandra Chowdhuri.
2. „ Sasibhusan Ghosh.

J. M. CHATTERJEE, for *Commissioner on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 27th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 53L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Khardah Charitable Dispensary in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Barrackpore } *Ex-officio*
2. The Civil Surgeon, 24-Parganas ... }
3. The Chairman, South Barrackpore Municipality.
4. The Chairman, Panihati Municipality.
5. The Vice-Chairman, Titagarh Municipality.
6. Babu Gokul Chandra Boral
7. „ Amrita Lal Mukherjee.
8. „ Promatha Nath Chatterjee.
9. „ Sashi Bhusan Ganguly
10. „ Sagordas Das.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR 'S OFFICE, PRESY., DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 21st September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers under clauses (*d*) and (*e*) of section 6 of Act I (B.C.), 1885, delegated to him by section 36 of the Act, the District Magistrate is pleased to define the limits of the public ferries mentioned below, situated in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

FERRIES MAINTAINED BY THE DISTRICT BOARD.

SADAR SUBDIVISION.

Serial No	Name of ferry	Limits of ferries
1.	Garankati on the river Peali.	Right bank—Kumtakhali, 300' on the north of Rai Bahadur Sasi Bhushan Chatarji's cutchery. Left bank—200' north of Forest Department bungalow at Garankati.
2.	Badokula on the river Peali.	Left bank—Western limit Badokula village Right bank—Eastern limit Kharberia village.
3.	Miraganj, Boratala on the river Peali.	Left bank—Western limit of Meraganj just opposite of Badartala. Right bank—Half a mile east of Baratala village.
4.	Dhosa on the river Peali...	Left bank—Eastern limit of Dharmatala just opposite of Dhosa Hat. Right bank—Dhosa Hat.
5.	Kharampara on the river Peali.	Left bank—Half a mile west of Balui Jhanka. Right bank—Eastern limit of Kharampara near Kharampara khal.
6.	Jayatala on the river Peali	Left bank—Eastern limit of Hatpukur (north of Sonachari sluice). Right bank—East of Jayatala Hat just opposite of Hatpukur.
7.	Bolebowni on the river Peali.	Left bank—Bolebowni Road. Right bank—Northern limit of Bindakhali Garulia just opposite of Bolebowni Road.
8.	Uttarbhag on the river Peali.	On Baruipur-Matla Road.
9.	Peali on the river Peali ...	50' south of Peali railway bridge.
10.	Badartala on the river Hooghly of Sadar subdivision.	Left bank—Rajganj bazar. Right bank—Badartala west of Badar Saheb's masjid.

Serial No.	Name of ferry.	Limit of ferries
11.	Akra on the river Hooghly of Sadar subdivision.	Left bank—Junction of Manikhali khal at Akra. Right bank—Just south of Manickpur Mill.
12.	Hayatpur on the river Hooghly.	Left bank—Nangi Bazar. Right bank—Pir Saranga (near mela ground).
13.	Budge-Budge on the river Hooghly.	Left bank—50′ north of Steamer Ghat station. Right bank—Just north of Fort Gloster Mill.
14.	Pujali on the river Hooghly.	Left bank—Poojali just west of Poojali khal. Right bank—Chak Kasi near private road to Changail station.
15.	Charamadari on the river Hooghly.	Left bank—End of Budge-Budge Road. Right bank—Uluberia near Steamer Ghat station.
16.	Roypur on the river Hooghly.	Left bank—Near Alampur sluice. Right bank—Eastern limit of Hirapur just opposite of Alampur.
17.	Naldari on the river Hooghly.	Left bank—On Telary Road. Right bank—Western limit of Baganda just opposite.
18.	Dabu on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—Naliakhali Road. Right bank—Eastern limit of Dabu village just opposite.
19.	Raibagini on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—Basanti Road near Dock. Right bank—Just north of Raibagini sluice.
20.	Amjhara on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—Amjhara Hat. Right bank—East of Hadia ferry near the bend of the river.
21.	Hedia on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—Junction of Karatia khal. Right bank—South of Rice Mill, Canning.
22.	Tambuldaha on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—South of Tambuldaha Hat. Right bank—Just east of Kumrakhali Hat.
23.	Taldi on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—1,000′ just east of a sluice at Nagartala. Right bank—Taldi Road.
24.	Dhoaghata on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—South of Gajoapur village just opposite of Dhoaghata Hat. Right bank—Dhoaghata Hat.
25.	Palta on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—Just east of Palta Hat. Right bank—Abra northern limit of Abra village.
26.	Soondia on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—Sundia-Sodalia Road. Right bank—On Naranpur to Sundia Road.
27.	Pratapnagar on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—Southern limit of Datta Hat just opposite of Pratapnagar Hat. Right bank—Pratapnagar Hat.
28.	Tardah on the river Bidyadhari.	Left bank—Tardah Jeliapara. Right bank—Samukpota near Jaliapara.
29.	Ramchandrakhali on the river Hogaldi.	Left bank—On Basanti Abad Road. Right bank—Just north of Basanti Cutchery.
30.	Kuriabhanga on the river Karatia Khal.	Left bank—Kuriabhanga Hat. Right bank—Eastern limit of Bangalmari near Kali khal now bunded up.
31.	Manirtat on the Mani Khal	Left bank—Manirtat private road. Right bank—Ganbhir Hat.
32.	Bhangore Bibihati on the Bhangore Kata Khal.	Left bank—On Bhangore-Bodra Road. Right bank—Bhangore-Bodra Road.

DIAMOND HARBOUR SUBDIVISION.

List showing the clear description of the points on each side of the river between which the respective ferry boats ply within the subdivision of Diamond Harbour.

No.	Name of ferry.	POSITION ON ONE SIDE OF THE RIVER.			POSITION ON OTHER SIDE OF THE RIVER.			Across which river the boat is plying.
		Description of the points.	Side of river.	District.	Description of the points	Side of river.	District.	
1	Kantakhali ...	One thousand feet on each side of the benian tree in Kantakhali market	East ..	24-Parganas	One thousand feet on each side of the Baragachia steamer ghat.	West ...	Hooghly ...	Hooghly river.
2	Nainan ...	One thousand feet on each side from the mouth of Nainan khal.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	One thousand feet on each side of the Shibganj steamer ghat.	Do. ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3	Khola Khal. ...	One thousand feet on each side of the Kholakhali Dak Road No. 72.	North ...	Ditto ...	One thousand feet on each side of the Dak road from Kedgiree.	South ...	Midnapore...	Ditto.
4	Manoharganj ...	Five hundred feet on each side of the Kalagachia Road No. 63.	Do ...	Ditto ...	Five hundred feet on each side of the Kalagachia Road No. 63.	Do. ...	24-Parganas	Diamond Harbour creek.
5	Kakdwip Mud Point	Half mile on each side of the Kakdwip steamer ghat road No. 70E.	East ...	Ditto ...	One thousand feet on each side of the foot-path leading to ferry ghat in Mud Point.	West ...	Ditto ...	Channel creek river.
6	Kachuberia ...	Six hundred feet on each side of the Kakdwip steamer ghat road No. 70E.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Six hundred feet on each side of the foot-path leading to ferry ghat within Kachuberia village	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7	Kulipungle ...	Five hundred feet on each side of the ferry ghat road in Kastala village.	South ...	Ditto ...	Five hundred feet on each side of the road to ferry ghat in Mud Point.	North ...	Ditto ...	Over a breach in Mud Point.
8	Namkhana ...	From the mouth of Ghubati khal to a distance of one thousand feet east.	North ...	Ditto ...	Six hundred feet on each side of the Namkhana steamer ghat	South ...	Ditto ...	Doagree river.
9	Budakhally ...	Five hundred feet on each side of the ferry ghat road in Budakhali.	West ...	Ditto ...	Five hundred feet on each side of the road from Ukil Babu's Hat.	East ...	Ditto ...	Ghubati khal.
10	Lot No. 14 ...	Three hundred feet on each side of the road leading to ferry ghat in Natabar Bera's Lot.	th ...	Ditto ...	From the mouth of the Banstala khal to a distance of 1,000 feet each.	Mouth ...	Ditto ...	Ghurudanga gang
11	Lot No. 15 ...	Five hundred feet on either side of the road leading to ferry ghat within Gangadharpur village.	West ...	Ditto ...	From the mouth of Gundakata khal to a distance of 1,000 feet south.	East ...	Ditto ...	Ditto
12	Lot No. 15 (subsidiary ferry)	Five hundred feet on either side of the road leading to the ferry ghat which is at a distance of 1½ miles from the Lot No. 15 ferry ghat.	Lo ...	Ditto ...	Five hundred feet on each side of the road from Rakhal Addy's Hat to the ferry ghat.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

BASIRHAT SUBDIVISION.

Serial No	Name of ferry	Limit of ferries
1.	Banstala across the branch of Ichhamati river.	Left bank—Two chains on either side of the Maskata village road. Right bank—Two chains on either side of the road leading from Kholapota-Baduria Road to the ferry ghat.
2.	Taragunia across the river Ichhamati.	Left bank—Three chains on either side of the road leading to the ferry ghat. Right bank—Three chains on either side of the road leading from Taragunia Hat to the ferry ghat.
3.	Shekhpara (subsidiary ferry) across the river Ichhamati.	Left bank—Three chains on either side of the Shekhpara Road. Right bank—Three chains on either side of the Bindubasini Road.
4.	Tentulia across the river Ichhamati.	Left bank—Three chains on either side of the road leading to the ferry ghat. Right bank—Three chains on either side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.

Serial No	Name of ferry.	Limit of ferries.
5.	Gokulpur across the river Ichhamati.	Left bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading from Gobra Road to the ferry ghat. Right bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.
6.	Swarupnagar across the river Ichhamati.	Left bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading from Gobra Road to the ferry ghat. Right bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.
7.	Hakimpur across the Sonai khal.	Left bank—One chain on each side of the Hakimpur Road. Right bank—One chain on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.
8.	Tarali (subsidiary ferry) across the Sonai khal.	Left bank—One chain on each side of the road leading from Hakimpur to the ferry ghat. Right bank—One chain on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.
9.	Hasnabad across the Hasnabad Kata khal, Ichhamati branch.	Left bank—One hundred and fifty yards on each side of the road leading from Hasnabad ferry ghat to Hingulganj. Right bank—One hundred and fifty yards on each side of the Chingrighata Station Road.
10.	Dansa (subsidiary ferry) across the Hasnabad Kata khal, Ichhamati branch.	Left bank—One hundred and fifty yards on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat. Right bank—One hundred and fifty yards on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.
11.	Sulkuni across the Bhabanipur Kata khal.	Left bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat. Right bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.
12.	Bhurkunda (subsidiary ferry) across the Bhabanipur Kata khal.	Left bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat. Right bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.
13.	Bhabanipur across the Bhabanipur Kata khal.	Left bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading from the Bhabanipur ferry to Parghata. Right bank—Three chains on each side of the Tantrahat-Bhabanipur Road.
14.	Beermajoore across the Rampur River.	Left bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat. Right bank—Three chains on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.
15.	Sandeskhali across the Rampur River.	Left bank—Two chains on each side of the road leading from Sandeskhali police-station to the ferry ghat. Right bank—Two chains on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.

Serial No.	Name of ferry	Limit of ferries
16.	Parghata across the Dansa River (branch of Ichhamati).	Left bank—Two chains on each side of the road leading from Bispur to Parghata ferry ghat. Right bank—Two chains on each side of the road leading from Bhabanipur ferry to Parghata ferry ghat.
17.	Taki across the river Ichhamati.	Left bank—One hundred and fifty yards on each side of the road leading from Sripur to the ferry ghat. Right bank—One hundred and fifty yards on each side of the Taki ferry ghat road.
18.	Barunhat across the Goriswar River.	Left bank—One chain on each side of the Hasnabad-Hingulganj Road. Right bank—One chain on each side of the Hasnabad-Hingulganj Road.
19.	Bishpur across the Goriswar River.	Left bank—One chain on each side of the road leading from Parghata to the Bishpur ferry. Right bank—One chain on each side of the road leading to the ferry ghat.

BARRACKPORE SUBDIVISION.

District Board ferry.

1.	Garulia across the Hooghly River.	*North*—East of burning ghat (Bhadreswar) road. *Just South*—Pacca ghat near Garulia Mill.

FERRIES MAINTAINED BY GOVERNMENT.

BARASAT SUBDIVISION.

1.	Nakpole on the river Jamuna.	Left bank. *East*—Up to Railway bridge. *West*—Up to a point 2 chains west of the Dakhinpara pucca bathing ghat. Right bank. *East*—Up to the Railway bridge. *West*—Up to the Kuchlia khal.

BASIRHAT SUBDIVISION.

1.	Basirhat on the Ichhamati River.	Right bank. *East*—Up to the second mile-stone of the Basirhat-Itinda Road. *West*—One mile along the river-side in village Basirhat.
2.	Itinda on the Ichhamati River.	Left bank. *East* and *West*—One mile along the river-side in village Sangrampur. Right bank. *North*—Up to the 3rd mile-stone of the Basirhat-Itinda Road. *South*—One mile along the river-side in village Dhalchita. Left bank. *North*—Up to the junction of the Ichhamati River and Saratkhali khal. *South*—Up to the junction of the Ichhamati River and Ganitar khal.

Serial No.	Name of ferry.	Limits of ferries
3.	Baduria on the Ichhamati River.	Right bank. *North*—Up to the junction of the Ichhamati River and Mushkata khal. *South*—Up to the terminus of the Shekhpara-Taragunia District Board ferry. Left bank. *North*—One mile along the river-side in village Goghata. *South*—Up to the terminus of the Shekpara-Taragunia District Board ferry.

BARRACKPORE SUBDIVISION.

1.	North Baranagar on the river Hooghly.	Left bank. *North*—Rashmani's temple. *South*—Durga Charan Babu's ghat. Right bank. *North*—Bali khal. *South*—Dewangachi ghat.
2.	South Baranagar on the river Hooghly.	Left bank. *North*—Paramanik ghat. *South*—Janaki Babu's dock. Right bank. *North*—Babu Bandaghat. *South*—Dotala ghat.
3.	Kutighata on the river Hooghly.	Left bank. *North*—Durga Charan Babu's ghat. *South*—Kutighata ghat. Right bank. *North*—Dewanagachi ghat. *South*—Belur Math ghat.

S. W. GOODE, *District Magistrate.*

ALIPORE, *the 21st September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Committee for the management of the Government Moslem High School at Chittagong under rule 3 of the Rules for the Managing Committees of Government High Schools :—

1. The District Magistrate—*President.*
2. The Head Master of the School—*Vice-President and Secretary.*
3. Maulvi Serajuddin Ahmed, B.A.—*Elected representative of the teaching staff.*
4. Khan Sahib Maulvi Aman Ali.
5. Maulvi Nazir Ahmed Choudhury.
6. „ Abdus Sattar, B.L., Public Prosecutor, Chittagong.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Magistrate.*

CHITTAGONG, *the 28th September 1916.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1429R.—The 25th September 1916.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held under section 35, sub-section (*1*) of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Gopalpur Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 95 of 1910-11), in the district of Faridpur, that the Society ought to be dissolved :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 39, sub-section (*1*) of the said Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by section 42, sub-section (*1*) of the said Act, I hereby appoint the Subdivisional Officer, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. M. MITRA,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1430R.—The 25th September 1916.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held under section 35, sub-section (1) of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Sujandowal Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 171 of 1910-11), in the district of Faridpur, that the Society ought to be dissolved :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 39, sub-section (1) of the said Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further in exercise of the power conferred by section 42, sub-section (1) of the said Act, I hereby appoint the Subdivisional Officer, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. M. MITRA,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1431R.—The 25th September 1916.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held under section 35, sub-section (*1*) of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Khas Company Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 105 of 1910-11), in the district of Faridpur, that the Society ought to be dissolved :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 39, sub-section (*1*) of the said Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by section 42, sub-section (*1*) of the said Act, I hereby appoint the Subdivisional Officer, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. M. MITRA,
Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of September 1916, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th September 1916.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH SEPTEMBER 1916 INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	376,437	...	376,437	48,250	127,428	22,336	48,870
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	466,918	...	466,918	18,760	...	...	27,410
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	132,099	36,017	168,116	87,190	125,222	39,830	52,132
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	670,352	...	670,352	84,550	77,584	22,100	49,100
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	107,730	...	107,730	33,450	49,000	17,997	10,836
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat and Lingah rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,753,536	36,017	1,789,553	272,200	379,234	102,263	188,348

Written off during the half month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	2,906
Abandoned and destroyed	13
In transit—	
Liverpool and other Panga salt	2,960
Port Said salt	6,060

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,
Assistant Collector for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 22nd September 1916.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 22nd September 1916.

No. 47.—The following Statutes are published for general information :—

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2. ARMY (COURTS OF INQUIRY) ACT, 1916.

[6 & 7 GEO. 5, CH. 33.]

CHAPTER 33.

AN ACT TO AMEND SUB-SECTION FIVE OF SECTION SEVENTY OF THE ARMY ACT.

[10th August 1916.]

Be it enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Rules of procedure of courts of inquiry.

1. The rules as to the procedure of courts of inquiry under sub-section (5) of section seventy of the Army Act may, in cases where the Secretary of State certifies that the evidence of persons who are not subject to military law will be necessary, make provision for compelling such persons to attend as witnesses, to give evidence, and to produce documents before the court, and the rules may for that purpose apply, with the necessary adaptations, section one hundred and twenty-six of the Army Act (which relates to the attendance of witnesses not subject to military law before courts martial); and the rules may further, where the Secretary of State certifies that the evidence before the court is

likely to affect the character of persons not subject to military law, provide for the inclusion, as members of the court, of one or more persons, nominated by the Secretary of State, who are not officers.

Short title and duration.

2.—(*1*) This Act may be cited as the Army (Courts of Inquiry) Act, 1916.

(*2*) This Act shall continue in force until the termination of the present war and no longer.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 18th September 1916.

No. 1099.—The services of the Hon'ble Mr. E. B. H. Panton, I.C.S., Officiating Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th September 1916.

S. R. HIGNELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd September 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 23rd September 1916.

No. 8891-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the business carried on by Messrs. H. Blascheck and Company, a hostile firm within the meaning of the said Act; and in pursuance of Rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, he is also pleased to direct that all proceedings connected with the winding up of the said business be transferred to the Government of Bombay.

No. 8892-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in Rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, published with this Department's Notification (Commerce and Trade) No. 6200-W.-II., dated the 22nd July 1916, namely:—

Between the words "all" and "proceedings" shall be inserted the words 'or any part of the'; and after the words 'such proceedings' the words 'or any part thereof'.

No. 8894-W.-II.—In pursuance of rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, and in modification of Notification No. 6806-W. II., dated the 5th August 1916, in this Department the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that so far as the following firms, namely:—

Messrs. Orenstein and Arthur Koppel,
Messrs. Alois Schweiger and Company, Limited,
Messrs. R. Ditmar Brunner Brothers, Limited,
Messrs. Schroder Smidt and Company, Limited,

are concerned, such of the proceedings in winding up as relate to business not ordinarily conducted in connection with the offices of these firms in Calcutta, shall be transferred to the Government of Bombay.

No. 8954.—Mr. G. C. Sen, Personal Assistant to the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence, is granted privilege leave for seventeen days with effect from the 12th October 1916.

No. 9003-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Ordinance, 1916 (IV of 1916), and in supersession of this Department Notification No. 5558-W.-II., dated the 8th July 1916, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the import and export of all goods, directly or indirectly, from and and to China except such goods as are shipped by or consigned to the trading concerns in China named in the Schedule hereto attached.

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall be taken to apply to the British Colony of Hong Kong.

Provided also that nothing in this Notification shall be deemed to authorise the import or export of any article the import or export of which is prohibited by or under any enactment.

SCHEDULE.

CHINA WHITE LIST.

His Majesty's Diplomatic, Consular, Military, and Naval Officers.
British Missionary Bodies, and Missionary Bodies of Neutral and Allied Countries.

Aaron, F.
Abdoolally, Ebrahim, & Co., Shanghai.
Abe, Yoko (is branch of Abe Kobei).
Abe & Co., Mukden.
Abraham, D. E. J.
Abraham, Katz, & Co., Shanghai.
Adair, N.
Adair, T.
Ah Ho & Co., Amoy.
Ah Kow (Ah Kau), P., & Sons, Amoy.
Aird & Skinner, Drs., Hankow.
Albert and Wuhlschleger, Canton.
Algar & Co., Limited.
Ali Hassan off, Shanghai.
Alieff Onskouli, Shanghai.
Allen, Edgar, & Co., Limited.
Allen & Hanburys, Limited.
Alma Estates, Limited.
American Chinese Drug Store.
American Machinery and Export Company.
American Presbyterian Mission Press.
American Trading Company.
Amhurst Rubber Estates, Limited.
Amoy Electric Light and Power Co.
Amoy Tinning Company.
Andersen, Meyer, & Co.
Anderson, A. L., & Co., Shanghai.
Anderson, J. O.
Anderson, Robert, & Co.
Andrew, J. H., & Co., Limited.
Andrews, von Fischerz & George.
Ang Hing & Co., Foochow
Ang Hoon Cho, Dr., Swatow.
Anglo-Chinese Dispensary.
Anglo-Chinese Eastern Trading Company, Limited.
Anglo-Chinese Engineering Association, Peking.
Angle-Chinese Indenting Company, Shanghai.
Anglo-Dutch Plantation, Limited.
Anglo-German Brewery, Shanghai.
Anglo-Java Estates.
Aquarius Company.
Arcade Amusement Company.
Ardath Tobacco Co., Ltd.
Arnaud Coste & Dent, Shanghai.
Arnhold, H. E.
Arthur & Co., Limited.

Arts & Crafts, Limited.
Ashton & Co., Limited (Enticknap, P).
Asiatic Petroleum Company, Ltd.
Astor House Hotel Company, Shanghai.
Astor House Hotel, Ltd., Tientsin.
At Chi, Shanghai.
Atkinson & Dallas, Limited.
Atlas Insurance Co., Limited, Shanghai.
Au Petit Louvre (Maison Parisienne).
Audinet, Lacroix, & Co.
Audinet, Lacroix, Pasquier, et Cie.
Australian Dairy Farm.
Australian Produce Company.
Auto Palace Co., Shanghai.
Awards Dispensary, Shanghai.
Ayer Tawah Company, Limited, Shanghai.
Azadian, J., Shanghai.
Babcock & Wilcox, Limited.
Bailey, H. G. C., Hankow.
Bakels & Co.
Balcan, Herman, Dr., Chinkiang.
Baldwin, C. C.
Ban Lam Drug Stores, Amoy.
Banham, F. C.
Bank of Taiwan, Ltd.
Banker & Co.
Banque belge pour l 'Etranger.
Banque de l'Indo-Chine.
Banque industrielle de Chine
Bansuiken, Shanghai.
Barkley Company.
Barlow & Co.
Barma, S. T.
Barrett, E. G.
Barry & Co., B. M.
Bathgate & Co.
Batu Anam Rubber Company.
Baudet and Compagnie, R. Canton.
Beck, I.
Beck, M. G.
Belgian Brick Factory, Tientsin.
Belgian Trading Company.
Bell, D. W.
Bell, G. E.
Bell, H. F. L.
Ben & Co.
Ben Albert & Co.
Benjamin & Potts.
Beque, Henri.
Bergmann, Edward.
Bianchi, C., Shanghai.
Bielfield, Alex., & Co.
Birchal, E. F.
Bissett, J. P., & Co.
Black, Alfred, Shanghai.
Blake, F. A., & Sons.
Blanche, Charles.
Bland, H. E., & Co.
Blix, Carl.
Bo Won, Canton.
Bona, F.
Bookless, A., Ningpo.
Bourgery, C.
Bow On Drug Company, Canton.
Bowern & Co. (Bowern & Hay).
Boyd & Co.
Boyer, Mazet, & Co.
Boyes, Basset, & Co., Shanghai.
Boylan, J. H., Shanghai.
Bracco, C. & Co.
Bradford Dyers' Association.
Bradley & Co., Limited.
Brand Brothers & Co.
Brand, H. S., & Co.
Brandt, A. L.
Brandt & Co.
Brandt & Rodgers.
Brangwyn & Hobson, Drs.
Brent, A. D.
Brewer & Co., Limited.
Bridges, H.
Bristol & Chinese Dispensary, Shanghai.
British-American Tobacco Company, Limited.
British and Chinese Corporation.
British Cigarette Company, Limited.
British Dominions General Insurance Company.
British Flower Shop, Shanghai.
British and Foreign Bible Society.
British Insulated and Helsby Company, Limited.
British Manufacturers' Agency (Wong Chuen Yung).
British Mining and Industrial Co., Ltd., Tientsin.
British Municipal Council, Hankow & Tientsin.
Brockett & Co.
Brockett, E., & Co
Brook, E., & Co.
Brossay, René.
Browett, H.
Brunner, Mond, & Co., Limited.
Brush Electrical Engineering Company.
Bryant & Ryde.
Bulin & Co, Hankow.
Bulsara Bros., Tientsin.
Burin, Roko.
Burkhardt, L. R.
Burkhill, A. R., & Sons.
Burroughs, Wellcome, & Co., Limited
Burtenshaw & Co., Hankow.
Butler, A. (Cement Title Works, Ltd).
Butterfield & Swire.
Cabeldu, A., & Co.
Caissial
Calavitis G., & Co., Shanghai.
Caldbeck, MacGregor & Co.
Calder, Marshall, & Co., Ltd.
Calico Printers' Association, Ltd.
Camark, E., & Co.
Camera Craft Company.
Campbell, Alex., & Co.
Canadian Government Trade Commissioner.

Canadian Methodist Mission Press.
Canadian Pacific Railway Company.
Canton Club.
Canton Insurance Company.
Carisio, C.
Carr, Ramsay, T., & Co.
Cary & Co., Canton.
Casardo Pova, Shanghai.
Castellano.
Cathay Trading Co., Shanghai.
Cathay Trust, The, Limited.
Catoire Veuve, A., et Fils.
Cattaneo (Catanneo), Peking.
Cattaneo, P., & Co., Peking.
Cawasjee Pallanjee, Shanghai.
Cement Tile Works, Limited.
Central Agency Limited.
Central China Dispensary.
Central China Import Company.
Central China Post, Hankow.
Central China Printing Company, Hankow.
Central Garage, Limited.
Central Hospital, Peking.
Central Insurance Co., Ltd.
Central Stores, Limited.
Central Trading Company.
Cercle sportif francais, Shanghai.
Chai Shing & Co., Swatow.
Chandless, R. H., & Co.
Chang Dah Yuen.
Chang, J. D., Shanghai.
Chang Seng Yap Kee, & Co., Swatow.
Chang, T. S.
Chao Chow Fu Di Disp., Swatow.
Chapeaux, A., Shanghai.
Charrey, H., Shanghai.
Charrey, et Conversy.
Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China.
Chauvin, Mme.
Cheap Jack, Shanghai.
Chee Hsin Cement Co., Tientsin.
Chefoo Hairnet Company.
Chefoo Hairnet Manufactory.
Chefoo Lace and Hairnet Coy., Chefoo.
Chefoo Pharmacy, Chefoo.
Chemor United Rubber Company, Limited.
Chempedak Rubber & Gambier Estate Company.
Cheng Hing Saw Mill Coy., Foochow.
Cheng Rubber Estate.
Cheng Seng Disp., Swatow.
Chester, Cowen & Co., Cheung On, Canton.
Chic Parisien.
Chieng Hing Saw Mill Company, Foochow.
Chi Hing Hairnet Coy., Chefoo.
Chin Ho Hsiang.
Chin Qua, Swatow.
Chin Tong Disp., Swatow.
China Agents Company.
China American Lumber Company.
China American Trading Company.
China Baptist Publication Soc., Canton.
China Commercial Co. (SS. Somekh).
China Commercial Steam Navigation Company.
China Engineering Company.
China Fire Insurance Company.
China Flour Mill Company, Limited.
China Import and Export Lumber Company, Limited.
China Inland Mission.
China and Japan Trading Company, Limited.
China Land and Building Company, Limited.
China Land and Finance Company, Limited.
China Merchants Pongee Association.
China Merchants Steam Navigation Company.
China Mutual Life Insurance Company, Limited.
China Mutual Steam Navigation Company.
China National Life Assurance.
China Navigation Company, Limited.
China Press.
China Publicity Company and Information Bureau, Shanghai.
China Realty Company.
China Silk Agency Company, Limited.
China Strawbraid Export Company.
China Sugar Refining Company.
China Times, Limited.
China Traders Insurance Company, Ltd.
China Trading Company.
Chinese American Company.
Chinese & Foreign Dispensary, Amoy.
Chinese Optical Company.
Chinese Postal Supply Department, Shanghai.
Chinese Railways (all).
Ching Chang Jen, Tientsin.
Ching Cheng Yung, Tientsin.
Ching Chong & Co., Shanghai.
Ching Chong Hung & Co., Chefoo.
Ching Fong, Shanghai.
Ching Ho Hsiang, Peking.
Ching Siu Tong, Foochow.
Ching Tai & Co., Mukden.
Chinsin Chao (Peking Motor Company), Peking.
Chiris, A (Coffiney & Charrie) Chungking.
Christiakoff, J.
Chojudo & Co., Mukden.

Christian Literature Soc., Shanghai.
Chuan Chang, Shanghai.
Chuan Kee & Co., Amoy.
Chujudo & Co., Newchang.
Chuma & Co., Newchang.
Chun Shing, Shanghai.
Chun Sing, Shanghai.
Chung Fas & Co., Chefoo.
Chung Hang Company Dispensary, Canton.
Chung Heva Book Company, Shanghai.
Chung Mei Drug Company, Canton.
Chung On & Co., Canton.
Chung Tung Lithographic Works.
Chung Woo, Swatow.
Chung Yue & Co., Tientsin.
Church Missionary Society.
Clark, D. & Co., Shanghai.
Coffiney & Charrie (A. Chiris) Chungking.
Coghlam, H. H.
Cohen, Andre.
Colacco Bros., Shanghai.
Collins & Co., Tientsin.
Combfort.
Commercial Museum, Tieh Ling.
Commercial Press, Limited.
Commercial Union Assurance Company.
Compagnie d'Eclairage et de Tramways de Tientsin.
Compagnie francaise des Tramways de l'Eclairage electrique et des Eaux de Shanghai.
Compagnie générale de Chemins de Fer et de Tramways en Chine.
Compagnie des Messageries maritimes.
Comptoir commercial anversois.
Comptoir Mandchourien d'Exportation et Importation, Harbin.
Connel Brothers.
Consolidated Rubber Estates, Limited.
Cook & Anderson.
Cook, Thomas. & Sons.
Cornabe, Eckford, & Co.
Corsane, Anderson, & Co. (Hankow Ice Works).
Cosmopolitan Dock, Shanghai.
Cossanteli & Co.
Country Club, Shanghai.
Cox, W. Wakeford.
Cozzi, E., Hankow.
Crédit foncier d'Extrême-Orient.
Crofts & Co., George.
Cros, Paul.
Crossfield & Sons, Limited.
Crystal, Limited, Tientsin.
Culpeck, E. A.
Culty Dairy Co., Ltd., Shanghai.
Curtis Brothers, Chefoo.
Curtis Sons & Co.
Customs Club, Amoy
Dah Daw, Hankow.
Dah Lung & Co., Shanghai.
Dah Sung & Co., Shanghai.
Dah Sung Cotton Mill, Shanghai.
Dai Nippon Brewery Company.
Daishin & Co., Shanghai.
Dallas Livery Stable Company.
Danese, E., Hankow.
D'Arc, G. L.
Dastoor, F. R., & Co.
David & Co.
David, S. J., & Co.
Davies & Brooke.
Davis, R. S., & Co.
Davis, W. Arthur.
Davis, W. Trenchard.
De Mao Heng & Co., Tientsin.
Deacon & Co., Canton.
Deane, T. P.
Debenham & Co.
Delbourgo & Co., Shanghai.
Denegri, E., & Co.
Denegri, M.
Denham & Rose.
Denniston & Sullivan.
Dent, A., & Co.
Dent, Herbert, Canton.
Dieden & Co.
Dittman, S., Shanghai.
Dixon, H. C., & Co.
Dodwell & Co., Limited.
Dombey & Son, Shanghai.
Dominion Express Company.
Donaldson, H. B., Peking.
Dong Sing Wo & Co., Shanghai.
Donnelly & Whyte.
Dos Remedios, A. G., Shanghai.
Dowdall, W. M.
Dowler, Forbes, & Co.
Downs, N. L., Dr.
Drakeford & Co.
Dreyfus, Edmond & Bros.
Drummond & Holborow.
Duff, John, L., & Co., Kinkiang Kuling.
Duncan & Co.
Dunlop Rubber Company.
Dunn, Walter.
Dunne, T. E., Hankow.
Duplessis.
Dutch-Colonial Trading Company.
Dutton, W., & Co.
Dyce & Co
Dzing Nye Hsing, Hankow.
Eagle & Globe Steel Company, Ltd.
East Asiatic Company.
Eastern & Australian Steamship Company.
Eastern Engineering Works (James Turner, Tientsin).
Eastern Extension Telegraph Company.
Eastern Garage, Shanghai.
Eastern Trading Company
Eastman & Co., Shanghai.
Echo de Chine, Shanghai.

Echo de Tientsin.
Edgar Brothers & Co.
Eishingo & Co., Mukden.
Ekman & Co.
Ekman Foreign Agencies.
Ellis & Hays, Shanghai.
Emens, W. S., & Co., Ltd.
En Ching Low (Nun Cheng Lo), Tientsin.
Enjudo & Coy., Mukden
Enterprise Tobacco Company, Limited.
Entieknap, P. (Ashton & Co., Limited).
Equitable Life Assurance Society.
Erasmic Company.
Esser, L. C., & Co., Shanghai.
Essex and Suffolk Equitable Insurance Society, Ltd.
Establishments de Tongkou.
Evans, A. M. A.
Evans, Edward, & Sons, Limited.
Evans, Pugh, & Co.
Eveleigh & Co.
Ewo Cotton Spinning & Weaving Company.
Ewo Yuen Press Packing Company.
Excess Insurance Company, Limited.
Ezra, E. I., Shanghai.
Ezra, Edward, & Co., Shanghai.
Ezra & Co., Fred. Shanghai.
Ezra, N. E. B., & Co.
Ezra, Y., & Co.

Fa Hsing, Tientsin.
Fairchild, F. A.
Far Eastern Geographical Establishment.
Farley, W. A.
Farmer, F. D., & Co., Newchang.
Farmer, William, & Co., Canton.
Fearon, Daniel, & Co.
Federal Life Assurance Company of Canada.
Fengtien District Inspectorate of Salt Revenue.
Ferguson, J. C. G.
Ferretti, C., Peking.
Fielding, H. R.
Findlay, Richardson, & Co., Hankow.
Finocchiaro & Co., G., Shanghai.
Firth, W., & Sons.
Fobes & Co.
Fokhien Mercantile Co., Foochow.
Foo Sing, Chefoo.
Foo Tai Company, Hankow.
Foochow Dock & Arsenal, Pagoda Anchorage.
Foochow Electric Co., Foochow.
Foochow Native Hospital.
Foochow Pharmacy.
Foochow Printing Press, Foochow.
Forbes & Co., William.
Foreign & China Disp., Shanghai.
Foster, McClellan, & Co
Frankau, A., & Co., Limited.
Frazar & Co.
Frazer, E. W.
Fredericks, J. A., Shanghai.
French Bakery.
Frodsham, G. W. (Fu Chung Corporation), Tientsin.
Fu Seng, W., & Co., Foochow.
Fu Hsing Tai, Tientsin.
Fuchs, H., & Co. (Rintai Stores).
Fujita & Co., Mukden.
Fukien Drug Company.
Fukin & Co.
Fukui & Co., Shanghai.
Funder, W. & Co., Shanghai.
Fung Tang, Shanghai.
Furukawa & Co., Shanghai.
Gabhai, M. N., & Co.
Gadai, Yoko.
Gaillard, J., Shanghai.
Gakuyodo Mori, Canton
Gallusser & Co.
Gande, Price, & Co.
Garner, Quelch, & Co.
Gates, F.
Geddes & Co.
General Accident, Fire & Life Assurance Company.
General Electric Company.
General Electric Company of China, Limited.
General Electric Company of New York.
Gerassime Touliatos.
Gerin, Drevard, & Co.
Getz Bros. & Co., Shanghai.
Gibb, Livingston, & Co.
Gibbons, J., & Co.
Gillard, G. M., & Co., Peking.
Gillespie & Co.
Gilman & Co.
Ging Chong Hung & Co.
Gittins & Co.
Glaeser, F. A., Ltd., (Conrad Wm Schmidt).
Glaxo Limited.
Glen Line Steamers.
Goldenberg, H., & Co.
Goldsmith, Leopold A.
Gonda Shoten, Tieh Ling.
Gordes.
Gordon & Co.
Government Universities in China.
Goyet, Shanghai.
Grand Hotel des Wagons-Lits, Peking.
Grant, Archibald, Hankow.
Grayrigge, G., Shanghai.
Great China Dispensary.
Great Eastern Co., Ltd., Shanghai.
Great Eastern Dispensary.
Great Northern Telegraph Company.
Green, S., Shanghai.
Greer, H. & W., Limited.
Greig, M. W., & Co.
Grenard, Bettines, & Co.
Griffith, T. E., Limited, Canton
Griffiths' Butchery.

Grilk, G. J.,.....Shanghai.
Grimes, A. C.
Grimshaw, R.
Grosjean & Co, Hankow.
Grundy, R.
Grundy, V., Shanghai.
Guarantee Trust Company of New York.
Gula Kalumpang Rubber Estates, Limited.
Gunn, Hugh, Mukden.
Hall & Holtz, Limited.
Han Yeh Ping Iron & Coal Company.
Handa Menko, Shanghai.
Hankow Club, Ltd.
Hankow Dispensary, Limited.
Hankow Ice Works (Corsane, Anderson, & Co.).
Hankow International Hospital.
Hankow Light & Power Company.
Hankow Printing Office.
Hankow Race Club & Recreation Ground, Ltd.
Hankow Waterworks.
Hankow Wharf & Godown Company, Ltd.
Hannibal, W. A., & Co., Canton.
Hansen, Wallace, J. Canton.
Hansen, McNeil, Jones & Wright, Shanghai.
Hardoon, S. A.
Hardy, Walter
Harper, Ralph, & Co.
Harvey's Billposting Agency.
Harvie, Cook, & Co.
Harvie, J. A.
Hatch, Carter, & Co.
Hattori, Yoko.
Hausheer, M. E., Shanghai.
Haworth, R., & Co., Ltd.
Hay William & Coy.
Heath & Co., Limited.
Heath, P., and Co.
Heffer, F. C., & Co.
Heiman, S. S.
Heisch, P. F.
Hemmerdinger Frères.
Hemmings & Berkley, Hankow.
Henderson & Co.
Heng, Chang, Ter, Newchwang.
Heng Cheong & Co., Amoy.
Henningsen, H. F., Peking.
Hérou, Charles, & Co.
Hetherington, J., & Sons.
Hewett, W. & Co.
Hill, H. G., Shanghai.
Hipwell, P
Hirao & Co., Antung.
Hirsbrunner & Co., Tientsin.
Ho En Seong, Nanking.
Hock Cheang & Co., Swatow.
Hogg, E. Jenner, Shanghai.
Holgate, L. G.
Holland-China Trading Company.
Holliday, C., & Co.
Holt's Wharf, Shanghai.
Hong Kong Fire Insurance Company.
Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.
Hong Sun, C., Shanghai.
Hongkew Book Store.
Honigsberg, H. S. & Co., Shanghai
Hopkins, Dunn, & Co.
Horenstein, Tientsin.
Horrobin, S. L.
Horse Bazaar and Motor Company, Ltd., Shanghai.
Hotchand Vishindass & Co., Shanghai.
Hôtel de France, Shanghai.
Hôtel de la Paix, Tientsin.
Hôtel de Pékin, Peking.
Houvenier-Mason, Scheidler, & Co.
Howarth, Richard, & Co.
Hsiao, C N., Dr. (Union Disp.), Tientsin.
Hsin Chong Cycle Company.
Hsin Kong & Co., Shanghai.
Hsing Kee.
Hsin-li & Co., Chung Kung.
Hsing Tai, Shanghai.
Hsu, W. T. O. (Imperial Medical College).
Hua Eng Tai, Swatow.
Hua Mui Dispensary, Swatow.
Hubbard, E. W.
Hueber, T., & Co., Shanghai.
Huber, E., & Co., Shanghai.
Humphreys, W. G., & Co.
Hung Chong Ter, Newchang.
Hung Tah Medicine Company, Shanghai.
Hunt, Newchang.
Huntley and Palmer, Ltd.
Hupei Government Cotton Mill, Hankow.
Hutchison, Herbert, & Co.
Hutchison, J. D.
Iah Leng Dispensary, Swatow.
Iah Siu Dispensary, Swatow.
Iak Sang Dispensary, Swatow.
Ilbert & Co., Ltd.
Imperial Hotel Limited, Tientsin.
Indo-China Steam Navigation Company.
Indra Line of Steamers.
Industrial Trading Co., Chefoo.
Innis & Riddle.
Inshallah Dairy Farm and Stock Company.
International Banking Corporation.
International Bicycle Company.
International Book and Stationery Store.
International Cotton Manufacturing Company.
International Dispensary, Shanghai.
International Dock, Shanghai.
International Estate and Finance Coy., Shanghai

International Export Company, Nanking.
International Export Company, Ltd., Hankow.
International Import and Export Co., Shanghai.
International Saving Society, Shanghai.
Isenman and Smith, Drs.
Italian-Chinese Import and Export Company, Hankow.
Italian Trading Company.
Ito, G., Shanghai.
Itoh, C., & Co., Shanghai.
Ivy Dairy, Shanghai.
Ivy and Robinson, Drs.
Jacks, William, & Co.
Jackson, Hanwell, Jackson & Neild, Drs.
Jackson, J. A., & Co.
Jai Tai Chang, Shanghai.
Jak Leng Disp., Swatow.
Jak Seng Disp., Co., Swatow.
Jak Sui Disp., Swatow.
Japanese Red Cross Hospital, Mukden.
Japanese Post and Telegraphs in Manchuria.
Jardine, Matheson, & Co. Ltd.
Java Consolidated Rubber and Coffee Estates, Ltd.
Java Sea and Fire Insurance Company.
Jee, Pond, M., Dr.
Jeejeebhoy, D., & Co., Canton.
Jensen, G. S.
Jin Ann Dispensary, Swatow.
Jin Sin Tong, Amoy.
Joseph Bros., Shanghai.
Joseph, Ellis., Shanghai.
Joseph, J. H., Shanghai.
Juh Chee, Tientsin.
Juvet Leo, Tientsin.
Kadoorie, E. S., Shanghai.
Kadoorie, R. E., Shanghai.
Kai See & Co., Amoy.
Kailan Mining Administration.
Kaitendo Company, Newchang.
Kakiage, Yoko, Shanghai.
Kale, E.
Kalgan Dairy Farm.
Kameya (Kamaya), S., & Co., Antung.
Kamunting (in Kedah) Rubber Plantation Co., Limited.
Kansaki & Co., Newchang.
Kapayang Rubber Estate Company, Limited.
Karamelahi, H. Z. H. & Co., Shanghai.
Karatzas Bros.
Karimbaksh, H A. J.
Kashimura Company, Tientsin.
Kathe Lim, Mrs., Swatow.
Kato & Co.
Katz, A., & Co.
Kay, W., & Co.
Kaye, C. B., & Co.
Kelly & Walsh, Limited.
Kemp, Thomas, & Co.
Kempton.
Kent & Mounsey, Tientsin.
Kermani, R. S., Shanghai.
Kew, Chadwick, Dr., Shanghai.
Keylock, Pratt, and Hobbs.
Keystone Tobacco Company, Limited.
Khuri, S. H.
Kiangnan Dock and Engineering Works.
Kiangsu Chemical Works, Shanghai.
Kin Yamei, Tientsin.
King, H. Y., Dr.
Klemantaski, Bates, & Co.
Knapp, W. B., & Co., Shanghai.
Ko Bros., Amoy.
Kochien Transport and Towboat Company, Limited.
Kodera & Co.
Konshyn, N. N., Limited, Shanghai.
Kowkee, J L., & Co., Shanghai.
Kroewoek Java Plantations, Limited.
Ku, S. D., Chefoo.
Ku, Yuan & Co., Chefoo.
Kua, Seng, Watt, & Co., Amoy.
Kuang Sui Chiang Disp., Swatow.
Kukushkin, A. G., Harbin.
Kung Ho & Co., Tientsin.
Kung Yip Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited.
Kwan, K. H., Dr., Tientsin.
Kwang Chi Shiang, Tientsin.
Kwang Tung Electric Supply Co., Ltd., Canton.
Kwong, Chek Dispensary, Swatow.
Kwong, Fat Yuen, Shanghai.
Kwong Shing, Swatow.
Kwong Wo Company, Canton.
La Belle Jardinière (E. A. Culpeck).
La Generale Soies, Canton.
Lafuente and Wootten, Shanghai.
Lalcaeca & Cp.
Lam Fung Drug Company, Amoy.
Land Investment Company, Limited.
Landau, A., Shanghai.
Lane, Crawford, and Co., Limited.
Langkat Company, Shanghai.
Lao Sen Kee, Hankow.
Laon Kung Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company.
Large, F., & Co.
Lau, Bittakshing, & Co., Canton.
Lau, E. C., Foochow.
Lau Tsz Wai, Shameen.
Lau, Woodland, & Co., Canton.
Laurent, Marius.
Lauro Cinema Company.
Lavers & Clark.
Law, H. D., & Co.
Lazarus, N. (& Tobias), Shanghai.
Le Lion. (Life Assurance Coy.)

Le Munyon, Peking.
Lee Bros. & Co., Swatow.
Lee Jui Kheng, Swatow.
Lee Sen Ann Disp., Swatow.
Lee Tai Cheang, Swatow.
Leeds, E. S., & Co., Newchang.
Legation of Allied and Neutral Powers, Peking.
Legation Pharmacy (J. Henderson).
Lekhomall Pinyamall.
L'Energée Electrique de Tientsin.
Lem Pah Wo, Canton.
Lem Tak Se, Swatow.
Lerner, M. J., Harbin.
Lesarovitch, D. M., Harbin.
Leslie, T., Shanghai.
Lester, W. H., Kiukinang.
Lester, Johnson, & Morriss.
Lever Brothers, Limited.
Levy, Leone, A., Shanghai.
Levy, Simon, & Co.
Ley, C.
Leyte, F.
Liang Dau An, Hankow.
Liao River Conservancy Authority, Newchang.
Liddell, Bros., & Co.
Liddell, K., & Co.
Lih Teh Oil Mill Company, Limited, Shanghai.
Lim Chin Tsong & Co., Amoy,
Lim, E. V. S., & Co., Swatow.
L'Imprimerie de Ton Se Wei, Shanghai
L'Imprimerie Francaise, Shanghai.
Ling Chong Cycle Coy.
Lion, Lucien.
Little, Adams and Wood, Canton.
Little, O. S.
Little, William, & Co.
Litvinoff & Co.
Liverman, G. S., & Co., Limited.
Liverpool, London and Globe Insurance Co., Ltd.
Liverpool Salvage Association.
Llewellyn & Co., Limited.
Lloyds' Register of British & Foreign Shipping.
Loa Hai Shing, Shanghai.
Lo-Wai Dispensary, Canton.
London Gurantee, & Accident Co., Ltd.
London Mission.
London Salvage Association.
Loo Teh Kee, Shanghai.
Lopato, A., & Sons, Limited.
Loup and Young.
Louvain.
Lowe, Bingham, and Matthews.
Lowe, F. H.
Lowe & Co., J., Shanghai.
Loxley, W. R., & Co.
L. P. Medical Hall, Foochow.
Lu Si, W. (Foochow Pharmacy).
Luen Steamship Company Limited.
Luk Wo & Co. (Luk Wo Dispensary), Canton.
L'Union de Paris (Compagine d' Assurances), Shanghai.
Ma Fel & Co., Shanghai.
Macbeth, Pawsey, & Co.
Macdonald, Ronald. (H. Whitworth & Co., Manchester).
Macdonald, Thomas, & Co.
Macey & Co.
Mack, J., & Co., Tientsin.
Mackay, A. H., & Co.
MacKenzie, A. C.
MacKenzie & Co., Limited
Mackie, A., & Co.
Maclay, & Co.
Macleod, Marshall, Marsh, Billinghurst & Murray, Drs.
Mactavish & Lehmann, Ltd., Shanghai.
Macy, G. H. & Co.
Madier, H., Shanghai.
Magasin francais d'Alimentation, Shanghai.
Magasins généraux.
Magill & Co.
Main, S. D.
Maison Parisienne (Au Petit Louvre).
Maison des Modes, Shanghai.
Maitland & Co.
Maitland & Fearon.
Major Brothers, Limited.
Malcampo, & Co., Amoy.
Malthoid Roofing Manufacturers, Shanghai.
Manchuria Christian College, Mukden.
Manchurian Company, Limited.
Manila Shanghai Export & Import Coy.
Manini, E., Hankow.
Manners, John.
Mappin & Webb, Ltd.
Mares Finkelstein & Co., Shanghai.
Maritime Customs Houses. (Throughout China.)
Markt & Co., Shanghai.
Marques, Chang and Pereira & Co., Shanghai.
Marthoud-Frères.
Martin, W., & Co.
Mascarells, H. Chung Kung.
Matheson, G., & Co.
Matsuda Yoko, Tientsin.
Matsumoto & Coy., Mukden.
Matsuoka & Co., Mukden.
Mavrokephalos & Co., Hankow.
McBain, G.
McGillivray.
McKean, S. H.
McMullan, James & Co., Ltd., Chefoo.
Mee Cheung Studio, Amoy.
Mei Te Cheng, Tientsin.
Meiji Trading Company, Shanghai.

Mencarini & Co.
Menga, C., Tientsin.
Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.
Methodist Publishing House.
Metropole Café, Tientsin
Meurer Frères
Meyer, M.
Middleton & Co.
Miffret, A., Hankow.
Miller, E. D.
Minemura, S., & Co., Tsingtao.
Ming Chong Cycle Company.
Ministeries and Departments of the Chinese Government.
Minseng Dispensary, Hankow
Mission Book Co., Shanghai.
Missionary Home and Agency. Shanghai.
Mitsubishi Co.
Mitsui Busan Kaisha (Mitsui & Co.)
Moalem, J. Joseph, Shanghai.
Molchanoff Pechatnoff & Co., Hankow.
Moller & Co.
Monbaron, Charles, Hankow.
Monbaron and Vanderetegen, Hankow.
Moore, L., & Co.
Moorhead & Halse
Morgan Crucibile Company, Limited.
Morse, G. S. and Co., Shanghai.
Mosca and Prario, Shanghai.
Moser, J. H., Hankow.
Mossop, A. G.
Moukden Hospital, Moukden
Moutrie, S., & Co., Ltd.
Moyroux, V.
Mukden Trading Co.
Municipalities of British Allied and Neutral Concessions and of the International Concession at Shanghai.
Murphy, J. R. (Dowler, Forbes & Co.).
Murray, Noel, & Co.
Mustard & Co.
Mutual Stores, Canton.
Nabholz & Co.
Nagai Bunko, Shanghai.
Nagano, Yoko
Naishin Company.
Nakvasin, D. J., & Co., Hankow.
Nanking Dispensary, Nanking.
Nanri, Yoko.
Nanyang Dispensary.
Nathan, M. J.
National Cash Register Company.
National Mercantile Corporation. Shanghai.
National Provincial Plate Glass and General Insurance Co., Ltd.
National Union Society of Bedford.
Naval College, Pagoda Anchorage.
Naylor, J., & Co.
Neill, James, & Co.
Nemazee, H. M. H., & Co., Shanghai.
Neotia & Co.
Nernheim and Hebda Harbin.
Nestlé and Anglo-Swiss Milk Company.
Netherlands Harbour Works Company.
Netherlands Lloyd of Amsterdam and Batavia Marine Insurance Coy., Shanghai.
Netherlands Trading Society.
Nettle, P. Edward.
New Amoy Dock Company.
New Chinese Antimony Company.
New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Limited.
New Zealand Insurance Company.
Newchang Wharf and Godown Company.
Newman, E.
Nicholas & Co.
Nicholas Tsu Engineering & Shipbuilding Works.
Nielson and Winthers (China Engineering Co., Ltd.).
Nigniewitzky.
Nikka, Yoko.
Nippon Menkwa Kabushiki Kaisha, Hankow.
Nippon Yusen Kaisha.
Nisshin Kisen Kaisha.
Nisshin Yubuko, Shanghai.
Nisshin, Yoko.
Noel Murray, & Co., Limited.
Noor Mahomed & Co.
Nor Kung Leong, Canton.
Norbury & Co.
Norbury, Eric.
Norbury, Natzio, & Co. Limited.
Nordisk Fjer Fabrik, Shanghai
Noronha Fernandez, & Co., Canton.
North British Mercantile Insurance Company.
North China Daily Mail, Tientsin.
North China Daily News and Herald, Limited.
North China Engineering Company
North China Insurance Company, Limited.
North China Printing and Publishing Company.
North China Produce Company.
North Great China Dispensary, Tientsin.
Northern Assurance Company.
Norwegian Lloyd Insurance Coy., Shanghai.
Noury & Co.
Nozawa Gumi, Shanghai.
Nun Cheng Lo (En Ching Low), Tientsin.
Nutter, Walter, & Co.
Nye, S. P., Dr.
Ocean Accident and Guarantee Company.
Ocean Marine Insurance Company.

Ocean Steamship Company, Limited.
Office Appliance Co., Shanghai.
Office of Works, His Majesty's.
Okura & Co.
Old Dock.
Old Ningpo Wharf.
Olivier & Co.
Olivier Export and Import Company.
Olsen & Co.
Omi & Co., Newchang.
Ong Mah Chao & Co., Amoy.
Onomura & Co., Shanghai.
Opium Bonded Godown, Shanghai.
Orient Trading Company.
Oriental Advertising Company.
Oriental Cigarette and Tobacco Co.
Oriental Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd., Shanghai.
Oriental Dispensary, Shanghai.
Oriental Export Company, Chefoo.
Oriental Optical Company, Shanghai.
Oriental Press, Shanghai.
Osaka Kobayashi Shiten, Shanghai.
Osaka Shosen Kaisha, Canton
Oshima & Co., Mukden.
Oussiatinski, A. K., Chefoo.
Oxford University Press, China Agency, Shanghai.
Oxygen and Drum Company.
Pabaney, E
Pacific Mail Steamship Company.
Paizis & Co.
Palace Hotel, Shanghai.
Palmer and Turner.
Pang, C. E., Hankow.
Pang Hing & Co., Foochow.
Panoff, J. K., & Co.
Pao Chen Dispensary, Swatow.
Paradissis & Co., Chefoo.
Parisian Hairdressing Saloon, Shanghai.
Parker, J. H. P., & Co.
Parker, Reilly, & Co.
Parker and Smith.
Parsee Trading Company.
Patel, A. C., & Co.
Patell & Co.
Pathé Phonocine Machine.
Patisserie Parisienne, Shanghai.
Paturel, C., Shanghai.
Paul, L. & Co., Shanghai.
Paulsen & Bayes-Davey.,
Pearce and Garriock.
Pearson, S., & Son, Limited.
Pei Yang (Medical College), Tientsin.
Peiyang Tannery.
Peking Chinese Electric Light & Power Co., Peking.
Peking Daily News.
Peking Electric Light Co., Ltd., Peking.
Peking Gazette.
Peking Motor Company (Chinsin Chao).
Peking Pavilion.
Peking Syndicate, Ltd.
Pengkalan Durian Estate, Ltd., Shanghai.
Pennell, E., & Co.
Permata Rubber Estate, Limited.
Perrin, Cooper & Co., Tientsin
Persian Commercial Company, Shanghai.
Petersen, A. & Co., Hankow.
Pfister, R. & Co., Shanghai.
Philippidi, C. M., Chung King.
Phillips, Walter, Dr.
Phœnix Assurance Company.
Picca & Co. (Pharmacy Central).
Pickwick, F. H
Pierson, P. J. F., Shanghai.
Pike, A. T. J.
Pilcher, H. W.
Platt, Macleod & Wilson.
P. and O. Steam Navigation Company.
Po Tai Wo, & Co., Swatow.
Po Wah & Co., Canton.
Po Wai Dispensary, Canton and Swatow.
Poo Tung & Co., Swatow.
Poohoomal Mulliamul Amer, Hankow.
Pootung Wharves, Shanghai.
Pooyuen Kung.
Popoff Frères, C. & S.
Pottinger & Paton.
Powell, S. J. & Co.
Presse Orientale, La.
Price, H., Nanchang.
Price's (China), Limited.
Priestwood, J. G.
Probst, Hanbury, & Co.
Produce Export Company, Limited.
Protopapas & Co.
Provincial Governments and their Departments throughout China.
Puthod, A., Shanghai.
Quan Hang Shing, Canton.
Quan Yuen & Co., Shanghai.
Queen's Hotel Tientsin.
Quelch, C. W. & Co, Shanghai.
Racine, Ackermann, & Co.
Railton & Co., Ltd., Chefoo.
Rakusen, H., & Co., Shanghai.
Ramello, F., Hankow.
Ramos Amusement Company. (Olympic & Victoria Theatres), Shanghai.
Ramsay & Co, Hankow.
Ramsay, N. B.
Rayner, Heusser, & Co.
Real Estate and Trading Co., Ltd., Hankow.
Red Hand Compositions, Ltd.
Reid, Evans, & Co.

Reiss & Co.
Reiss, Hugo & Co.
Rembrandt Photo Company.
Remington Typewriter Company.
Repah Rubber and Tapico Estates.
Representation for British Manufacturers, Limited.
Reuter Telegram Company.
Reynaud, & Colinet, Newchang.
Reynolds, W. G., Dr., Canton.
Richards, J. H., Shanghai.
Rigge, H. E.
Riggio, A.
Rint'ai Stores.
Rizaeff Frères, Shanghai.
Robert Dollar Coy., The
Robinson Piano Company.
Rodsil & Co.
Rondon & Co.
Roneo Limited.
Rose, Downs, and Thompson, Limited.
Rose, Hewett, & Co.
Ross, Alex, & Co.
Roth, B., & Co.
Rouse, E. H.
Rouse, Graham & Co., Chefoo.
Rousseau, E.
Roxburgh, R., Limited.
Royal Insurance Company, Ltd.
Royal Mail Steam Packet Company.
Rozario & Co., Shanghai.
Russo-Asiatic Bank.
Rutherford, N. H.
Saey Tai, Shanghai.
Sakamoto & Co., Mukden.
Salmon, J. E.
Sam, Joe, & Co.
Samson, E. (Eastman & Co.)
Samuel & Co., Limited.
Sanderson & Co., Hankow.
Sang Cheong Yue, Shanghai.
Sanitas Packing Coy.
Shanghai.
Sanrin Tobacco Company.
Sansuiken.
Saou Kee, Shanghai.
Sassoon, D., & Co., Limited.
Sassoon, E. D., & Co.
Sauvayre, Shanghai.
Schiller & Co.
Schmidt, Conrad Wm. (F. A. Glaeser, Ltd.)
Scotson, James (Stewart & Co.)
Scott & Bowne, Limited.
Scott, Harding, & Co.
Scottish Union & National Insurance Company.
Seishin & Co., Mukden and Newchang.
Semagaga Rubber Company, Limited.
Semambu Rubber Estates, Limited.
Senawang Rubber Estates, Ltd.
Seng Ann Hong Kee Disp., Swatow.
Seng Kee, Amoy.
Sennett, Frères.
Seuri & Co., Mukden.
Seo & Co., Mukden.
Serebriannikoff, S. A., Shanghai.
Seth, S. A. Shanghai,
Sen Yin Sei Disp., Foochow.
Shahmoon, E. E., Shanghai.
Shahmoon, S. E., Shanghai.
Shameen Lawn Tennis Club, Canton.
Shang, Tai Ye, & Co., Tientsin.
Shanghai Building Company.
Shanghai Club.
Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Company.
Shanghai Dispensary.
Shanghai Dock and Engineering Company, Ltd.
Shanghai Electric and Asbestos Company, Limited.
Shanghai Electrical Construction Company.
Shanghai Gas Company.
Shanghai General Hospital
Shanghai General Store, Shanghai.
Shanghai Golf Club.
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Coy., Ltd.
Shanghai Horse Bazaar.
Shanghai Ice and Cold Storage Company.
Shanghai Klebang Rubber Estates, Limited.
Shanghai Land Investment Company.
Shanghai Life Insurance Coy., Shanghai.
Shanghai Malay Rubber Estates, Limited.
Shanghai Mercury, Limited.
Shanghai Mutual Telephone Company, Limited.
Shanghai Optical Company.
Shanghai Paper Mill.
Shanghai Stores Company.
Shanghai and Sumatra Tobacco Company, Limited.
Shanghai Tannery Company, Limited.
Shanghai Times.
Shanghai Toilet Club.
Shanghai Tug and Lighter Company.
Shanghai Waterworks Company, Limited.
Shantung Drug Store, Chefoo.
Shantung Silk and Lace Company.
Shaw, Geo. L., Antung.
Shaw, G. Leo, Brothers, Mukden.
Shawhsing, S. N., Company, Newchang.
Shekury, G. I.
Shewan, Tomes, & Co.
Shimano & Co., Mukden.
Shing (Ching) Kee, Amoy.
Shing Yue & Co., Shanghai.
Shinri, Yoko.
Shroff, P. B.
Shun Chang & Co., Chefoo.

Shun Chee & Co., 16, Bruce Road, Tientsin.
Shun, Kee, & Co., Shanghai.
Shun Tah & Co., Shanghai.
Shushterovitch, G. Harbin.
Silberman, I.
Sims & Co., Tientsin.
Sin An Tong Dispensary, Amoy.
Sin Jen Tong, Amoy.
Sin Se Tong, Amoy.
Sincere Co.
Sing, A., Shanghai.
Sing Chong & Co.
Sing Tai, Chefoo.
Singer Sewing Machine Company.
Sino-Foreign Coal Mining Co., Limited (T'ung Hsing), Tientsin.
Sino Swiss Commercial Company.
Sit Heng & Co., Amoy.
Siu Jen Tong, Amoy.
Siu Ling Dispensary, Swatow.
Siu-se-Tong, Amoy.
Skinn, Alfred John.
Sligh, J.
Slowe & Co.
Smith, Edwin R., D.D.S.
Smith, F. W., Chefoo.
Smith, L. H., & Co.
Société d'Exportation et d'Importation Coloniales, Tientsin.
Société Fonciere de Shameen, Canton.
Société forestière de Haïlin et de Manchurie.
Soçiété franco chinoise de Batillerie et Cabotage en Chine.
Société franco-chinoise de Crédit.
Société Franco Chinoise d'Entreprises Générales et de Travaux Publics (Succs. of Etablissements Fei Yen Ateliers de Constructions Mecaniques), Peking.
Societe Indo-Chinoise.
Soeka Warna Tea Estate.
Solina, R. V., & Co.
Soloman, S J.
Somekh, B. A., Shanghai.
Somekh, D. S.
Somekh, S. S., Shanghai.
South British Insurance Company, Ltd.
South China Trading Co., Canton.
South Manchuria Railway Company.
Sowa, Shanghai.
Soychee Cotton Spinning Company, Ltd.
Spalinger, V., Canton.
Sparke, C. E.
Speyer, C.
Spunt and Rosenfeld.
Squires, Bingham Company, Shanghai.
St. Nicholas Industrial School for Blind Girls, Mukden.
Standard Bank of South Africa.
Standard Life Assurance Company.
Standard Oil Company of New York.
Star Rickshaw & Garage Co., Shanghai.
State Assurance Co., Limited, Shanghai.
Stearns, J. C.
Steiner, F. & Co., Limited.
Stewardson, R. E., Shanghai.
Subira, J. M.
Sudka, J. A.
Sugiyama & Co., Canton.
Sui Chong and Shun.
Sui Leng Disp., Swatow.
Sullivan, J , & Co.
Sulzer, Rudolph, & Co.
Sun Insurance Office Coy.
Sun Life Assurance Coy. of Canada.
Sung Chuan Tien and Co., Shantung.
Sung, Y. S., Shanghai.
Sungala Rubber Estate, Ltd.
Suzuki & Co., Shanghai.
Swatow Dispensary.
Syndicat industriel et commercial, Peking.
Sze Hing & Co., Chefoo.
Tabaqueria Filipina.
Tackey, W. M., & Co.
Tai E., Tientsin.
Tai Fu Lim, Dr., Newchang.
Tai On & Co. (The Canton Medical Hall), Canton.
Tai Wah Dispensary, Swatow.
Taifoong Canned Goods Coy.
Taikoo Sugar Refining Co., Ltd.
Taiping, Rubber Estates.
Taiseng & Co., Foochow.
Taiseng Printing Office, Hankow.
Tait & Co.
Takata & Co., Shanghai.
Takkee & Co., Foochow.
Taku Tug and Lighter Company, Limited.
Talati Brothers, Peking and Tientsin.
Talati & Co., Tientsin.
Talow Dispensary.
Tan Seong Chee & Co., Amoy.
Tannerie franco-chinoise.
Tata, Sons, & Co., Shanghai.
Taylor, Albert.
Taylor, & Co.
Teerathdas, N., Shanghai.
Teesdale & Godfrey.
Teh Kee Dispensary, Hankow.
Tehun Tak Dispensary, Swatow.
Tek Hua Dispensary, Swatow.
Tek Shun Hing, Chefoo.
The Trading Company, the Successors, to Alexis Goobkin, A. Koosenetzoff, & Co.
Theodore & Rawlins, Hankow.
Theological College, Mukden.
Thomas, F. & Co.
Thompson, A. E. S. & Co., Shanghai.
Thomson, G. H. & N., Shanghai.

Thomson, G. Irwin.
Thomson, J., Tsingtao.
Thoresen, O.
Thunder, C.
Thurier & Kohr, Hankow.
Tibbey, H. M.
Tibesart, J. A.
Tientsin Bicycle Company, Amoy.
Tientsin Club.
Tientsin Dispensary.
Tientsin Gas and Electric Light Company.
Tientsin Ironworks, Limited.
Tientsin Native City Waterworks, Limited.
Tientsin Press, Limited.
Tientsin Soap Manufacturing Company.
Tientsin Tobacco Company.
Tientsin Waterworks Company, Limited.
Tilley & Limby.
Times Dharwar & Co.
Tin See Tong Disp., Amoy
Tiram Estates, Limited.
Tiriolo, C., & Co., Autung.
Toa & Co.
Toa Koshi, Shanghai.
Toa Tobacco Company, Newchang.
Toeg & Read, Shanghai.
Toh Tiong Hok, Amoy.
Tom, H., Tientsin.
Tom, S., Chefoo.
Ton Ying & Co.
Tong Cheong & Co., Amoy.
Tong Seng & Co., Amoy.
Tonglin & Co., Canton.
Toshado Shiten, Shanghai.
Towa & Co., Newchang.
Travers Smith & Sons.
Truman, R. N.
Tschurin, I. L., & Co., Harbin.
Tshun Tak Disp., Swatow.
Tsui, Y. Y., Dr., Tientsin.
Tsung Tsoon Sing, Amoy.
Tsurutani
Tung Chi Disp., Shanghai.
Tung, Ho & Co., Newchang.
Tung Hsing Sino-Foreign Coal-mining Company, Ltd., Tientsin (Dovey & Co., Managers).
Tung Shen Te, Tientsin.
Tung, Tai, & Co.
Tung Teh Heng, Chefoo.
Tung Yu Brothers, Shanghai.
Tungshan Golf Club, Canton.
Tunkadoo Dock, Shanghai.
Tunkadoo Wharves.
Turner, E. W.
Twigg, P. O'Brien, Shanghai.
Twyford, J., & Co.
Tze Hop Shing, G., & Co., Tientsin.
Ullmann & Co.
Underwood Typewriter Company.
Union Assurance Company, Limited.
Union Commercial Company, Limited.
Union Dispensary, Tientsin
Union Insurance Society of Canton.
Union Marine Insurance Company.
Union Medical College.
United States Steel Products Coy.
Vacuum Oil Company.
Van Ess, A., & Co.
Vanderloo & Co., Shanghai.
Vanderstegen, L. & Co., Hankow.
Varalda & Co., Shanghai.
Varenne, Th. & Compagnie, Canton.
Vasunia, J. P., Canton.
Venturi, F., Shanghai.
Veroudart.
Vicajee, F., & Co.
Viccajee, H., & Co.
Vickers, Limited.
Vikula Morocov, Newchang.
Villa, A. P., & Brothers, Canton.
Viloudaki, Hiscocks & Co., Shanghai.
Vogue, Shanghai.
Volkart, Adolf Shanghai.
Vrard & Co.
Wah Chang Mining and Smelting Co., Changsha.
Wah Loong, Canton.
Wah Mei Dispensary, Canton.
Wah Ming Optical Company.
Wah On Company, Canton.
Wai Chi, Tientsin.
Walker, Livingstone.
Wallem & Co., Shanghai.
Wang, Y. N., Dr., Tientsin and Peking.
Wannieck, L., Peking.
Warren, C., & Co., Canton.
Wassiamull Assomull, Canton.
Waste Silk Boiling Company.
Watson, A. S., & Co., Limited.
Watt, W. T., Dr. (Imperial Medical College).
Wattie, J. A., & Co., Limited.
Watts & Co.
Weeks & Co., Limited.
Weihaiwei Land and Building Company.
Wen Hua Printing Press, Hankow.
West of Scotland Insurance Office, Limited, Shanghai.
Westinghouse Electric Export Coy., Shanghai.
Westminster Tobacco Company.
Westphal, King, & Ramsay Limited.
Wheelock & Co.
Wheen, Edward, & Sons.
Whitall & Co., Limited.
White, Brothers.
White, David.
White-Cooper, Oppe & Master.
Whiteaway, Laidlaw, & Co.
Whitfield & Co.
Whitham, R. P., Shanghai.

Whitney, J. C., & Co.
Whitworth, Herbert, Limited
Widler & Co. (E. Widler & A. Woodgate Chungking.
Widler E. and A. Woodgate, (Widler & Co., Chungking.)
Wijk & Co.
Wilkinson, H. P., Shanghai.
Wilkinson, Heywood, & Clark, Ltd.
Wilkinson, T. M., & Co., Foochow.
Williams, Dr., Medicine Company.
Williams, K. J.
Wilson,& Co.
Wing Tai.
Winston, Warwick, Dr.
Winteler, M.
Wisner & Co.
Wisner, P. F., & Co.
Wissotsky & Co.
Wong Ah Ming, Tientsin.
Wong Chuen Yung (British Manufacturers' Agency), Shanghai.
Wong Kuri Check, Shanghai.
Wong Shing Chung, Shanghai.
Wong Yuen Kee, Tientsin.
Wong Zung Chung, Shanghai.
Woo Chong.
Woo, M. L., Tientsin.
Woods, J., Hankow.
Woolen, Vosy, & Co.
Worthington Pump Company, Limited.
Wrightson & Co., Shanghai.
Wu Lien Teh, Harbin.
Yamamoto & Co., Tientsin.
Yau Sun & Co., Limited, Canton.
Yau Shau & Co., Limited, Canton.
Yang, J., Peking.
Yang-tsze Engineering Works.
Yang-tsze Insurance Company.
Yang-tsze Land and Finance Company.
Yang-tsze Poo Cotton Mill, Shanghai.
Yap Eck Liok, Amoy.
Yat Ling Disp., Swatow.
Yates, T. M.
Yau, K. S., Dr., Peking and Tientsin.
Yee Gwan & Co., Amoy.
Yeo, Swee, Swan, & Co, Amoy.
Yik Sang Dispensary, Swatow.
Yishin & Co., Mukden.
Yoan Siu Dispensary, Swatow.
Yokohama Specie Bank.
Yorkshire Insurance Company.
Yoshida & Co., Shanghai, Ltd.
Young Brothers Trust Company, Chungking.
Yu Feng Kung Ssu, Chefoo.
Yu Tai.
Yuasa, T., Hankow.
Yue Chong Tai.
Yuen Cheong and Co., Shanghai.
Yuen Sui Chang Disp., Swatow.
Yuen Tah and Co., Shanghai.
Yung Fong Photo Supply Co., Peking.
Yung Hing Printing Company, Shanghai.
Yung Tung Lee of 60 Peking Rd.
Yuwusei Yoko, Tieh Ling.
Za Chong Shun, Shanghai.
Zi Ka Wei Press, Shanghai.
Zong Lee & Sons, Shanghai.
Zundel Emile Manufacturing Company.

No. 9012-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8106-W.-II, dated the 2nd September 1916, *viz.*:—

ADDITIONS.

Heng Bee Chan.
Jose Seng.
Kia Seng Chan.
Kim Seng Lee.
Li Tit Guan.
Liang Seng Lee.
Lim Geok Beng.
Wang'Lee and Company.
Yong Heng Long.

No. 9061-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department Notification No. 7788-W.-II, dated the 26th August 1916, *viz.*:—

For "Trading with the Enemy (Neutral Countries) Proclamation, 1916", *substitute* "Trading with the Enemy (Statutory List) Proclamation, 1916, No. 3."

ADDITIONS

ARGENTINA.

Argentine Real Estate & Finance Corporation, Limited, Calle Alsina 902, Buenos Aires.
Bechtel, Kurtz & Company, Calle Tucuman 1575, Buenos Aires.
Daniel, Bruno, & Company, Paseo de Colon 464-68, Buenos Aires.
Duckwitz, Otto, Calle Arnoz 2918, Buenos Aires.
Hartrodt, A., Corrientes 685, Buenos Aires.
Hinderfeld, Martignoni & Company, Calle Lavalle 437; Calle Tandil 5900, Buenos Aires.
Portena Tug Company.

BOLIVIA.

Callenius, Gustavo, La Paz.
"El Tigre," La Paz.
Hardt, E. & W., & Company, La Paz; Sucre; Oruro and Cochabamba
Martins, F., & Company, La Paz.

BRAZIL.

Dreher, Edmundo, & Company, Rua Barao, do Triumpho 6, Porto Alegre.
Gunzberger, J., & Company, Manaos and Para.
Harm, Heinrich, Manaos and Itacoatiara.
Holdum, Maxim, Manaos.
Peters, W., & Company, Manaos.
Pohlman & Company, Pernambuco and Maceió.
Reisch, Felix, Manaos.

COLOMBIA.

Aflez, Julio A., & Company, Cucuta.
Beck, Roberto, Bogota.
Beckmann & Company, Cucuta.
Berne, O., & Company, Barranquilla.
Breuer, Möller & Company, Barranquilla; Cucuta (and all branches).
Breymann, Wilhelm von, & Company, Cali.
Empresa Hanseatica, Barranquilla.
Hoz, P. de la, Barranquilla.
Lindemeyer, Heinrich, (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).
Stegmann, Arthur, (widow of) (Partner of Empresa Henseatica).
Vasquez, Martin, (of Empresa Hanseatica).
Volkmann, Gustav, Bucaramanga.
Wiese, F., (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).

DENMARK

Andersen and Tensen, Istedgade 3, Copenhagen.
Bohm, J. M., Stettin Spedition, (Manager, Aage Larsen), Ny. Toldbodgade 37, Copenhagen.
Brix-Hansen & Company, Amaliegade 36, Copenhagen.
Carstensen, Ph., Frederiksholm Kanan 4, Copenhagen.
Grauballe, Christian, Frederiksberggade 32, and Bredgade 45, Copenhagen.
Henriques, R., Jr., Hojbroplads 9, Copenhagen.
Hommel, Valdemar, Hestemollestrade 6, Copenhagen.
Nordisk Kommissions Kompagni, Raadhustraede 11, Copenhagen.
Scandinavian British Syndicate, Islands Brygge 21, and Holmens Kanal 5, Copenhagen.
Skandinavisk Produkt Import Company, Skindergade 31, Copenhagen.

ECUADOR.

Balda, Manuel.
Cattan Hermanos, Quito.
Minerva Aerated Water Company.

MOROCCO.

Glaser, Dr., Tetuan.
Ragonez, Abraham, Laraiche.
Salama, Mokhluf, Laraiche.
Schumacher, Otto, Tetuan.
Zapatero, O., Tetuan.

NETHERLANDS.

Anthraciet Handelsvereeniging, Boompjes 70, Rotterdam.
Duiker, J., Weteringschans 171, Amsterdam.
Elster & Company, Nijverheidsstraat 3, Rotterdam.
Ganser, Dr. F., Herten, near Roermond.
Hoeckel, P. Van, Kruisbroedershof, S'Hertogenbosch.
"Hollandia" Export Company, Wijnstraat 70, and Gedempte Binnerrotte 155, Rotterdam.
Ingenohl, C., Witte Huis, Winjhavn 3, Rotterdam.
Kehlenbrink, G., Jr., Wijnstraat 117, Rotterdam.
Klembt's (Paul) Scheepsagentnur Maatschappy, Boompjes 16, Rotterdam. (Manager Klunk, Seger G.)
Koning, Carel A., & Company, Keizersgracht 209, Amsterdam.
Krom & Co., Keizersgracht 405, Amsterdam.
Kupsch & Abas, 2 E., Kostverlorenkade 23-24, Amsterdam
Lange's, A. W. de, Thee Handel N. V., Wijnstraat 113, Rotterdam.
Lichtle, F. J., Sarphatipark 68, Amsterdam.
London, S. N., Damrak 28-30, Amsterdam.
Lucardie, Willem, Maastraat 8 B, Rotterdam; Contrai and Leeuwarden.
Mentz, H., Junior.
Mentz, Heinrich.
Mentz, Hermann, Senior.
} Ceintuurbaan 346, Amsterdam.
"Monopol" Thee-Onderneming, Wijnstraat 113, Rotterdam.
Nederlandsche Asbestos Maatschappy, N. V., Willemskade 19, Rotterdam.
Nederlandsche Huistelefoon Maatschappy, Frederiksplein 28, Amsterdam; Zuidblaak, 38, Rotterdam; Westeringkade 2-4, and Juliana Van Stolberglaan 82, The Hague.
Nederlandsche Ijzerhandel Maatschappy Tot Voorzetting Der Zaken, Afdeeling Enthoven, The Hague.
Nederlandsche Ijzerhandel Maatschappy Tot Voorzetting Der Zaken, Afdeeling Hartelust, Leeuwarden.
Prins, E. L., Nieuwehaven 116A, Rotterdam.
Ronnen, J. R. Van, Karte Wynskraatt, Rotterdam.
Roselius & Company, N. Spiegelstr. 26 (corner of Keizersgracht 592-94), Amsterdam.
Schrevel's Importen Exporthandel N. V. H. R. Rechter Rottkade 81, Rotterdam.
Schumacher, D., Dufaystraat 2, Amsterdam.
Thee Maatschappy "de Chinees," Wijnstraat 113, Rotterdam.
Wessel, D., Boymanstraat; and V. Hogendsrpoplein 5, Rotterdam.
Wigleven, J. H., (of Zeeppoederfabriek "Het Bleekertje"), Scheepmakershaven 29, Rotterdam.

NEHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Cultnur Maatschappy Pasoemah, Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy Plaboean Ratoe, Batavia.
Diehn, August, Medan and Palembang, Sumatra; and Java.
Exploitatie Maatschappy Soengei Lalah.
Gummi Fabriek Harburg-Wien, Sourabaya.
Handel Maatschappy A. F. van den Berg & Company, Batavia.
Handel Maatschappy Paré Paré, Macassar.
Hinlopen, W., Tandjongbalei, Asahan, Sumatra.
Import Maatschappy Zikel & Company, Samarang and Bandoeng.
Keil, K. E., Buitenzorg.
Koning, Carel A., & Company, Medan.
Look, H., Hulkenbachstrasse 43, Medan.
Luppe, Th., & Company, Bandoeng.
Maatschappy Tot Exploitatie van het land Semplak, Batavia.
Machine en Rijwielfabriek Tropical, Samarang.

Neumann & Company, Batavia.
Plantagen Gesellschaft Langkapoera, Batavia.
Thee-Plantagen Gesellschaft Tjiémas, Bandoeng.
Schild, J., Padang, Sumatra.
Spier, F. C., Sourabaya.
Technisch Bureau Sunda, Bandoeng.

NORWAY.

Braadland, John. & Company, N. Strandgt. 33-39, Stavanger.
Christianssand's Elektrochemis Ke A/S, Fiskaa near Christianssands.
Engöens Sardine Company, A/S, Engoen near Buoen, Trondhjems Ant.
Hausvik, Einar, & Company, Vaerfstgt. 2A, Bergen and Stavenger.
Jaeger Sardine Factories, A/S, Haugesund.
Jakhelln, C., Lakkegattan 16, Christiania.
Jensen, Hermann, Skippegt, 4'; K. Adelersgt. 3', Christiania.
Nilsen, Olaf, Trondhjem.
Olsen, Carl O., & Kleppe, Verksgt, 78, Stavanger.
Pleym, Gottfried, Skippergt. 7, Christiania.
Sardinfabriken " Norrig," Lervig 33, Stavanger.
Thiis, C. Houge, Jorenholmsgt. 25, and Kongstgt. 52, Stavanger.
Thorvaldsen, Hjalmar, & Company, Kirkegaten 6B, Christiania.
Waage, Thorbjorn, oHolmeg 22; and St. Svithinsgt. 24, Stavanger.
Witzöe, Endre, Christiansand.

SPAIN!

Canthal, L., & Company, Muralla de Mar, Cartagena.
Coca, Joaquin Garcia, Calle Principe 1, Madrid.
Cruz, Calmarino Manuel de la, Rios Rosas 11, Malaga.
Deutscher Nachrichtendienst für Spanien, Calle Santa Teresa 8, Barcelona.
Diego, César de, Colegiata 13, Madrid.
Diego, de, & Falkenstein, Colegiata 13, Madrid.
" El. Tradicionalista," Grand Canary.
Heise, Georg, Calle Pópulo 24, Prāl Der., Seville.
Leonhardt, E., & Company, Trafalgar 23, Barcelona.
Leopold, Guillermo, Caputxas 4, & Plegamans 3, Barcelona.
Manau, Mariano, Barcelona.
Oliver, Ladislau, Barcelona.
Ornstein, Leon, Calle Mariana Pineda 5 Madrid.
Pfeil, Emil, Calle Obispo Lago 3, Tuy.
Postigo, Manuel, Trinidad Grund 21, Malaga.
Ries, Isidor, Ries & Company } Calon 72, Valencia.
Rodriguez, Adolpho Hielscher, Calle Zorrilla 31, Madrid.
Rosenow, Hermann, Monte Esquinza 10, Madrid.
RuizGarcia Fernando, Infantas 1, Santander.
Valdes, Antonion, A, P., Avenida de Pries 16, Malaga.
Valls, Hijos de Magin, Barcelona.
Wittmack, (Otto) & Company, Carmen 21, Malaga.

URUGUAY.

Buch, A., & Company, Montevideo.
Hinderfeld, Martignoni & Company, Cerrito 257, Montevideo
Larsen, Herbert, Montevideo.
Ruete & Guyer, Montevideo.

VENEZUELA.

Afanador, J., & Company, Ciudad Bolivar.
Afanador, Doctor J. E. Sanchez, Ciudad Bolivar.
Añez, Julio A., & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Becker, George, Caracas.
Beckmann & Company, Maracaibo.
Behrens, (Partner of Blohm & Company).
Blohm & Company, Ciudad Bolivar; Caracas; La Guayra; Puerto Cabello; Valencia; Barquisimeto and Maracaibo.

Breuer, Möller & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Diaz, Alfred, La Guayra.
Dissel, (van), Rode & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Gathmann Hermanos, Caracas.
Henriquez, Daniel, Maracaibo
Herrenbruck, E., Maracaibo.
Hess, Carlos, Caracas.
Kehrhahn, Adolf, & Company, Maracaibo.
Mestern & Company, Puerto Cabello.
Otamenda & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Pineda, Joviniano, Maracaibo.
Rayhrer and Firnhaber, Maracaibo.
Rincon, Angel Renato, Maracaibo.
Rodriguez, Luis M., Ciudad Bolivar.
Rossi, Jesus Belloso, Maracaibo.
Schnell (Partner of Blohm & Company).
Schreier (Partner of Blohm & Company).
Steinvorth & Company, Maracaibo.
Vasquez, Tom as Rodriguez, Puerto Cabello.
Wenzel, Gmo., & Company, Ciudad Bolivar and Caracas.
Zingg, Christern, & Company, Maracaibo.

REMOVALS.

BRAZIL.

Costa Ferreira and Company, Rua Sao Bento 77, Sao Paulo.
Fischer, Christiano, Rua Marechal Floriano 73, Porto Alegre.
Schneider and Company, Rua Voluntarios de Patria 40/42, Porto Alegre.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Cultuur Maatschappy Goenoeng Goemiter, Djember.
Cultuur Maatschappy Kali Klepoeh Goenoeng Passang, Dojkjakarta, Java.
Ong Kek Chia, Batavia.
Ong Kek Siang, Batavia.
Oving, H. E., Sourabaya.

PARAGUAY.

Costaguta, David, Asuncion.

PERSIA.

Haji, Lutfali Tabrizi, Tehran.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Connor, J. A., Manila.

VARIATIONS.

Corrections in the names and alterations in and additions to addresses of the persons or firms whose names have been already published.

BRAZIL.

Costa Almeida, M. de, Rua do Rosario 17, Sao Paulo ; and Rio de Janeiro

CHILE.

Chassin Trubert, Julio. Coquimbo.

JAPAN.

Becker & Company, 89B Yamashita-cho. Yokohama : 31A Akashimachi. Kobe and 14 Hamacho, Nichome, Nihonbashi, Tokyo.

Levedag, E., 4, Yurakucho Sanchome, Tokyo.
Pieper & Thomas, 202 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama ; and 24 Teppo-cho, Nihonbashi, Tokyo.

NETHERLANDS.

Zietzschmann, M., Maastraat 17, Rotterdam.

PERU.

Umlauff, F., Lima.

SPAIN.

Albert, Joaquin Duran, Vergara 10-12, Barcelona.
Duran, Joaquin, Vergara 10-12, Barcelona.
Gallegos y Arnosa. José Luis, Seville.
Piy Sarriera, Antonio. Plaza del Teatro 3, Barcelona.

URUGUAY.

Castillo, Gerardo, Montevideo.
Wagenknecht, E., & Company, Cerro Largo 791, Montevideo.

CUSTOMS.

The 23rd September 1916.

No. 9016-W.-II.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

FOR PROHIBITING THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation :

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain goods should be prohibited as hereinafter provided :

NOW, THEREFORE, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows :—

As from and after the Twenty-first day of August, 1916, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, *viz.* :—

Chestnut extract.
Such lacquered wares as were expressly excepted from the prohibition on the importation of furniture, manufactured joinery, and other wood manufactures which was imposed by the Prohibition of Import (No. 4) Proclamation, 1916.
Glass, window and sheet.
Glass, plate.
Table ware of glass.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 9) Proclamation, 1916.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Eighteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 9055-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7133-W-II, dated the 12th August 1916, *viz.* :—

Articles.	Destinations.	Exceptions and Exemptions.
63. Tea	All foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, except France, Russia (except the Baltic ports), Italy, Spain and Portugal.	

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 23rd September 1916.

No. 9041.—The following officiating promotions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified, with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From—	To—	With effect from—
Mr. C. W. E. Cotton, I.C.S	Collector, class III ...	Collector, class II officiating.	2nd September 1916.
Mr. A. H. Lloyd, I.C.S. ...	Assistant Collector ...	Collector, class III, officiating.	Ditto.

No. 9043.—Mr. C. W. E. Cotton, I.C.S., a Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is transferred from Madras to Bengal, with effect from the 8th September 1916.

GEOLOGY AND MINERALS.

The 23rd September 1916.

No. 9022.—The following draft of an amendment which it is proposed to make in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901) in the Rules regarding Mine Managers and their Certificates published with Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, as amended by Notification No. 9709-131, dated the 23rd October 1908, is published, as required by the same Section, for the information of persons concerned. Notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on or after the 22nd December 1916.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed aforesaid will be considered by the Governor-General in Council :—

Draft Amendment.

After the Proviso in rules 32 and 33 *add* :—

" Provided also that the above periods may, subject to such conditions as the Board of Examiners may see fit to prescribe, be reduced at the discretion of the Board of Examiners in the case of a candidate who satisfies the Board that he has been unable to complete the prescribed period of practical experience in a Mine by reason of field service in a military capacity, but that a certificate of competency shall not be granted until the candidate has, subsequent to examination, completed the prescribed period."

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 30th September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 25th September 1916.

No. 2167-Est.-A.—Second Lieutenant H. J. Twynam, I.A.R.O., attached 123rd Rifles, is appointed to be Cantonment Magistrate of the Cantonment of Baroda, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 3rd September 1916.

J. B. WOOD,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 30th September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

SEPARATE REVENUE.
OPIUM.

Simla, the 28th September 1916.

No. 1077-F.E.—It is hereby notified that—

(1) In the calendar year 1917 not more than 7,000 uncertified chests of Benares opium will be offered for sale and not more than 583 chests in each month January to November, both inclusive, and 587 chests during the month of December.

(2) Government reserves to itself the right to alter the quantity and class of opium to be offered for sale in each month. No reduction, however, in the quantities to be sold will be made without three months' previous notice.

H. F. HOWARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 30th September 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 29th September 1916.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Bengal-Nagpur Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

No. 1777.—Captain Leonard Greenham, V. D., is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated the 1st July 1916.

Captain Collingwood Ross Duggan, V. D., is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated the 1st July 1916.

Captain Sylvester Stephen Gregorie Tulloch is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated the 1st July 1916.

Captain Alfred Rowley Hill is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated the 1st July 1916.

Calcutta Scottish Volunteers.

No. 1178.—Second Lieutenant James Alexander Tassie to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 8th June 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2450M.—The 27th September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the following by-laws framed by the Commissioners of the Azimganj Municipality in the district of Murshidabad :—

Murshidabad.

BY-LAWS FOR THE AZIMGANJ MUNICIPALITY, UNDER SECTION 350 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884 (BENGAL ACT III OF 1884).

DEFINITIONS.

1. In these by-laws—

"Cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871).

PENALTIES.

Fines.

2. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-laws,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

Youthful drivers.

3. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving more than one carriage or cart

4. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Rule of the roads

5. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road, shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10

Lights

6. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals or convey any palanquin, on any road, between half an hour after sunset and half an hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows:—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light;

(*c*) every elephant, camel, or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light;

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front;

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon or on the four nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Signals on cycles

7. No person shall ride any tricycle or bicycle on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Maximum load for carts

8. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of twenty maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with girders, etc.

9. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, bullas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length unless the cart be accompanied by another person, and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with bricks, stones, etc.

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Animal laden with bamboos or timbers

11. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Taking elephants or camels along a road.

12. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, take any elephant or camel along any road.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Taking an elephant over a bridge.

13. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Loaded pack-animals

14. No person shall drive upon a road, at the same time, more than two loaded pack-animals.

Fine, Rs. 10

15. No person shall drive a bullock-cart on the centre of any road on which cart-tracks are provided.

Driving bullock cart in centre of road

Fine, Rs. 10.

16. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Sitting or sleeping

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTION, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

17. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle, on or on to any road.

Abandoning or letting loose cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

18. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Planting trees

Fine, Rs. 10.

19. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road, or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Excavations and enclosures

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

20. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Removing turf or cutting grass

Fine, Rs. 10.

21. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road or into any drain in or near a road, except through a down pipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Discharge of water.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

22. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Breaking in horses.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

23. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way that it may fall on any road.

Flying kites.

Fine, Rs. 10.

24. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Throwing stones or missiles

Fine, Rs. 10.

25. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Driving across a drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

26. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Barbed wire

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Dust-bins

27. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Conveying sewage or offensive matter.

28. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely-covered receptacle, of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Privies and urinals

29. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *tatti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Killing poultry

30. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill any poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Closed roads

31. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING-OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

Letting-off firearms, etc.

32. No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road except—

(*i*) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and

(*ii*) on payment of such fee as may be fixed by the Commissioners at a meeting.

Fine, Rs. 10.

This by-law shall not apply to the letting-off of harmless squibs or crackers.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCE IN REGARD TO PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

Setting up obstruction.

33. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or watercourse which is a source of public water-supply.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing traps in any such *nala* or watercourse are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Cleanliness of banks and access for conservancy

34. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or watercourse which is a source of public water-supply shall—

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorized in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or watercourse for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Weeds

35. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes of banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Masonry platforms and drains for wells

36. The owner of every well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Bathing or washing near well

37. No person shall bathe, or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other articles, within a distance of 10 feet from the lowest platform of any public well.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Steeping jute, hemp, etc.

38. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Washing infected articles

39. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or watercourse or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by persons suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Bathing by infected persons

40. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing-place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Bathing places reserved for females

41. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing-place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cattle troughs

42. No person shall use for any other purposes any drinking trough which is intended for watering cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

Manure

43. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Access to Municipal servants.

44. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the Municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Removal of offensive matter from markets.

45. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any markets shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

Disposal of carcasses.

46 Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the Conservancy Overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

Latrines reserved for females.

47. No male person above twelve years of age except the Municipal Inspecting Officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

Obstruction to drains.

48. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain, any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Constructing stalls, platforms, etc., over a drain.

49. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain, any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine; Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS, AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

Covering of corpse.

50. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing corpse on or near road.

51. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Burial or burning obligatory.

52. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lines for graves.

53. When lines for graves in any burial place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial place except in such a line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of coffin or corpse in masonry grave.

54. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of non-masonry graves.

55. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves

56. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in any burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening graves.

57. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Complete cremation.

58. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat, shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

59. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land.

60. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweeping, night-soil and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisance affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Sanitation of public places of charity or worship.

61. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawalli, or person entrusted with the daily supervision, or in charge of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in any insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cleanliness of shops, markets and slaughter-houses

62. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-houses, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Sale of fish in market

63. No person shall sell fish or expose fish for sale in any part of the Municipal market except on the paved floor specially set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sale of prepared articles of food.

64. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Easing oneself in market.

65. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Aërated water and ice

66. No person shall make any aërated water or ice for the purpose of sale without first boiling the water

Fine, Rs. 50.

Infected clothing

67. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera, or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Disinfection of carriages

68. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera, or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Picketing animals, collecting carts or forming encampments

69. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts, or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Diseased or worn-out cattle

70. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS.

Cancellation of former by-laws

71. The by-laws which were confirmed by Government Order No. 5449M., dated the 15th December 1897, are hereby cancelled.

No. 545T.M.—The 22nd September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Khulna Municipality, in the district of Khulna, under sections 23 (2) and 27 of that Act, electing Babu Kunja Bihari Mukharji, B.L., to be their Chairman, *vice* Rai Sahib Kunja Bihari Chakrabatti, deceased.

Khulna.

No. 547T.M.—The 22nd September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (4) of section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to remove the name of the Sonamukhi Municipality, in the district of Bankura, from the second schedule of that Act.

Bankura.

No. 556T.M.—The 25th September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Granville Thomas Guthrie Milne to be a Commissioner of the Baranagar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. R S. Thoms, resigned.

24-Parganas.

No. 567T.M.—The 28th September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the following by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Raniganj Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, under section 350 of the Act, as an addition to the by-laws confirmed in Government Order No. 353T.M., dated the 19th September 1898 :—

Burdwan.

"19A. No person shall drive a bullock-cart on any road within the Municipality unless the iron tyres of the wheels, or in the case of carts not having iron tyres the wooden rims of the wheels, are 2" or more in width. This applies to all carts plying in or passing through the municipal area.

Fine, Rs. 10; and on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 15."

No. 2461M.—The 2nd October 1916.—The following draft orders which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 86 and 279 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), are published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Orders.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the levy, by the Commissioners of the Bankura Municipality, in the district of Bankura, under sub-section (*1*) of section 279 of that Act, of a water-rate within the said Municipality.

Bankura.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*a*) of the first proviso to section 279 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased further to direct that the water-rate shall not be levied upon any house or land within the said Municipality, no part of which lies within a radius of 1,320 feet from the nearest stand-pipe or other supply of water available to the public.

No. 2463M.—The 2nd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 9A of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to alter the number of the Commissioners of the Pirojpur Municipality, in the district of Bakarganj, from 10 to 15.

Bakarganj.

No. 2464M.—The 2nd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 15 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that—

(1) the Pirojpur Municipality, in the district of Bakarganj, shall, for the purpose of the elections of Commissioners, be divided into wards as shown in columns 2 and 3 of the following table, and **Bakarganj.**

(2) the number of Commissioners to be elected for each such ward shall be that shown in column 4 of that table :—

No. of Wards.	Names of Wards.	Boundaries or extent of each Ward.	Number of Commissioners to be elected for each Ward.
1	2	3	4
I ...	Pirojpur ...	Mauza Pirojpur, Town proper, hamlet Pirojpur.	2
II ...	Machimpur ...	Mauza Machimpur, Town proper, Krishnanagar and Khamghata, hamlet Machimpur.	2
III ...	Shikarpur ...	Mauza Shikarpur, Alamkati, Muktarkati, Chhatrajitpur, Khumaria and Jhatakati, hamlet Rajganj Hât.	2
IV ...	Raerkathi ...	Raerkathi, Brhamankati, Odankati and Mulagram, hamlets Baichoch and Banbaria.	2
V ...	Khalishakhali...	Mauza Bara Khalishakhali, Chhota Khalishakhali, Narkhali, Lakhakati and Chur Lakhakati, hamlet Huorhat, Kumarkhali.	2

No. 2455 L.S.-G.—The 2nd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Domjur Union Committee, in the district of Howrah, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act. **Howrah.**

No. 2456 L.S.-G.—The 2nd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Jagatballavpur Union Committee, in the district of Howrah, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act. **Howrah.**

No. 2457 L.S.-G.—The 2nd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Amta Union Committee, in the district of Howrah, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act. **Howrah.**

No. 2453L.S.-G.—The 28th September 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft Order.

Khulna. In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following groups of villages in the Satkhira subdivision of the district of Khulna, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is situated.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas including villages within them which constitute the Union with their numbers in Jurisdiction List.		Boundaries of the Union.
Khulna ...	Satkhira...	Magura ...	Magura ...	9	Mandra (Rajnagar) ...	81	*North.*
					Bahadoha	81	Kabodak river
					Raghunathpur ...	83	*East.*
					Fayla	84	Muragacha (77), Goulam Kali (75), Dohar (74), Atlia (73), Jalalpur (85), Jatna (134), Nehalpur (133), Kabodak river.
					Balarampur (Dhopali) ...	85	
					Charikhada	71	
					Magura	72	*South.*
					Chandkhali		Kalagachia (76).
					Magurardanga ...		
					Bishakali		*West.*
					Kasidaha		Hariballabhpur (86), Rambhadrapur (20), Baranagore (30), Dhuknea (29).
					Dhulanda	86	
					Barulpara	87	
					Chergram	88	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Union Committee shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

3. This cancels so much of Notification No. 150T.M., dated the 15th June 1895, as relates to the Magura Union.

No. 2458L.S.-G.—The 2nd October 1916.—**Howrah.** In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Bagnan Union Committee, in the district of Howrah, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

No. 2459L.S.-G.—The 2nd October 1916.—**Howrah.** In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 890T.M., dated the 5th August 1907, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Uluberia Union Committee, in the district of Howrah, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

No. 177T.—San.—The 25th September 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 1 of the Bengal Vaccination Act, 1880 (Bengal Act V of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare his intention to extend the said Act to the area included within the subdivision of Asansol, in the district of Burdwan, and constituted a Mining Settlement by Notification No. 194T.—Com., dated the 16th June 1915.

Burdwan.

II. If any inhabitant of the said area objects to the extension of the Act thereto, he should send his objection in writing to the undersigned within six weeks from the date of the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and the same will be taken into consideration.

No. 190T.—San.—The 2nd October 1916.—Dr. R. B. Khambata, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H., Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Rajshahi Circle, is appointed to act as Special Deputy Sanitary Commissioner for Malaria Research, Bengal, with effect from the 28th June 1916 and until further orders, during the absence on deputation of Major A. B. Fry, M.D., I.M.S.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

R. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE.
SIBPUR, *the 9th March 1916*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE next Annual Convocation of the Senate for conferring Degrees of the University will be held on Saturday, the 6th of January 1917, at 3 P.M.

Graduates desirous to receive their Diplomas at the Convocation are required to be present at the Senate House in full academic costume by 12 noon on the 6th January : those coming later cannot be presented.

Names of non-collegiate students who graduated last June and who intend to be presented are to be sent to the Registrar not later than the 5th December 1916.

Graduates who do not attend the Convocation will have to pay a fee of Rs. 5 to be entitled to receive their Diplomas.

P. BRUHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 29th September 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th September 1916.

THE current year's (1916) Prasanna Kumar Tagore Law Scholarship of the value of Rs. 20 a month tenable for one year with effect from the 1st August 1916 is divided equally between Babus Amulya Kumar Bhattacharyya and Pratul Chandra Ray of the University Law College.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal State Railway, Dacca Section, in the district of Mymensingh, will be put up to sale, on 30th October 1916.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reason for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	Mymensingh.	Pargana Alapsing, mauza Darikuttia.	97-98	Original main line and 1st diversion.	23 14 9	7·514	Nil ...	Nil ...	Commencing from 420 feet west of mile No. 97 towards west up to the river Brahmaputra	*West*—River Brahmaputra. *North, South and East*—Mauza Darikuttia.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Alapsing, mauzas Pandapara and Kawnia.	98-99	1st diversion ...	16 13 0	5·364	Nil ...	Nil ...	From 420 feet east of mile No. 98 towards south up to the river Brahmaputra.	*North*—Mauza Kawnia. *South*—River Brahmaputra. *East and West*—Mauzas Kawnia and Pandapara.
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	98-99	Original main line.	12 2 6	4·236	Nil ...	Nil ...	From mile No. 99 towards east up to the river Brahmaputra.	*East*—River Brahmaputra. *West*—Mile No. 99. *North and South*—Mauza Kawnia and Jadabdi Pandapara.
4	Ditto ...	Pargana Alapsing, mauza Kawnia.	99-100	Ditto ...	42 8 2	14·919	Nil ...	Nil ...	From mile No. 99 towards west up to 344 feet east of mile No. 100.	*East*—Mile No. 99 *North, South and West*—Mauza Kawnia.
				Total ...	94 18 1	31·373				

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 22nd August 1916.

S. KLINGENSTEIN, Additional Collector.

Abstract statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st October 1915, being the second quarter of the year 1915-16, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1914-15.

PARTICULARS	For the quarter ending 31st October 1915	For the quarter ending 31st October 1914	Increase	Decrease
	Rs. A P	Rs. A. P.	Rs A P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,45,25,549 10 10	1,47,53,782 6 10	.....	2,28,232 12 0
ADD INCOME—				
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October in the Widows' Fund	74,730 6 0	78,205 14 0	.....	3,475 8 0
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October in the Children's Fund	28,287 0 0	30,685 8 0	.....	2,398 8 0
Income and outlay on Office buildings and grounds	1,360 2 0	990 10 0	369 8 0	.....
Fees and stamps	1 0 0	18 8 0	.....	17 8 0
Amount at credit of subscribers under rule 55 transferred to divisible surplus	201 0 0	.....	201 0 0	.....
Total Income ...	1,04,579 8 0	1,09,900 3 0	570 8 0	5,891 3 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,46,30,129 2 10	1,48,63,682 9 10	570 8 0	A 2,34,123 15 0
DEDUCT EXPENDITURE—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	1,90,625 13 4	1,95,572 9 0	.....	4,946 11 8
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund ...	95,216 4 0	95,237 1 2	.....	20 18 2
Establishment and contingencies	6,326 11 1	6,436 6 4	.....	109 11 3
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India ...	8,318 14 0	9,725 5 3	.....	1,406 7 3
Commission paid for money orders	622 13 6	655 1 6	.....	32 4 0
Building repairs	.....	1,483 2 0	.....	1,483 2 0
Total Expenditure ...	3,01,110 7 11	3,09,109 9 3	.....	B 7,999 1 4
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,43,29,018 10 11	1,45,54,573 0 7	570 8 0	C 2,26,124 13 8
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,46,30,129 2 10	1,48,63,682 9 10	570 8 0	2,34,123 15 0
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	75,057 9 0	88,278 12 0	.....	13,221 3 0

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers (on 31st October)	717	872	758	898	...	...	41	26
Number of incumbents (on 31st October)	735	814	761	829	...	...	26	15
Number of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May) ...	737	372	777	402	...	...	40	30

	Rs. A. P.
A —Net decrease in grand total of income	2,33,553 7 0
B.—Net decrease in total expenditure	7,999 1 4
C.—Net decrease in balance	2,25,554 5 8

S. B. THOMSON,
Accountant.

N. HAMILTON, C.A. (Offg.)
J. C. C. GRAY,
} *Auditors.*

Published by order of the Directors.

J. M. MENDES,
Secretary.

U S F.P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 24th August 1916

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THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, will be sold by public auction on or after the 20th October, 1916, under section 118, Act III (B.C) of 1890 :—

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. II.					
July 21	July 15	J N B 147 in a diamond, E D on top, & Co below, or J N M 147 in a diamond, E D on top, & Co below.	1	1	Case (broken) ...	SS. "Bengali."	
„ 21	„ 13	No mark	1	1	Bag (empty) ...	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
June 19	June 2	A L C in a diamond ...	2	1	Case	SS. "City of Madras."	
„ 19	„ 1	W G in a diamond, 549-52 559-62 below.	X	1	Parcel	Ditto.	
„ 19	„ 13	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose iron or links.	Ditto.	
„ 19	„ 18	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto ...	Lying in shed.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. III.					
July 11	July 3	A A	3291	1	Case (repaired) ...	SS. "Kumsang."	
„ 11	„ 5	2940 in a diamond. A A on top. A H below.	2999	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 5	K G K	...	2	Bags betelnuts (torn)	Ditto	
„ 11	„ 4	No mark	X	1	Packet toys ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto	X	1	Feeding bottle ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 5	Sadiram Ramlall & Co. ...	X	1	Case sample ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 5	212. M H B in a heart, S on top.	2 or X	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 19	„ 13	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose bobbins.	SS. "Fooksang."	
„ 19	„ 14	W H P M	.	6	Bags betelnuts ...	Ditto.	
„ 28	„ 21	M in a diamond ...	210	1	Bale ...	SS. "City of Perth."	
„ 28	„ 20	No mark	...	1	Cask merchandise (leaky).	Ditto ...	H. G.
Aug. 7	„ 28	174 in a triangle, G or C B on top.	5, 18	2	Casks (broken) ...	SS. "Osceolo."	
„ 7	„ 31	No mark	...	50	Bags sulphur ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 7	„ 28	D W in a triangle ...	...	2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	H. G.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. IV.					
Aug. 3	July 25	No mark	...	1	Packet polishing paste containing 12 tins.	SS. "Kathlamba."	
,, 3	,, 25	Ditto	...	1	Packet machinery part.	Ditto.	
,, 3	,, 25	Ditto	11	1	Case (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
1916.	1916.	SHED No. V.					
July 20	July 14	M S T P or M S P F or nil Colombo ...	...	1	Case (broken) ...	SS. "City of Corinth."	
,, 20	,, 15	No mark	...	5	Loose tins milk ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 12	Ditto	X	1	Case paper (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	No mark or 11 × × in a diamond, Madras below.	X	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 15	No mark	...	1	Nickel cup ...	Ditto.	
Sept. 2	May 30	580 in a diamond S R on top, R L below. *Withdrawn from last sale.*	14	1	Case	SS. "Tamon Maru."	
April 27	April 14	90 in a triangle, K B on top	2-3	2	Cases empty phials ...	SS. "Ceylon Maru."	
1916.	1916.	SHED No. VI.					
July 8	May 17	G F K & Co., 638 ...	...	4	Cases (broken and short).	SS. "Alavi."	
,, 8	,, 17	101 in a diamond, H C C on top.	68	1	Case	Ditto	
,, 8	,, 31	No mark	...	1	Bale paper ...	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 31	Ditto	...	1	Bag empty phials (torn).	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 31	Ditto	...	1	Cask merchandise (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 31	Ditto	...	1	Package paper or wood pulp.	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 31	Spencer & Co Madras ...	4017	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
8	,, 31	No mark	...	78	Bundles black steel sheets (all damaged).	Ditto.	
,, 20	July 11	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose planks.	SS. "Castlemoore."	
,, 20	,, 11	Ditto	...	1	Bale (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 11	Nil or C in a diamond ...	27 or X	1	Case cloth (repaired)	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 11	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose slate pencils.	Ditto.	
Aug. 7	,, 26	$\frac{456}{1120}$ in a diamond, M B on top, & Co below.	50	1	Case	SS. "Shirala."	
,, 7	,, 24	P S & Co or nil ...	...	1	Bag	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. VII.					
July 12	July 8	No mark		1	Bar (iron) ½ round ...	SS. "Clan Farquhar."	
„ 26	„ 20	Ditto		2	Drums	SS. "Huntsman"	H. G.
„ 26	„ 18	Ditto		3	Kegs paint ...	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 18	Ditto		1	Keg nails (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 18	Ditto		10	Kegs nails ...	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 21	Ditto		1	Bag hardware ...	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 18	Ditto		1	Keg paint ...	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 21	Ditto		19	Pieces jar- ..	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 21	Ditto		...	A quantity of loose tin plates.	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 20	P in a triangle		4	Bags ...	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 18	No mark		2	Kegs paint ...	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 18	Ditto		2	Kegs paint (broken)	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 18	Ditto		3	Kegs nails (broken) ...	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
May 26	May 18	K K Secundrabad Coconada. ...	...	35	Cases (broken) ...	SS "Matheran."	
1916	1916.	SHED No. VIII.					
July 14	July 7	No mark	...	1	Keg (leaky) ...	SS. "Politician" ...	H. G.
„ 14	„ 8	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 20	Ditto	...	1	Case empty ...	SS. "Merkara."	
„ 26	„ 21	Ditto	...	8	Casks empty ...	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
June 30	June 22	No mark	...	...	A quantity of Alumino Ferric.	SS. "City of Poona."	
1916.	1916.	SHED No. IX.					
July 10	July 4	J P M in a block ...	6272 6568 6132-3	4	Cases ...	SS. "Tenshin Maru."	
„ 10	„ 4	No mark	...	2	Bags paddy ...	Ditto.	
„ 10	„ 4	Ditto	...	2	Bundles canes ...	Ditto.	
„ 10	„ 4	Ditto	...	2	Casks sulphur (broken and partly empty).	Ditto ...	H.G.
„ 10	„ 3	Ditto	...	11	Bags rice ...	Ditto.	
„ 10	„ 4	N in a diamond, or N in a diamond, Karachi below.	1244 1556	2	Cases (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 10	„ 4	No mark	...	3	Casks merchandise ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	REMARKS
1916.	1916.	SHED No. IX—*concld.*					
July 10	July 4	No mark	...	1	Package slates (torn)	SS. "Tenshin Maru."	
,, 10	,, 8	Ditto	...	6	Bags rice ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 8	Ditto	...	1	Bundle tea shooks ...	SS. "Ceylon Maru."	
,, 22	,, 8	H M H in a triangle, S B on top.	363	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 10	T Y C	...	1	Cask cement (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 8	No mark	...	5	Coils loose rope matting.	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 10	W & Co. or No mark.	...	1	Cask cement ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 8	No mark	..	1	Roll coir matting ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 8	S in a triangle, S N on top, or Bessho & Co. below.	...	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 8	Zeaul Huq & Co. ...	...	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
June 1	May 26	No mark	...	1	Case paper (broken and loose).	SS. "Hollywell"	
		Unidentified Goods of Jetties.					
Aug. 11	...	No mark	...	13	Pieces China plates ...	.....	From police.
Sept. 14	...	Ditto	...	6	Pieces Cotton undershirts.	.....	Ditto.
		Ditto	...	2	Coils barbed wire.		
		Ditto	...	2	Empty cases.		
		Ditto	...	1	Keg buckles (broken).		
		Ditto	...	4	Empty kegs.		
		Ditto	...	2	Casks merchandise.		
		Ditto	...	8	Bottles table salt.		
		Ditto	...	1	Piece angle iron.		
		Ditto	...	1	Bundle fencing material.		
		Ditto	...	1	Piece pig-iron (broken).		
		Ditto	...	6	Pieces flat iron.		
		Ditto	...	1	Piece channel.		
		Ditto	...	1	Piece small joist.		
		Ditto	...	1	Piece rail.		
		Ditto	...	1	Bundle round iron.		
Sept. 13	...	Ditto ...	...	2	Bundles fish plates ...	.....	From No. 6 shed.
,, 6	...	Ditto	...	8	Pieces pig-iron (broken).	.....	From No. 9 shed.
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of small pieces of tins.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of (sweeping) cement.		

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	*Unidentified Goods of Jetties*—concld.					
		No mark	...	...	A quantity of hardware (sweeping).		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of tea shooks fittings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of coir fibres.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of empty tin plate boxes.		
Sept. 13	...	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of sundries consisting of—		
					1 Piece electric fitting.		
					5 Pieces conch shell.		
					1 Packet beads.		
					1 Skein beads.		
					1 Piece handle.		
					1 Piece nickel horn		
					5 Pieces undershirts.		
					9 Pieces empty phials.		
					2 Pieces woollen socks.		
					A quantity of empty tin boxes		
		Nil	...	1	Piece T iron.		
		Cargo from Kidderpore Docks.					
Sept. 7	May 18	J E T	×	1	Case (broken) ...	SS. "Namsang"	
„ 7	„ 18	No mark	...	19	Pieces empty soda water bottles.	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 2	Issop Ajam Piporay, Esq., c/o Messrs. Ajam Goolam Hossen Co., 12, Amratollah Lane.	×	1	Package (torn) ...	SS. "Sauthia."	
„ 7	June 30	No mark	×	1	Case	SS. "Ceylon."	
„ 7	Apr. 27	Ditto	×	1	Bag torn ...	Ditto	

T. J. McCLOUGHIN, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 29th September 1916. (2359—1)

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 25th September 1916

LIABILITIES				ASSETS			
	Rs.	A	P.		Rs	A	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	6,51,87,958	12	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs 2,08,00,000 0 0				Other authorized Investments	1,12,28 880	0	0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 50,00,000 0 0	1,58.00,000	0	0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	3,00.76,894	4	11
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	50,00,000	0	0	Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	5,81,88 767	4	5
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs 1,25,76,127 2 0				Bills discounted and purchased	2,96,42,348	5	9
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,21.05,454 5 8	2,46,81,581	5	8	Balances with other Banks	44,28,569	4	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	20,07,21,320	14	10	Bullion	.....		
Bank Post Bills, etc	11,37,780	9	9	Dead Stock	29,29,801	14	2
Sundries	9,05,179	6	4	Stamps	13.227	10	2
				Sundries	4,71,664	4	9
					19.71,07,601	13	0
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 1,75,64,712 18 8			
				Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 5,35,78,517 10 4	7,11,88,230	7	7
	26,82,45,832	4	7		26,82,45,832	4	7

* Includes Bovs & ½ Bovs.; value Rs 3,51,480 0 0
† Do do do „ 8,65.980 0 0
Rs 12,17.460 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 6 per cent
Percentage, 31·27

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL. H MITCHELL. N H. Y. WARREN
Calcutta, the 28th September 1916 Chief Accountant. Secretary and Treasurer

(2347—1)

In the Court of the Munsif of Thakurgaon.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 203 OF 1916.

Lachman Das Agarwala, Decree-holder, *versus* Promotha Nath Choudhory, Judgment-debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned property will be sold by public auction, at 12 o'clock noon of the 7th November 1916, at the court sale by the Nazir of this Court for realisation of Rs. 1,098-15-6, due to the decree-holder in the above case.

Schedule.

Five gandas share of Lat Sidhore zamindari bearing tauzi No. 126 of the Dinajpur Collectorate, the annual revenue of which is Rs. 4,757-2-5. in sixteen annas. The aforesaid 5 gandas share of the judgment-debtor is approximately valued at Rs. 250.

THAKURDAS BANARJI, Munsif.

Thakurgaon the 25th September 1916. (2343—1)

In the Court of the 1st Subordinate Judge, Tippera.

EXECUTION CASE No. 158 OF 1916

Krishna Lal Nag Choudhury, decree-holder, against Ramani Ranjan Roy, judgment-debtor, post-office Boaliabari, village Boaliabari, district Tippera.

Date of sale, 7th November 1916.

Claim for Rs. 2,892-9-3.

TIPPERA COLLECTORATE, tauzi No. ⅘¼, taluk Gobinda Ram Roy, pargana Mahabatpur, police-station Matlabganj, mauza Baishpur, Bhowanipur and others, and mauza Bakharpur, Bhatigao and others, police-station Chandpur, 2 as. 10 gds. hissya of the above taluk, appertaining to the share of Ramani Ranjan Roy, judgment debtor. Revenue on the above share, Rs. 605-15-6 Approximate value of the property, according to judgment-debtor, rupees one lakh.

KALI PRASANNA SEN, Sub-Judge,
1st Court, Comilla.

Comilla, the 23rd September 1916. (2316—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Sub-Judge at Darjeeling.

SUIT No. 9 OF 1916.

To Carl Forstmann.

NOTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted against Mr. and Mrs. Carl Forstmann and their minor children by Sukh Lal Chanan Mull of Calcutta for a sum of Rs. 35.143-14-6. You are hereby required to appear in this Court in person or by duly instructed pleader on the 11th day of November 1916, at 11 o'clock, to answer the claim, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

C. H. CROSER, Sub-Judge.

Darjeeling, the 21st September 1916.

(2306—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 64 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Ainaddin, son of late Hason Ali, of Char Farid, thana Patiya, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 15th September 1916, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 10th of November 1916 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 22nd September 1916. (307—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 66 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Abdus Salam, son of Abdul Mojid, of Maghbazar, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 19th September 1916, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 18th of November 1916 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 22nd September 1916. (2308—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 49 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 12th July 1916, filed by 1. Rasik Chandra De, son of Golok Chandra De, 2. Kashi Chandra De, 3. Barada Charan De, sons of Akhil Chandra De, 4. Gour Chandra De, 5. Ramesh Chandra De, 6. Sarada Charan De, sons of Nitya Nanda De, of Khitapchar, thana Patiya, and on the application of the debtors and on reading their petition and hearing their pleader, it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents. Babu Surendra Lal Das, pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 22nd day of September 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2313—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 51 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 8th August 1916, filed by Janaki Nath Sen, son of late Magon Chandra Sen, of Kuapara, thana Raozan, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 22nd day of September 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2314—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 65 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Lal Meah Sadagar son of Wasi Meah Sadagar, of Katgar-Joynagar, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 18th September 1916, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 14th of November 1916 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 25th September 1916. (2341—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 76 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Chandra Mohan Datta, son of Krishna Mohan Datta, of Gawpara, police-station Lohajang, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 25th November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 21st September 1916. (2311—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 75 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Noabali, son of late Kanu Mandal, of Bindhan, police-station Keraniganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 25th November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 23rd September 1916. (2315—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 29 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th April 1916, filed by debtor Dinanath Namasudra, son of late Muhari Namasudra, of Bagia, police-station Kapasia, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 23rd day of September 1916.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2339—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 44 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th May 1916, filed by debtor Sheik Rahamat Manjhi, son of late Sheik Khodabaksha, of Marichartek, police-station Sabhar, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 23rd day of September 1916.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2340—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Deputy Commissioner at Darjeeling.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that Mrs. J. A. Ford, of Darjeeling, has applied by a petition to be declared an insolvent, and the Court has fixed the 1st day of November 1916 for the hearing of the petition. Any one desirous to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader.

C. H. CROSSE, *for* Deputy Commissioner.

Darjeeling, the 21st September 1916. (2295—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Deputy Commissioner at Darjeeling.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 24 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that Jage Lal Newar, of Ghoompahar, has applied by a petition to be declared an insolvent, and the Court has fixed the 1st day of November 1916 for the hearing of the petition. Any one desirous to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader.

C. H. CROSSE, *for* Deputy Commissioner.

Darjeeling, the 21st September 1916. (2296—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that Sawarth Ram, of Sukiapokhuri, has applied by a petition to be declared an insolvent, and the Court has fixed the 1st day of November 1916 for the hearing of the petition. Any one desirous to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader.

C. H. CROSSE, *for* Deputy Commissioner.

Darjeeling, the 21st September 1916. (2297—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 85 OF 1916 (INSOLVENCY).

SUK NARAYAN BARMAN, son of Kandura Barman, deceased, resident of Rajapur, police-station Chirirbunder, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 13th November 1916 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner.

D. P. GHOSE, Munsif in charge.

Dinajpur, the 22nd September 1916. (2294—1)

NOTICE

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

Nos. 26, 27 AND 28 OF 1916.

INSOLVENCY.

TAKE notice that Shaik Azimaddi, Shaik Osimaddi and Sheikh Asiraddi, sons of late Sheikn Naimaddi, of Jangordi, police-station Nagorkanda, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents, and 25th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing of the petition and examination of the debtors.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 25th September 1916. (2342—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Hari Pado Khan and Bhuson Chandra Khan, sons of late Pachkory Khan, of Akua, thana Singty, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 127 of 1916, and that the 10th November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd September 1916. (2298—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Muneswar Kurmi, son of Jagu Kurmi, of Tikapara, Bellelios Road, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 135 of 1916, and that the 10th November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd September 1916. (2299—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Ennus Ali Mallik, known as A. R. Mallik, son of late Idu Mallik, of Argor, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 126 of 1916, and that the 10th November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd September 1916. (2300—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Ramnondon Ray, son of Probhu Ray, of Uttarbantra, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No 122 of 1916, and that the 17th November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd September 1916. (2301—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 89 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ram Chandra Mondol, son of Kali Kumar Mondol, of Salikha Koyal Bagan, thana Golabaty, district Hooghly, was, on the 12th September 1916, adjudged an insolvent. The 17th November 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd September 1916. (2302—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No 92 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Umesh Chandra Bhuinah son of late Jhareswar Bhuinah, of Shewrafully, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was, on the 8th September 1916, adjudged an insolvent The 17th November 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd September 1916. (2303—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 73 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Amulya Choron Patra, son of late Chintamoni Patra, of Salikhabazar, thana Golabaty, district Hooghly, was, on the 13th July 1916, adjudged an insolvent. The 17th November 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th September 1916. (2353—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 26 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charu Chandra Ghosh, son of late Palit Pabon Ghosh, of Daubpore, thana Pandua, district Hooghly, was, on the 14th July 1916, adjudged an insolvent. The 17th November 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th September 1916 (2354—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 55 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Radha Raman Dass Mohonto, son of godfather late Godadhor Mohonto, of Chinsura, Kanaksali, thana Hooghly, district Hooghly, was, on the 21st July 1916, adjudged an insolvent. The 17th November 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th September 1916. (2355—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 22 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Khadu Choron Dass son of Hari Choron Dass, of Salikha Harogonjo Road, thana Golabary, district Hooghly, was, on the 23rd August 1916, adjudged an insolvent. The 17th November 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th September 1916. (2356—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 159 OF 1915

NOTICE is hereby given that Satish Ch. Ghosh, son of late Gourmohun Ghosh, of Kotalpore, thana Dhonakhaly, district Hooghly, was, on the 9th September 1916, adjudged an insolvent. The 17th November 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th September 1916 (2357—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 7 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Puruo Chandra Koley, Nitya Nanda Koley and Gobordhon Koley, sons of late Jadab Ch. Koley, of Gorbalia, thana Jagatballabhpore, district Hooghly, was, on the 15th September 1916, adjudged an insolvent. The 17th November 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th September 1916. (2358—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 24 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Syed Wasif Ali Mirza *alias* Piara Saheb, of Rung Mahal, killa Nizamat, city Murshidabad, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court dated the 16th September 1916.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 23rd September 1916. (2309—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 35 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Iltafat Hossain *alias* Hossain Saheb, of Mogultuli, police station Sahanagar, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 11th November 1916.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 23rd September 1916. (2310—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 54 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th August 1916, filed by Adhor Chandra Dalal, of Gosainbazar, town Chandrakona, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Ajodhanath De, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 18th November 1916 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 18th November 1916 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 23rd day of September 1916.

W. N DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2338—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 100 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Haricharon, Rajani Kanta Saha and others, of Berarghona, police-station Serajganj, that the insolvency petition of Srinath Koiborto Das, son of late Sridam Koiborto Das, of Kalipur, police-station Serajganj, has been filed, and that the 9th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

A. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th September 1916. (2351—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 103 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Laljee Mohon, Harlal Saha, of Serajganj and others, that the insolvency petition of Baul Sheikh, son of Jahiruddi Sheikh, of Bhangabari police-station Serajganj, has been filed, and that the 13th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same

A. C. SEN, District Judge

Pabna, the 25th September 1916. (2352—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE NO. 100 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge of Rangpur.

ON the application of the debtor Saritullal, son of late Nil Mamud, of Jarullabad, police-station Mithapukur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 22nd September 1916. (2292—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 104 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge of Rangpur.

ON the application of the debtor Gali Mamud, son of late Badia Sheikh, of Mahiseswar, police-station Kaliganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 22nd September 1916. (2293—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 101 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge of Rangpur.

ON the application of the debtor Tribeni Sing, son of Harak Sing, of Mahiganj, police-station Mahiganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd September 1916. (2304—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 102 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge of Rangpur.

ON the application of the debtor Mohammad Ali Munshi, son of late Nika Mohammad Fakir, of Golmunda, police-station Jaldhaca, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd September 1916

(2305—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 103 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge of Rangpur.

ON the application of the debtor Basir Sheikh, son of late Bhedlu Sheikh, of Fakirerkuta, police-station Nageswari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd September 1916. (2312—1)

MOHENDRANATH DAS, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.

(2230—4—2181)

NANDA LAL BANERJEE, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.

(2240—4—2182)

PRABODH GOPAL MUKERJEE, B.L., intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(2107—4)

SITESH CHANDRA KAR, B.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(2106—4)

Advertisement.

WANTED for the District Board of Faridpur a Sanitary Inspector on a monthly salary of Rs. 50 rising to Rs. 100 by annual increment of Rs. 5 and travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations.

None need apply who is not qualified under the rules published under Government Notification No. 272L.S.-G., dated the 29th January 1914, at page 37 of Part 1B of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 4th February 1914, and has no engineering experience.

Applicants must state their age and submit with their applications copies of certificates of good conduct and general education.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 12th October 1916. Selected candidate will be appointed on probation for a year.

J. G. DUNLOP,
Chairman, District Board.

Faridpur District Board Office, the 16th September 1916. (2239—3)

WANTED a Common Manager under section 95 of the Bengal Tenancy Act for the Bhitarband Estate in the district of Rangpur at a monthly salary of Rs. 200 with free quarters. None need apply who has no practical experience and knowledge of the work of the various departments of zamindari business and is not of active habits. The applicant must state his present age and if he be a retired officer of Government, the date of and reasons for his retirement should also be stated. The selected candidate will have to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 6,000—Rs. 3,000 in cash or Government Promissory Notes and a bond for a similar amount. Applications with copies of testimonials must reach the undersigned by the 13th November 1916.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

District Judge's Office, Rangpur, the 22nd September 1916.

(2290—2)

WANTED for the District Board of Rangpur a Sanitary Inspector on a monthly salary of Rs. 150 rising to Rs. 300 by an annual increment of Rs. 10. The applicants for the post must have a registrable medical qualification not lower than that of a Civil Assistant Surgeon and must hold a diploma in public health. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the Chairman, District Board, Rangpur, up to 25th October 1916. The successful candidate will have to remain on probation for six months and will be confirmed on approved service.

R. M. DASS, Chairman, District Board.

Rangpur, the 28th September 1916. (2360—2)

Notice.

CANDIDATES are invited for the posts of three Amins to work at the prescribed contract rates from the end of October 1916 in connection with the survey and preparation of record-of-rights of mouza Rajapur and Jagadispur, thana Uluberia, district Howrah, appertaining to Tonzi No. 32 of the Hooghly Collectorate comprising an area of 800 acres or 1·25 square miles. None need apply who has not got previous experience of the work. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th October 1916.

M. BHATTACHARJEE, for Collector.

Howrah, the 29th September 1916.

MEDICAL STORE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

SEALED tenders, in duplicate, will be received by the Medical Store-keeper to Government, Calcutta, up to 12 noon on the 1st November 1916 for the supply of local Medical Stores to the Medical Store Department, Calcutta, from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1918.

2. Tenders will only be received on printed forms, which can be obtained up to 26th October 1916 on payment of one rupee from this office. Tenders must have the address and signature of the tenderers in full in English. List of the stores will be supplied along with the Tender Form.

3. The Medical Store-keeper to Government reserves the right, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, to accept the whole or part of any tender or to reject the whole without assigning any reason.

4. Tenders must be accompanied by a bank receipt or Government Promissory Note for 2 per cent. of their total value as earnest-money, which will be returned if the tender should be rejected : but in case of the Medical Store-keeper to Government accepting, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, part of any tender only and the tenderer failing to take up the contract, the whole earnest-money deposit will be confiscated.

5. Tenders received after the time fixed or not complying with these conditions will be rejected.

6. Rates are required for delivery at the Government Medical Store Depôt, Calcutta, but in the case of tenderers from a distance sending their supplies by rail and having no agents at Calcutta, the Medical Store-keeper to Government will take delivery at the railway station.

A. G. BROWN, LIEUT., I.S.M.D.,
In charge Government Medical Store Depôt.

Calcutta, 28th September 1916.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and o Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 150075 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 100 originally standing in the name of Bejoy Gopal Majumdar and last endorsed to the Collector of Nadia, the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security

BISWAMBHAR RAY (RAI BAHADUR),
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 27th September 1916. (2345—3)

Jalpaiguri Dairy Firm, Limited. Head Office, Jalpaiguri.

Notice under section 209(1) of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913.

THE Jalpaiguri Dairy Firm, Limited, having by a special resolution in the general meeting held on 3rd September 1916, and subsequently confirmed on the 24th September 1916, unanimously resolved to voluntarily wind it up, the undersigned as the Liquidator of the Company hereby notifies that a meeting of the creditors of the Company winding up will be held at 3 P.M. on Sunday, the 22nd October 1916, in the registered head office of the said Company at Jalpaiguri.

KISORI MOHAN MOULIK, Liquidator.

Jalpaiguri, the 26th September 1916. (2344—1)

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act

and

In the matter of the Northern Circars Life Assurance Co., Ltd.

PURSUANT to the High Court order of the 1st September 1916, the undersigned has been appointed Liquidator, in the above matter, in the place and stead of Mr. K. L. Dutta, who was appointed Liquidator by the order of 4th July 1916, in the place and stead of Mr. T. A. Palmer. All correspondence in the above matter should be addressed to the undersigned.

M. K. DANDEKER, Official Liquidator,
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12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, the 2nd October 1916.

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A Bill to consolidate the enactments relating to Inland Steam-vessels.

[In the bracketted marginal references, where no Act is mentioned, the reference is to Act VI of 1884.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate the enactments relating to inland steam-vessels; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 191 . [S. 1 (1).]

Short title, extent and commencement.

(*2*) It extends in the first instance to the whole of British India, except the territories administered by the Governor of Fort St. George in Council; [Ss. 1 (3) and 2 (1).]

And it shall come into force on such date as the Governor General in Council, by notification in the Gazette of India may direct.

(*3*) The Governor of Fort St. George in Council may, at any time, by notification in the Fort St. George Gazette, extend this Act or any part thereof to the whole or any part of the territories under his administration; and the Act or part so extended shall come into force in such territories or part thereof on such date as may be specified in this behalf in such notification. [Ss. 1 (3) and 2 (2).]

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,— [S. 5.]

Definitions.

(*1*) "inland steam-vessel" means a steam-vessel which ordinarily plies on any inland water:

(*2*) "inland water" means any canal, river, lake or other navigable water in British India: [Act III of 1890, s. 1.]

(*3*) "passenger" includes any person carried in a steam-vessel other than the master and crew and the owner, his family and servants:

(*4*) "prescribed" means prescribed by any rule under this Act:

(*5*) "steam-vessel" means every description of vessel propelled wholly or in part by the agency of steam:

(*6*) "survey" means the survey of a steam-vessel under this Act:

(*7*) "surveyor" means a surveyor appointed under this Act: and

(*8*) "voyage" includes the plying of a steam-vessel at or about any place.

CHAPTER II.

SURVEY OF INLAND STEAM-VESSELS.

[S. 6.] **3.** (*1*) An inland steam-vessel shall not proceed on any voyage, or be used for any service, unless she has a certificate of survey in force and applicable to such voyage or service.

Inland steam-vessel not to proceed on voyage or to be used for service without certificate of survey.

(*2*) Nothing in this section shall apply to any steam-vessel proceeding on a voyage during the interval between the time at which her certificate of survey expires and the time at which it is first practicable to have the certificate renewed.

[S. 7 (1) and (3).] **4.** (*1*) The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette,—

Appointment of surveyors and places of survey.

(*a*) declare such places, within the territories under its administration, as it thinks fit, to be places of survey, and

(*b*) appoint so many persons to be surveyors at the said places as it thinks fit, for the purposes of this Act.

(*2*) Every surveyor shall, for the purposes of any survey made by him, be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

XLV of 1860.

[S. 8.] **5.** (*1*) For the purposes of a survey the surveyor may at any reasonable time go on board any inland steam-vessel, and may inspect the steam-vessel and every part thereof, including the hull, boilers, engines and other machinery, and all equipments and articles on board:

Powers of surveyors.

Provided that he shall not unnecessarily hinder the loading or unloading of the steam-vessel, or unnecessarily detain or delay her from proceeding on any voyage.

(*2*) The owner, master and officers of the steam-vessel shall afford to the surveyor all reasonable facilities for a survey, and all such information respecting the steam-vessel, and her machinery or any part thereof, and all equipments, and articles on board, as he may require for the purposes of a survey.

[S. 8 A.] [Act III of 1890, s. 2.] **6.** Before a survey is commenced, the owner or master of the steam-vessel to be surveyed shall pay to such officer as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, appoint in this behalf—

Fees in respect of surveys.

(*a*) a fee calculated on the tonnage of the steam-vessel according to the rates mentioned in Schedule I, or according to any other prescribed rates; and

(*b*) when the survey is to be made in any place of survey other than Calcutta, Madras, Bombay or Rangoon, such additional fee in respect of the expense (if any) of the journey of the surveyor to the place as the Local Government may by such notification direct.

[S. 9.] **7.** When the survey of a steam-vessel is completed, if the surveyor making it is satisfied that—

Declaration of surveyor.

(*a*) the hull, boilers, engines and other machinery of the steam-vessel are sufficient for the voyage or service intended and in good condition, and

(*b*) the equipments of the steam-vessel and the certificates of the master and engineer are such and in such condition as are required by any law for the time being in force and applicable to the steam-vessel,

the surveyor shall forthwith give to the owner or master a declaration in the prescribed form containing the particulars mentioned in clauses (*a*) and (*b*), and the following further particulars, namely:—

(*i*) the time (if less than one year) for which the hull, boilers, engines and other machinery and equipments of the steam-vessel will be sufficient;

(*ii*) the limit (if any) beyond which, as regards the hull, boilers, engines and other machinery or equipments, the steam-vessel is in the surveyor's judgment not fit to ply;

(*iii*) the number of passengers (if any) which the steam-vessel is, in the judgment of the surveyor, fit to carry, specifying, if necessary, the respective numbers to be carried on the deck and in the cabins, and in different parts of the deck and cabins; the number to be subject to such conditions and variations, according to the time of year, the nature of the voyage, the cargo carried or other circumstances, as the case requires; and

(*iv*) any other prescribed particulars.

[S. 10 (1) and (2).] **8.** (*1*) The owner or master of a steam-vessel to whom a declaration is given under section 7 shall, within fourteen days after the date of the receipt thereof, send the declaration to such officer as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, appoint in this behalf.

Sending of declaration by owner or master to Local Government.

(*2*) If any owner or master fails to send a declaration as required by sub-section (*1*), he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding five rupees for every day during which the sending of the declaration is delayed.

[S. 11 (1) and (2).] **9.** (*1*) The Local Government shall, if satisfied that all the provisions of this Act have been complied with in respect of a declaration sent under section 8, cause,—

Power for Local Government to grant or authorise the grant of certificates of survey.

(*a*) a certificate of survey, in duplicate, to be prepared, and

(*b*) notice thereof to be given by post or otherwise to the owner or master of the steam-vessel to which the certificate relates.

[S. 11 (1) and 10 (3).] (2) On application made by the owner or master to such officer at the place of survey as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, appoint in this behalf, and on payment to such officer by the owner or master of the sum (if any) forfeited by him under section 8, sub-section (2), (the actual amount of which within the limit thereby fixed shall be determined by the Local Government), the certificate in duplicate so prepared shall be granted to the owner or master by the Local Government and issued to him through such officer.

[S. 11 (2).] (3) A certificate granted under this section shall be in the prescribed form, shall contain a statement to the effect that all the provisions of this Act with respect to the survey of the steam-vessel and the declaration of survey have been complied with, and shall set forth—

(a) the particulars concerning the steam-vessel mentioned in the declaration of survey as required by clauses (i), (ii) and (iii) of section 7, and

(b) any other prescribed particulars.

[S. 11 (4).] (4) The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, delegate to any person all or any of the functions assigned to the Local Government under this section :

[Act III of 1890, s. 4 (2).] Provided that no delegation shall be made under sub-section (2) so as to authorise the grant of a certificate of survey by the surveyor who made the declaration of survey under section 7.

[S. 13.] **10.** The owner or master of every steam-vessel, for which a certificate of survey has been granted, shall forthwith, on the receipt of the certificate, cause one of the duplicates thereof to be affixed, and kept affixed so long as it remains in force and the steam-vessel is in use, on some conspicuous part of the steam-vessel where it may be easily read by all persons on board.

Certificate of survey to be affixed in conspicuous part of steam-vessel.

[S. 14.] **11.** A certificate of survey shall not be in force—

Term of certificates of survey.

(a) after the expiration of one year from the date thereof ; or

(b) after the expiration of the period (if less than one year) for which the hull, boilers, engines or other machinery, or any of the equipments of the steam-vessel to which the certificate relates have been stated in the certificate to be sufficient ; or

(c) after notice has been given by any Local Government, to the owner or master of such steam-vessel that such Local Government has cancelled or suspended it.

[New. *Cf.*, ss 6 (2) and 21 (*c*).] **12.** After a certificate of survey has ceased to be in force the same shall only be renewed after a fresh survey of the steam-vessel to which the certificate relates has been held in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter, save so far as any relaxation thereof may be prescribed.

Renewal of certificates of survey.

[S. 15.] **13.** A certificate of survey may be suspended or cancelled by any Local Government if it has reason to believe—

Power for Local Government to suspend or cancel certificate of survey.

(a) that the declaration by the surveyor of the sufficiency and good condition of the hull, boilers, engines or other machinery or of any of the equipments of the steam-vessel has been fraudulently or erroneously made ; or

(b) that the certificate has otherwise been granted upon false or erroneous information ; or

(c) that since the making of the declaration, the hull, boilers, engines or other machinery, or any of the equipments of the steam-vessel have sustained any material injury, or have otherwise become insufficient.

[S. 16.] **14.** The Local Government may require any certificate of survey, which has expired or has been suspended or cancelled, to be delivered up to such officer as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, appoint in this behalf.

Power for Local Government to require delivery of expired or cancelled certificate.

[S. 17.] **15.** If the Local Government which suspends or cancels a certificate of survey is not the Local Government which (or whose delegate) granted the certificate, the Local Government suspending or cancelling the certificate shall report the fact of suspension or cancellation, together with the reasons therefor, to the Local Government which (or whose delegate) granted the certificate.

Report of suspension or cancellation of certain certificates.

[Act III of 1890, s. 6.]

[S. 18.] **16.** A survey shall ordinarily be made by one surveyor, but two surveyors may be employed if the Local Government, by order in writing, so directs, either generally in the case of all steam-vessels at any place of survey, or specially in the case of any particular steam-vessel or class of steam-vessels at any such place.

Power for Local Government to direct survey by two surveyors.

[S. 19.] **17.** (1) If the surveyor making a survey of a steam-vessel refuses to give a declaration under section 7 with regard to the steam-vessel, or gives a declaration with which the owner or master of the steam-vessel is dissatisfied, the Local Government may, on the application of the owner or master, and the payment by him of such fee, not exceeding twice the amount of the fee payable for the previous survey, as the Local Government may require, direct two other surveyors to survey the steam-vessel.

Power for Local Government to order a second survey.

[Act III of 1890, s. 7.]

(2) The surveyors so directed shall forthwith survey the steam-vessel, and may, after the survey, either refuse to give a declaration or give such declaration as, under the circumstances, seems to them proper.

(3) Any declaration given, or any refusal to give a declaration under sub-section (2), shall be final.

[S. 20.] **18.** When a survey is made by two surveyors under either section 16 or section 17, each of the surveyors shall perform the prescribed portion of the duties assigned to a surveyor under this Act or the rules made thereunder.

Division of duties when two surveyors employed.

[S. 21.] [*Cf.* Act XV of 1915, s. 12.] **19.** (1) The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, make rules to regulate the making of surveys.

Power for Local Government to make rules as to surveys.

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may prescribe—

(a) the times and places at which, and the manner in which, surveys are to be made;

(b) the duties of the surveyor making a survey, and, where two surveyors are employed, the respective duties of each such surveyor;

(c) the form in which declarations of survey and certificates of survey are to be framed, and the nature of the particulars to be stated therein under sections 7 and 9;

[Act III of 1890, s. 8.] (d) the rates other than those mentioned in Schedule I according to which the fees payable in respect of surveys are to be calculated in the case of all or any of the places of survey within the territories under its administration; and

(e) the cases in, and the extent to, which a survey may be dispensed with before the grant of a new certificate.

CHAPTER III.

[Act XIII of 1891, s. 1.] MASTERS [INCLUDING SERANGS] AND ENGINEERS [INCLUDING ENGINE-DRIVERS] OF INLAND STEAM-VESSELS.

[S. 22.] Appointment of examiners.

20. The Local Government may appoint examiners for the purpose of examining the qualifications of persons desirous of obtaining certificates (hereinafter called certificates of competency), to the effect that they are competent to act as masters or serangs, or as engineers or engine-drivers, as the case may be, on board inland steam-vessels.

[SS. 23 and 24.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 3.] Grant of masters', serangs', engineers' and engine-drivers' certificates of competency.

21. (1) The Local Government or such officer as it may, by notification in the local official Gazette, appoint in this behalf shall grant to every person who is reported by the examiners to possess the prescribed qualifications, a certificate of competency to the effect that he is competent to act as a first-class master, second-class master or serang or as an engineer, first-class engine-driver or second-class engine-driver, as the case may be, on board an inland steam-vessel:

[S. 25.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 4.] Provided nevertheless that, before granting a certificate of competency under this Act, the authority empowered to grant such certificate may, if it considers the report of the examiners regarding any applicant for such certificate to be defective, or has reason to believe that such report has been unduly made, require a further examination or a re-examination of the applicant.

(2) Every certificate granted under this section shall be in the prescribed form.

[S. 25 A.] Grant of masters', serangs', engineers' and engine-drivers' certificates of service.

22. (1) The Local Government may, in its discretion, grant without examination to any person who has served as a master, or as an engineer, of an inland steam-vessel before the first day of April, 1890, a certificate (hereinafter called a certificate of service) to the effect that he is, by reason of his having so served, competent to act as a first-class master, second-class master or serang, or as an engineer, first-class engine-driver or second-class engine-driver, as the case may be, on board an inland steam-vessel.

(2) A certificate of service so granted shall have the same effect as a certificate of competency granted under this Act after examination.

[S. 26.] Certificates to be made in duplicate.

23. Every certificate of competency or service granted under this Act shall be made in duplicate, and one copy shall be delivered to the person entitled to the certificate, and the other shall be kept and recorded in the prescribed manner.

[S. 27.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 4.] Copy of certificate to be granted in certain cases.

24. Whenever a master or serang, or an engineer or engine-driver, proves, to the satisfaction of the authority which granted his certificate, that he has, without fault on his part, lost or been deprived of it, a copy of the certificate to which, according to the record kept under section 23, he appears to be entitled, shall be granted to him, and shall have the same effect as the original.

[S. 28 (1).] Certificates to be held by master and engineer of vessel of eighty or more horse-power.

25. An inland steam-vessel having engines of eighty or more nominal horse-power shall not proceed on any voyage unless she has—

(a) as her master a person possessing a first-class master's certificate granted under this Act or a master's certificate granted under the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1859, or granted under, or continued in force by, the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and — I of 1859. 57 & 58 Vict., c. 60

(b) as her engineer a person possessing an engineer's certificate granted under this Act or the Indian Steam-ships Act, 1884, or granted under, or continued in force by, the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894. — VII of 1884. 57 & 58 Vict., c. 60.

[S. 28 (2).] Certificates to be held by master and engineer of vessel of between thirty and eighty horse-power.

26. An inland steam-vessel having engines of thirty or more nominal horse-power, but of less than eighty nominal horse-power, shall not proceed on any voyage unless she has—

(a) as her master a person possessing a second-class master's certificate granted under this Act or any certificate referred to in clause (a) of section 25, and

(b) as her engineer a person possessing a first-class engine-driver's certificate granted under this Act or an engine-driver's certificate granted under the Indian Steam-ships Act, 1884, or any certificate referred to in clause (b) of section 25 : — VII of 1884.

Provided that a steam-vessel shall be deemed to have complied with this section if she has as her master and engineer a person possessing both a certificate referred to in clause (a), and a certificate referred to in clause (b), of this section.

[S. 28 (3).]

27. An inland steam-vessel having engines of less than thirty nominal horse-power shall not proceed on any voyage unless she has—

Certificates to be held by master and engineer of vessel of less than thirty horse-power.

(*a*) as her master a person possessing a serang's certificate granted under this Act, or any certificate referred to in clause (*a*) of section 26, and

(*b*) as her engineer a person possessing a second-class engine-driver's certificate granted under this Act, or any certificate referred to in clause (*b*) of section 26 :

Provided that a steam-vessel shall be deemed to have complied with this section if she has as her master and engineer a person possessing both a certificate referred to in clause (*a*), and a certificate referred to in clause (*b*), of this section.

[S. 28 (3).]

28. Notwithstanding anything in this Chapter, the Local Government may, by general or special order, direct that a person possessing—

Power for Local Government to require master or engineer to hold certificate granted under Act in addition to other certificate.

(*a*) a master's certificate granted under the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1859, or granted under, or continued in force by, the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, or

I of 1859.
57 & 58 Vict., c. 60.

(*b*) an engineer's or engine-driver's certificate granted under the Indian Steam-ships Act, 1884, or an engineer's certificate granted under, or continued in force by, the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894,

VII of 1884.
57 & 58 Vict., c. 60.

shall not act as master or engineer, as the case may be, of an inland steam-vessel unless he also possesses—

(*i*) in case (*a*), such a master's or serang's certificate granted under this Act as qualifies him under this Chapter to act as master of the steam-vessel, or

(*ii*) in case (*b*), such an engineer's or engine-driver's certificate granted under this Act as qualifies him under this Chapter to act as engineer of the steam-vessel :

Provided that, for the purposes of this section, the Local Government may, in its discretion, grant to any person, without examination, a master's or serang's, or an engineer's or engine-driver's certificate of competency under this Act, and such certificate shall have the same effect as a certificate of competency granted under this Act after examination.

[S. 29 (1).] [Act XV of 1915, s. 12.]

29. (*1*) The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, make rules to regulate the granting of certificates of competency under this Chapter.

Power for Local Government to make rules as to grant of certificates of competency.

(*2*) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may prescribe—

(*a*) the times and places of holding and the mode of conducting examination of persons desirous of obtaining certificates of competency ;

(*b*) the qualifications to be required of persons desirous of obtaining such certificates

(*c*) the examination fees to be paid by such persons ;

(*d*) the forms in which such certificates are to be framed, and the authority by whom, and the manner in which, copies are to be kept and recorded under section 23.

[S. 29 (2).]

30. The Local Government may also make rules to regulate the granting of certificates of service under section 22, and may by such rules prescribe in particular—

Power for Local Government to make rules as to grant of certificates of service.

(*a*) the fees to be paid for such certificates, and

(*b*) the forms in which such certificates are to be framed, and the authority by whom, and the manner in which, copies are to be kept and recorded under section 23.

[S. 29A.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 5.]

31. Certificates of competency or service granted under this Chapter shall have effect as follows, namely :—

Area in which certificates of competency or service shall have effect.

(*i*) A certificate of competency or service as engineer or engine-driver shall have effect throughout British India.

(*ii*) A certificate of competency or service as master or serang shall have effect throughout the province in which it was granted :

Provided that the authority granting such certificate may, by endorsement thereon, restrict the effect of such certificate to any part of such province :

Provided further that such certificate may be endorsed by the Local Government of any other province, or, with the general or special sanction of the Local Government of such other province, by the authority granting it so as to have effect in such other province or any part thereof, and thereupon shall have effect accordingly.

CHAPTER IV.

INVESTIGATIONS INTO CASUALTIES.

[S. 30.]

32. Whenever—

Report of casualties to be made to nearest police-station.

(*a*) any inland steam-vessel has been wrecked, abandoned or materially damaged, or

(*b*) by reason of any casualty happening to, or on board of, any inland steam-vessel, loss of life has ensued, or

(*c*) any inland steam-vessel has caused loss or material damage to, any other vessel,

the master of the steam-vessel shall forthwith give notice of the wreck, abandonment, damage, casualty, or loss to the officer in charge of the nearest police-station.

[Ss. 31 and 32.]

33. (*1*) If a formal investigation into the facts of any case reported under section 32 appears to the Local Government to be expedient, the Local Government may—

Power for Local Government to appoint Court of Investigation.

(*a*) appoint a special Court and direct the Court to make the investigation at such place as the Local Government may fix in this behalf, or

(*b*) direct any principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction or the Court of any District Magistrate to make the investigation.

(*2*) A special Court appointed under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*) shall consist of not less than two nor more than four persons, of whom one shall be a Magistrate, one shall be a person conversant with maritime affairs or with the navigation of inland steam-vessels, and the other or others (if any) shall be conversant with either maritime or mercantile affairs or with the navigation of inland steam-vessels.

[S. 33.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 6.]

Power of Court of Investigation to inquire into charges of incompetency or misconduct.

34. (*1*) Any Court making an investigation under section 33 may inquire into any charge of incompetency or misconduct arising in the course of the investigation against any master, engineer or engine-driver or any person holding a certificate granted under Chapter III, as well as into any charge of a wrongful act or default on his part causing any wreck, abandonment, damage, casualty, or loss referred to in section 32.

(*2*) In every case in which any such charge arises against any master, engineer or engine-driver or any person holding a certificate granted under Chapter III in the course of an investigation, the Court shall, before the commencement of the inquiry into the charge, cause to be furnished to him a copy of the report or of any statement of the case upon which the investigation has been directed.

[S. 34.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 6.]

Power for Local Government to direct investigation otherwise than under section 33.

35. (*1*) If the Local Government has reason to believe that there are grounds for charging any master, engineer or engine-driver or any person holding a certificate granted under Chapter III with incompetency or misconduct, otherwise than in the course of an investigation under section 33, it may send a statement of the case to the principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction, or the Court of the District Magistrate, at or nearest to the place at which it may be convenient for the parties and witnesses to attend, and may direct the Court to make an investigation into the charge.

(*2*) Before commencing an investigation under sub-section (*1*), the Court shall cause the person charged to be furnished with a copy of the statement of the case sent by the Local Government.

[S. 35.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 6.]

Person charged to be heard.

36. For the purpose of an investigation under this Chapter into any charge against a master, engineer or engine-driver, or any person holding a certificate granted under Chapter III, the Court may summon him to appear, and shall give him full opportunity of making a defence, either in person or otherwise.

[S. 36.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 6.]

Assessors.

37. (*1*) When, in the opinion of the Court making an investigation under this Chapter, the investigation involves, or appears likely to involve, any question as to the cancelling or suspension of the certificate of a master, engineer or engine-driver, or any person holding a certificate granted under Chapter III, the Court shall appoint as its assessors, for the purposes of the investigation two persons having experience in the merchant service or in the navigation of inland steam-vessels.

(*2*) In every other investigation the Court may, if it thinks fit, appoint as its assessor, for the purposes of the investigation, any person conversant with maritime affairs or the navigation of inland steam-vessels and willing to act as assessor.

(*3*) Every person appointed as an assessor under this section shall attend during the investigation and deliver his opinion in writing, to be recorded on the proceedings.

[S. 37.]

Powers of Court as to evidence and regulation of proceedings.

38. For the purpose of any investigation under this Chapter, the Court making the investigation shall, so far as relates to compelling the attendance and examination of witnesses and the production of documents and the regulation of the proceedings, have—

(*a*) if the Court is a special Court—the same powers as are exercisable by the principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction for the place at which the investigation is made ; or

(*b*) if the Court is a principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction or the Court of the District Magistrate—the same powers as are exercisable respectively by either Court in the exercise of its criminal jurisdiction.

[S. 38.]

Power of Court to effect arrest of witnesses by entry and detention of vessels.

39. (*1*) If any Court making an investigation under this Chapter issues a warrant of arrest to compel the attendance of any person whose evidence is in its opinion necessary, it may, for the purpose of effecting the arrest but subject to any general or special instructions issued by the Local Government in this behalf, authorise any officer to enter any vessel.

(*2*) An officer so authorised to enter any vessel may, for the purpose of enforcing the entry, call to his aid any officers of Police or Customs, or any other persons, and may seize and detain the vessel for such time as is reasonably necessary to effect the arrest ; and every such officer or other person shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code. XLV of 1860

(*3*) No person shall be detained under this section for more than forty-eight hours.

[S. 39.]

Power of Court to commit for trial and to bind over witnesses.

40. Whenever, in the course of an investigation under this Chapter, it appears to the Court making the investigation that any person has committed, within British India, an offence punishable under any law in force in British India, the Court making the investigation may (subject to such rules consistent with this Act as the High Court may, from time to time, make in this behalf)—

(*a*) cause such person to be arrested ;

(*b*) commit him or hold him to bail to take his trial before the proper Court ;

(*c*) bind over any other person to give evidence at such trial ; and

(*d*) exercise, for the purposes of this section, all the powers of a Magistrate of the first-class or of a Presidency Magistrate.

[S. 40.]

41. (*1*) Whenever, in the course of a trial referred to in section 40, the evidence of any witness is required in relation to the subject-matter, any deposition previously made by him in relation to the same subject-matter before any Court making an investigation under this Chapter shall, if authenticated by the signature of the Magistrate or presiding Judge of such Court, be admissible in evidence on proof—

Depositions of absent witnesses.

(*a*) that the witness cannot be found within the jurisdiction of the Court before which the trial is held; and

(*b*) that the deposition was made in the presence of the person accused, and that he had an opportunity of cross-examining the witness.

(*2*) A certificate signed by such Magistrate or presiding Judge that the deposition was made in the presence of the accused, and that he had an opportunity of cross-examining the witness shall, unless the contrary be proved, be sufficient evidence that it was so made and that the accused had such opportunity.

[S. 41.]

42. The Court shall, in the case of every investigation under this Chapter, transmit to the Local Government a full report of the conclusions at which it has arrived, together with the evidence recorded and the written opinion of any assessor.

Report by Court to Local Government.

[S. 36 (2), last sentence.]

43. Notwithstanding the appointment under section 37 of an assessor or assessors by a Court making an investigation under this Chapter, the exercise of all powers conferred on such Court by this Act shall rest with the Court alone.

Court to exercise its powers independently of the assessors.

[S. 42]

44. (*1*) Whenever any explosion occurs on board any inland steam-vessel, the Local Government may direct that an investigation into the cause of the explosion be made by such person or persons as it may appoint in this behalf.

Power for Local Government to direct investigations into causes of explosions on steam-vessels.

(*2*) The person or persons so appointed may, for the purpose of the investigation, enter into and upon the steam-vessel, with all necessary workmen and labourers, and remove any portion of the steam-vessel or of the machinery thereof, and shall report to the Local Government what, in his or their opinion, was the cause of the explosion.

(*3*) Every person making an investigation under this section shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

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CHAPTER V.

SUSPENSION AND CANCELLATION OF CERTIFICATES GRANTED UNDER THE ACT.

[S. 43.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 7.]

45. Any certificate granted under Chapter III may be suspended or cancelled by the Local Government by which, or under authority from which, it was granted or by any other Local Government in the following cases, namely :—

Power for Local Government to suspend or cancel certificates in certain cases.

(*a*) if, on any investigation made under this Act, the Court reports that the wreck or abandonment of, or loss or damage to, any vessel, or loss of life, has been caused by the wrongful act or default of the holder of such certificate, or that the holder of such certificate is incompetent or has been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct, or

(*b*) if the holder of such certificate is proved to have been convicted of any non-bailable offence, or

(*c*) if, in the case of a person holding a certificate of competency or service as second-class master or serang, or as engine-driver, such person is or has become, in the opinion of the Local Government, unfit to act as a second-class master or serang, or as an engine-driver, as the case may be :

Provided that a certificate shall not be suspended or cancelled under clause (*a*) unless the Local Government is satisfied that the holder of the certificate has, before the commencement of the investigation, been furnished with a copy of the report or statement of the case as required by section 34 or section 35, as the case may be.

[S. 44.]

46. Every person whose certificate is suspended or cancelled under this Chapter shall deliver it up to such person as the Local Government which suspended or cancelled it may direct.

Obligation to deliver up suspended or cancelled certificate.

[Act XV of 1915, s. 8]

[S. 45.]

47. If the Local Government which suspends or cancels a certificate under this Chapter is not the Local Government by which, or under authority from which, such certificate was granted, the Local Government so suspending or cancelling the certificate shall report the proceedings, and the fact of suspension or cancellation, to the Local Government by which, or under authority from which, such certificate was granted.

Report to other Local Government.

[Act XV of 1915, s. 9]

[S. 46.]

48. (*1*) Any Local Government may, at any time, revoke any order of suspension or cancellation which it may have made under this Chapter, or grant, without examination, to any person whose certificate it has so cancelled, a new certificate.

Power for Local Government to revoke suspension or cancellation and to grant new certificate.

(*2*) A certificate so granted shall have the same effect as a certificate of competency granted under this Act after examination.

CHAPTER VI.

PROTECTION OF, AND CARRIAGE OF PASSENGERS IN, INLAND STEAM-VESSELS.

[S. 47.]

49. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, declare what shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be dangerous goods.

Power for Governor General in Council to declare dangerous goods.

[S. 48.] Carriage of dangerous goods.

50. (*1*) No person shall—

(*a*) take with him on board an inland steam-vessel any dangerous goods without giving notice of their nature to the owner or master of the steam-vessel, or

(*b*) deliver or tender for carriage on such steam-vessel any dangerous goods without giving such notice and without distinctly marking their nature on the outside of the package containing the goods.

(*2*) If the owner or master of an inland steam-vessel suspects, or has reason to believe that any luggage or parcel taken, delivered, or tendered for carriage on the steam-vessel contains dangerous goods, he may—

(*i*) refuse to carry it upon the steam-vessel; or

(*ii*) require it to be opened to ascertain the nature of its contents; or

(*iii*) if it has been received for carriage, stop its transit until he is satisfied as to the nature of its contents.

[S. 49.] Power of owner or master of steam-vessel to throw overboard dangerous goods.

51. Where any dangerous goods have been taken or delivered on board any inland steam-vessel in contravention of section 50, the owner or master of the steam-vessel may, if he thinks fit, cause the goods to be thrown overboard, together with any package or receptacle in which they are contained, and neither the owner nor the master shall, in respect of his having so caused the goods to be thrown overboard, be subject to any liability, civil or criminal, in any Court.

[Ss. 50 and 50 A and 50 B (2).] Power for Local Government to make rules for protection of inland steam-vessels from accidents.

52. (*1*) The Local Government may make rules for the protection of inland steam-vessels against explosion, fire, collision and other accidents.

(*2*) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may—

(*a*) prescribe the conditions on and subject to which dangerous goods may be carried on board inland steam-vessels;

(*b*) prescribe precautions to be taken to prevent explosions or fires on board inland steam-vessels;

(*c*) prescribe the apparatus which is to be kept on board inland steam-vessels, for the purpose of extinguishing fires;

[Act VII of 1899, s. 4.]

(*d*) regulate the making of sound signals;

(*e*) regulate the carriage and exhibition of lights by inland steam-vessels;

(*f*) regulate the carriage and exhibition of lights by other vessels on specified inland waters on which steam-vessels ply;

(*g*) prescribe the steering rules to be observed;

(*h*) regulate the towing of vessels astern or alongside;

[Act XV of 1915, s. 10, new s. 50 B (*a*), (*b*).]

(*i*) prescribe the speed at which inland steam-vessels may be navigated in specified areas; and

(*j*) regulate the navigation of inland steam-vessels to prevent danger to other vessels or to the banks, channels, navigation marks or any property moveable or immoveable in or abutting on navigable channels.

(*3*) Any rule made under this section may contain a provision that any person committing a breach of it shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

[S. 51.] Power for Local Government to make rules as to carriage of passengers in inland steam-vessels.

53. (*1*) The Local Government may make rules to regulate the carriage of passengers in inland steam-vessels.

(*2*) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may—

(*a*) prescribe the cases in which passengers may be refused admission to, or may be required to leave, inland steam-vessels;

(*b*) provide for the payment of fares, and the exhibition of tickets or receipts (if any) showing the payment of their fares, by passengers in inland steam-vessels; and

(*c*) regulate generally the conduct of passengers in inland steam-vessels.

(*3*) Any rule made under this section may contain a provision that any person committing a breach of it shall be punishable with fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

(*4*) The master or any other officer of an inland steam-vessel, and any person called by him to his assistance, may arrest any person who has committed a breach of any rule made under this section if the name and address of such person are unknown to the master or such other officer.

(*5*) The procedure prescribed by section 59 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, in the case of arrest by private persons shall apply to every arrest made under this section. V of 1898.

[S. 51 A.] Power for Local Government to make rules for protection of passengers.

54. (*1*) The Local Government may also make rules for the protection of passengers in inland steam-vessels, and may by such rules require—

(*a*) the prices of passenger-tickets to be printed or otherwise denoted on such tickets; and

(*b*) the supply, free of charge, of a sufficient quantity of fresh water for the use of such passengers.

(*2*) Any rule made under this section may contain a provision that any person committing a breach of it shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

CHAPTER VII.

PENALTIES AND LEGAL PROCEEDINGS.

[S. 52.] Penalty for making voyage without certificate of survey.

55. (*1*) If any inland steam-vessel proceeds on a voyage in contravention of section 3, the owner and the master of the steam-vessel shall each be punishable with fine, which may extend to one thousand rupees.

(2) If the master or any other officer on board an inland steam-vessel which proceeds on a voyage in contravention of section 3 is a licensed pilot, he shall be liable to have his license as a pilot, suspended or cancelled, for any period, by the Local Government.

[S. 53.] 56. If the certificate of survey is not kept affixed in an inland steam-vessel as required by section 10, the owner and the master of the steam-vessel shall each be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalty for neglect to affix certificate of survey in inland steam-vessel

[S. 54.] 57. If the owner or master of an inland steam-vessel, without reasonable cause, neglects or refuses to deliver up a certificate of survey when required under section 14 so to do, he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalty for neglect or refusal to deliver up certificate of survey.

[S. 54 A.] [Act III of 1890, s. 13.] 58. If an inland steam-vessel has on board or on or in any part thereof a number of passengers which is greater than the number set forth in the certificate of survey as the number of passengers which the vessel or the part thereof is, in the judgment of the surveyor, fit to carry, the owner and the master shall each be punishable with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every passenger over and above that number.

Penalty for carrying excessive number of passengers on board.

[S 55.] 59. If any person—

Penalty for serving, or engaging a person to serve, as master or engineer without certificate.

(a) proceeds on any voyage in an inland steam-vessel as the master or engineer of such vessel without being at the time entitled to, and possessed of, a master's or serang's, or an engineer's or engine-driver's certificate, as the case may be, as required under this Act, or

(b) employs as the master or engineer of an inland steam-vessel any person without ascertaining that he is at the time entitled to, and possessed of, such certificate,

he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

[S. 60.] [Act XII of 1891, s. 2 (2) and Schedule II.] 60. If any master wilfully fails to give notice, as required by section 32, of any wreck, abandonment, damage, casualty, or loss, he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and, in default of payment of such fine, with simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months.

Penalty for master failing to give notice of wreck or casualty.

[S. 57.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 8.] 61. If any person, whose certificate is suspended or cancelled under this Act, fails to deliver up the certificate as required by section 46, he shall be punishable with fine, which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Penalty for failing to deliver up suspended or cancelled certificate.

[S. 58.] 62. If any person, in contravention of section 50, takes with him on board any inland steam-vessel any dangerous goods, or delivers or tenders any such goods for carriage on any inland steam-vessel, he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and the goods shall be forfeited to Government.

Penalty for taking or delivering or tendering for carriage dangerous goods on board inland steam-vessel without notice.

[S 59.] 63. If any person employed or engaged in any capacity on board an inland steam-vessel, by wilful breach or by neglect of duty, or by reason of drunkenness—

Penalty for misconduct or neglect endangering inland steam-vessel or life or limb.

(a) does any act tending immediately to wreck, destroy or materially damage the vessel, or to endanger the life or limb of any person on board, or belonging to the vessel or

(b) refuses or omits to do any lawful act proper and requisite to be done by him for preserving the vessel from immediate wreck, destruction or material damage, or for preserving any such person from immediate danger to life or limb,

he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years, or with both.

[S 60.] 64. Where the owner or master of an inland steam-vessel is convicted of an offence under this Act or any rule made thereunder committed on board, or in relation to, that steam-vessel, and is sentenced to pay a fine, the Magistrate who passes the sentence may direct the amount of the fine to be levied by distress and sale of the steam-vessel and the tackle, apparel and furniture thereof, or so much thereof as is necessary.

Levy of fine by distress of inland steam-vessel.

[S. 61.] 65. Except in the case of an offence against any rule made under section 53, no Magistrate shall try an offence under this Act, or any rule made thereunder, unless he is a Presidency Magistrate, or a Magistrate whose powers are not less than those of a Magistrate of the first class.

Jurisdiction of Magistrates.

[S. 62.] 66. If any person commits an offence against this Act or any rule made thereunder, he shall be triable for the offence in any place in which he may be found or which the Local Government, by notification in the local official Gazette, appoints in this behalf, or in any other place in which he might be tried under any other enactment for the time being in force.

Place of trial.

CHAPTER VIII.

SUPPLEMENTAL.

[Act XV of 1915, s. 16, new, s. 50 (1) and (3).] 67. (1)—The Local Government may make rules to carry out the purposes of this Act not otherwise specially provided for.

Power for Local Government to make general rules.

(2) Any rule made under this section may contain a provision that any person committing a breach of it shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

[S. 64.] **Power for Local Government to modify application of Act to certain inland steam-vessels.**

68. The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, by notification in the local official Gazette, declare that all or any of the provisions of Chapters II and III shall not apply in the case of any specified class of steam-vessels, or shall apply to them with such modifications as may be specified in the notification.

[S. 67.] [Act XV of 1915, s. 11.] **Exemption of His Majesty's and Government vessels.**

69. Save in so far as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, otherwise direct, nothing in this Act, or any rule made thereunder, shall apply to any inland steam-vessel belonging to, or in the service of, His Majesty or the Government of India.

[S. 65.] **Power for Local Government to define tidal water.**

70. The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, define how much of any tidal water shall be deemed to be an inland water for the purposes of this Act.

[S. 66.] **Fees recoverable as fines.**

71. All fees payable under this Act may be recovered as fines under this Act.

[S. 68.] **Certificated masters of inland steam-vessels to be deemed pilots under section 31 of Act XV of 1908.**

72. (*1*) Subject to the provisions of section 31, every master of an inland steam-vessel who possesses a master's certificate granted under this Act and in force shall, in ports to which section 31 of the Indian Ports Act, 1908, has been extended, be deemed, for the purposes of that section, to be the pilot of the steam-vessel of which he is in charge.

XV of 1908.

(*2*) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to affect the provisions of Bombay Act I of 1863, (*An Act for the registry of vessels and levy of pilotage-fees on the river Indus*), which require persons in charge of vessels passing through any of the channels or tidal channels at the mouths of the river Indus to pay fees for pilotage.

S. 68 A.] [Acts of 1909, I 2] **Application of Act to vessels propelled by electricity or other mechanical power.**

73. The provisions of this Act shall also apply to all vessels which ordinarily ply on inland waters and are propelled by electricity or other mechanical power (except steam):

Provided that the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, declare that any provision of this Act shall in its application under this section to such vessels be subject to such modifications, for the purposes of adaptation, as may be specified in the notification.

[*Cf.* s. 69 and Act X of 1897, s. 23.] **Publication of rules.**

74. (*1*) The power to make rules conferred on a Local Government by this Act is subject to the condition of the rules being made after previous publication.

(*2*) All such rules shall, when made, be published in the local official Gazette, and shall thereupon have effect as if enacted in this Act

[*Cf.* s. 3 (1), (2).] **Repeals and Savings.**

75. The enactments mentioned in Schedule II are repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof:

Provided that all declarations, investigations and surveys made and certificates granted, suspended or cancelled under any of those enactments shall be deemed to have been respectively made, granted, suspended or cancelled under this Act.

SCHEDULE I.

RATES OF FEES.

[*See sections 6 (a) and 19 (d).*]

	Tons.	Rs.
For steam-vessels of less than ...	100	25
" " 100 tons and up to	200	40
" " 200 " " "	350	50
" " 350 " " "	700	60
" " 700 " " "	1,000	80
" " 1,000 " " "	1,500	100
" " 1,500 " and upwards ...		120

SCHEDULE II.

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

(*See section 75*)

Year.	No.	Short title.	Extent of repeal.
1884 ...	VI	The Inland Steam-Vessels Act, 1884.	So much as is unrepealed.
1890 ...	III	The Indian Steamships Law Amendment Act, 1890.	In the title the figures and word "VI and."
			In the preamble the words and figures "the Inland Steam-Vessels Act, 1884 and."
			The heading "*Inland Steam-Vessels Act, 1884.*" before section 1 Sections 1, 2, 4 (so much as is unrepealed), 6, 7, 8, 12, 13 and 14.
1891 ...	XII	The Amending Act, 1891.	In the Second Schedule, Part I, the entries relating to Act VI of 1884, and Act III of 1890.
1891 ...	XIII	The Inland Steam-Vessels Act (1884) Amendment Act, 1891.	So much as is unrepealed.
1897 ...	XIV	The Indian Short Titles Act, 1897.	In the Schedule, the entry relating to Act XIII of 1891.
1899 ...	VII	The Inland Steam-Vessels Act (1884) Amendment Act, 1899.	So much as is unrepealed.
1900 ...	VI	The Lower Burma Courts Act, 1900.	In the Second Schedule, the entry relating to Act VI of 1884.

SCHEDULE II—*concld.*

Year.	No.	Short title.	Extent of repeal.
1909 ...	I	The Indian Steamships Law Amendment Act, 1909.	In the title and the preamble the words " the Inland Steam-Vessels Act, 1884, and."
			The heading " *The Inland Steam-Vessels Act, 1884* " before section 2, and section 2.
1914 ...	X	The Repealing and Amending Act, 1914.	In the Second Schedule, the entries relating to Act XIII of 1891, and Act VII of 1899.
1915 ...	XV	The Inland Steam-Vessels (Amendment) Act, 1915.	The whole Act.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. This is a pure consolidating Bill. The Inland Steam-Vessels Act, 1884 (VI of 1884), has been amended by no less than seven Acts, and three of these amending Acts have again been amended by other Acts. The object of the present Bill is to collect the provisions relating to inland steam-vessels which are scattered about in several Acts, and to incorporate them in one Act without making any change of substance in the law as it now stands The result will be that the law will be more easily ascertainable, that one Act will take the place of four on the Statute-book, and that provisions relating to inland steam-vessels now to be found in six other Acts will be omitted therefrom.

2. The fact that the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), will apply to the Bill when passed has rendered it unnecessary to retain some provisions of the Act of 1884. The opportunity has been taken to incorporate alterations of a formal character with a view to improve the language, as well as the arrangement of the sections of the existing Act. The repealing and saving clause is placed at the end.

3. The more important of the alterations made are explained in the *Notes on Clauses* and in the appended Table showing the disposal of sections of the Act of 1884 as amended up to date.

The 13th September 1916. G. R. LOWNDES.

Notes on Clauses.

Clause 9 (*2*) recasts section 11 (*1*) of the Act so as to make it clear to whom applications for certificates of survey should be made, and provides that the Local Government is to fix the actual amount of any penalty payable under clause 8 (2) [see s. 10 (*2*) of the Act].

Clause 12 provides for the renewal of certificates of survey. There is no specific provision in Act VI of 1884 for the renewal of such certificates, but such a provision is clearly implied by the provisions of sections 6 (*2*) and 21 (*e*) of the Act.

Clause 13 (*c*).—It is thought that the reference to "injury" to the hull, boilers, engines and equipments of inland steam-vessels in section 15 (*c*) of the Act should, on a proper construction of the section, be taken to mean "material injury." This has accordingly been made clear by inserting the word " material ".

Clause 21 Proviso—reproduces section 25, but the reference to the examination report has been expanded so as to cover a defective report. The reference to testimonials and character has been omitted, as they presumably form part of the qualifications with which the examination deals [see clause 29 (*2*) (*b*)].

Clause 42.—In view of the provisions of section 36 (*2*) of the Act [see clause 37 (*3*) of the Bill], it would seem to be intended that the written opinions of assessors should be forwarded by the Court to the Local Government, together with the other proceedings relating to an investigation, and this has been expressly provided for by the clause.

Clause 73.—Doubts have been expressed as to whether the provisions of the Act can legally be applied to vessels propelled by mechanical power (other than steam-vessels) except under a notification issued under section 68-A. It is proposed to make it quite clear that the provisions of the Bill shall apply to such vessels, as well as to steam-vessels, but that the Governor General in Council will, in the case of the former, have the power merely to modify those provisions for the purposes of adaptation.

Clause 74 (*1*) takes the place of the provisions of section 69 regarding "previous publication" [*cf.* s. 23, General Clauses Act, 1897]. The clause does not, however, reproduce the provisions of section 69 (*2*) under which the "previous publication" is to be made in such manner as may be notified by the Governor General in Council. It is considered that this, being a minor matter of procedure, may well be left to the Local Government which would have power under section 23 (*2*) of the General Clauses Act to prescribe the manner in which rules made by itself are to be "previously" published.

Clause 74 (*2*) —It is considered desirable that rules made by the Local Government after previous publication should be published in the local official gazette, and should have the force of law. It has been usual to insert a similar provision in nearly all Acts passed in recent years by the Indian Legislature. Moreover, publication in the local official gazette was required by section 69 (*5*) in the case of all rules before that section was amended by Act XV of 1915.

Table showing disposal of the sections of Act VI of 1884, as amended up to date.

Sections.	Clauses of the Bill.	Remarks.
Section 1 (*1*) ...	1 (*1*) ...	
„ 1 (*2*) ...	1 (*2*), paragraph 1...	
Sections 1 (*3*) and 2 (*2*)	1 (*3*) ...	
Section 2 (*1*) ...	1 (*2*), paragraph 2.	
„ 2 (*3*) ...	Omitted ...	*See* General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897) section 22. Section 69 (*2*) has been omitted (*see post*).
„ 3 (*1*) ...	75, paragraph 1 ...	
„ 3 (*2*) ...	75, proviso ...	
„ 3 (*3*) ...	Omitted ...	Unnecessary in view of General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 6.
„ 4 ...	Omitted ...	*See* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 8.
„ 5 (1) and (6)...	Omitted ...	Unnecessary in view of General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 3 (32) and (56).
„ 5 (2) to (5), (7) and (8)	2 ...	
„ 6 ...	3 ...	
„ 7 (*1*) ...	4 (*1*) ...	The words "from time to time" have been omitted : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.
„ 7 (*2*) ..	Omitted ...	*See* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 16.
„ 7 (*3*) ...	4 (*2*) ...	
„ 8 ...	5 ...	
„ 8 A. ...	6 ...	The words "from time to time" have been omitted : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.
„ 9 ...	7 ...	
„ 10 (*1*) and (2)	8 ...	
„ 10 (*3*)	9 (*2*) ...	
„ 11 ...	9 ...	The words "from time to time" in sub-sections (*1*) and (*4*) of section 11 have been omitted : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.
„ 13* ...	10 ...	
„ 14 ...	11 ...	
Sections 15 to 20 ...	13 to 18 ...	The words "from time to time" in section 16 have been omitted : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.
Section 21 ...	19 ...	In clause 19 (*1*) the words "with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council" have been inserted : *see* section 12 of the Inland Steam-Vessels (Amendment) Act, 1915 (XV of 1915).

* Section 12 was repealed by the Indian Steamships Law Amendment Act, 1890 (III of 1890), s. 5.

Table showing disposal of the sections of Act VI of 1884, as amended up to date—contd.

Sections.	Clauses of the Bill.	Remarks.
Section 22 ...	20 ...	The words " from time to time " have been omitted : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.
Sections 23, 24 and 25	21 ...	
Sections 25A to 27 ...	22 to 24 ...	
Section 28 (*1*), (*2*), (*3*) and (*4*).	25 to 28 ...	The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1889, and the Merchant Shipping Colonial Act, 1869, have been repealed and re-enacted by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 & 58 Vict., c. 60).
„ 29 (*1*) ...	29 ...	In clause 29 (*1*) the words " with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council " have been inserted : *see* s. 12 of Act XV of 1915.
„ 29 (*2*) ...	30 ...	
„ 29 A ...	31 ...	
„ 30 ...	32 ...	
Sections 31 and 32 ...	33 ...	
„ 33 to 41 ...	34 to 42 ...	The words " But the exercise of all power conferred on the Court by this Act shall rest with the Court " at the end of section 36 (*2*) have been omitted from clause 37, but are given effect to in a separate clause : *see* clause 43.
Section 36 (2), last sentence.	43 ...	
Section 42 ...	44 ...	
Sections 43 to 46 ...	45 to 48 ...	The words " from time to time " in section 44 have been omitted from clause 46 : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.
Section 47 ...	49 ...	The words " from time to time " have been omitted : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.
„ 48 ...	50 ...	
„ 49 ...	51 ...	
Sections 50, 50-A and 50-B (2).	52 ...	
Sections 50-B (1) and (3).	67 ...	
„ 51 and 51-A. ...	53 and 54 ...	
„ 52 to 62 ...	55 to 66 ...	The words "in addition to any other power he may have for the purpose of compelling payment of the fine", in s. 60 have been omitted from clause 64 : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 25.

Table showing disposal of the sections of Act VI of 1834, as amended up to date—concld.

Sections.	Clauses of the Bill.	Remarks.
Section 63 ...	Omitted ...	*See* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 26.
„ 64 ...	68 ...	The words "from time to time" have been omitted : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.
„ 65 ...	70 ...	The words "from time to time" have been omitted : *see* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.
„ 66 ...	71 ...	
„ 67 ...	69 ...	
„ 68 ...	72 ...	The Indian Ports Act, 1875 (XII of 1875), has been repealed and re-enacted by the Indian Ports Act, 1908 (XV of 1908).
„ 68-A ...	73 ...	
„ 69 (*1*) to (*4*) and (*6*).	74 (*1*) ...	*See* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 23.
„ 69 (*5*) ...	Omitted ...	*See* clauses 19 (*1*), 29 (*1*) and 74 (*2*).
„ 69 (*7*) ...	Omitted ...	*See* General Clauses Act, 1897, s. 14.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

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Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 25th September 1916.*

NEW GUINEA—CERAM ISLAND, NORTH COAST.

Hatiling Bay—Existence of a Reef.

No. 295 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 835 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 13¾ cables, 69° (*N. 66° E: Mag.*), from Wahai flagstaff and about 3¾ cables eastward from Tanjong Aentopra.
Lat. 2° 47½′ S., long. 129° 29½′ E.
Description.—A 2-fathom reef of small extent.
Remarks.—Vessels are advised to pass to the westward of the 3-foot shoal situated westward of the 2-fathom reef, as the former is conspicuously marked by discoloured water, whereas the discolouration over the 2-fathom reef is scarcely distinguishable.
Variation.—3° E.
Chart affected.—No. 930, Plan of Wahai bay and Hatiling bay.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 128.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 918 of 1916. (*H. 4246/16*).

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—COOK STRAIT, PORT NICHOLSON APPROACH.

Karori Rock Light—Correction to certain Charts.

No. 296 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 844 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 41° 21′ S., long. 174° 40½′ E.
Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *W.R., ev. 4 sec., 65 ft., vis. 13 m.*

Details.—This light is incorrectly shown on some copies of the charts as a flashing white light; it is a *flashing white* light with *red* sectors, showing thus:—

Red from 291° (*N. 85° W. Mag.*) to 327° (*N. 49° W. Mag.*);

White thence through north to 134° (*S. 62° E. Mag.*);

Red thence to 153° (*S. 43° E. Mag.*);

White elsewhere but obscured by land.

Variation.—16° E.

Charts affected.—No. 695, Cook strait.

„ 2054, Cook strait and the coast to Cape Egmont.

„ 3629, Hokitika to Otago harbour.

„ 1212, New Zealand.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 150.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 411/16.*)

CELEBES—EAST COAST.

Tomori Bay Approach—Existence of a Reef.

No. 297 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 854 of 1916), are republished:—

Position.—In the northern approach to Tomori bay.

Lat. 1° 54′ 50″ S., long. 121° 49′ 40″ E.

Depth—Awash at low water.

Charts affected.—No. 2549, Tomori gulf.

„ 3616, Tomori gulf to Salayar strait.

„ 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago, sheet III.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 491.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 967 of 1916. (*H. 4405/16.*)

PERSIAN GULF—HENJAM ISLAND ANCHORAGE APPROACH.

Amendment to depth reported on shoal North-westward of Ras-al-Mashia.

No. 298 (first publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 143M. of 1916), are republished:—

Former Notice No. 78M. of 1914. (*This office No. 202 of 1914.*)

Position—At a distance of 10 cables 299° (N. 63° W. Mag.) from Ras-al-Mashia.

Lat. 26° 41¼′ N., long. 55° 53¼′ E. (Approximate on Chart No. 753.)

Least depth—5¼ fathoms, sand, instead of 3¼ fathoms reported previously.

Variation—2° E.

Charts affected—No. 3599, Henjam Island Anchorage.

„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet with plan.

„ 753, Persian Gulf Entrance.

Publication—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, page 209.

Authority—The Director, Royal Indian Marine.

PERSIAN GULF—HENJAM ISLAND ANCHORAGE.

Partial existence of Ras-al-Mashia Beacon; Caution with regard to Eastern approach.

No. 299 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 146M. of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Ras-al-Mashia, lat. 26° 41′ N., long. 55° 54′ E.

(1) *Particulars.*—The beacon, which was reported o have been destroyed in 1915, near the end of the spit, extending north-eastward from Ras-al-Mashia, and about 2¼ cables northward from White Mosque, still has a few feet showing at the highest tides and can be used for anchoring.

Description.—Cement base with staff stayed and a small white flag on top.

(2) *Caution.*—The eastern approach to Henjam anchorage should be used with great caution by ships of 20 feet draught and over.

Remarks.—It is recommended to keep well to southward of 3¼ fathoms patch 1¼ miles south-east from Cairn on Ras-Khargu and then to enter on a line of bearing Cable House on Kishm Island 336° (N. 26° W. Mag.), altering course to anchorage when 5 feet Cairn on Henjam Island 13½ cables from the Ras-al-Mashia Beacon, bears about 212° (S. 60° W. Mag.), not later.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3599, Plan of Henjam Anchorage.
„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, pages 209 and 210.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding, H. M. S. "Philomel", dated 23rd August 1916.

The 18th September 1916.

KOREA—SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Fusan Harbour—Alterations in Lighting.

No. 289 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 807 of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Light-buoy established :

Position.—At the southern end of Puppani, at a distance of 6¼ cables, 108° (*S. 67° E. Mag.*), from Uno se (Channel rock) light.

Uno se (Channel rock) light, lat. 35° 06¼′ N., long. 129° 04′ E.

Description.—A red cylindrical light-buoy, with framework superstructure, exhibiting a *flashing green* light *every three seconds*.

(2) Light-buoy withdrawn :

Position.—At a distance of about half a cable, northward, from Kioshi sho, and about 3 cables, southward, from Uno se light.

Description.—A black cylindrical light-buoy, exhibiting a flashing green light.

(3) Alteration in colour of light-beacon :

Position.—On Uno se (Channel rock).

Alteration.—The colour of the masonry beacon has been altered from red to black.

(4) Leading lights discontinued :

Position.—On the north-western side of the harbour, northward of Choragu.

Description.—Two fixed red lights.

Remarks.—The light-buoy and leading lights referred to in paragraphs (2) and (4) respectively are to be expunged from the charts.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1259, Fusan harbour.
„ 3666, Fusan harbour to Chukupen bay.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion (4).
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū (4).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, Nos. 1779, 1780, 1783.
E. C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, pages 77, 78, 79; Supplement 1914.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 144 of 1916. (*H. 4181/16.*)

CHINA—North Coast.

Wei Hai Wei Anchorage—Light-Buoy and Buoys withdrawn.

No. 290 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 819 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5¼ cables north-westward of the Observation spot on Leu kung tau.
Observation spot lat. 37° 30½′ N., long. 122° 09¾′ E.
Description.—Light-buoy numbered "1" exhibiting a *fired white* light.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5 cables south-westward from the Observation spot.
Description.—Red can-buoy, numbered "2."

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5¾ cables south-westward from the Observation spot.
Description.—Red can-buoy, numbered "3."

Remarks.—The light-buoy and buoys described above are to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 3025, Wei hai wei anchorage.
„ 2823, Wei hai wei and approaches.
„ 3457, Li tau bay to Chu tau.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 455 ; Supplement, 1915,

Authority.—King's Harbour Master, Wei hai wei. (*H. 4299/16.*)

CEYLON—West Coast.

Colombo—Alteration in Time-Signal.

No. 291 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to he above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 827 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At the Master Attendant's Office, lat. 6° 56′ N., long. 79° 50¾′ E.

Details.—The semaphore time-signal has been discontinued and replaced by a time-ball.

The ball is hoisted half way up at 5 minutes, close up at 2 minutes before the signal, and dropped at 1h. 00m. 00s., 4h. 00m. 00s., 21h. 00m 00s. standard time, corresponding to 19h. 30m. 00s., 22h. 30m. 00s., 15h. 30m. 00s. Greenwich mean time.

Should the signal fail, the ball will remain hoisted for 15 minutes and a green flag will be shown from the Colombo signal mast.

On Sundays and public holidays the signal will only be made at 21h. 00m. 00s. standard time.

Note.—The note on the charts with reference to time-signals is to be amended accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 914, Colombo harbour.
„ 3686, Approaches to Colombo harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 5038.
W. C. India Pilot, 1909, page 93; Revised Supplement, No. 1, 1915.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 103; Revised Supplement, 1916.

Authority.—Master Attendant, Colombo. (*H. 4267 16.*)

SUMATRA—South Coast.

Peduda Bay—Existence of a Reef.

No. 292 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 828 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¾ miles, south-westward, from Kelapa islet.
Centre of reef, lat. 5° 44′ 58″ S., long. 105° 12′ 20″E., on chart No. 2056.

Details.—The reef is about 2½ cables in length in a northerly and southerly direction, and is marked by discoloured water.

Note.—The reef is to be indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.
„ 2761, Chingkuk bay to the strait of Sunda.
„ 1653, Island of Java, western portion.
„ 941*a*. Eastern archipelago, sheet I.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 19.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 54.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 917 of 1916 (*H. 4245 16.*)

JAPAN—Kiusiu, East Coast.

Oryuzuko Anchorage—Light established.

No. 293 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 829 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On the 273-foot summit of Tosaki hana.
Lat. 31° 47′ 07″ N., long. 131° 28′ 55″ E., on chart No. 3375.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *283 ft., vis. 7 m.*

Details :

Character.—A *fixed white* light.
Elevation.—283 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles; from 183° (*S. 7° W. Mag.*), through west to 3° (*N. 7° E. Mag.*).
Power.—Under 100 candles.

Structure.—White hexagonal brick tower, 18 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3375, Plan of Oryuzako anchorage.
„ 1648, Osumi Kaikyo to O shima.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1868*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 92.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 143 of 1916. (*H. 4180/16.*)

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Fusan Harbour—Amended details with regard to Dredging operations.

No. 294 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 830 of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 568 of 1915. (*This office No. 211 of 1915.*)

Position.—Uno se (Channel rock), lat. 35° 06½′ N., long. 129° 04′ E.

Details.—The area within which dredging operations are in progress in Fusan harbour has been amended and is now defined by lines joining the undermentioned positions :—

Distance and bearing from Uno se (Channel rock) light-beacon.

(*a*) $6\frac{2}{10}$ cables, 271° (*N. 84° W. Mag.*).
(*b*) $5\frac{8}{10}$ „ 247° (*S. 72° W. Mag.*).
(*c*) Nine-tenths of a cable, 278° (*N. 77° W. Mag.*).
(*d*) $2\frac{2}{10}$ cables, 236° (*S. 61° W. Mag.*).
(*e*) 8 „ 125° (*S. 50° E. Mag.*).
(*f*) $9\frac{2}{10}$ „ 139° (*S. 36° E. Mag.*).

The dredger, when at work, will carry a black ball by day and exhibit a *red* light by night ; vessels entering or leaving the harbour should pass to the northward of the dredger and Uno se light-beacon ; the Note on the chart is to be amended accordingly.

Variation.—5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1259, Fusan harbour.

Publication.—E. C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, page 80 ; Supplement 1914.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 145 of 1916. (*H. 4182/16.*)

The 11th September 1916.

JAPAN.

Shimonoseki kaikyo—Amended Buoyage.

No. 283 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 782 of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 678 of 1916. (*This office No. 244 of 1916.*)

1. Light-buoy to be re-inserted on charts :

Position.—At a distance of $1\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 56° (*N. 61° E. Mag.*), from Ganryu jima lighthouse.
Lat. 33° 56¼′ N., long. 130° 56′ E.

Description.—A truncated conical-light-buoy painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white* light.

Remarks.—Further information has been received that this light-buoy is still in existence.

2. Light-buoy to be removed from charts :

Position.—At the south-western extreme of Moji su.
Lat. 33° 57′ N., long. 130° 56¾′ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted in black and white horizontal stripes, exhibiting an occulting red light.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3114, Moji and Shimonoseki ko.
„ 1578, Shimonoseki kaikyo.
„ 532, Approach to Shimonoseki kaikyo.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 562.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 113 of 1916. (*H. 3823/16.*)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—Spencer Gulf.

Port Lincoln—Alteration in Characteristics of Light.

No. 284 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 783 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On head of Railway pier north-westward of Kirton point.
Lat. 34° 43¼′ S., long. 135° 52½′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. F., *28 ft.*

Details.—The fixed light with white and red sectors has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—A *fixed white* light.
Elevation.—28 feet.
Visibility.—Not stated.
Structure.—Wooden post.

Remarks.—The light is no longer unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 784, Port Lincoln.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs.
„ 1061, Cape Catastrophe to the Great Australian bight.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916. No. 2314.
Australia Directory Pilot, Vol. 1, 1907, page 202 : Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—Marine Board, Port Adelaide. (*H. 4083/16*).

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Luzon, South-West Coast.

Fortune Island—Light established.

No. 285 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 787 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 14° 03′ 40″ N., long. 120° 28′ 45″ E.
Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 3 sec., 415 ft., vis. 10 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

$$\frac{\text{Flash.}}{\frac{1}{10}\text{ sec.}} \qquad \frac{\text{eclipse.}}{2\frac{9}{10}\text{ secs.}}$$

Elevation.—415 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Structure.—A concrete beacon
Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
" 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
" 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1271
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part 1, 1911, page 31.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 220.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1693 of 1916. (*H. 4073/16.*)

ADMIRALTY PUBLICATIONS.

Method of Revision of Notices to Mariners.

No. 286 (third publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 795 of 1916), are republished :—

In future, when Admiralty Notices to Mariners are revised and republished from time to time, new matter and alterations, etc., will be indicated in the following manner :—

(1) Entirely new paragraphs, by a broad line at the side.
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Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4272/16.*)

FRENCH INDO-CHINA.

Kwang Chau Wan and Approach—Lights established.

No. 287 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 802 of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Nau Chau island :

Position.—On the white and black (N.N.E.) tower situated at the northern end of the island, at a distance of about 2 miles and 3¼ cables, northward, from Nau Chau island light.
Lat. 20° 56¼′ N., long. 110° 35¼′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *51 ft., vis. 9 m.* (No. 1).

Details :

Character.—A *fixed white* light.
Elevation.—51 feet.
Visibility.—9 miles ; from 46° (*N. 45° E. Mag.*), through east, to 316° (*N. 45° W. Mag.*).
Structure.—Black and white tower, 27 feet in height.
Remarks.—The leading line "Light Ho. in line with N.N.E. Tower (South)" on the chart, is to be altered to read "*Lights in line (South).*"

(2) Aigrettes island :

Position.—On the white tower with black band on Colline Verte, Aigrettes island.
Lat. 21° 06′ N., long. 110° 32¼′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *W.R., 90 ft., vis. 15 m.* (No. 2).
Details:

Character.—A *fixed* light with *white* and *red* sectors.
Elevation.—90 feet.
Visibility.—15 miles.
Sectors.—*Red* from 74° (*N. 73° E. Mag.*), through east, to 152° (*S. 29° E. Mag.*), and from 238° (*S. 57° W. Mag.*), through west, to 320° (*N. 41° W. Mag.*).
White thence to 74° (*N. 73° E. Mag.*).
Obscured elsewhere.

Structure.—White tower with black band, 28 feet in height.

Remarks.—The leading line on the chart is to be altered to "*Light & Pyramid in line* (*N. 69° E.*)."

(3) Lin Fa Than island leading lights:

(*a*) Front light:

Position.—On the pyramid near the northern end of Lin Fa Than island.
Lat. 21° 06¼′ N., long. 110° 23¼′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F. *Red, 28 ft., vis. 10 m.* (No. 3).

Details:

Character.—A *fixed red* light.
Elevation.—28 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles, from 168° (*S. 13° E. Mag.*), through south, to 188° (*S. 7° W. Mag.*).
Structure.—White masonry pyramid, 20 feet in height.

(*b*) Rear light:

Position.—On the pyramid situated at a distance of about $1\frac{4}{10}$ cables, southward, from the front light.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *38 ft., vis. 11 m.* (No. 4).

Details:

Character.—A *fixed white* light.
Elevation.—38 feet.
Visibility.—11 miles, from 168° (*S. 13° E. Mag.*), through south, to 188° (*S. 7° W. Mag.*).
Structure.—White pyramid, 28 feet in height.

Remarks.—The leading line "Pyramids in line (S. 2° E.) on the chart is to be altered to "*Lights in line* (*S. 3° E.*)."

(4) Portalis point leading lights:

(*a*) Front light:

Position.—On the bank extending off Portalis point, at a distance of 3 cables, 120° (*S. 61° E. Mag.*), from the pagoda.
Lat. 21° 09¼′ N., long. 110° 22¾′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *W.R., 27 ft., vis. 9 m.* (No. 5).

Details:

Character.—A *fixed* light with *white* and *red* sectors.
Elevation.—27 feet.
Visibility.—9 miles.
Sectors.—*White* from 254° (*S. 73° W. Mag.*), through west, to 74° (*N. 73° E. Mag.*).
Red from 164° (*S. 17° E. Mag.*) to 254° (*S. 73° W. Mag.*).
Obscured elsewhere.

Structure.—Triangular pyramid with platform.

(*b*) Rear light:

Position.—At a distance of $2\frac{7}{10}$ cables, 322° (*N. 39° W. Mag.*), from the front light.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *41 ft., vis. 11 m.* (No. 6).

Details:

Character.—A *fixed white* light.
Elevation.—41 feet.
Visibility.—11 miles, from 311° (*N. 50° W. Mag.*), to 331° (*N. 30° W. Mag.*).
Structure.—White cylindrical tower with platform and hexagonal dwelling, 21 feet in height.

(5) Nivet point light:

Position.—On extremity of Nivet point at a distance of $7\frac{9}{10}$ cables, 85° (*N. 84° E. Mag.*), from the south-east angle of Fort Bayard.

Lat. 21° 11¾′ N., long. 110° 24½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *Red 37 ft.* (No. 7).

Details:

Character.—A *fixed red* light.
Elevation.—37 feet.
Visibility.—Distance not stated; from 14° (*N. 13° E. Mag.*), through east, to 284° (*N. 77° W. Mag.*).
Structure.—Triangular beacon with platform, 35 feet in height.
Remarks.—The leading line "Northern Peak in line with Nivet Pt. (*N. 21° E.*)" on the chart is to be altered to "*Northern Peak in line with Nivet Pt. Lt* (*N. 20° E.*)"

Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3486, Kwang chau wan and River Matshé.
„ 3319, Approach to Kwang chau wan.
„ 2062, Tong king gulf.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, Nos. 1476, 1476*a*, 1476*b*, 1476*c*, 1476*e*, 1476*f*, 1476*g*.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, pages 357, 361, 363, 364, 365.
Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 592 of 1916. (*H. 2574/16.*)

FORMOSA, NORTH COAST.

Agincourt Island—Submarine disturbance reported north-eastward of.

No. 288 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 803 of 1916), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of about 10 miles, north-eastward, of Agincourt island.
Lat. 25° 11′ 00″ N., long. 122° 27′ 30″ E., on chart No. 2412.
Details.—On 18th April 1916, steam is reported to have been observed rising from the sea for a short period in the above-mentioned position, apparently indicating the existence of an active submarine volcano.
Caution.—Mariners are warned to exercise caution when navigating this locality.
Note.—The position on the charts is to be encircled by a danger line, and marked "*Submarine volcano reported (1916).*"
Charts affected.—No. 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.
„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liau-tung.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 2683, Pacific ocean.
„ 2183, Atlantic and Indian oceans, &c.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 235.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 133 of 1916. (*H. 4160/16.*)

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LIBERALITY OF BABU BIPIN KRISHNA ROY, OF DASGHARA.

No. 2922Medl., dated Calcutta, the 28th September 1916.

From—THE HON'BLE MR. J. DONALD, I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial (Medical) Department,

To—The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.

WITH reference to your letter No. 437-J.G.—11-10, dated the 15th September 1916, in which you report that Babu Bipin Krishna Roy of Dasghara, in the district of Hooghly, has spent a sum of Rs. 34,150 in constructing a building for the local Charitable Dispensary, I am directed to request that you will be so good as to convey to the gentleman the thanks of Government for his liberality and public spirit.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First Forecast of the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1916-17.

(NOTE:—On the average of the five years ending 1914-15, the area under winter rice in Bengal represents some 19·6 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.)

Character of the Season.—In the months of February and March the rainfall was very inadequate for the ploughing of fields for the winter rice crop. The rainfall in April, however, was sufficient and facilitated the sowings of the broadcast paddy. This was again followed by defective rainfall in May and the broadcasted variety suffered to some extent consequently. In June, general rain fell throughout the Province and transplanting commenced at the usual time. The progress of the operation, however, was somewhat retarded in some of the western districts owing to insufficiency of rain in July, when, on the other hand, the excessive rainfall and floods in the northern districts caused some damage to the crop on low land in places. The rainfall in August greatly helped the growth of the standing crop. On the whole the season has been favourable.

Acreage.—According to the figures reported by the District Officers, the area sown this year is 15,492,100 acres against 14,974,000 and 15,105,100 acres shown in the last year's first and final forecasts respectively. The increase in area is chiefly due to comparatively favourable weather during the transplanting period.

Outturn.—From the appendix attached to the report it will be seen that only one district, viz., Bankura, reports more than a normal crop, *i.e.*, 108 per cent. Eleven districts report a normal crop; eight districts a crop between 80 and 94 and six districts a crop between 66 and 75 per cent. The district of the Chittagong Hill Tracts only reports a crop as low as 50 per cent. The low outturn in some cases is chiefly due to deficient rainfall at sowing time which unfavourably affected the growth of the crop.

According to the District Officers' estimates, the provincial outturn works out to 92 per cent. against 87 and 97 per cent. shown, respectively, in the first and final forecasts of last year.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA,
The 28th September 1916.

First Forecast of Winter Rice Crop of 1916-17.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	Estimated area under winter rice.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of acre.		Date by which the sowing of broadcasted winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which the transplanting of winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
24-Parganas ...	894,700	789,300	833,700	117	100	April. Normal ...	June. Normal ...	The increase is due partly to more area being brought under cultivation by clearance of jungle in the Diamond Harbour subdivision and partly to favourable weather during the time of sowing. The weather was favourable; but heavy rains during the latter part of August to some extent damaged the crop on low lands. Some damage has also been caused by flood in the Diamond Harbour subdivision.
Nadia	126,800	123,900	118,900	67	67	April to middle of June. Normal, but late in some places.	June to August. Normal, but late in some places.	The decrease in area sown this year is due to want of rain at the sowing time. Transplantation was retarded also for want of rain. The recent rain has improved the condition of the crop to some extent. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal for want of timely rainfall.
Murshidabad ...	345,600	322,800	301,500	75	75	June. Late	June to August. Late	The decrease in area this year is due to insufficient rainfall in the greater portion of the district at the time of sowing and transplantation. The weather condition was no favourable at the time of sowing but has improved a little since then. About 25 per cent of the crop has been damaged by drought.
Jessore ...	568,100	463,900	455,500	93	75	April. Normal but late in Bongaon subdivision.	July and August normal, but late in Bongaon and Narail subdivision.	The decrease in area this year is due to want of rainfall at the time of sowing and transplantation. The growth of the crop was affected a little owing to insufficient rainfall. About 25 per cent. of the crop has also been damaged by flood and insect-pests. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Khulna ...	745,300	749,300	747,600	123	100	End of April to 1st week of June. Normal.	July. Normal ...	The decrease in area sown this year is due to deficient rainfall at the time of sowing. The weather condition was not favourable at the time of sowing but has improved since then. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Burdwan ...	874,800	830,000	877,900	67	75	End of June Late ...	July. Late ...	The increase in area sown this year is due to favourable rainfall in August. The weather condition was not favourable at the sowing time but since August it has been quite good Transplantation has been delayed on account of deficient rainfall in June and July. The effect of weather on the growth of the crop was unfavourable in Katwa and Kalna but favourable in Sadar and Asansol. Some damage has been done to the crop by drought and insect-pests in the Kalna, Katwa and Asansol subdivisions. The late transplantation and drought till July accoun for the low outturn.
Birbhum ...	604,600	573,000	596,000	83	100	No broad-cast sowing in this district.	Beginning of July. Normal.	The increase in area as compared with that of last year is due to favourable rainfall. Effects of the weather on the cultivation and growth of the crop have been good.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER WINTER RICE.		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF ACRE.		Date by which the sowing of broadcasted winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which the transplanting of winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
Bankura ...	510,600	171,000	510,600	42	108	Beginning of June. Normal.	Middle of July. Normal.	The increase in area sown this year is due to timely rainfall. The weather conditions have been favourable for the growth of the crop. Hence the outturn is expected to be above the normal.
Midnapore ...	1,579,400	1,556,000	1,653,100	100	85	.....	July. Normal ...	An increase in area is reported from the Sadar subdivision only. Untimely heavy showers caused some damage to the seedlings. After that there was a long spell of drought which retarded transplantation and affected the growth of the crop on high lands already transplanted. This was however followed by a general rainfall which saved the situation. The outturn is estimated to fall below the normal by 15 per cent.
Hooghly ...	276,700	227,900	204,900	82	66	End of June. Late ...	End of July. Late ...	The decrease in area sown this year is due to want of rainfall at the sowing time. The weather condition has not been favourable. Some damage was caused to the crop by drought. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Howrah ...	128,200	111,700	109,100	108	75	End of May in Sadar normal. Middle of June in Uluberia late.	Middle of August. Late	The decrease in area as compared with that of last year is due to want of rainfall at sowing time. The weather condition was not favourable at the sowing time but at present it is favourable. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to want of timely rainfall at the beginning.
Rajshahi ...	697 000	565,900	566,300	90	85	End of April. Normal	First part of July. Normal.	The weather condition was not favourable at the time of sowing but has improved since then. Some damage was caused by flood in the Natore subdivision. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Dinajpur ...	1,120,300	1,034,900	1,057,800	105	93	.....	First part of July. Normal.	The increase in area is due to extension of cultivation. The weather condition has been favourable for the growth of the crop. Slight damage has been caused to the crops on low lands by excessive rainfall. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Jalpaiguri ..	551,300	516,400	482,000	102	94	Beginning of May. Normal.	Beginning of July. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to excessive rainfall for which low lands could not be utilised. The weather condition has been favourable in all parts of the district except in Baikunthapur and Chaklajat estates where excessive rainfall has affected the growth of the crop. Some damage has also been caused in the south west of the district by excessive rainfall. Hence the outturn is expected to be below the normal.
Darjeeling ...	65,200	38,200	38,200	92	100	1st week of May. Normal.	Middle of July. Normal.	The weather condition has been favourable for the growth of the crop.
Rangpur ...	822,300	800,900	726,000	104	100	May. Normal ...	June and still going on in places. Late.	The decrease in area as compared with that of last year is due to want of rainfall at the sowing time. The subsequent weather conditions have been good except that the rainfall in July and August caused slight damage to the crop. The outturn is estimated to be normal.
Bogra	303,000	303 000	303,000	105	100	April. Normal ...	July. Normal ...	The weather condition has been favourable for the growth of the crop. Slight damage has been caused to the crop by flood in some thanas. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Pabna	566,000	500,000	500,000	100	80	End of March. Normal	End of July. Normal	Want of rain for three months after the sowing of the crop and the sudden rise of the river in July have greatly damaged the crop. Hence the outturn is estimated to be below the normal.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	Estimated area under winter rice. Last year (1915-16).	Estimated area under winter rice. This year (1916-17).	Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area. Last year.	Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area. This year.	Date by which the sowing of broadcasted winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which the transplanting of winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers
	Acres	Acres.	Acres.					
Malda	300,000	300,000	300,000	100	100	End of June Late ...	July. Normal ...	The weather condition has been favourable for the growth of the crop. The outturn is expected to be normal
Dacca	633,100	592,600	623,600	78	92	April Normal ...	Second week of July. Normal	The increase in area is due to the transplantation of paudy in the jute fields, the water having receded earlier this year. Just after sowing there was a dearth of rain, but since the last week of May the crop has improved considerably on account of intermittent rainfall. Some damage has been done to the crop in the Narayanganj subdivision by insects and considerable damage has been done to the broadcasted variety by the Jamuna flood in the norther part of the district. The extent of the damage done by the flood may be estimated to be 15 per cent. of the total area under winter rice in the district. The outturn in other parts of the district is quite hopeful. The transplanted variety is expected to yield a bumper crop
Mymensingh ...	1 126 700	972 700	930,700	90	91	First part of April Normal	First part of July. Normal.	The decrease in area sown this year is due to increase in the area of jute cultivation. More rain was wanted in some places during the sowing time. The weather condition has been generally favourable. Some damage has been caused by flood in some places of the Tangail subdivision.
Faridpur	770,100	744 100	769 000	100	100	March and April. Normal.	June and July. Normal.	The weather condition has been favourable for the growth of the crop. Slight damage has been caused by rise of water.
Bakarganj ...	1,200,000	1 210 000	1,227,000	120	100	Last part of June and first part of July. Normal.	July and first part of August Normal.	The increase in area as compared with that of last year is due to decrease in area under boaleé crop. The weather conditions have been favourable except in Pirojpur subdivision where some damage to the seedlings has been caused by flood in July. Heavy rainfall in Bhola subdivision has retarded the transplantation. Slight damage has also been caused by insect-pests in Sadar subdivision and by floods in Pirojpur. A normal outturn is however expected
Chittagong ...	418,400	426,100	426,100	100	100	Last week of June Normal	Second week of August. Normal	The weather condition has been favourable for the growth of the crop. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Tippera ...	721 900	743,000	784 000	60	80	Middle of March Normal	July and August. Normal	The increase in area sown this year is due to decrease in jute areas on account of uncertainty of jute market. There was drought at sowing time but weather turned favourable afterwards. Some damage has been caused by want of seasonable rain and partly by wrong selection of seeds in Brahmanbaria subdivision.
Noakhali ...	566,900	637,000	558,000	100	100	April	July	The area is likely to be revised in the second forecast after comparison with the district settlement figures
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	47 900	48,000	44,500	80	80	End of June Late ...	Last week of July. Late	The decrease in area sown this year is due to want of seasonable rainfall at the sowing time. Effects of the weather on the cultivation and growth of the crop have not been good. The outturn is expected to fall much below the normal
Total Bengal ...	14,879,400	15 115,107	15,493,100	97	92			

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during May to August 1916.

District.	MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.	
	Normal.	Actual.	Normal.	Actual.	Normal.	Actual.	Normal.	Actual.
24-Parganas	5·48	3·09	10·90	17·79	13·33	6·52	12·49	17·25
Calcutta	5·74	3·86	11·43	16·99	13·89	7·60	13·16	18·94
Nadia	6·71	2·04	9·99	18·13	10·66	3·55	10·94	10·43
Murshidabad	5·02	0·68	10·04	13·95	10·98	6·89	11·17	10·94
Jessore	7·30	3·54	11·47	12·38	11·02	6·12	10·62	14·43
Khulna	7·23	2·59	11·79	19·30	13·11	8·11	13·29	15·43
Burdwan	5·15	0·59	9·68	14·54	11·89	4·91	11·49	12·20
Birbhum	4·21	0·68	10·35	15·08	12·73	8·75	11·82	10·56
Bankura	4·30	1·85	9·87	12·16	12·11	11·97	11·37	13·24
Midnapore	4·97	2·26	9·80	19·40	12·68	5·16	12·50	11·31
Hooghly	5·52	0·99	9·93	11·25	12·03	3·72	11·85	14·52
Howrah	5·33	4·43	10·83	15·20	13·21	5·94	11·41	17·07
Rajshahi	5·75	0·96	10·27	15·99	11·42	11·68	10·19	13·12
Dinajpur	6·92	3·63	14·59	16·80	15·89	27·16	13·76	18·40
Jalpaiguri	13·27	19·00	27·15	35·29	33·67	54·73	29·06	26·84
Darjeeling	7·23	5·78	22·68	33·89	32·96	33·37	26·17	19·28
Rangpur	10·87	4·45	17·18	21·78	14·48	27·96	13·88	15·53
Bogra	8·09	1·21	12·14	11·35	12·57	14·11	11·85	16·01
Pabna	7·80	3·27	11·64	10·59	12·71	5·14	9·91	16·30
Malda	4·73	0·66	9·83	12·57	12·07	14·25	11·94	10·38
Dacca	9·35	3·09	12·79	11·95	12·70	10·81	12·64	17·42
Mymensingh	11·69	2·16	17·97	19·19	16·66	19·09	17·34	25·40
Faridpur	8·33	3·69	12·46	13·38	11·96	8·76	11·42	15·89
Bakarganj	8·55	4·66	17·21	20·97	17·01	13·62	16·09	18·25
Chittagong	9·99	5·05	21·62	32·75	26·22	17·41	21·92	29·97
Tippera	10·36	2·88	15·37	11·21	13·37	7·37	13·96	14·51
Noakhali	9·34	3·74	20·31	21·24	23·91	15·06	23·97	28·33
Chittagong Hill Tracts	9·28	3·99	18·09	19·06	20·13	14·22	17·35	20·06
Cooch Behar	13·90	22·42	28·42	30·27	24·78	30·74	21·63	20·36

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Second Forecast of the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1916-17.

(Note.—On the average of the five years ending 1914-15, the area under the Cotton Crops in Bengal represents some 0·2 per cent. of the total area under Cotton in India.)

Character of the season.—Early cotton is grown in the districts of Bankura, Midnapore, Mymensingh, the Chittagong Hill Tracts, and in the State of Hill Tippera, and late cotton is grown in the former two districts only. At the sowing time of the early crop, the weather conditions were not quite favourable, particularly in the Chittagong Hill Tracts. But since the issue of the first forecast, the conditions are reported to have been more favourable to the growth of the crop in Bankura, and the present condition in the other districts is also reported to be fairly satisfactory except in places in Hill Tippera, where a poor outturn is apprehended owing to insufficiency of rain in the earlier stages.

The late crop has not yet been sown in Bankura, but in Midnapore the condition is reported to be fair.

Area sown.—The area sown with early cotton is reported to be 70,806 acres against 85,698 acres estimated in the corresponding forecast of last year. The decrease in area is due to unfavourable weather conditions at sowing time.

Of the late crop, 700 acres are estimated to have been sown up to date against the same estimate reported in the corresponding forecast of last year.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA,
The 29th September 1916.

REPORT ON FAMINE IN BANKURA DISTRICT FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 23RD SEPTEMBER 1916.

In **Bankura District** some damage has been done to the autumn paddy by storm, but none to the winter paddy is reported. The prospects are good. The relief measures are adequate. The condition of people on the relief-works is generally good. Clothing is being distributed to indigent persons. Private charitable institutions are giving relief. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 8¾ seers per rupee. The number of persons on the relief-works was 20,371, and in receipt of gratuitous relief 20,295, total 40,666. The gradual rise in the number of persons on the relief-works is due to decreasing demand for labour owing to the completion of transplantation. One thousand eight hundred and sixty-four persons were relieved on private works.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DARJEELING, *the 27th September 1916.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 2nd October 1916.

Summary.—The rainfall during the week was generally light to moderate. Transplantation of winter rice is nearly completed and weeding is going on briskly. Harvesting of autumn rice has been over and that of jute is in brisk progress. Some damage to the standing crops due to recent flood is reported from Murshidabad, Burdwan, Birbhum, Midnapore and Dacca. The damage in Birbhum and Burdwan is reported to be severe owing to considerable areas of paddy fields having been silted up with sand, and measures are being taken for the distribution of gratuitous relief and agricultural loans in the tracts affected. Cattle-disease is reported from four districts only. The average price of common rice for the province has a slight tendency to fall as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfa	PRICE OF COMMON RICE IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		Character of the weather condition of crops etc
			This week	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	3·70	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and steeping of jute continue. Transplanting of winter rice is nearly finished. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import is reported. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	6·01	7¼	7¼	
	Barrackpore	Nil	6 3/16	6¾	
	Barasat ...	0·85	7¼	7¼	
	Basirhat ...	1·20	7¼	(*n*)	
2	NADIA ...	1·95	7	6¾	Weather seasonable. The recent rain has done much good to winter rice Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy is finished and that of jute is nearly over. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	0·43	7¼	7¼	
	Meherpur ...	0·37	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	1·44	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	0·36	6¾	6¾	
3	MURSHIDABAD	(*n*)	7	7	Weather seasonable with occasional showers. Prospects of standing crops are fair, but some damage has been caused by floods in Kandi subdivision and in three Unions in the Lalbagh subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import.
	Lalbagh ...	4·28	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	2·19	8¼	(*n*)	
	Kandi ...	1·06	8	(*n*)	
4	JESSORE ...	4·93	8	8	Weather hot. Harvesting of *aus* paddy is nearly finished, and cutting and steeping of jute is going on. Prospects of standing winter rice crop are good. Fodder is scarce in many places.
	Jhenidah ...	0·32	8	8	
	Magura ...	0·49	7¼	7¼	
	Narail ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7¼	
	Bangaon ...	0·07	7¾	8	

NOTE.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
5	KHULNA ...	2·59	8	8	Weather seasonable. The prospects of the standing crops are not favourable on account of heavy rains and flood. Transplantation of winter rice is finished and harvesting of jute is nearly over. Slight damage to winter rice is reported to have been caused by flood. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	1·54	7	(n)	
	Bagerhat ...	0·22	7	7	
6	BURDWAN ...	4·54	7	7	Weather cloudy. Weeding of winter rice and steeping and washing of jute are going on. *Aus* rice and sugarcane have been partly damaged by the recent storm and flood. Winter paddy has also been affected by the flood. Export of rice and insufficiency of fodder are reported from Katwa. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Gratuitous relief in the flooded areas is being given; the actual amount paid during the week has not been known yet.
	Asansol ...	2·22	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	0·22	7½	7½	
	Kalna ...	0·58	7½	(n)	
7	BIRBHUM ...	2·05	8	7½	Weather cloudy. Weeding of winter rice continues. Severe floods occurred in this district during the last week along the rivers Adjai and Hinglo. The floods have now subsided, but considerable areas of paddy fields have been silted up with sand. The people in distressed areas are being supplied with food. Necessary arrangements are also being made for the construction of their huts. A grant of Rs. 4,000 has been received for gratuitous relief, which is being given to people through gazetted officers. Rupees 20,000 have been granted for advance as agricultural loans in flooded areas, and arrangements are being made for its distribution.
	Rampurhat ...	0·67	7½	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	1·17	8½	8½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *aus* rice has commenced. Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	0·70	7½	7	
9	MIDNAPORE ...	2·27	7½	6½	Weather cloudy. Serious damage to the standing crops by flood has been reported from parts of the Ghatal subdivision. Prospects of jute are good; harvesting has been nearly completed. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Sutahata.
	Ghatal ...	1·82	7½	7½	
	Tamluk ...	1·71	$8\frac{9}{32}$	7⅞	
	Contai ...	6·63	8½	8½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0·33	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Weeding of winter rice is going on. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	0·50	6½	6½	
	Arambagh ...	3·40	7½	(n)	
11	HOWRAH ...	(n)	(n)	7	Report not received
	Ulubaria ...	(n)	(n)	7	

(n) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	1·53	7	7	Weather cloudy and rainy. Prospects of standing crops are good. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	0·02	7¼	(*n*)	
	Nator ...	0·11	7	(*n*)	
13	DINAJPUR ...	1·56	7¼	7 3/8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute and *bhadoi* paddy is going on. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	0·52	8½	9	
	Balurghat ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8 9/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	1·60	7¼	7½	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder, water and food-stuffs are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	3·91	6½	7	
15	DARJEELING	4·45	8	8	Weather seasonable. *Bhutta* cardamom and potatoes are being harvested. *Marua* and winter rice are being transplanted. Harvesting of jute continues in the Terai. Thirty-three cases of cattle-disease are reported from Kalimpong.
	Kurseong ...	2·32	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	2·76	7	7	
	Kalimpong...	2·08	7½	(*n*)	
16	RANGPUR ...	0·27	7½	7½	Weather hot and cloudy. Steeping and washing of jute and transplantation of winter paddy are nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	5·41	8	8	
	Kurigram ...	0·12	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	2·03	8	8	Weather seasonable. Cutting and steeping of jute is still going on in places. Lands are being prepared for the *rabi* crops. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
18	PABNA ...	3·84	7½	7½	Weather cloudy and rainy. Harvesting and steeping of jute still continue. Stocks of food-grains are adequate and fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
19	MALDA ...	0·85	7½	7½	Weather stormy and cloudy. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and steeping of jute continue. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
20	COOCH BEHAR	3·53	$7\frac{9}{16}$	8	Weather occasionally cloudy and rainy. Transplanting of *haimanti* seedlings is finished. Steeping and washing of jute are going on briskly. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	0·55	7 8†	7 8†	Weather seasonable. Damage due to rise of flood water is reported from several places. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj ...	1·09	7	(*n*).	
	Narayanganj	1·98	$6\frac{3}{4}$ $7\frac{9}{16}$†	(*n*)	
	Munshiganj*	2·89	7	(*n*)	
22	MYMENSINGH	2·08	$6\frac{5}{16}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$	Weather cloudy. The condition of jute and paddy is good and the weather is favourable. Harvesting of jute and transplantation of winter rice are nearly finished. Stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Fodder and water are available. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Kathiadi.
	Jamalpur ...	9·14	$6\frac{3}{4}$	(*n*)	
	Tangail ...	0·19	$7\frac{1}{4}$	(*n*)	
	Netrakona ...	9·21	$6\frac{9}{16}$	7	
	Kishorganj ...	0·45	$6\frac{5}{16}$	$6\frac{5}{16}$	
23	FARIDPUR ..	5·25	$6\frac{1}{4}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are satisfactory. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of rice are sufficient. There has been no large import or export.
	Goalundo ...	0·30	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$	
	Madaripur ...	0·13	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Gopalganj‡	0·61	8	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	2·58	$7\frac{1}{2}$ 9‖	$7\frac{1}{2}$ 9‖	Weather cloudy and rainy. Partial damage to crops by the recent cyclone has been reported from Bhola subdivision. Transplantation of winter rice is going on. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	0·91	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	
	Patuakhali ...	3·72	7	$6\frac{1}{2}$	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	0·49	$7\frac{1}{2}$ $8\frac{1}{2}$‖	7 $8\frac{1}{2}$‖	
25	CHITTAGONG	1·49	9	8	Weather cloudy with occasional showers. Transplantation of winter rice is nearly completed. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	1·59	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalgani, is shown here.

(*n*) Not reported. ‖ *Aus* rice.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
26	Tippera (Comilla).	1·69	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continues. Harvesting of jute is completed. No damage to the standing crops is reported. Effect of the weather on the standing crops is fair. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	5·38	6½	6½	
	Chandpur ...	0·31	8	8	
27	Noakhali .	2·68	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* paddy and steeping of jute are nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ...	0·95	$8\frac{3}{16}$	8½	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	1·44	8	8½	Weather hot and cloudy. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati.

D. N. Mookerji,
for *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Calcutta, *the 3rd October 1916.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 30th September 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Rice—				
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5 8 0	5 12 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
„ medium ...	6 0 0	6 4 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5 10 0	5 12 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ medium ...	5 14 0	6 2 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5 8 0	5 14 0	0 2 3	0 2 7½
„ medium ...	6 2 0	6 8 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6 0 0	6 4 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	4 15 0	5 5 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
(vi) Kajla	4 6 6	4 14 0	0 2 0	.....
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4 3 0	4 6 0	.....	.....
„ Gangajali ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ Jamali ...	4 3 0	4 4 0	.....	.....
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	3 12 0	4 0 0	0 1 9	0 2 3
4. „ dal	4 12 0	5 0 0	0 2 0	0 2 9
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5 12 0	6 12 0	0 2 9	0 4 0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5 8 0	5 14 0	0 2 9	0 3 9
6. Arhar „	4 4 0	6 0 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
7. Masur „ (split) ...	5 4 0	6 0 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
„ „ (khanri) ...	5 14 0	6 14 0	0 3 0	0 3 9
8. Kalai „	5 4 0	5 10 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
9. Salt	2 12 0	2 13 0	0 1 3	0 1 6
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13 0 0	.....	0 5 0	0 6 0
11. Gur (Bheli)	6 0 0	8 0 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
„ (Bhursut) ...	7 8 0	8 12 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
12. Milk	9 0 0	12 0 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
13. Mustard oil	13 12 0	15 0 0	0 6 0	0 8 0
14. Flour (country) ...	5 9 0	6 2 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
15. Atta No. 3	4 8 0	4 10 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
„ „ 2½	4 10 0	4 14 0		
„ „ B	6 4 0	6 6 0		
16. Suji	6 0 0	6 10 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	60 0 0	.....	1 6 0	1 10 0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	57 0 0	.....	1 6 0	1 8 0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	49 0 0	.....	1 5 0	1 6 0
18. Maize	3 8 0	3 12 0	.....	.....
19. Potato	5 4 0	6 8 0	0 2 6	0 3 6
20. Patal	5 0 0	6 0 0	0 2 6	0 5 0
21. Brinjal	.....	.....	0 2 0	0 3 0
22. Onion	2 8 0	5 0 0	0 1 0	0 2 0
23. Fish, Rahu	18 0 0	30 0 0	0 10 0	1 0 0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	.....
25. Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 5 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices daily recorded at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltollah Bazar, (9) Mullick Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY.
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 30th September 1916.*

IRRIGATION DEPART

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the August 1916, and the highest reading of each gauge over

Date.	RIVER GANGES.											
	Mirzapur. Zero of gauge 206·22 ft.		Benares. Zero of gauge 196·80 ft.		Buxar. Zero of gauge 169·05 ft.		Dinapore. Zero of gauge 134·23 ft.		Monghyr. Zero of gauge 101·83 ft.	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad 86.	From Allahabad 134.	From Mirzapur 48.	From Benares 90.		From Benares 177.	From Buxar 87.	From Benares 287.	From Dinapore 110.
	Highest gauge reading.	31st August 1916. 265·39.	31st August 1916. 243·63.		31st August 1916. 201·68.		5th September 1901. 169·73.		8th September 1901. 129·80.	
	Lowest gauge reading.	30th June 1897. 187·80.	1st May 1877. 189·80.		10th to 14th May 1914. 160·80.		29th April 1913. 135·13.		29th April to 6th May 1914. 96·00.(a)	
		Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1st	...	34·75	240·97	22·35	219·05	22·50	191·55	27·30	161·53	19·47	121·30
2nd	...	34·17	240·39	21·58	218·36	21·50	190·55	26·80	161·03	19·07	120·90
3rd	...	34·00	240·22	21·33	218·13	20·53	189·58	26·80	160·53	18·67	120·50
4th	...	33·50	239·72	21·00	217·80	20·58	189·63	26·40	160·63	18·87	120·70
5th	...	33·00	239·22	20·33	217·13	20·17	189·22	26·10	160·33	18·17	120·00
6th	...	33·50	239·72	20·67	217·47	20·08	189·13	25·90	160·13	17·87	119·70
7th	...	33·75	239·97	21·17	217·97	20·25	189·30	25·80	160·03	17·57	119·40
8th	...	33·75	239·97	21·08	217·88	20·75	189·80	26·10	160·33	17·77	119·60
9th	...	33·75	239·97	21·17	217·97	20·83	189·88	26·40	160·63	17·97	119·80
10th	...	34·58	240·80	21·75	218·55	21·17	190·22	26·50	160·73	18·17	120·00
11th	...	37·50	243·72	24·25	221·05	22·08	191·13	26·90	161·13	18·57	120·40
12th	...	42·67	248·89	30·50	227·30	26·58	195·63	28·00	162·23	19·07	120·90
13th	...	44·17	250·39	32·67	229·47	28·50	197·55	30 40	164·63	19·97	121·80
14th	...	45·83	252·05	34·00	230·80	29·42	198·47	31·90	166·13	21·37	123·20
15th	...	45·17	251·39	33·67	230·47	29·75	198·80	32·20	166·43	22·17	124·00
16th	...	43·42	249·64	31·67	228·47	29·50	198·55	32·10	166·33	22·67	124·50
17th	...	41·42	247·64	29·00	225·80	28·17	197·22	31·40	165·63	22·67	124·50
18th	...	39·67	245·89	26·92	223·72	27·33	196·38	30·30	164·53	22·57	124·40
19th	...	38·75	244·97	25·83	222·63	26·17	195·22	29·30	163·53	21·97	123·80
20th	...	40·42	246·64	27·25	224·05	25·92	194·97	28·80	163·03	21·27	123·10
21st	...	43·42	249·64	30·38	227·18	26·75	195·80	28·80	163·03	20·57	122·40
22nd	...	46·67	252·89	33·50	230·30	28·50	197·55	29·30	163·53	20·37	122·20
23rd	...	49·08	255·30	36·25	233·05	29·58	198·63	29·90	164·13	20·57	122·40
24th	...	51·00	257·22	38·50	235·30	30·33	199·38	30·40	164·63	21·17	123·00
25th	...	53·17	259·39	40·50	237·30	30·75	199·80	30·90	165·13	21·57	123·40
26th	...	54·17	260·39	42·00	238·80	31·33	200·38	31·50	165·73	22·07	123·90
27th	...	54·67	260·89	42·50	239·30	31·58	200·63	32·00	166 23	22·57	124·40
28th	...	55·50	261·72	43·00	239·80	31·75	200·80	32·40	166·63	23·07	124·90
29th	...	56·50	262·72	43·50	240·30	32·00	201 08	32·90	167·03	23·57	125·40
30th	...	58·00	264·22	44·67	241·47	32 25	201·30	33·00	167·23	23·97	125·80
31st	...	59·17	265·39	45·83	242·63	32·58	201·63	33·10	167·33	24·27	126·10

* New gauge fixed at Rajmahal from 1st June 1910 in place of the gauge at Sahebganj. The zero of gauge at Rajmahal is 56·46 feet ser o is again 56·46 feet above M. S. L.

† To compare the reduced levels shown in these monthly printed statements before and after the 1st June 1903, 5·78 feet should be

(a) A temporary gauge has been fixed and the readings below zero are being observed from the 7th March 1913.

(b) From the 1st November 1915, the zero of gauge is 2·48 feet above M. S.-L. Previous to that the zero was at M. S.-L. dating back

(c) From the 26th January 1916, the zero of gauge at Berhampore is 30·83 feet above M. S.-L.

(d) From the 26th August 1916 a temporary wooden gauge with its zero at 54·00 ft. above M. S. L. was erected at Rampur Boalia

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MENT—BENGAL.

rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi, and Brahmaputra for the month of M. S.-L. as well as the lowest gauge reading since 1876.

						River Bhagirathi.		River Jalangi.		River Brahmaputra.	
Rajmahal.* Zero of gauge 56·46 ft.		Rampur-Boalia. Zero of gauge 42·00 ft.		Goalundo. Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.		Berhampore. Zero of gauge 50·99 ft.		Serupganj. Zero of gauge is 2·43 ft. above mean sea-level.		Gauhati. Zero of gauge 148·76 ft.	
From Benares 407.	From Monghyr 120.	From Benares 471.	From Rajmahal 64.	From Benares 591.	From Rampur-Boalia 120.						
15th August 1913. 88·46.		26th August 1879. 69·25.		28th August 1906 and 14th September 1915. 25·75.†		14th August 1890. 64·70.		28th September 1900. 35·03.		24th August 1906. 181·11.	
2nd May 1910. 54·42.		23rd April 1886. 37·68.		6th March 1910. 2·25.		30th April 1897. 33·91.		28th March 1915. 2·13.		9th February 1888. 142·46.	
Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
24·60	81·06	21·50	63·50	24·40	24·40	23·91	53·90	23·99	25·42	28·40	177·16
24·20	80·66	21·20	63·20	24·30	24·30	23·51	53·50	23·85	25·28	28·40	177·16
23·90	80·36	20·86	62·85	24·20	24·20	23·11	53·10	23·60	25·03	28·20	176·96
23·55	80·01	20·50	62·50	24·26	24·20	21·61	53·60	23·30	24·73	28·00	176·76
23·15	79·61	20·20	62·20	24·00	24·00	21·11	52·10	21·90	24·33	28·00	176·76
23·55	79·81	19·80	61·80	23·90	23·90	20·61	51·60	21·42	22·85	27·68	176·36
22·55	78·01	19·50	61·50	23·80	23·80	20·21	51·20	20·95	22·38	27·40	176·16
22·30	78·76	19·30	61·30	23·60	23·60	19·61	50·60	20·35	22·78	27·20	175·96
22·25	78·71	19·00	61·00	23·50	23·50	19·51	50·50	19·78	22·18	26·90	175·66
22·50	78·96	19·00	61·00	23·60	23·60	19·51	50·50	19·20	21·63	26·90	175·66
22·95	79·41	19·20	61·20	23·50	23·50	19·91	50·90	19·30	21·63	27·20	175·96
23·30	79·66	19·60	61·60	23·80	23·80	20·51	51·50	19·50	21·93	27·40	176·16
23·75	80·21	20·00	62·00	23·90	23·90	21·11	52·10	20·50	22·93	27·50	176·26
24·50	80·96	20·70	62·70	23·90	23·90	21·61	52·60	21·25	23·78	27·50	176·26
25·30	81·76	21·20	63·20	24·10	24·10	22·21	53·20	22·10	24·63	27·70	176·46
26·00	82·46	21·60	63·60	24·20	24·20	22·61	53·60	22·58	25·21	27·40	176·16
26·30	82·76	22·10	64·10	24·30	24·30	23·31	54·30	23·20	25·63	26·60	175·36
26·50	82·96	22·20	64·20	24·30	24·30	23·71	54·70	23·47	25·90	26·20	174·96
26·45	82·91	22·30	64·30	24·30	24·30	23·91	54·90	23·60	26·03	25·40	174·16
26·10	82·56	22·10	64·10	24·20	24·20	23·91	54·90	23·67	26·10	24·40	173·16
25·60	82·06	21·70	63·70	24·10	24·10	23·51	54·50	23·53	25·96	23·30	172·06
24·95	81·41	21·30	63·30	23·90	23·90	23·01	54·00	23·42	25·85	22·60	171·36
24·60	81·06	20·90	62·90	23·70	23·70	22·41	53·40	23·16	25·59	22·10	170·86
24·50	80·96	20·60	62·60	23·60	23·60	23·01	53·00	22·70	25·13	20·20	168·96
24·70	81·16	20·70	62·70	23·20	23·20	21·71	52·70	22·27	24·70	20·20	168·96
24·90	81·36	(d) 8·80	62·80	23·10	23·10	21·61	52·60	22·00	24·43	19·00	167·76
25·30	81·66	9·00	63·00	23·00	23·00	21·91	52·90	22·13	24·56	18·80	167·56
25·60	82·06	9·30	63·30	22·80	22·80	22·21	53·20	22·49	24·93	18·50	167·26
26·00	82·46	9·70	63·70	22·80	22·80	22·31	53·30	22·82	25·26	18·70	167·46
25·50	82·96	9·90	63·90	22·60	22·60	23·11	54·10	23·53	25·96	19·10	167·86
26·70	83·16	10·10	64·10	22·60	22·60	23·51	54·50	23·90	26·33	20·80	169·56

above M. S.-L. up to 26th October 1915 and 60·00 feet above M. S.-L. from 27th October 1915, but from 10th February 1916 the deducted from the former or added to the latter (*vide* Bengal Government letter No. 1033T.—1., dated the 19th October 1916).

to 15th July 1897.

in place of the permanent gauge washed away.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 23rd September 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 23rd September 1916			Week ending Saturday, the 25th September 1915		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage
		Mds	Rs		Mds.	Rs
Rice and paddy	130	20,704	293	231	51,805	574
Jute	114	61,664*	585	229	62,317†	859
Firewood	18	10,950	165	59	30,925	459
Other articles	433	72,679	821	587	142,338	1,629
Total ...	695	165,997	1,864	1,106	287,385	3,521
Empty boats and rafts ...	372	...	756	516	...	1,169
Grand Total ...	1,067	165,997	2,620	1,622	287,385	4,690

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds 66,480
† Ditto ditto 70,912½

CALCUTTA,
The 28th September 1916.

A. W. DAVIS,
for *Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

Statement shewing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Waterworks for the week ending the 23rd September 1916.

Date.	Time.	*Height of water above zero. of gauge.	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
17th Sept. 1916	At low tide.	67·4	Not connected with mean sea-level.	68·6	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
18th „ „	Ditto	67·2		68·4	
19th „ „	Ditto	66·9		68·3	
20th „ „	Ditto	66·7		68·0	
21st „ „	Ditto	66·5		68·0	
22nd „ „	Ditto	66·8		68·2	
23rd „ „	Ditto	66·7		68·4	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	69·7	Ditto.
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	50·6	Ditto.
22nd February	1915	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 28th September 1916.

A. F. L. H. HARRISON,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 23rd September 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
17th Sept. 1916	7 A.M.	22·9	22·9	24·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
18th " "	7 "	22·7	22·7	24·3	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a
19th " "	7 "	22·4	22·4	24·2	pucca pillar between the passenger
20th " "	7 "	22·2	22·2	24·2	ghât and Chandpore ghât.
21st " "	7 "	22·4	22·4	24·1	Its reduced level is 22·41.
22nd " "	7 "	22·9	22·9	24·3	
23rd " "	7 "	22·6	22·6	24·5	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	3·4 on 10th February 1915.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	...	Highest "	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)		Ditto "	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto "	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	... ...	Ditto "	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	... ...	Lowest "	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1905.

FARIDPUR,
The 23rd September 1916.

NILMANI DE,
Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 23rd September 1916.

Date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero, minus sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 54·00	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
17th Sept. 1916	8 A.M.	7·20	61·20	63·40	R. L. of gauge post is 54·00.
18th " "	8 "	6·60	60·60	63·50	B. M. on College step is 69·74.
19th " "	8 "	6·50	60·50	63·65	
20th " "	8 "	6·30	60·30	63·50	
21st " "	8 "	6·00	60·00	63·50	
22nd " "	8 "	6·50	60·50	63·00	
23rd " "	8 "	6·70	60·70	62 80	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record ...	...	Highest "	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do.	...	Ditto "	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do.	...	Ditto "	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do.	...	Ditto "	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do.	...	Lowest "	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do	...	Ditto "	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do.	...	Ditto "	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do.	...	Ditto "	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1867.

BOALIA,
The 23rd September 1916.

H. DUTT,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 16th September 1916 on (b)800 miles open for all descriptions of traffi and an additional 22 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	86,000	46,000 0 0	563,000 0	90,000 0 0	17,000 0 0	1,53,000 0 0	17,367	18,596	35,962
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	57·50	.....	109·49	20·68	187·67	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year(a)	2,207,436	12,02,972 0 0	11,034,831 0	14,37,551 0 0	2,32,270 0 0	28,72,793 0 0	401,056	457,141	858,197
Total for 24½ weeks ...	2,293,436	12,48,972 0 0	11,597,831 0	15,27,551 0 0	2,49,270 0 0	30,25,793 0 0	418,423	475,736	894,159
COMPARISON.									
Corresponding week of previous year:—									
Proportionate actuals ...	90,133	44,166 0 0	597,595 0	66,980 0 0	16 813 0 0	1,27,959 0 0	15,294	21,768	37,062
Pe. mile of railway(c) ...	.....	56·70	.....	84·89	21·31	162 90	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,218,354	12,30,027 0 0	11,344,399 0	15,73,197 0 0	2,89,003 0 0	30,93,227 0 0	374 13	498,517	872,840

(a) Includes audited figures up to July 1916.
(b) Excludes 44 miles from Haraugajao to Maibang on the Hill Section under reconstruction.
(c) Calculated on 789 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 16th September 1916, on 2,527 42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.			
		(a)		(b)					
Total traffic for the week	710,912	6,26,777 0 0	9,292,871 0	14,88,883 0 0	62,100 0 0	21,79,760 0 0	180,288	343,531	523,819
Or per mile of Railway ...	.....	248 12 6	.....	589 1 6	24 9 1	862 7 1	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year.	17,248,139	1,39,00,073 0 0	218,380,187 0	3,44,00,407 0 0	7,57,877 0 0	4,90,58,357 0 0	3,981,290	7,597,310	11,578,600
Total from 1st April	17,959,051	1,45,28,850 0 0	227,673,058 0	3,58,89,290 0 0	8,19,977 0 0	5,12,38,117 0 0	4,161,578	7,940,841	12,102,419
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	806,027	4,56,064 0 0	9,039,707 0	13,77,351 0 0	58,902 0 0	18,92,317 0 0	180,184	294,400	474,584
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	180 7 10	.....	545 1 6	23 5 0	749 14 4	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	17,125,065	1,37,30,271 0 0	210,016,309 0	3,38,79,074 0 0	14 64,094 0 0	4,80,73,439 0 0	4,206,135	6,797,809	11,003,944

(a) The increase is due to greater movements of pilgrim owing to "Pitripukh" mela at Gya.
(b) The increase is chiefly in coal.

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*2,527·42	Month of April	3,117,038	25,73,533	45,010,471	71,32,946	8,944	97,15,424	897	2,323,449	4 5 11
*2,527·42	,, of May	3,833,780	29,56,793	13,933,761	68,89,667	—30,692	97,87,768	874	2,236,421	4 5 11
*2,527·42	,, of June	3,494,316	27,96,751	41,344,718	64,01,843	1,63,053	92,63,347	864	2,182,434	4 4 8
2,527·42	First 1 day of July ...	118,180	96,185	1,296,352	1,87,466	4,370	2,87,991	...	69,841	4 2 0
2,527·42	Week ended 8th ,, ...	761,444	6,34,655	9,184,648	14,21,698	34,700	20,91,053	827	489,942	4 4 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	775,466	6,75,296	8,874,198	14,11,760	48,700	20,35,756	805	477,783	4 4 2
2,527·42	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	684,286	5,33,116	8,617,413	12,27,445	46,700	19,07,261	755	482,737	3 15 1
2,527·42	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	638,518	5,11,377	8,370,422	13,22,788	38,700	18,72,865	741	460,810	4 1 0
2,527·42	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	649,736	5,31,427	8,431,572	12,86,920	43,700	18,76,047	742	469,569	3 15 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	666,994	5,36,811	8,866,121	13,85,760	65,700	19,88,280	787	475,147	4 3 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	668,412	5,51,796	8,330,950	13,73,818	70,700	19,96,314	790	484,516	4 1 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	606,068	5,30,141	8,528,468	14,13,069	75,700	20,18,900	799	501,026	4 0 6
2,527·42	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	622,793	5,33,117	8,673,749	13,86,306	98,800	20,18,923	799	502,776	4 0 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	642,143	5,35,116	8,967,344	14,75,322	87,100	20,97,438	830	518,739	4 0 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	710,912	6,26,777	9,292,871	14,88,883	62,100	21,79,760	862	523,819	4 2 7
	Totals up to date ...	17,959,051	1,45,28,850	227,673,058	3,58,89,290	8,19,977	5,12,38,117	840	12,102,419	4 3 9

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,515·62	Month of April	2,805,979	23,81,171	40,653,293	66,33,851	2,90,395	93,04,118	878	2,125,007	4 7 7
2,526·81	,, of May	3,534,237	29,01,041	43,770,005	70,03,464	2,59,236	1,00,63,746	801	2,157,702	4 10 6
2,526·81	,, of June	3,558,030	27,81,113	37,060,615	56,39,678	2,66,897	86,77,688	801	1,911,324	4 8 8
2,526·81	First 3 days of July ...	363,249	3,04,617	3,731,217	5,32,865	22,666	8,54,048	...	179,606	4 14 9
2,526·81	Week ended 10th ,, ...	767,266	6,80,776	8,687,434	12,73,204	62,434	19,66,416	776	421,338	4 10 8
2,526·81	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	740,861	5,92,679	8,265,493	13,54,546	71,013	19,18,237	759	431,077	4 7 2
2,526·81	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	710,515	5,69,648	8,295,189	13,05,216	61,483	19,36,344	766	441,933	4 6 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	641,276	5,28,842	7,928,635	11,83,339	51,946	17,07,817	676	450,649	3 12 8
2,526·81	,, ,, 7th Aug. ...	612,200	5,00,634	7,821,800	11,73,826	50,960	17,25,420	643	437,801	3 15 9
2,526·81	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	573,265	4,65,343	7,576,714	11,55,197	45,639	16,66,189	659	424,406	3 15 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	608,540	4,80,122	7,275,953	11,33,668	62 686	16,78,476	664	421,922	3 14 2
2,526·81	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	631,392	4,76,838	7,735,519	11,48,453	56,290	16,81,581	665	420,132	3 14 7
2,526·81	,, ,, 4th Sept. ...	593,479	4,88,090	7,585,824	11,35,826	59,189	16,83,105	666	407,849	4 1 0
2,526·81	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	578,229	4,47,224	7,967,196	12,34,530	53,423	17,35,177	687	432,277	4 0 3
2,526·81	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	606,027	4,56,064	9,030,707	13,77,251	58,902	18 ,92,317	749	474,554	3 16 10
	Totals up to date ...	17,321,563	1,39,03,094	212,865,801	3,33,44,419	14,73,145	4,87,20,658	789	11,150,413	4 5 11

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 16th September 1916, on 191·64 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	41,907	37,068 0 0	495,948 0	34,936 0 0	900 0 0	72,924 0 0	11,427	9,836	21,263
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	193 6 9	.....	182 6 6	4 11 2	380 8 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year.	1,143,449	8,50,708 0 0	11,191,969 0	7,02,544 0 0	8,597 0 0	15,61,839 0 0	262,092	193,179	455,271
Total from 1st April ...	1,185,356	8,87,776 0 0	11,687,917 0	7,37,500 0 0	9,497 0 0	16,34,763 0 0	273,519	203,015	476,534
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	40,824	28,684 0 0	368,632 0	28,631 0 0	596 0 0	55,311 0 0	12,411	8,381	20,692
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	124 0 4	.....	149 6 5	3 3 2	288 9 11	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	1,135,154	8,12,908 0 0	9,806,947 0	6,71,913 0 0	9,124 0 0	14,93,994 0 0	271,000	180,966	451,966

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*191·64	Month of April ...	202,081	1,61,986	2,332,969	1,41,217	1,184	3,03,387	372	85,803	3 8 11
*191·64	,, ,, May ...	230,932	1,64,067	2,068,038	1,41,390	1,162	3,06,629	361	83,809	3 9 2
*191·64	,, ,, June ...	233,117	1,49,066	2,403,641	1,43,640	2,417	2,95,717	360	85,607	3 7 3
191·64	First 1 day of July ...	6,769	5,307	67,334	2,726	30	8,063	...	2,873	2 14 0
191·64	Week ended 8th ,, ...	52,990	37,286	436,767	27,937	300	65,463	342	16,843	3 7 7
191·64	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	51,943	37,771	357,190	26,651	300	60,722	317	15,939	3 3 4
191·64	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	44,281	30,369	293,536	18,653	300	54,323	304	18,531	2 2 4
191·64	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	44,604	36,867	321,018	22,675	300	59,842	309	16,194	3 4 1
191·64	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	45,992	37,501	334,972	22,111	300	60,012	313	19,310	3 1 8
191·64	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	47,304	35,995	365,540	23,539	300	59,834	312	20,116	2 15 7
191·64	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	48,038	36,737	346,431	23,018	300	60,055	334	19,768	3 3 10
191·64	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	42,162	33,602	331,133	23,921	300	57,820	334	19,648	3 7 3
191·64	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	49,656	35,815	623,170	38,472	500	74,787	390	20,985	3 9 0
191·64	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	49,660	34,262	652,923	38,534	900	73,746	385	20,534	3 10 3
191·64	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	41,907	37,068	4,95,948	34,936	900	72,924	381	21,263	3 6 10
	Totals up to date ...	1,185,356	8,87,776	11,687,917	7,37,500	9,497	16,34,763	353	476,534	3 6 11

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Month of April ...	169,649	1,37,284	2,121,674	1,33,835	1,515	2,91,734	339	85,980	3 6 10
191·64	,, ,, May ...	196,090	1,48,539	2,293,188	1,15,962	1,107	2,65,608	313	84,947	3 2 5
191·64	,, ,, June ...	233,020	1,48,177	1,778,578	1,33,838	1,727	2,83,469	348	79,896	3 9 7
191·61	First 3 days of July ...	23,685	15,280	177,259	13,093	116	28,459	...	7,859	3 12 3
191·64	Week ended 10th ,, ...	56,107	36,082	393,488	30,003	261	66,349	346	17,632	3 12 2
191·64	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	53,971	37,128	370,684	28,965	264	66,357	346	17,906	3 12 4
191·64	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	53,273	32,685	383,370	24,443	264	57,375	299	18,231	3 2 4
191·64	,, ,, 31st ,, ...	46,931	35,606	300,482	20,193	264	56,062	293	18,239	3 0 11
191·64	,, ,, 7th Aug. ...	49,962	35,680	363,735	17,938	272	53,890	281	17,337	3 1 9
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	42,997	34,439	308,742	21,299	272	56,030	293	17,270	3 3 11
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	49,135	37,236	350,941	21,660	272	59,170	309	17,606	3 6 1
191·64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	45,871	34,908	310,971	23,816	272	58,991	308	18,917	3 1 11
191·64	,, ,, 4th Sept. ...	42,755	31,645	287,324	22,168	632	54,445	284	18,548	2 15 0
191·64	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	41,713	31,312	314,496	25,360	996	57,668	301	18,821	3 1 2
191·64	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	40,824	28,684	3,68,632	28,631	996	55,311	289	20,692	2 10 9
	Totals up to date ...	1,147,668	8,21,755	10,000,481	6,98,110	9,343	15,16,108	324	437,981	3 5 0

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 16th September 1916, on 1,639 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	587,850	2,72,010 0 0	2,836,610 0	5,04,980 0 0	35,260 0 0	8,12,250 0 0	99,013	(a) 67,307	166,320
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 379	(b) 172 0 0	1,731 0	308 0 0	(d) 17 0 0	(d)491 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year(c)	15,720,549	69,31,980 0 0	53,856,187 0	67,76,616 0 0	8,38,951 0 0	1,45,47,547 0 0	2,342,382	1,381,356	3,723,737
Total for 24 weeks ...	16,308,399	72,03,990 0 0	56,691,797 0	72,81,596 0 0	8,74,211 0 0	1,53,59,797 0 0	2,441,395	1,449,162	3,890,557
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	485,377	2,33,983 0 0	2,992,173 0	5,50,340 0 0	41,732 0 0	8,26,045 0 0	102,669	66,486	169,145
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,587 miles)	(c) 307	(c) 147 0 0	1,885 0	353 0 0	21 0 0	521 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	14,744,978	61,39,850 0 0	60,469,194 0	84,81,659 0 0	5,82,384 0 0	1,51,63,893 0 0	2,472,720	1,586,894	4,059,614

(a) Including ballast train-miles 11,632.
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding 6 miles open only for goods traffic.
(d) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,580
(e) Audited figures to end of June 1916.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 16th September 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	51,560	15,680 0 0	186,030 0	13,480 0 0	3,170 0 0	32,330 0 0	7,014	(b) 2,748	9,762
Per mile of railway per week	436	132 0 0	1,569 0	114 0 0	(a) 5 0 0	(a) 251 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year(c)	1,275,876	3,71,468 0 0	2,393,011 0	1,46,023 0 0	54,657 0 0	5,71,148 0 0	136,021	42,381	198,402
Total for 24 weeks ...	1,327,436	3,87,148 0 0	2,579,041 0	1,58,503 0 0	57,827 0 0	6,03,478 0 0	143,035	45,129	208,164
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	108,583	17,632 0 0	112,069 0	7,658 0 0	2,120 0 0	27,410 0 0	6,807	2,268	9,075
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·48 miles)	916	149 0 0	946 0	64 0 0	2 0 0	215 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	1,323,760	3,29,081 0 0	2,123,377 0	1,36,766 0 0	52,556 0 0	5,08,403 0 0	162,071	45,997	208,068

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 2,600.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 800.
(c) Audited figures to end of June 1916.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 16th September 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,570	2,480 0 0	40,660 0	2,020 0 0	30 0 0	4,530 0 0	952	(a)372	1,324
Per mile of railway per week	199	75 0 0	1,229 0	61 0 0	1 0 0	137 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year(b)	137,062	57,745 0 0	876,800 0	60,275 0 0	580 0 0	1,18,600 0 0	22,678	9,254	31,932
Total for 24 weeks ...	143,632	60,225 0 0	917,460 0	62,295 0 0	610 0 0	1,23,130 0 0	23,630	9,626	33,256
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	5,419	2,041 0 0	(c)25,145 0	2,674 0 0	17 0 0	4,732 0 0	962	396	1,357
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles).	164	62 0 0	760 0	111 0 0	.....	173 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	102,250	45,271 0 0	910,540 0	66,160 0 0	667 0 0	1,12,098 0 0	20,859	15,401	36,260

(a) Including ballast train-miles, *nil*.
(b) Audited figures to end of June 1916.
(c) Includes adjustments for previous months.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 16th September 1916, on 53·66 miles open

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	16,770	4,570 0 0	232,320 0	10,840 0 0	40 0 0	15,450 0 0	1,671	(a) 1,773	3,444
Per mile of railway per week	313	85 0 0	4,329 0	202 0 0	1 0 0	288 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year (b)	377,273	1,18,415 0 0	2,427,000 0	1,07,435 0 0	750 0 0	2,26,600 0 0	45,705	19,987	65,692
Total for 24 weeks ...	394,043	1,22,985 0 0	2,659,320 0	1,18,275 0 0	790 0 0	2,42,050 0 0	47,376	21,760	69,136
Total for the 11 weeks of calendar half-year ...	165,517	47,827 0 0	1,714,997 0	75,720 0 0	374 0 0	1,23,921 0 0	21,013	11,502	32,515
Comparison									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	19,731	6,333 0 0	160,820 0	6,641 0 0	57 0 0	13,031 0 0	1,994	1,273	3,267
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (55·22 miles)	357	115 0 0	2,912 0	120 0 0	1 0 0	236 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	367,671	1,11,079 0 0	2,340,550 0	1,09,332 0 0	759 0 0	2,21,170 0 0	48,312	22,332	70,544
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	167,325	50,410 0 0	1,052,091 0	51,574 0 0	392 0 0	1,02,376 0 0	22,306	10,086	32,399

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 100.

(b) Audited figures to end of June 1916

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 16th September 1916, on 2,067 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,067 miles open ...	408,270	(a)1,41,900	775,530	(b)1,13,360	21,270	2,76,530	59,516	(c)35,929	95,445
Or per mile of railway ...	197·52	68·65	375·20	54·84	10·29	133·78	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of official half-year (e)	12,723,034	48,49,620	28,390,581	39,05,601	6,48,038	94,03,459	1,460,662	1,161,525	2,622,187
Total for 24½ weeks ...	13,131,304	49,91,520	29,166,111	40,19,161	6,69,308	96,79,989	1,520,178	1,197,454	2,717,632
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,043 miles open	433,952	1,38,922	859,611	1,04,335	23,082	2,66,339	64,411	(d)37,584	101,995
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	212·41	68·00	420·27	51·07	11·30	130·37	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	11,981,622	42,83,968	27,009,229	35,21,920	6,17,345	84,22,233	1,540,523	1,138,115	2,678,658
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		2·38		3·16	·21	2·80			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		2·16		2·78	·23	2·61			

(a) Increase chiefly under local and foreign outward passengers; foreign inward passengers decreased.
(b) General increase.
(c) Includes 2,564 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 2,946 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes audited figures up to 31st July 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 16th September 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,600	2,360 0 0	76,470 0	4,500 0 0	20 0 0	9,080 0 0	1,428	700	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	171	51 0 0	1,523 0	180 0 0	.....	181 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half year (a)	75,486	23,371 0 0	636,390 0	44,374 0 0	235 0 0	67,880 0 0	11,699	5,751	17,450
Total for 24 weeks ...	84,086	25,931 0 0	712,860 0	50,774 0 0	255 0 0	76,960 0 0	13,127	6,451	19,578
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	6,14v 0	534 0 0	11 0 0	555 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (23 miles)	.....	.....	267 0	23 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	31,499 0	4,329 0 0	37 0 0	4,361 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Audited figures to end of June 1916.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 16th September 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,359	10,302 0 0	27,447 0	11,105 0 0	89 0 0	21,496 0 0	2,866	2,858	5,424
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	202 0 0	.....	217 0 0	2 0 0	421 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of the half-year	1,07,380	2,93,775 0 0	729,757 0	3,07,899 0 0	3,816 0 0	6,05,490 0 0	59,614	90,157	149,771
Total traffic up to 16th September 1916* ...	1,11,739	3,04,077 0 0	757,204 0	3,19,004 0 0	3,905 0 0	6,26,986 0 0	62,180	93,015	155,195
(169 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	247 0 0	.....	259 0 0	3 0 0	509 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,503	12,149 0 0	28,235 0	11,483 0 0	61 0 0	23,693 0 0	1,457	4,342	5,829
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	239 0 0	.....	225 0 0	1 0 0	465 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	99,234	2,65,315 0 0	716,732 0	3,10,985 0 0	3,803 0 0	5,79,802 0 0	41,598	1,60,061	141,659
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	215 0 0	.....	253 0 0	3 0 0	471 0 0	.....	.....	.....

* This includes audited figure for July 1916.

NOTES :—Difference for the week...	— 1,247	— 378	+ 28	— 2,197
Difference up to date ...	+ 38,762	+ 8,019	+ 403	+ 47,184

The decrease during the week in Coaching is mainly in through passengers and parcels.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in building materials.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 16th September 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,653	2,361 0 0	18,343 0	1,290 0 0	19 0 0	3,670 0 0	1,022	798	1,820
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	34 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	52 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of the half-year	1,35,761	46,597 0 0	324,910 0	26,121 0 0	570 0 0	73,288 0 0	20,969	24,488	45,457
Total traffic up to 16th September 1916* ...	1,42,414	48,958 0 0	336,253 0	27,411 0 0	589 0 0	76,958 0 0	21,991	25,286	47,277
(169 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	29 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	1,653 0 0	.....	1,506 0 0	20 0 0	3,179 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	24 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	28,340 0 0	.....	11,671 0 0	328 0 0	40,339 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	17 0 0	.....	7 0 0	.....	24 0 0	.....	.....	.....

* This includes audited figure for July 1916.

NOTES.—Difference for the week + 708 — 216 — 1 + 491
Difference up to date + 20,618 + 15,740 + 261 + 36,619

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 16th September 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week†	176	59 0 0	11 0	2 0 0	3 0 0	64 0 0	106	76	182
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	2 0 0	.....	.....	.....	2 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of the half-year	12,214	10,870 0 0	188,970 0	34,104 0 0	127 0 0	45,101 0 0	5,146	9,379	14,525
Total traffic up to 16th September 1916* ...	12,390	10,929 0 0	189,981 0	34,106 0 0	130 0 0	45,165 0 0	5,252	9,455	14,707
(169 days) Or per week per mile of Railway ...	.....	15 0 0	.....	67 0 0	.....	82 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	134 0 0	.....	103 0 0	3 0 0	238 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	4 0 0	.....	4 0 0	.....	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	1,930 0 0	.....	2,079 0 0	80 0 0	4,089 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Or per week per mile of railway	... ..	2 0 0	.....	3 0 0	.....	5 0 0	... ..	.....	.....

* This includes audited figure for July 1916.

NOTES:—Difference for the week — 73 — 101 .. — 174
Difference up to date + 9,009 + 31,027 + 80 + 41,116

† The line closed for traffic beyond Sevok.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 16th September 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train Miles run		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,031	1,810 0 0	101,368 0	14,898 0 0	(a)310 0 0	17,018 0 0	354	(d)797	1,151
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	50 0 0	.....	409 0 0	8 0 0	(c)441 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 23 weeks of half-year *	1,72,036	43,334 0 0	1,686,036 0	2,40,875 0 0	10,772 0 0	3,94,981 0 0	12,573	21,117	33,690
Total for 24 weeks ...	1,79,067	45,144 0 0	1,787,394 0	2,55,773 0 0	11,082 0 0	3,11,999 0 0	12,927	21,914	34,841
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6 813	1,958 0 0	41,706 0	9,045 0 0	(b)322 0 0	11,325 0 0	594	(c)294	888
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year	...	54 0 0	.....	248 0 0	8 0 0	(c)304 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	1,44,367	40,193 0 0	931,036 0	1,96,415 0 0	11,726 0 0	3,48,333 0 0	10,293	18,167	28,460

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 246.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs. 243
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 90.
(e) Ditto, 1915, 75
* Includes Audited earnings for the month of June 1916.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 16th September 1916, on 117 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	12,703	3,763 0 0	133,886 0	21,939 0 0	17 0 0	25,699 0 0	1,961	(a)2,658	4,619
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	32 0 0	.....	187 0 0	...	219 0 0	...	...	
For previous 23 weeks of half-year *	339,663	99,496 0 0	2,335,215 0	3,49,066 0 0	4,691 0 0	4,53,252 0 0	41,321	81,774	123,095
Total for 24 weeks ...	343,366	103,248 0 0	2,469,101 0	3,70,895 0 0	4,708 0 0	4,78,951 0 0	43,282	84,432	127,714
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	13 085	4,425 0 0	74,388 0	10,769 0 0	27 0 0	15,221 0 0	2,177	(b)1,391	3,568
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	38 0 0	.....	92 0 0	.....	130 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	304,471	93,606 0 0	2,007,308 0	2,91,990 0 0	5,569 0 0	3,94,165 0 0	43,146	62 992	1,06,138

(a) Ballast train-miles, 294.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, 87.
* Includes Audited earnings for the month of June 1916

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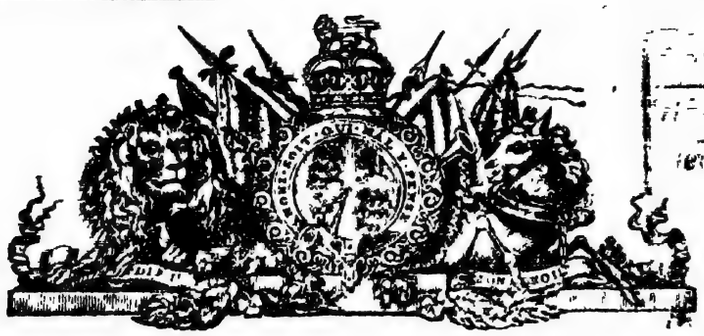

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8165A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3040A.D.—The 26th September 1916.*—Mr. C. Bartley, I.C.S., Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Jessore and Khulna, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Rajshahi and Malda, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. Cornes, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Jessore.
Khulna.
Rajshahi.
Malda.

No. 3207 A.D.—The 4th October 1916.—Babu Rash Bihari Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the Pirojpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

Bakarganj.

No. 3219A.D.—The 5th October 1916.—Maulvi Mustafiz-ur-Rahman Khan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rangpur, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Chittagong district.

Rangpur.
Chittagong.

This cancels the orders of the 25th September 1916, transferring Maulvi Mustafiz-ur-Rahman Khan to the head-quarters station of the Bogra district.

Bogra.

No. 3222A.D.—The 5th October 1916.—Maulvi Abu Ahmad 'Abdul Basit, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pabna, is transferred to the Chandpur subdivision of the Tippera district.

Pabna.
Tippera.

This cancels the orders of the 25th September 1916, transferring Maulvi Abu Ahmad 'Abdul Basit to the head-quarters station of the Chittagong district.

Chittagong.

No. 3225A.D.—The 5th October 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Ghulam Quadir, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Bogra district.

Chittagong.
Bogra.

This cancels the orders of the 19th September 1916, transferring Maulvi Muhammad Ghulam Quadir to the Chandpur subdivision of the Tippera district.

Tippera.

No. 3242A.D.—The 6th October 1916.—Mr. Baidya Nath Ghatak, Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Faridpur, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of District and Sessions Judges with effect from the 30th September 1916.

Faridpur.

No. 3254A.D.—The 7th October 1916.—Mr. L. S. Bingemann, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

PROMOTION.

GENERAL.—*No. 3282A.D.—The 9th October 1916.*—Mr. C. Tindall, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Bankura, acted in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges from the 17th August to the 25th September 1916, inclusive.

Bankura.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3275A.D.—The 9th October 1916.*—Mr. F. W. Strong, I.C.S., has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough for three weeks.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8215 L.R.—The 6th October 1916.—Mr. A. H. Pyster, Deputy Collector, employed as Principal of the Survey School, Comilla, was granted privilege leave, under articles 260 and 275 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 3rd to the 28th September 1916.

Comilla.

No. 8213L.R.—The 6th October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the district of Dinajpur, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Dinajpur.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Part I, Chapter VI, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

1. Babu Gyanendra Nath Ray, Deputy Collector.
2. Maulvi Abdul Majid, No. III, Deputy Collector.

No. 8220L.R.—The 9th October 1916.—Babu Shashi Bhusan Biswas, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sandip, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed temporarily to act as Khas Tashildar of Hatiya, in the same district, *vice* Maulvi Azizur Rahman (No. II), Sub-Deputy Collector, transferred to Sandip.

Noakhali.

No. 8245L.R.—The 9th October 1916.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Tippera and Noakhali, on leave, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

Tippera.
Noakhali.
Mymensingh.

No. 8248L.R.—The 9th October 1916.—Babu Chinta Haran Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, now employed as Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Dacca, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties there.

Tippera.
Noakhali.
Dacca.

No. 8251L.R.—The 9th October 1916.—Babu Sati Prasad Gangali, Sub-Deputy Collector, now employed as Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties there.

Rajshahi.
Tippera.
Noakhali.

No. 8257L.R.—The 10th October 1916.—Notification No. 1568T.R., dated the 22nd September 1916, appointing Babu Probhat Chandra Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector and an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Dacca, is hereby cancelled.

Tippera.
Noakhali.
Dacca.

No. 1650T.R.—The 5th October 1916.—Babu Harendra Nath Muzumdar, Sub-Deputy Collector, now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, is appointed to be in charge of Mainaguri Tahsil, Jalpaiguri, with effect from the date on which he takes over charge of his duties as Tahsildar.

Rajshahi.
Jalpaiguri.

No. 1673T.R.—The 7th October 1916.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the forest charge created by Notification, dated the 6th April 1891, published at page 385 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, and hitherto known as the Tista Forest Division shall henceforth be called the Kalimpong Forest Division.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8224L.A.—The 9th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of Purbadhala Bazar siding in Syamganj-Bagmara section of the Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway, Mymensingh, in the village of Purbadhala, pargana Susang, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3·76 acres bounded on the—

Mymensingh.

North—By the homestead and arable land of Ramkumar Majhi, District Board road, homestead land of Bhogirath Shaha, land of Raichand Shaha, Shorbananda Shaha, Digambar Nama Das, Ramkumar Shaha and Durga Charan Nama Das,

East—By the acquired land of Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway,

South—By the homestead land of Sheik Sonaulla, land of Ram Kumar Majhi, District Board road, land of Digambar Nama Das, Kangali Shaha, garden of Nabu Shaha, land of Durga Charan Nama Das,

West—By the arable and homestead land of Ram Kumar Majhi,

is required within the aforesaid village of Purbadhala.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8227L.A.—The 9th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a level crossing in village Purbadhala at mile 7 in Syamganj-Bagmara section of the Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway, in the village of Purbadhala, pargana Susanga, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose 4 pieces of land altogether measuring more or less ·447 acres bounded on the—

Mymensingh.

PLOTS 1 & 2.

North, West and South—By the arable land of Nabu Shaha.
East—By the acquired land of Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

PLOT 3.

North and South—By the arable land of Nabu Shaha,
East—By the land of Digambar Shaha.
West—By the acquired land of Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

PLOT 4.

North and South—By the land of Dina Nath Shaha and Nabu Shaha.
East—By the land of Nabu Shaha.
West—By the acquired land of Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway,

are required within the aforesaid village of Purbadhala.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8230L.A.—The 9th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Jharria Terminus in Syamganj-Bagmara Section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway in the villages of Natarkona and Jharria, pargana Susang, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, strips of land of varying width directed eastward from mile No. 12·3 (chainage 65100) and altogether measuring, more or less, 16·39 acres, are required within the aforesaid villages of Natarkona and Jharria.

Mymensingh.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8233L.A.—The 9th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a triangle at Gauripur station at mile 11 of the Mymensingh-Netrakona Section of the Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway, in the village of Gouripur, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·03 acres bounded on the—

Mymensingh.

North—By the lands of Ananda Nama Sudra, chakran lands of Dharani Kanta Lahiri Choudhury and land of Ramjoy Nama Sudra,

East—By the acquired land of Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway,

South—By the lands of Bishu Nama Sudra, Ramjoy Nama Sudra and Dina Nath Nama Su[illegible]

West—By the homestead and arable land of Ananda Nama Sudra,

is required within the aforesaid village of Gouripur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8236L.A.—The 9th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Netrakona station on the Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway, in the

Mymensingh.

villages of Satpai and Chakpara, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 28·82 acres bounded on the—

BLOCK A.

North—By the Dhalai river,

East—By the land of Sheik Aktor, Manik Jamadar, and Abdul Kaji,

South—By the land declared for Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway,

West—By the arable land of Joy Chandra Das and Ajim Khan,

BLOCK B.

North—By the land already declared for Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway,

East—By the land of Gopinath Chakrabarti and the land already declared for Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway,

South—By the arable land of Sheikh Johoroddin, District Board Road, land of Sheik Ajir, Durga Charan Datta, Sheik Idu. Berkot, Muja Aktor, Komir and Gopinath Chakrabarti,

West—By the homestead and arable land of Aoj Khan.

BLOCKS C AND D.

North—By the land already declared for Mymensingh Bhairab-Bazar Railway, land of Sheik Ismail, Mesrab Jomir and Hurmat,

East—By the District Board Road to Barhatta,

South—By the land of Sheik Tomij Khan, homestead land of Raj Krisna Chaudhuri, District Board Road and Municipal lands,

West—By the land of Sheik Tomij Khan,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Satpai and Chakpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Malda.

No 8239L.A.—The 9th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the English Bazar Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a Municipal trenching ground in the village of Pirojpur, pargana Amirabad, zilla Malda, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 8 bighas and 15 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

PLOT I.

North—By the mango gardens of Mati Ghose, Gossain Protap Chandra Gir, and Kaltu Howaigir,

East—By the mango gardens of Amir Mondal, Krishna Lal Choudhury and Keshab Das and plot No. 2 proposed to be acquired,

South—By the mango gardens of Shaburjan Daroga, and Tarini Acherjee.

West—By the mango garden of Gossain Protap Chandra Gir.

PLOT II.

North—By the mango gardens of Krishnalal Choudhury and Keshab Das and Chamru Shaha,

East—By Municipal Road to Singiatalao,

South—By the mango gardens of Krishnalal Choudhury and Keshab Das and Chamru Shaha,

West—By plot No. I proposed to be acquired,

are required within the aforesaid village of Pirojpur.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894 to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Malda.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8242L.A.—The 9th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of Katras Jheria Coal Company's siding No. 2 to No. 5 and 6 pits, in the villages of Shibpur, Pariharpur and Kaithee, pargana Shergar, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 46 bighas 3 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 15·27 acres, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

North—By the East Indian Railway Company's land,
East—By the land of Barada Prosad Ghatak, Dhukhi Korah, Sheik Bakoo Mandal, Jadu Bibi, Manoo Sheik, Bashan Sheik, Chand Sheik, Mamtaz Sheik, Sanai Sheik, and Trailakha Roy,
South—By the land of Sonai Sheik, Rakhal Ghosh, Sheik Bakoo Mandal and Trailokha Nath Roy,
West—By the land of Barada Prosad Ghatak, Dhukhi Korah, Alam Sheik, Sheik Bakoo Mandal, Jadu Bibi, Rakhal Ghosh Sanai Sheik and Manoo Sheik,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Shibpur, Pariharpur and Kaithee.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8254L.A.—The 9th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for M. E. School at Kurigram, in the village of Madhabram, pargana Baherband, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a

Rangpur.

piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas, 5 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Rati Chakrabarty's land,

East—By Dali's land and Gagan's land,

South—By the Local Board road,

West—By the District Board road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Madhabram.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Kurigram.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1378Edn.—The 7th October 1916.—The following promotions and confirmations are made in the Provincial Educational Service :—

Promoted to class III.

Babu Satish Chandra De, with effect from the 16th April 1916, *vice* Babu Chandra Bhushan Bhaduri, retired.

Promoted to class IV.

Babu Satyendra Nath Bhadra, with effect from the 16th April 1916, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra De, promoted.

Promoted to class V.

Rai Sahib Debendra Kumar Ray, with effect from the 16th April 1916, *vice* Babu Satyendra Nath Bhadra, promoted.

Confirmed in class VI.

Maulvi [illegible] Ahmad, with effect from the 28th March 1916, *vice* Babu Hari Das Saha, promoted.

Babu Srish Chandra Chakrabatti, with effect from the 16th April 1916, *vice* Rai Sahib Debendra Kumar Ray, promoted.

Promoted to class VI.

Babu Surendra Nath Ghosh, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 28th March 1916, *vice* Maulvi Kabir-ud-din Ahmad, confirmed.

Babu Nare[illegible] Ghosh, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 16t[illegible] *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Chakrabatti, confirmed.

No. 576T.-G.—The 9th October 1916.—Mr. Jogendra Nath Das Gupta, Professor, Presidency College, in class I of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service, during the absence of Mr. E. F. Oaten, on deputation to military duty, or until further orders.

No. 206 Eccl.—The 7th October 1916.—The Rev. Percy Knight is appointed, under section 7 of Act XV of 1872, to be a Marriage Registrar in the district of Jalpaiguri.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2045 S.R

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1914-15, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Monday, the 16th October 1916, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 820 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 29th November 1915, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes* except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 1,800 to Rs. 2,500 per chest from 1st July 1916 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 981S.R., dated the 29th April 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 21st and 31st October 1916, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 21st October 1916, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 31st October 1916.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Government of Bengal, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.		Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory. Chests uncertified.
On or about Thursday, 9th November 1916	...	820
On or about Tuesday, 5th December ,,	...	820
Total	...	1,640

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA. *the 21st September 1916.*

No. 214T.S.R.—The 7th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 90 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in modification of paragraph 37 of Notification No. 596S.R., dated the 30th March 1915, as amended by Notification No. 2416S.R., dated the 23rd December 1915, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following order:—

For clause (*2a*) of paragraph 37 of Notification No. 596S.R., dated the 30th March 1915, as amended by Notification No. 2416S.R., dated the 23rd December 1915, *substitute* the following:—

(*2a*) Subject to the conditions prescribed in the proviso to this clause the following preparations containing cocaine upon which the full tariff duty has been paid, are exempted from all the provisions of the Act:—

1. Extractum Coca Liquidum.
2. Mist. Hepatica Compound.
3. Pigment Cocaine and Hydrarg: Perchloride.
4. Ampoules containing cocaine in admixture with Adrenalin, Hemisine or Epinine, when labelled by the makers as containing not more than $\frac{1}{3}$rd grain of cocaine in each ampoule.
5. Coca Cordial ... ...
6. Elixir Damiana Compound ...
7. Ixidama and other similar palatable preparations.
8. Kola Compound ... ...
9. Kola Cordial ... ..
10. Tonic Coco Wines ... ...

   } When labelled by the makers as containing not more than half a drachm of Ext. Coca Liq. in each fluid ounce.

11. Cocaine hypodermic tablets:—
    - (*a*) Homatropine and cocaine.
    - (*b*) Atropine and cocaine.
    - (*c*) Pilocarpine and cocaine.
    - (*d*) Aromatic throat tablets containing menthol, myrrh, krameria and cocaine $\frac{1}{32}$nd gr.
    - (*e*) Aseptoids, Dr. Macnaughton Jones, each containing $\frac{1}{16}$th gr. of cocaine hydrochloride.
12. Ointments containing cocaine or other derivatives of coca in admixture with other drug and rendered nauseous to the taste.
13. Ophthalmic tablets when labelled by the makers as containing not more than $\frac{1}{20}$th gr. of cocaine hydrochloride in each tablet.
14. Other preparations containing cocaine or other derivatives of coca in admixture with other drugs, when labelled by the makers as containing in the aggregate not more than such specified percentage of cocaine hydrochloride or other derivatives of coca per tablet, trochiscum, pastille, solube, sterule, enule, lamella or fluid drachm as will render it impossible for any such preparations to be taken for the effects of cocaine or any other derivative of coca alone.

Provided as follows:—

(*i*) every bottle, package or other vessel containing any such preparation shall bear a label stating the name of the manufacturer;

(*ii*) such of the said preparations as are covered by clause (*4*) of this paragraph shall be subject to the special conditions prescribed in that clause;

(*iii*) the exemption shall not extend to preparations manufactured by any maker or firm whose produce may be declared by the Local Government to be excluded from the scope of these orders;

(*iv*) the exemption shall not extend to the importation of the preparations from outside British India by sea through the post.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 228T.—Medl.—The 4th October 1916.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules for the management, admission and training of students in the Government Medical Schools in Bengal, in supersession of the rules published under Notification No. 527Medl., dated the 12th February 1914, at pages 305-331 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RULES FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT MEDICAL SCHOOLS IN BENGAL.

Section I.—General.

1. **Control.**—The control and management of the Government Medical Schools in Bengal are vested in the Superintendents of the Schools under the general supervision of the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

2. **Names of Government Medical Schools.**—There are at present two Government Medical Schools in the Presidency, viz :—

(1) The Campbell Medical School at Calcutta.

(2) The Dacca Medical School at Dacca.

3. Both men and women are trained in these schools for the "Licentiate Examinations" of the State Medical Faculty, Bengal. Students passing the final examination of the Faculty receive the diploma of "Licentiate of the State Medical Faculty, Bengal."

4. **Length of Course.**—The course of study for the License of the State Medical Faculty in the schools extends over four years.

5. **Sessions.**—The summer session shall commence on the 1st July and the winter session on the 1st November. Students shall join by the opening day of the summer session. As a special case a student may be permitted to join within a week of the commencement of this session, provided that (1) he is able to satisfy the Superintendent that the delay was unavoidable, and (2) that he pays a late fee of Re. 1.

6. **Number of Students.**—The number of students in each school shall ordinarily be as follows :—

Campbell Medical School	...	...	350
Dacca Medical School	...	...	250

To guard against excessive depletion from casualties of all kinds, 15 per cent. over the numbers above specified may be taken on the rolls at the beginning of the summer session.

Section II.—Admission.

7. **Certificates.**—Male candidates for admission to the schools shall produce the following certificates :—

(1) Certificate of having passed the Matriculation Examination or any higher Examination in Arts or Science of a recognized University—The School Final Examination for Indian Schools and the High School or Scholarship Examination for European Schools or any examination which is accepted by the Local Government as equivalent thereto will be accepted as equal to the Matriculation Examination.

(2) Certificate of character—From a Deputy Magistrate or a gentleman of equal position, or from the Principal or Head Master of the college or school in which the candidate last studied.

(3) Certificate of age—Candidates shall be over 16 years of age before commencing their studies.

8. Women candidates for admission shall produce the following certificates :—

(1) Certificate of general education : either—

(*a*) Certificate of having passed the Middle English Scholarship Examination ; or

(*b*) Certificate of satisfactory completion of the full course in a Middle English School ; or

(*c*) Certificate of having passed the Primary Examination held at the end of Standard VI under the Vernacular scheme of education and of being qualified in English up to that stage ; or

(*d*) Certificate from an Inspector of Schools of having passed the Annual Class Examination held at the end of Standard VI in a recognized High School or Middle English School in all the subjects of the prescribed curriculum, including English.

(2) Certificate of character and residence—From a Deputy Magistrate or a gentleman of equal position, or from the Principal or Head Master of the school in which the candidate last studied, or from some other authority satisfactory to the Superintendent.

(3) Certificate of age—Candidates shall be over 17 years before commencing their studies.

9. If there are more candidates than vacancies, preference shall ordinarily be given (1) to those who are natives of the Presidency, and (2) to those who possess better educational qualifications.

10. **Application for Admission.**—An application for admission into the Medical School shall be submitted in Form A appended to these rules, together with the certificates laid down in Rule 7 or 8; and shall reach the Superintendent's Office on or before the 15th June in each year, or within ten days of the publication of the results of the Matriculation Examination.

11. Selected candidates shall appear before the Superintendent, on the date notified, for examination as to their mental and physical fitness for the study of Medicine: this shall ordinarily be during the last week of June.

12. All women students of the Campbell Medical School shall reside in the Lady Elliott Hostel. If, therefore, any woman student is requested by the Superintendent of the Medical School to leave the hostel, she shall automatically cease to be a student in the Campbell Medical School.

13. Women students of the Dacca Medical School are required to reside in the Government Boarding House attached to the school: they shall be permitted to reside elsewhere under exceptional circumstances only.

Section III.—Transfer of Students to other Medical Schools.

14. **Transfers.**—Transfers are allowed only at the beginning of the session, and then only under very special and exceptional circumstances. A student applying for transfer shall submit his application to the Superintendent of the school to which he is attached, stating the reasons in full, by the 1st June.

15. The Superintendent, after first satisfying himself (1) that the applicant's conduct in the school has been good, and (2) that he has successfully passed the school test examination in the previous session, shall forward the application to the Superintendent of the school which the student is desirous of joining, with his recommendation. On receipt of sanction from the latter, he shall grant the certificate of transfer to the applicant, directing him to join not later than the 1st July.

Section IV.—Fees.

16. **Admission.**—Every male student before admission shall pay an entrance fee of Rs. 2 and the monthly school fee of Rs. 4 for the month of July. He shall also pay the annual sports and athletic club fee of Rs. 2.

17. Muhammadan students are required to pay only such portion of the school fees as cannot be contributed by the Mohsin Fund.

18. **Monthly Fee.**—The monthly fee of Rs. 4 shall be paid in advance on or before the 15th of the month for which it is due. Should the 15th fall on a Sunday or school holiday, the fee shall be payable on the reopening day. In the case of the Durga Puja and Summer vacations the fees shall be paid in full before departure. Otherwise a late fee of Re. 1 shall be paid in the case of payments not made up to the 20th, and a late fee of Rs. 2 in the case of payments not made up to the end of the month. Failure to pay all fees due in full by the last day of the month shall automatically entail removal of the student's name from the rolls until the commencement of the next summer session.

19. **Exemptions.**—Students holding Government scholarships awarded under these rules and free students shall be exempted from the payment of the monthly school fee, but shall pay the entrance fee and the sports and athletic club fee.

20. Women students shall be exempted from the payment of all fees.

21. **Readmission.**—A fee of Rs. 4 (or Rs 2 in the case of a Muhammadan) shall be payable on readmission by a student (1) who has been rusticated; (2) who has left the school without the permission of the Superintendent; or (3) whose name has been removed for non-payment of fees: provided that in the two latter cases his conduct and attendance while in the school have been good In no case shall such a student be eligible for a scholarship or free-studentship after readmission until he has passed the next school test examination.

22. No readmission fee shall be payable on readmission by a student who left the school with the permission of the Superintendent.

23. A readmission fee of Rs. 4 shall be payable on each occasion by a first-year student who has failed in the March or subsequent school test examination and whose name has been automatically removed from the rolls—*vide* Rule 69—and subsequently obtains permission to have his name retained. He shall not be eligible for a scholarship, free-studentship, or prize until he has passed the school test examination.

24. **Refund.**—No fees paid and credited in the school books shall be refunded under any circumstances, except in the case of a student who has been awarded a scholarship or free-studentship with retrospective effect.

Section V.—Scholarships and Free-Studentships.

25. **Men Students.**—The following scholarships and free-studentships are open to male students at the schools, provided that they are natives of the Presidency :—

Name of School.		First-year class.	Second-year class.	Third-year class.	Fourth-year class.
Campbell Medical School.	Scholarships—9 of ...	Rs. 5 each	Rs. 5 each	Rs. 5 each	Rs. 5 each
	Free-studentships—	9	9	9	9
Dacca Medical School.	Scholarships—6 of ...	Rs. 5 each	Rs. 5 each	Rs. 5 each	Rs. 5 each
	Free-studentships—	6	6	6	6

26. **Method of Award.**—Scholarships shall be awarded to first-year students on admission in order of merit on the basis of the certificates of general education as laid down for admission (Rule 7). Scholarships shall be awarded thereafter to first, second, third, and fourth-year students, respectively, in order of merit on the results of the half-yearly school test examinations at each school.

27. One special scholarship of Rs. 15 shall be awarded each year to a poor student of the first-year class by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal. Preference shall be given to a member of a depressed class. Subject to the scholarship-holder's good conduct, satisfactory progress and poverty, the scholarship is tenable for four years.

28. Free-studentships shall be awarded at the discretion of the Superintendent to deserving students requiring financial assistance. Any balance

shall be awarded in the order of merit on the results of the half-yearly school test examinations.

29. Free-studentships are tenable in the first-year class from July to April following, and in other classes from May to April. Failure in any school test examinations shall involve forfeiture of the free-studentship during the subsequent session.

30. A student who has been awarded a scholarship on the results of the school test examinations shall forfeit his scholarship if he fails on two successive occasions at the respective examinations of the State Medical Faculty.

31. **Women Students.**—Thirty Government scholarships of the value of Rs. 10 each per month are available for women students at the Campbell Medical School, and thirteen of Rs. 20 each per month at the Dacca Medical School. A student who is granted a Government scholarship shall give a written undertaking, signed by her father or guardian, that on receiving a diploma she will serve Government or a local authority for a period not exceeding four years, if required to do so by the Surgeon General with the Government of Bengal.

32. Scholarships are also given by District Boards, Municipalities, Countess of Dufferin Fund, and other approved associations or individuals—*vide* Appendix B.

33. **Medals and Prizes.**—A list of the prizes and medals available at the Campbell and Dacca Medical Schools and the conditions on which they are awarded are given in Appendix C.

Section. VI.—Discipline and Punishments.

34. **Discipline.**—For the maintenance of discipline the punishments set forth in the rules immediately below shall be enforced at the discretion of the Superintendent of the school, according to the nature of the offence.

35. **Punishments.**—The punishments shall be verbal reprimand, written reprimand in the order book, extra duty, fine, stoppage of leave, deprivation of scholarship or free-studentship, rustication for the remainder of the school year, dismissal and expulsion from the school.

36. Expulsion from the school shall be enforced for offences of a serious nature, such as (1) disgraceful or dishonourable conduct, (2) persistent or wilful infringement of the school rules, and (3) gross insubordination or disrespect to the constituted authorities of the school.

37. When a student is expelled, a full report of the case, with as much information as may be available for identification, shall be submitted to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal, who shall take measures to prevent the student's admission into any other Medical School.

38. The Superintendent can refuse readmission to or dismiss any student on account of incompetence or misconduct (*vide* Rule 21).

39. Students rusticated may be readmitted after their period of punishment is over, on payment of a readmission fee of Rs. 4 (*vide* Rule 21).

40. Scholarships and free-studentships shall be liable to forfeiture at the discretion of the Superintendent for misconduct, want of progress, or irregular attendance.

41. Fines shall be paid by the 15th of the month following that in which they are incurred. The penalty for late payment shall be the same as for late payment of fees (*vide* Rule 18).

Section VII.—Leave of Absence.

42. **Definition.**—The leave admissible to students shall include the regular vacations and casual leave; all leave other than vacation leave shall be shown as casual leave, whether granted on medical certificate or for other reasons.

43. **Vacations.**—The regular vacations shall be notified in school orders, and are as follows:—

	Days.
(*a*) The Summer vacation—1st May to 30th June ...	61
(*b*) The Puja vacation	21
(*c*) The Xmas vacation	11

44. Students employed in the wards shall be divided into two batches for vacation leave. One batch shall proceed on leave first, and on its return the other batch shall proceed on leave.

45. A student who either absents himself immediately before the commencement of, or overstays, the authorized vacation leave, without a medical certificate, thereby forfeits all claim to (*a*) regular vacation leave for 12 months, and (*b*) any scholarship or free-studentship (if he is a holder) for the remainder of the session, and further renders himself liable to the penalty prescribed under Rule 49.

46. **Casual Leave.**—Casual leave may be granted to a student by a Teacher under whom he works up to a maximum of 7 days at a time, or by the Superintendent of not more than 30 days at a time. Not more than 30 days' continuous casual leave is admissible, except on medical certificate.

47. **Application.**—Application to the Superintendent for casual leave or extension of leave shall be submitted in writing through the Teacher under whom the student works. Such application shall ordinarily be submitted not later than the day previous to that on which leave is desired.

48. **Leave Register.**—No student shall depart on sanctioned leave without signing his name in the casual leave register with the date of departure. On return he shall enter the date also with his signature. Failure to comply with this rule shall entail the absence being treated as absence without leave (*vide* Rule 49).

49. **Absence without Leave.**—No student shall absent himself from school or hospital attendance without leave except in the case of sudden indisposition, and any student disobeying this rule shall be liable to pay a fine not exceeding one rupee per diem for every day he is absent without leave. In such cases a medical certificate shall be submitted without unnecessary delay (*vide* Rule 53).

50. Absence without leave for more than 30 days shall automatically entail removal of the student's name from the school rolls.

51. Any students who in the opinion of the Superintendent have combined to absent themselves without leave with the intention of defying or defeating discipline shall be liable to expulsion under Rule 36.

52 **Inadmissibility.**—No leave except on medical certificate shall be granted to a student—

(1) when he is on special duty in the wards;
(2) when there is any matter pending in connection with which he has been directed to appear before the Teacher or the Superintendent;
(3) when he is under stoppage of leave;
(4) when he is on duty during the regular vacation; or
(5) immediately before the commencement of or in extension of vacation leave.

53. **Medical Certificate.**—A medical certificate in support of an application for leave or for extension shall be obtained from a member of the hospital staff, a Government medical officer, or from a registered medical practitioner. It shall be posted to the Superintendent within three days of the onset of illness; when delayed beyond this time the student shall be considered as absent without leave.

Section VIII.—Course of Study and Attendance.

54. The curriculum is arranged to meet the requirements of the Schedule attached to the Statutes of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal for the Examination for License as follows:—

First year.	Second year.	Third year.	Fourth year.
Anatomy including Dissections.	Anatomy including Dissections.	Medicine.	Medicine.
Physiology.	Physiology.	Surgery.	Surgery.
Chemistry and Physics.	Materia Medica and Practical Pharmacy.	Midwifery and Gynæcology.	Midwifery and Gynæcology.
Materia Medica and Practical Pharmacy.	Practical and Tutorial classes in above subjects.	Medical Jurisprudence.*	Hygiene.
Practical and Tutorial classes in above subjects.		Pathology.*	Vaccination.
			Operative Surgery.
		Hospital Practice.	Anæsthetics.
		Tutorial Clinics.	Hospital Practice.
			Tutorial Clinics.

* *N. B.*—Failure to obtain 33 per cent. of marks in the school test examination will necessitate repetition in fourth year.

55. **Detailed Course.**—The detailed course of studies shall be that prescribed for the License of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal as follows:—

(I) For the Primary Examination—

A course of 40 lectures in Chemistry and Physics and a practical course of 25 attendances.

(II) For the Intermediate Examination—

(1) Two courses of 50 lectures each in Anatomy and a course of Dissections extending over two winter sessions. In these courses the student shall dissect the whole body at least once to the satisfaction of his teacher.

(2) Two courses of 50 lectures each in Physiology and two practical courses of 25 demonstrations each.

(3) Two courses of 40 lectures each in Materia Medica and a course of instruction in Practical Pharmacy extending over three months, including a practical knowledge of the preparation and compounding of medicines.

(III) For the Final Examination—

(1) Two courses of 50 lectures each in (*a*) Medicine, (*b*) Surgery, and (*c*) Midwifery and Gynæcology.

(2) One course of 40 lectures in General Pathology (third year).

(3) One course of 40 lectures in Medical Jurisprudence (third year).

(4) One course of 20 lectures in Hygiene, including Vaccination (fourth year).

(5) One course of instruction in Operative Surgery of not less than 20 attendances, including instruction in the administration of anæsthetics (fourth year).

(6) One course of 25 demonstrations in Practical Pathology (fourth year). The student shall also perform at least 4 *post-mortem* examinations, and in addition attend at least 6 practical demonstrations in the *post-mortem* room in the presence of his teacher.

(7) Hospital Practice—

(*a*) Six months' attendance in the Out-door Department (Medical and Surgical) including Vaccination.

(*b*) Six months' attendance in the Medical Wards with clinical teaching during such attendance and writing up of 12 medical cases.

(*c*) Six months' attendance in the Surgical Wards with clinical teaching during such attendance and writing up of 12 surgical cases.

(*d*) Two months' attendance in the Gynæcological Ward or Female Out-patients' Department and writing up of 4 gynæcological cases.

(*e*) Attendance at, at least, 6 labours.

56. **Programme of Lectures.**—The Superintendent shall publish for general information a programme of the lectures of each teacher at the commencement of each session.

57. **Attendance at Hospital.**—Third and fourth-year students shall be present in the wards of the hospital at 6-30 A.M. in summer and at 7-30 A.M. in winter for clinical duties and instruction. They shall not absent themselves from the ward without the permission of the Medical Officer in charge.

58. **Duty at Hospital.**—Each dresser or clinical clerk shall have charge of at least six surgical beds or six medical beds for case-taking, as the case may be, and shall write out a full history of such cases, with their daily symptoms, treatment, &c., in the form prescribed, and read it to the teacher. He shall enter such cases with the corrections made by the teacher in his case book, and shall read them and be examined on them before being signed up by the teacher for regular attendance and progress in the wards. The teacher, when granting a certificate of attendance at hospital to a student,

shall specially mention for the information of the Superintendent (1) the number of cases in his ward satisfactorily recorded by the student, and (2) the number of attendances, which shall not be less than 75 per cent. of the total.

59. The surgical dressers shall, in addition, dress the cases allotted to them under the supervision of the Medical Officer in charge.

60. All students attending the hospital shall take their turn of day and night duty, as may be arranged by the Medical Officer attached to the ward. During such time they shall be responsible for the proper working of the ward, and shall not leave it until relieved by their successors or until permitted to do so by the Medical Officer in charge. All students shall obey the hospital rules in force or issued from time to time. Infringement of the hospital rules by a student shall be reported by the Medical Officer to the Teacher, who shall report serious or deliberate instances of infringement to the Superintendent.

61. **Certificates of Attendance.**—No student shall be certified as having attended hospital or be eligible for promotion or for admission to the final examination for the License of the State Medical Faculty who is absent from hospital duties more than 72 days during the year, exclusive of regular vacation leave.

62. No student of the third or fourth-year class shall under any circumstances be permitted to count attendance at lectures or demonstrations on any day he is absent from hospital practice on casual leave or for any other reason.

63. No student shall be certified as having completed his course of instruction or be eligible for promotion or for admission to any examination of the State Medical Faculty who has not attended at least 75 per cent. of all lectures and demonstrations in each subject included in the curriculum for the examination.

Section IX.—School Examinations.

64. **Dates.**—The school test examinations shall be written, oral, and practical, and shall be held half-yearly in March and September in all the subjects of each year's curriculum respectively. All students shall appear at both these examinations, except those who fail to produce the necessary certificates showing that they have completed the prescribed course of studies to the satisfaction of the teachers in their respective subjects.

65. The award of scholarships and free-studentships shall be decided by the result of March and September test examinations; and the award of prizes, medals, and certificates of honour by the result of the March school test examinations only (*vide* Rules 26 and 28).

66. **Marks.**—The maximum marks obtainable shall be 100 in the written examinations and 100 in the practical and oral examinations in each subject. The minimum pass marks shall be 33 per cent. of the total marks obtainable in each subject, with the following exceptions: (1) 25 per cent. marks in any subject of the first year's curriculum, other than Chemistry and Physics; and (2) 20 per cent. in one subject only: provided that not less than 40 per cent. of the total obtainable marks are gained in the aggregate in all the subjects of the examination. This rule shall be relaxed by the Superintendent only under very exceptional circumstances, and he shall be guided in the exercise of his discretion by the reports of the teachers as to the student's conduct, diligence, and regularity of attendance.

67. **Results of Test Examinations.**—Eligibility to appear in due course at the examinations of the State Medical Faculty in May and November shall be decided by the result of the school test examinations held in the previous March and September respectively, and no student who fails in the latter shall be permitted to appear at the former examination.

68. **Promotion.**—Promotion to the second and fourth-year classes, respectively, in the case of first and third-year students shall be decided by the result of the school test examinations. Promotion to the third-year class shall be decided by the result of the Intermediate Examination for the License of the State Medical Faculty.

69. A first-year student who fails at the school test examination shall automatically be removed from the rolls, but can obtain permission to have his name retained. In exercising his discretion the Superintendent shall be

guided by the report of the teachers with regard to the student's conduct, diligence, and regularity of attendance (*vide* Rule 23).

70. A second or third-year student who fails at the respective school test examination shall be retained in the same class until 18 months have elapsed or he passes the examination; after the fourth failure his name shall be automatically removed from the school rolls.

71. **Results of Faculty Examinations.**—A first-year student who fails at the Primary Examination for the License of the State Medical Faculty shall be retained in the second-year class until 18 months have elapsed or he passes this examination: after the fourth failure his name shall be automatically removed from the school as he will no longer be eligible for examination by the State Medical Faculty.

72. A second-year student who fails at the Intermediate examination of the State Medical Faculty, shall be retained in the same class until 18 months have elapsed or he passes this examination; after the fourth failure his name shall be automatically removed from the school rolls.

73. A fourth-year student who fails at the Final Examination for the License of the State Medical Faculty may be retained in the school in the same class.

Appendix A.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION AS A STUDENT INTO THE MEDICAL SCHOOL.

(1) Name.
(2) Age.
(3) Race or caste.
(4) Religion.
(5) Father's or guardian's name (in the case of a woman candidate, if married, the name of husband).
(6) Residence of father, guardian. or husband—
  (*a*) Permanent residence.
  (*b*) Present residence.
(7) Occupation of father, guardian, or husband.
(8) Educational qualifications of the candidate—
Certificates of passing the Matriculation Examination or its accepted equivalent or any higher examination must be submitted in original at the time of admission.
(9) Certificate of moral character.

I hereby certify that the above statement of particulars is true.

Signature of Applicant..... .....

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Appendix B.

LIST OF SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR WOMEN STUDENTS

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL.

1. Two Muir Scholarships of the value of Rs. 7 each per mensem shall be annually awarded to the two most deserving second-year women students on their passing into the third-year class, merit and poverty being alike considered.

2. Two Pran Kissen Mullick Scholarships of the value of Rs. 4-2-9 per mensem shall be annually awarded to two women students for high proficiency at the Campbell Medical School.

3. One Sarala Scholarship of the value of Rs. 3-12 per mensem shall be annually awarded to the most deserving second-year woman student on her passing into the third-year class. This scholarship is reserved only for Hindus or members of the Brahmo Somaj, or any other deserving student if no such student is available.

4. One Walter Thomson Female Scholarship, tenable for two years, shall be awarded in the month of April to a woman student who shall pass the school test examination; or if there be no such student eligible therefor, then in the month of July to a newly admitted woman student holding a qualification certificate. The Superintendent for the time being of the said school shall elect the recipient of such scholarship, and in determining the eligibility of any student shall consider, in addition to her other qualifications, the student's conduct and, as far as possible, her parent's or guardian's pecuniary position. No student shall be elected who shall not bear a good moral character. The trustee shall be the Superintendent for the time being of the said Campbell Medical School The surplus income and surplus cash balance shall be applied at the discretion of the Trustee in defraying any necessary expenses connected with the trust, or in increasing the value of the said scholarship, or in any other way consistent with the declared object of the fund, and shall be paid to the said Trustee by the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments as and when the same may be available and may be required by the Trustee for any of those purposes.

5. Thirty Government scholarships of the value of Rs. 10 each per mensem shall be annually awarded to women students of this school.

6. The Assam Government have also sanctioned three scholarships of Rs. 18, Rs. 14-8, and Rs. 10 respectively to students nominated by that Government.

DACCA MEDICAL SCHOOL.

Thirteen Government scholarships of the value of Rs. 20 each per mensem shall be annually awarded to women students of the Dacca Medical School.

Appendix C.

LIST OF MEDALS AND PRIZES AVAILABLE AT THE MEDICAL SCHOOLS.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL.

Medals.

1. A gold medal of the value of Rs. 79-12 shall be annually awarded for general proficiency to the fourth-year student of the Campbell Medical School who obtains the highest aggregate marks in all subjects at the March school test examination, provided that his conduct has been uniformly good.

2. A silver medal of the value of Rs. 13-4 shall be awarded annually to the third-year student who obtains the highest aggregate marks in all subjects at the March class promotion examination, provided that his conduct has been uniformly good.

3. A silver medal of the value of Rs. 13-4 shall be annually awarded to the second-year student who obtains the highest aggregate marks at the March school test examination, provided that his conduct has been uniformly good.

4. A bronze medal, named the "Rivers Thompson Medal", shall be annually awarded to the first-year student who obtains the highest aggregate marks at the March school test examination in Chemistry and Physics, provided that his conduct has been uniformly good.

5. Six silver medals of the value of Rs. 13-4 each shall be annually awarded to the fourth-year students who obtain the highest marks in each of the subjects Surgery, Medicine, Midwifery, Medical Jurisprudence, Pathology and Hygiene at the March school test examination.

6. Three silver medals of the value of Rs. 13-4 each shall be annually awarded to the second-year students who obtain the highest marks in each of the subjects Anatomy, Physiology, and Materia Medica at the school test examination in March.

7. One silver medal of the value of Rs. 13-4 shall be annually awarded to the first-year student who obtains the highest marks in Chemistry and Physics at the school test examination in March.

8. The Maharajah Scindia of Gwalior Prize of Rs. 6 shall be awarded annually for general proficiency to the fourth-year student who obtains the highest aggregate marks at the school test examination in March.

9. One silver medal—"The Tarak Nath Ganguly Prize"—value of Rs. 13-4, shall be awarded annually to a third-year student who obtains the highest number of marks in Medical Jurisprudence in the March test examination.

10. Two pocket instrument cases of the value of Rs. 20 each shall be annually awarded to the second-year students who have acted as prosectors during the year.

11. Two copies of the late Dr. Zahir-ud-din's book on "Surgery" in Bengali are presented annually in memory of the author by his son to the two second-year students (one man and one woman) who obtain the highest marks in Anatomy at the school test examination in March.

12. Two certificates of honour shall be annually awarded in each subject of examination to the next two most meritorious students of the first, second, and fourth-year classes, respectively, after the students who secure medals under paragraphs 5, 6 and 7 above.

MEDALS AND PRIZES OPEN TO WOMEN STUDENTS OF THE CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL.

13. The Viceroy's Prize Medal (silver) of the value of Rs. 90 shall be annually awarded to the woman student who obtains the highest marks in the following subjects at the school test examination in March and passes the Final Examination for the License of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal—

(1) Surgery (including Operative Surgery);
(2) Midwifery;
(3) Medicine;
(4) Medical Jurisprudence:

Provided that to render a candidate eligible she must have obtained—

(1) a minimum of 60 per cent. marks in each of the above subjects in which she was examined; and
(2) a minimum average of all subjects combined of 70 per cent. of the total number of marks obtainable.

14. Kadambini Prize Medal (silver) of the value of Rs. 17-8 shall be awarded annually to the fourth-year woman student who passes the Final Examination for the License of the State Medical Faculty from the Campbell Medical School and secures the highest aggregate marks among the women candidates at the March school test examination, without any distinction of caste or religion, provided she is a native of India. No one with any trace of foreign or mixed descent (whether European, Eurasian, African American, or other Asiatic than Indian) will be eligible for it.

NOTE—Medals, prizes, and certificates of honour will only be awarded to students who pass in all the subjects of the examination at the same time, and students failing at a school test or promotion examination of any class will not be eligible to compete for any of the above awards from that class. They will however be eligible for the same in the higher classes.

DACCA MEDICAL SCHOOL.

Medals.

1. A good medal of the value of Rs. 35 shall be annually awarded for general proficiency to a fourth-year student of the Dacca Medical School who obtains the highest aggregate marks in all subjects at the school test examination in March, provided that his conduct has been uniformly good.

2. A silver medal of the value of Rs. 13 shall be awarded annually to the third-year student who obtains the highest aggregate marks in all the subjects at the school test examination in March, provided that his conduct has been uniformly good.

3. A silver medal of the value of Rs. 13 shall be annually awarded to the second-year student who obtains the highest aggregate marks at the school test examination in March, provided that his conduct has been uniformly good.

4. A silver medal of the value of Rs 13 shall be annually awarded to the first-year student who obtains the highest aggregate marks in all subjects at the school test examination in March, provided that his conduct has been uniformly good.

5. Six silver medals of the value of Rs. 13 each shall be annually awarded to the fourth-year students who obtain the highest marks in each of the following subjects: viz. (1) Surgery, (2) Medicine, (3) Midwifery, (4) Medical Jurisprudence, (5) Pathology, (6) Hygiene: at the school test examination in March.

6. Three silver medals of the value of Rs. 13 each shall be annually awarded to the second-year students who obtain the highest marks in each of the following subjects: viz. (1) Anatomy, (2) Physiology, (3) Materia Medica: at the school test examination in March.

7. One silver medal of the value of Rs. 13 shall be annually awarded to the first-year student who obtains the highest aggregate marks in Chemistry and Physics at the school test examination in March, provided that his conduct has been uniformly good.

8. A silver medal is presented annually by Rai Sahib Guru Nath Sen to the fourth-year student who has obtained the highest aggregate marks in the school test examinations during the four-year course.

Prizes.

9. Two pocket instrument cases of the value of Rs. 20 each shall be annually awarded to the second-year students who have acted as prosectors during the year.

10. Two certificates of honour may be annually awarded in each subject of examination to the next two most meritorious students of the first, second, and fourth-year classes respectively after the students who secure medals under paragraphs 5, 6, and 7.

MEDALS AND PRIZES OPEN TO WOMEN STUDENTS OF THE DACCA MEDICAL SCHOOL.

Medals.

1. One silver medal of the value of Rs. 13 shall be annually awarded to a first-year woman student who obtains the highest aggregate marks in the school test examination of the first-year class in March among the women students, provided she obtains not less than 66 per cent. aggregate marks.

2. One silver medal of the value of Rs. 13 shall be awarded to the second-year woman student who obtains the highest aggregate marks in the school test examination of the second-year class in March among the women students, provided she obtains not less than 66 per cent. aggregate marks.

3 One silver medal shall be annually awarded to the third-year woman student who obtains the highest aggregate marks in the school test examination in March among the women students, provided she obtains 66 per cent. aggregate marks.

4. One silver medal shall be annually awarded to the fourth-year woman student who obtains the highest aggregate marks in the school test examination in March among the women students, provided she obtains 66 per cent. aggregate marks.

5. One silver medal of the value of Rs 13 shall be awarded to a fourth-year woman student who obtains highest aggregate marks in the school test examination in March in Midwifery and Gynæcology among the women students, provided she obtains not less than 75 per cent. aggregate marks.

Prizes.

Two special prizes of Rs. 10 each shall be awarded annually to women students for good conduct, progress, and regularity of attendance in class. Preference will be given to students living in the Government Boarding House for women students attached to the Dacca Medical School.

NOTE.—Medals, prizes, and certificates of honour will be awarded only to students who pass in all subjects of the examination at the same time, and students failing at a school test or promotion examination of any class will not be eligible to compete for any of the above awards from that class. They will however be eligible for the same in the higher classes.

Appendix D.

Syllabus of the subjects for study.

Chemistry.

Lectures.

Chemical and physical changes. Indestructibility of matter. Elements and compounds. Mechanical mixtures. Chemical symbols and formulæ. Laws of chemical combination. Atomic theory. Simple methods of preparation and principal properties of the following :—

Oxygen, Hydrogen, Nitrogen, Carbon, Chlorine, Bromine, Iodine, Fluorine, Sulphur, Phosphorus, Ammonia, Nitrous oxide, Nitric oxide, Nitric peroxide, Nitric acid, Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Hydrochloric acid, Hydrobromic acid, Hydriodic acid, Hydrofluoric acid, Sulphur dioxide, Sulphuric acid, Sulphuretted hydrogen, Oxides and Sulphides of Arsenic, Boric acid, Hydrocyanic acid.

A study of the following: Water, Air, Marsh gas, Bases, Acids, and Salts.

General properties of the following metals and the preparation and properties of their undermentioned compounds :—

Potassium : its Hydroxide, Carbonate, Nitrate, Chlorate, Iodide, Bromide, Permanganate, and Cyanide.

Sodium : its Hydroxide, Carbonate, Bicarbonate, Chloride, Sulphate.

Calcium : its Oxide, Hydroxide, Carbonate, and Chloride.

Magnesium : its Oxide, Chloride, and Sulphate.

Zinc : its Oxide, Chloride, and Sulphate.

Mercury : its Oxides and Chlorides.

Lead : its Oxides, Nitrate.

Iron : its Oxides, Chlorides, and Sulphates.

Preparation and properties of the following organic compounds :—

Alcohol, Ether, Chloroform, Chloral hydrate, Acetic acid, Oxalic acid, Carbolic acid.

A study of the following: Starch, Dextrin, Cane sugar, Grape sugar, Fermentation, Soaps and Saponification.

Simple qualitative examination of urine and urinary calculi.

N.B.—The whole subject of Chemistry will be treated in an elementary way.

Physics.

Lectures.

(*a*) *States of matter.*—General properties of solids, liquids, and gases.

(*b*) *Hydrostatics.*—Floating bodies, Specific gravity, Hydrometers, Osmosis.

(*c*) *Pneumatics.*—Atmospheric pressure, Barometers, Boyle's Law, Air pumps, Syphon.

(*d*) *Heat.*—Sources and effects of heat. Temperatures. Measurement of temperature. Thermometers: maximum and minimum thermometers, the clinical thermometer. Radiation, conduction, convection. Latent heat.

(*e*) *Light.*—Sources of light. Reflection, refraction and dispersion of light. Plane and concave mirrors. Simple lenses and prisms. The solar spectrum. The eye as an optical instrument. Long and short sight. The microscope.

(*f*) *Sound.*—Production and propagation of sound. Reflection of sound. Velocity of sound. Musical sounds. Intensity. Pitch and quality. Tuning forks.

(*g*) *Electricity and Magnetism.*—Elementary properties of magnets. Electrification by friction and induction. The electrophorus. Gold leaf electroscope. The Leyden Jar. Electric conductors. Dynamic electricity. Voltaic cell. Electro-magnet. Simple galvanometer. Induced currents. Medical batteries.

N B.—The subject of Physics will be treated in an elementary way.

Practical Course in Chemistry and Physics.

Use of simple instruments: such as syphon, thermometer, barometer, microscope, induction coil, magnets, batteries, burettes, pipettes. Chemical analysis of urine: tests for sugar, albumen and bile.

Materia Medica and Pharmacy.

Lectures.

1. (*a*) Definition of various technical terms used in describing the action and preparation of medical agents and drugs.

(*b*) The uses and methods of preparation of the more commonly used official pharmaceutical preparations.

(*c*) Knowledge of apothecary's scales and weights; also the various measures, signs, and symbols.

2. The sources, preparations, composition, doses, physiological action, therapeutic uses, and incompatabilities (physical, chemical and physiological) of the more commonly used drugs and their preparations according to the British Pharmacopœia, and the Indian and Colonial addenda.

Practical Course.

1. Recognition of crude drugs and their more important preparations.
2. Reading and writing of prescriptions in English, labelling and marking doses, and writing of directions, &c.
3. Practical Pharmacy and exercises in Dispensing.

Physiology.

Lectures.

I. **Histology.**—The animal cell. Epithelial tissues, Connective tissue (Dentine and development of Bone excluded), Muscular tissue, Nervous tissue.

II. **Contractile Tissues.**—Simple contraction. Tetanus. Fatigue. Principal changes associated with contraction. Differences in function between voluntary and involuntary muscles. Rigor mortis.

III. **Dietetics and Digestive System.**—Food stuffs. Classification of principles of dietetics. Structure of the Oesophagus, Stomach, Small and Large Intestines, Salivery glands, Pancreas and Liver. Composition of Saliva and its functions. Composition and functions of the Gastric juice, Pancreatic juice, Bile and Succus entericus. Function of the Large Intestines. Absorption of food stuffs. Functions of Liver. Mechanism of Deglutition. Peristalsis. Defæcation.

IV. **Respiratory System.**—Structure of Trachea, Bronchi and Lungs. Mechanism of respiration. Exchange of gases during respiration. Tidal air. Complemental air. Supplemental air. Residual air. Vital capacity. Apnœa. Asphyxia and its stages. Effects of Respiration on Circulation.

V. **Circulatory System.**—

(*a*) *Blood.*—Composition of red and white corpuscles. Varieties of white cells: their functions. Coagulation of blood.

(*b*) *Heart.*—Structure. Innervation. Cardiac cycle. Heart sounds: their character and causation. Heart block.

(*c*) *Blood Vessels.*—Histology of Arteries, Veins and Capillaries. Mechanism of blood flow. Pulse: its normal characters. Interpretation of pulse tracting. Blood pressure, Vascular tone.

VI. **Lymphatic System.**—Structure of Lymphatic Glands and Vessels. Composition of Lymph. Mechanism of Lymph flow.

VII. **Urinary System.**—Structure and functions of Kidney.

Urine.—Physical characters and chemical composition. Common abnormal ingredients and their detection. Mechanism of Micturition.

VIII. **Cutaneous System.**—Structure of Skin. Function of Skin. Sweat Glands: their structure. Composition of Sweat.

IX. **Animal Heat.**—Its regulation in warm-blooded animals.

X. **The Ductless Glands.**—Structure and function of Thyroid, Spleen. Supra-renal and Pituitary bodies.

XI. **Nerves and Central Nervous System**—

(*a*) Classification of Nerves.

(*b*) The Central Nervous System—

(i) *Brain.*—Structure and functions of Cerebral Cortex Rolandic area. The Cortical centres.

(ii) *The Cerebellum.*—Functions of Cerebellum.

(iii) *The Medulla.*—Vasomotor, Respiratory and Cardiac centres.

(iv) *The Spinal Cord.*—Structure of the spinal cord. Tracts of ascending and descending degeneration. Functions of the spinal cord. Spinal nerve roots.

(*c*) Vasomotor Nerves.

XII. **Special Senses.**—

(*a*) *Vision.*—Formation of retinal image. Mechanism of accommodation. Iris: structure and function. Common errors of refraction.

(*b*) *Hearing.*—Anatomy and structure of middle and internal ear. Conduction of sound waves. Mechanism of hearing.

(*c*) *Taste and Smell.*—Varieties of papillæ of the tongue and their structure. Nerves of taste. Olfactory nerves.

(*d*) *Cutaneous and Motor Sense.*—Varieties of the end organs. Varieties of cutaneous sense. Muscle sense.

XIII. **Reproductive System.**—The male reproductive organs. The female reproductive organs. Fertilization of ovum. The mammary glands.

Practical Course.

(*a*) Identification of histological specimens of Epithelium, Connective tissues, Muscular tissue. Medullated nerves. Specimens of Spleen, Kidney, Liver, Thyroid, Human blood, Frog's blood, Lung, Stomach.

(*b*) Staining and mounting of sections of tissues mentioned above.

(*c*) Use of the Hæmoglobinometer and Sphygmograph and Sphygmomanometer.

(*d*) Preparation and staining of blood films. Recognition of leucocytes.

(*e*) Estimation of Glucose. Tests for Glucose, Albumen, Bile.

General Pathology.

Lectures.

I. **A knowledge of—**

(*a*) Processes of inflammation and repair.

(*b*) Process of fever.

(*c*) Processes of infection and immunity (elementary).

(*d*) Disorders of blood and circulation.

(*e*) Disorders of nutrition and auto-intoxication.

(*f*) Degeneration and retrogressive changes.

(*g*) The progressive tissue changes including Neoplasms.

II. **Elementary Bacteriology and Parasitology.**—To embrace the study and morphology of the following:—

Pyogenic Cocci. Bacillus Coli-communis. Bacillus Pestis. Bacillus Tetani. Bacillus Tuberculosis. Vibro Choleræ. Hæmatozoon malariæ. Amœba coli. Parasite of Kala-azar. Ascaris Lumbricoides. Oxyuris vermicularis. Ankylostomon Duodenale. Filaria Sanguinis Hominis. Tænia Solium. Acarus Scabiei. Pediculi.

III. **Morbid Anatomy and Histology.**—The more important structural changes produced in organs and tissues by the more common diseases.

Practical Course.

(*a*) Identification of pathological specimens from microscopical sections of the commoner affected organs and tissues.
(*b*) Preparation of blood films.
(c) Recognition of malarial parasites.
(*d*) Preparation and staining of sputum for tubercle bacillus.
(*e*) Technique of collection and pathological examination of urine and pus.

Medical Jurisprudence.

Lectures.

I. **Unnatural and sudden deaths.**—Giving of medical evidence, medico-legal reports, and certificates.

II. **Death.**—Chief forms of unnatural deaths: accident, suicide, homicide, poisoning. Signs of death. Post-mortem lividity. Rigor mortis. Putrefaction. Mummification. Time elapsed since death. Post-mortem examination in medico-legal cases.

III. **Identity of the living and dead.**—Age in its medico-legal aspect. The teeth, ossification; union of important epiphyses. Sexual characteristics of the skeleton.

IV. **Wounds and mechanical injuries.**—Definition and varieties. Distinction between ante and post-mortem. Suicidal and homicidal wounds. Results following wounds. Causes of death from wounds. Injuries of special regions. Examination of weapons and identification of materials adjacent to weapons.

V. **Deaths from asphyxia.**—Hanging, strangulation, suffocation, and drowning.

VI. Deaths from burns, scalds heat, cold, electric discharge, and starvation.

VII. Signs of virginity, rape, and sodomy.

VIII. **Signs of Pregnancy.**—Quickening. Period of human gestation. Prolonged gestation. Superfœtation. Viableage. Signs of delivery: recent and remot.

IX. **Criminal abortion and infanticide.**—Signs of live birth. Signs of death from violence and criminal neglect or omission.

X. **Poisons, Actions of.**—Diagnosis and treatment of cases of common poisoning. Post-mortem appearances in cases of poisoning. Preservation and transmission of viscera for analysis from suspected poisoning cases.

XI. **Toxicology.**—Mineral acids. Alkaline corrosives. Corrosives sublimate. Carbolic acid. Oxalic acid. Phosphorus. Arsenic and its compounds. Lead. Alcohol. Chloral Hydrate. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide. Kerosine oil. Opium. Cannabis Indica. Datura. Belladonna. Cocaine. Strychnine and Nux Vomica. Aconite. Oleander. Snake poison.

Hygiene and Vaccination.

Lectures.

I. **Air, Composition of.**—Vitiation and impurities, suspended and gaseous. Examination of air. Ventilation: natural and artificial methods. Diseases due to overcrowding.

II. **Water.**—Sources, collection, and storage. Uses. Impurities and Origin. Purification, wholesale and domestic. Water-borne diseases.

III. **Climate and Soil.**—Varieties. Rainfall. Subsoil water. Building sites. Drainage.

IV. **Food and Diets.**—Classification and varieties of subsistence diets. Disease due to over and under-feeding, Preserved and tinned foods. Fermented beverages Milk and its relation to infectious diseases.

V. **Personal Hygiene.**—Cleanliness, clothing, exercise, rest and sleep.

VI. **Conservancy.**—Methods in villages, jails, towns and cities. Septic tanks. Dry earth latrines. Water-closets. Disposal of sewage. Sewage farms. Disposal of dead.

VII. **Communicable Diseases and their Prophylaxis.**—Endemic and epidemic: Plague, Cholera, Enteric, Tuberculosis. Malaria, Kala-azar, Elephantiasis, Rabies. Anti-rabic inoculation. Rôle of flies and suctorial insects in spreading diseases. Rôle played by human carriers on spread of disease.

VIII.—**Disinfection.**

IX. **Small-pox and Vacciaation.**—Prevalence, inoculation,, dangers of vaccination. Practical details of vaccination and methods of same. Sources of vaccine lymph; preparation of skin; aseptic precautions. Phenomena of successful vaccination.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8166A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 8155A.—The 10th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. Alfred Astan Barnes the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Darjeeling, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Kurseong subdivision of the Darjeeling district and

Darjeeling.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Kurseong Bench in the said district.

No. 8159A.—The 10th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Surendra Nath Sarkar the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Barrackpore Bench in the said district and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

RESIGNATION.

No. 8157A.—The 10th October 1916.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Ashutosh Sarkar of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Barrackpore Bench in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 3207A.D.—The 4th October 1916.—Babu Rash Bihari Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted temporarily to the Pirojpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with powers under section 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Bakarganj.

No. 3212A.D.—The 4th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Rash Bihari Mukharji, a Magistrate of the first class, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the Pirojpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Bakarganj.

No. 8143A.—The 4th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct each of the Honorary Magistrates, named below, of the Lalbagh Bench, in the district of Murshidabad, to take down evidence in the English language :—

Murshidabad.

Sahibzada Iskandar Qudr Nasir Ali Mirza.
Maharaj Kumar Bhupendra Narayan Sinha.

No. 3258A.D.—The 7th October 1916.—Mr. L. B. Burrows, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge and a Munsif within the Sadar subdivision of that district. He is vested with the power to record evidence in the English language under section 138(1) of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (Act V of 1908).

Darjeeling.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3609P.D.—The 5th October 1916.—The undermentioned Sub-Deputy Collectors are appointed temporary Circle Officers for the Sadar Subdivision of the Midnapore district :—

Midnapore.

Mr. V. M. Bonarji. | Babu Ananga Mohan Chakrabatti.

No. 3705P.D.—The 9th October 1916.—Maulvi Kafiluddin Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer and is posted to the Sadar subdivision of the Noakhali district.

Noakhali.

No. 3709P.D.—The 9th October 1916.—Babu Aswini Kumar Gangali, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer and is posted to the Rampurhat subdivision of the Birbhum district.

Birbhum.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 2nd October 1916.

No. 101.—Mr. P. H. Barboza, Officiating Executive Engineer, Jalpaiguri Division, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 102.—Mr. A. J. King, Officiating Executive Engineer, Duars Road Division, is appointed to hold charge of the Jalpaiguri Division in addition to his own during the absence, on leave, of Mr. P. H. Barboza, Officiating Executive Engineer, Jalpaiguri Division or until further orders.

The 7th October 1916.

No. 106.—Mr. D. R. G. Turnbull, Sub-Engineer, first grade, and Honorary Assistant Engineer, Second Calcutta Division, is granted privilege leave for two months and seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th October 1916, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The 25th September 1916.

No. 15.—Notification.—The following draft of a rule which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to add to the Rules for Tolly's Nala, published with notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904 (published at pages 744-46, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 8th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Draft Rule

28. Whenever it is decided to close Tolly's Nala temporarily under section 3 of the Canals Act, 1864, for doing any act necessary for the improvement of the Nala, one month's notice of the intention to close it shall be given.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8167A.

No. 3245A.D.—The 7th October 1916.—The orders of the 21st September 1916, granting Maulvi Muhammad Muzammil Haq, Sub-Deputy Collector, privilege leave for three months from the 12th October 1916, are cancelled.

No. 3251A.D.—The 7th October 1916.—Babu Abinash Chandra Barman, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Katwa, Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Burdwan.

No. 3261A.D.—The 7th October 1916.—Babu Manomohan Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Ulubaria, Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Howrah.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1345-D., dated Darjeeling, the 2nd October 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Manoj Nath Gupta of the Goalundo Subdivision and Eastern Bengal Railway Hospital at Rajbari, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed temporarily to the Kandi Subdivision and Dispensary, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* 2nd grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Atindra Nath Sen, transferred.

No. 1348-D., dated Darjeeling, the 2nd October 1916.—Second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Sen Gupta of the Asansol Subdivision in the district of Burdwan is appointed to the Goalundo Subdivision and Eastern Bengal Railway Hospital at Rajbari, in the district of Faridpur, *vice* Temporary Assistant Surgeon Manoj Nath Gupta, transferred.

2. This cancels Notification No. 1284-D., dated the 26th September 1916.

No. 1396-D., dated Darjeeling, the 5th October 1916.—The following Sub-Assistant Surgeons of the Bengal Establishment having been exempted from appearing at the Professional Examination are promoted to the next higher grades with effect from the dates noted against their names:—

Present grade.	Name.	Where attached.	Grade to which promoted.	With effect from—
3rd ...	Nagendra Nath Mitra.	Military duty	2nd ...	24-10-15
3rd ...	Abinash Chandra De	Ditto ...	2nd ...	28-5-16
3rd ...	Harendra Nath Sen	Ditto ...	2nd ...	17-7-16
3rd ...	Lambodar Misra ...	Ditto ...	2nd ...	20-7-16
4th ...	Suresh Chandra Das Gupta.	Ditto ...	3rd ...	7-2-15
4th ...	Lem Sing ...	Ditto ...	3rd ...	3-6-15
4th ...	Yen Sing ...	Ditto ...	3rd ...	5-5-16

No. 1400-D., dated Darjeeling, the 7th October 1916.—Third grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Khagendra Binod Sinha of the Bhola Subdivision and Dispensary, Bakarganj, is allowed privilege leave for three weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th October 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

W. R. EDWARDS, M.D., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Preliminary Examination for admission of students to the Compounder Class, Campbell Medical School.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next Preliminary Examination for admission of students to the Compounder Class, Campbell Medical School, will be held at that School on the 30th October 1916, at 11 A.M.

R. P. WILSON, F.R.C.S., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd August 1916.

NOTICE.

Examination of Compounders at the Dacca Medical School.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next Half-yearly Examination of Compounders will be held on the 30th October 1916 and subsequent days.

The examination will be conducted in accordance with Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 1410 and 1411Medical, dated the 7th July 1913:—

(*a*) The Examination Committee will consist of—

President :

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R. Newman, M.D. (Cantab.), I.M.S.

Members :

1. Teacher of Pathology.
2. Teacher of Medical Jurisprudence.

(*b*) No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government Notification No. 1410Medical, dated the 7th July 1913.

(*c*) All male candidates must forward to the undersigned an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the commencement of examination; a fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination; but a candidate, who, after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination, will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate to that effect, to attend the next examination without payment of a fresh fee.

NOTE.—Women candidates are examined free of charge.

(*d*) The students of the Compounder class of the Medical Schools at the end of the one year of study, and the students of the Licentiate class of these schools, on the completion of their second year's course, will be allowed to appear at an optional examination, to be conducted by the Committee of Examiners notified above in minor bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in all the minor duties of hospital work. No additional fee shall be charged for this optional examination.

This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the Rules for the grant of certificates to compounders, on production of a certificate that they have received instruction in a hospital or dispensary recognised by Government in minor bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in all the minor duties of hospital work. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2-8 for this examination. But no fee will be required from a candidate who appears at the combined Compounders' and Dressership Examination and who has paid the fee of Rs. 5 prescribed in paragraph (*c*).

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D. (Cantab.), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA,
The 28th August 1916.

NOTICE (2).

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next examination for admission of students to the Compounder class, Medical School, Dacca will be held on the 31st October 1916, at 8 A.M.

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D. (Cantab.), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca

DACCA,
The 28th August 1916.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1916 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

E. H. BRAY,
Sheriff.

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৬ সাল, তারিখ ২৭শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার হাইকোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৬ সালের ২৯শে নভেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপিল আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী বিচিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ই, এইচ, ব্রে,
শরিফ।

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5821G.—Babu Nishikanta Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, who has been posted to the Chittagong Division, under Government Notification No. 2889-A.D., dated 22nd September 1916, is posted to the headquarters station of the district of Chittagong.

K. C. DE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 28th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU ABINASH CHANDRA BARMAN, Sub-Deputy Collector, on relief work, Bankura, is transferred to the Katwa subdivision, in the district of Burdwan.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CAMP SURI, *the 1st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU MANOMOHAN MUKHARJI, Sub-Deputy Collector, on relief work Bankura, is transferred to the Uluberia subdivision, in the district of Howrah.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CAMP SURI, *the 1st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION:

BABU JAGADISH CHANDRA LAHIRI, Sub-Deputy Collector, Katwa, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Burdwan district.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CAMP SURI, *the 1st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 247Jct.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the Management of the following Charitable Dispensaries in the district of Rangpur.

Badarganj Dispensary.

1. Sub-Registrar, Badarganj ... ... } *Ex officio.*
2. Senior Sub-Inspector, Badarganj ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Stationmaster, Badarganj ... ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Postmaster, Badarganj ... ... } *Ex officio.*
5. Babu Gopal Chandra Das.
6. „ Thakur Prasad Roy.
7. „ Jagat Bandhu Chatterjee
8. Munshi Mozaharuddin Shaaha.
9. Babu Mahim Chandra Kundu.
10. Maulvi Safetulla Chowdhury.
11. Munshi Jaharal Haq Chowdhury.
12. Babu Nagendra Nath Chowdhury.
13. „ Basanta Kumar Bhattacharjee.

Kurigram Dispensary.

1. Subdivisional Officer, Kurigram ... ... } *Ex officio.*
2. Munsif, 2nd Court, Kurigram ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. Inspector of Police, Kurigram ... ... } *Ex officio.*
4. Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Kurigram Dispensary } *Ex officio.*
5. Md. Abdul Razzaque.
6. Dr. J. C. Roy, L.M.S.
7. Babu Chandra Kumar Das Gupta.
8. „ Pratab Chandra Roy.
9. Kazi Emdadul Haque.
10. Babu Jogesh Chandra Roy Chowdhury.
11. Md. Khamiuddin Bepari.

Bhitarband Dispensary.

1. Babu Hari Das Roy Chowdhury.
2. „ Syama Charan Roy.
3. „ Jamini Nath Roy Chowdhury.
4. „ Prasanna Kumar Das.
5. „ Rajat Kumar Sanyal.
6. „ Upendra Mohan Sen.
7. „ Ashutosh Chowdhury.
8. Pandit Bama Sankar Chakravarty.
9. Munshi Khejmatulla Ahmed.
10. „ Khaimuddin Mahummad.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 3rd October 1916.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 30th September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLITICAL.

Simla, the 25th September 1916.

No. 2767.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that after rule 25 of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published with the Legislative Department Notification No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, the following Rule shall be inserted :—

Possession of prohibited documents

25-A. (1) The following documents shall for the purposes of this Rule be prohibited documents, namely :—

documents containing any words, signs or visible representations which instigate or are likely to instigate whether directly or indirectly—

(*a*) the use of criminal force against His Majesty or the Government established by law in British India or against public servants generally or any class of public servant or any individual public servant; or

(*b*) the commission or abetment of anything which is an offence against sections 121, 121-A, 122, 131, 435 and 436 of the Indian Penal Code, or of the offence of robbery or dacoity, or of anything which is an offence under the Indian Arms Act, 1878, the Explosive Substances Act, 1908, or section 27 of the Indian Army Act, 1911.

(2) No person shall knowingly have in his possession or under his control any prohibited document in such circumstances as afford reasonable grounds for believing that he is about to publish or circulate such document and whoever contravenes the provisions of this Rule shall, unless he can prove that he had such documents in his possession or under his control for a lawful object, be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to three years and shall also be liable to fine.

(3) No court shall take cognizance of any contravention of this rule save on complaint made by order or under authority from the Governor-General in Council, the Local Government, or some officer empowered by the Governor-General in Council in this behalf.

S. R. HIGNELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 30th September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 28th September 1916.

No. 2148-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and in continuation of the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 1733-I.B., dated the 16th August 1916, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 8427-W.-II., dated the 9th September 1916, shall apply to Berar.

J. B. WOOD,
Secy. to the Govt of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 30th September 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 30th September 1916.

No. 9318-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the business carried on in British India by the hostile firm of Arthur Mulhaupt; and in pursuance of rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, he is further pleased to direct that all proceedings connected with the winding up of the said business be transferred to the Government of the United Provinces.

No. 9192.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or

by land, into British India of any copy of the book entitled "Young India" published by Lajpat Rai from the press of W. B. Huebsch, New York, with a foreword by J. T. Sunderland.

No. 9251-W.-II.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

PROHIBITING, UNDER SECTION 1 OF "THE EXPORTATION OF ARMS ACT, 1900," AND SECTION 1 OF "THE CUSTOMS (EXPORTATION RESTRICTION) ACT, 1914," THE EXPORTATION FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM OF CERTAIN ARTICLES TO SWEDEN.

GEORGE R. I.

WHEREAS by section 1 of "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," it is enacted that We may by Proclamation prohibit the exportation of all or any of the following articles, namely, arms, ammunition, military and naval stores, and any article which We shall judge capable of being converted into or made useful in increasing the quantity of arms, ammunition, or military or naval stores, to any country or place therein named whenever We shall judge such prohibition to be expedient in order to prevent such arms, ammunition, military or naval stores, being used against Our subjects or forces or against any forces engaged or which may be engaged in military or naval operations in co-operation with Our forces :

And whereas by section 1 of "The Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914," it is enacted that section 1 of "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," shall have effect whilst a state of war in which We are engaged exists as if, in addition to the articles therein mentioned, there were included all other articles of every description :

And whereas by virtue of a Proclamation dated the 10th May 1916, made in pursuance of the said Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, as amended by the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, certain goods are now prohibited to be exported to the Kingdom of Sweden :

And whereas We have deemed it expedient to prohibit the exportation to Sweden of all articles whatsoever other than those hereinafter excepted :

NOW, THEREFORE, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to issue this Our Royal Proclamation, declaring, and it is hereby declared, that the exportation of the following articles be prohibited to all ports and destinations in Sweden, *viz.*:—

All articles which are not by virtue of any Proclamation for the time being in force made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by any Act, or under the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, as amended by any Act, prohibited to be exported to Sweden, except :

1. Printed matter of all descriptions.
2. Empty receptacles returned to Sweden.
3. Worn clothing and other personal effects.
4. Live animals other than animals ordinarily used for human food.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Eighteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh Year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 9364-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, *viz.* :—

For 34 Lead, pig, *read* 34 Lead.

No. 9373-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the entry "Harp Heng Long and Company, Bangkok" shall be deleted from the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8106-W.-II, dated the 2nd September 1916.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 30th September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 29th September 1916.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1157.—The following is published for general information :—

Supplement dated the 2nd August 1916, to the London Gazette of the 1st August 1916, pages 7631 to 7634.

War Office,
2nd August 1916.

The Colonial Office has forwarded for publication the following despatch on military operations in the Somaliland Protectorate :—

From—H. M. Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief,
Somaliland Protectorate,

To—The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

The Residency, Berbera,
20th February 1915.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit a report by the Officer Commanding the Troops, Somaliland Protectorate, on the recent military operations against the dervishes at Shimber Berris, at the head of the A in Valley.

2. It will be recollected that after the action at Dul Madoba in August 1913, the Mullah Mahomed ibn Abdulla Hassan sent his followers to occupy and erect forts at this spot, whence they could dominate the country providing the chief grazing grounds of our friendlies. Raids against our tribes were of frequent occurrence, and the operations under review were undertaken to drive out the dervishes from this locality.

3. Shimber Berris is a natural stronghold in the Burdab range, and it had been strongly fortified. Six double-storied block-houses had been erected in well-chosen positions by Yemeni Arab masons in the service of the Mullah. The walls were found to be of stone and mud plaster, some twenty feet high, twelve feet thick at the base and six feet thick at the top. Considerable military skill had been employed in construction, and the surrounding bush had been cleared to provide a good field of fire. The sides of the ravine, moreover, were honey-combed with caves affording a safe retreat for the enemy after being driven from the forts. Without modern field guns operations here involved considerable difficulties, and that they were brought to a completely successful conclusion is in consequence all the more gratifying.

4. A full account of the sharp fighting which occurred is given by Lieutenant-Colonel T. Astley Cubitt, D.S.O., in his report. On the first occasion, in November, it was found impossible to rush the main fort on the top of the escarpment, but a feature of the attack was the thrice-repeated charge of a company of the Camel Corps right up to the very walls of the

fort, which was a gallant performance, reflecting great credit on officers and men. In one of these charges Captain Symons, King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, was killed when within a yard of the door, and Captain Carton de Wiart, 4th Dragoon Guards, was severely wounded. Other officers present attempted to batter down the door, and the men fired on the dervishes inside the fort through the loopholes. But the place was too strong and the action had to be broken off. The attack was renewed four days later, and with the assistance of an old seven-pounder gun brought up hurriedly from Burao the position was then successfully carried. The dervishes were dislodged from the forts more by the moral effect of the shelling than by any material damage done, and fleeing down the hillsides to the caves they came under heavy Maxim fire. Unfortunately, owing to lack of time and the absence of explosives, it was impossible to destroy the forts completely, and subsequently the dervishes returned.

5. Further military operations were thus necessitated, and it was hoped to clear up the situation this time once and for all. The General Officer Commanding at Aden placed at my disposal a small detachment of the 23rd Pioneers, and a column, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Cubitt, consisting of 15 officers, 570 rank and file (Indians and Somalis), six machine guns, and two seven-pounders, left Burao on the 1st February. I myself accompanied the column, and was present during the ensuing fighting. Speaking from personal observation, therefore I can say that the whole undertaking was admirably planned and admirably executed. The forts on this occasion were completely demolished by guncotton, and the dervishes were driven out, leaving 32 dead in the caves alone. From beginning to end there was no hitch of any sort, and it was due to capable handling by the Commanding Officer and his staff, and excellent leading by the company commanders, that the casualty list was kept as low as it was. The behaviour also of the rank and file—Pioneers, Indian contingent, and Somali Camel Constabulary—left nothing to be desired, and great credit is due to all officers and men alike. The fighting on the 4th February lasted for over five hours. The position in the ravine occupied by the dervishes was an extremely formidable one, and from the caves and inner fort they offered a desparate resistance, though not present in any great numerical strength. It is proved beyond dispute that the dervish of to-day is still a first-class fighter, and even when cornered he remains fanatically defiant to the end. During the two periods our casualties amounted to one British officer killed and five wounded (two severely and three slightly); four native rank and file killed and 25 wounded : and four tribal auxiliaries killed and ten wounded. It is impossible accurately to estimate the dervish losses, but they certainly had over 70 in killed alone. The main value of the operations, however, lies in the moral effect.

6. By the destruction of his forts at Shimber Berris and the routing of his followers the Mullah has undoubtedly sustained a severe blow and his prestige is badly damaged. It is clear, moreover, that this success will be of inestimable value to a young corps, imbuing our Somali troops with confidence in themselves and in their officers ; while the moral effect produced on the minds of the friendlies is, of course, excellent. I consider the operations under review, therefore, not only extremely successful in themselves, but very important in their general bearings on the country, and I desire to bring to your personal notice, for some special mark of recognition, the good services of Colonel Cubitt. I also desire to put forward, for military reward, the names of the following officers, native officers, non-commissioned officers and men :—

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Captain H. C. Dobbs, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry, brought a gun into action on the 23rd November within sixty yards of a fort, under a hot fire, and conducted a flank attack with success. During the past few years this officer has commanded the Indian contingent in Somaliland with marked ability.

No. 4392 Naik Sher Singh, 23rd Sikh Pioneers, for bravery on the 4th February. In placing a charge of guncotton against the door of a fort, under a hot fire from inside, he was knocked over and stunned ; but, collecting himself, he returned and duly laid the charge.

No. 4584 Havildar Teja Singh, 23rd Sikh Pioneers, followed Sher Singh, placed his charge coolly, arranged fuses correctly, and fired the charge, also under fire.

Jemadar Feroze Khan, Indian contingent and 56th Punjabi Rifles, displayed great activity and driving power in marching his column from Burao to Little Bohotleh, and a high degree of military knowledge both in the measures taken for the security of his column and in the handling of a platoon during the attack on the forts on the 23rd November.

No. 293 Naik (local Havildar) Shan Khan, Indian contingent and 76th Punjabis, was in charge of the gun that came into action on the 23rd November within sixty yards of a fort under a hot fire. He also distinguished himself after Dul Madoba in August 1913.

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The following officers, non-commissioned officers and men also distinguished themselves, and are deserving of mention :—

Captain W. A. H. Bird, 23rd Sikh Pioneers, displayed great skill in the demolition of the forts, on one occasion under a hot fire at close range.

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Lieutenant C. A. L. Howard, 32nd Lancers, displayed considerable courage in throwing hand grenades into caves under fire, and was wounded in doing so.

Brevet Major G. H. Summers, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry, as Staff Officer and Intelligence Officer, provided timely and most accurate information, and was indefatigable in the performance of his duties.

Captain H. L. Ismay, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry, made the staff arrangements in February prior to and during the operations, and with complete success, this not being an easy task in a waterless country such as Somaliland in the dry season.

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I have, &c.,

G. F. ARCHER,

His Majesty's Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief,
Somaliland Protectorate.

From Lieutenant-Colonel T. A. Cubitt, Commanding the Troops, Somaliland Protectorate, to H. M. Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief.

Military Headquarters, Burao,
9th February 1915.

SIR,

In accordance with your request I have the honour to render the following report on the operations at Shimber Berris in November 1914 and February 1915.

I left Burao on 17th November with a self-contained mounted column of 14 officers and 520 rank and file, composed partly of Indian contingent and partly of Camel Constabulary. The neighbourhood of Shimber Berris was reached on 19th without the dervishes being aware the column had even left Burao. The column ascended the Burdab, and the enemy were found to be in occupation of three forts on the top of the hill. The attack on the two nearest forts commenced at 11 A.M.; one was rushed by a party of the Indian contingent under Lieutenant Howard, but the other, though charged repeatedly by a company of the Camel Corps, was firmly held by the dervishes. During one of these charges Captain Symons, King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, was killed within one yard of the door. Machine guns were brought into action at close range, but to no avail. Realising that the fort was too strong to be rushed, I broke off the action at 3 P.M., the withdrawal being effected in good order and almost without molestation. The column camped eight miles south of the Burdab. Reinforced by a gun from Burao, the column advanced again against the forts on the morning of 23rd November. One fort again offered no resistance, and the fort attacked on the 19th was speedily captured. Captain Dobbs was despatched with two companies, and the gun to attack a third fort situated 1,100 yards away, but necessitating a detour of four miles owing to the presence of precipitous

ravines. The attack was well executed; 60 to 70 dervishes fled precipitately out of the fort and down the hill, suffering some casualties. A fort in the valley near the wells and 800 feet below my position was shelled, whereupon the enemy evacuated the forts and caves in the valley and fled eastwards.

In view of the fact that there were a number of severely wounded officers and men in my camp, I deemed it imperative to return to Burao as soon as possible. Moreover, without explosives it was impossible to effect anything more than very partial demolition of the forts; therefore I decided not to attempt any demolition in the valley. The column was accordingly assembled at 3 P.M., and Burao was reached on 25th.

The terrain at Shimber Berris is extremely difficult; the Burdab range rises a sheer 1,100 feet out of the plain, and is intersected with steep ravines covered everywhere with boulders and thick scrub. The forts are remarkably well sited and very strong. The walls are 9 to 12 feet thick at the base, 16 to 20 feet high, and 24 feet wide, provided with well-made machicouli galleries but badly constructed loopholes, and each fort is capable of holding from 50 to 70 men. The sides of the cliffs are honeycombed with caves, some of which are capable of containing 100 men and animals.

The troops were not in sufficient strength to leave a post in Shimber Berris, and, as I anticipated, the dervishes returned in about a fortnight. The Mullah was careful, however, to send an entirely new detachment to replace the former one, whose moral had been severly shaken. Explosives were obtained from Aden and India, and an officer with thirteen men, 23rd Sikh Pioneers, was placed at our disposal by the General Officer Commanding, Aden, so that I was enabled to concentrate a force, partly mounted and partly dismounted of 15 officers, 570 rank and file, six machine guns, and two guns in the neighbourhood of Shimber Berris on 2nd February. The mobility of this column was hampered by 280 transport camels, the majority of which were carrying water.

On 3rd February, I advanced in two columns against the forts of the Burdab. Although the dervishes had commenced construction of new forts, the hill top was unoccupied, and the forts were blown up by the Pioneers. The following morning, 4th February, the column was transferred from south to north of the Burdab by a pass seven miles west of Shimber Berris, and was concentrated in the plain close to that place by noon. The enemy were holding two forts overlooking and flanking a deep nullah and a fort at the far end of the nullah, also in occupation of the numerous caves in the hillsides.

One company was despatched against each of the flanking forts, while the middle fort was also engaged at long range.

The two flanking forts were captured after two hours' fighting, but the enemy developed a heavy fire from the caves, from the middle fort, and from the vicinity of the fort. The guns were brought forward, and with machine guns engaged the middle fort and the caves at close range. The enemy's fire slackened, and dervishes were observed to be evacuating the fort and retiring southwards up the ravine. I despatched a company against this fort but, although unable to effect an entrance, the company remained round the fort and enabled the Pioneers to place a charge of guncotton against the door, under a hot fire from the occupants inside. The fort and its defenders were blown up, hand grenades were thrown into caves known to be still occupied, and the two flanking forts were also blown up. I then withdrew the column, reaching my zareba at 6-15 P.M., fighting having lasted continuously for more than five hours. The next morning all the caves were found to have been evacuated. Leaving a tribal post at Shimber Berris, the column returned to Burao on 7th and 9th February.

It is difficult to estimate the numbers opposed to the column or the numbers killed either in November or February, but information leads me to believe that 400 to 500 were present in November, of whom some 40 were killed and many died of wounds subsequently; while in February not more than 100 to 120 remained to oppose the advance, of whom 32 alone were found dead in the caves.

The casualties during both periods are as follows :—

Killed, 1 officer, 1 rank and file (Indian contingent), 3 rank and file (Camel Corps), 4 tribal auxiliaries; wounded, 5 officers, 1 rank and file (Indian contingent), 21 rank and file (Camel Corps), 10 tribal auxiliaries. I desire to bring to your notice the services rendered by the following officers :—

(*a*) *In November.*

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Captain H. C. Dobbs, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry, brought a gun into action on 23rd November within sixty yards of a fort, under hot fire, and conducted a flank attack with success.

The following are also deserving of mention :—

Major G. H. Summers, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry, my Staff Officer.

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(*b*) *In February.*

Captain W. A. H. Bird, 23rd Sikh Pioneers, displayed great skill in the demolition of the forts, and on one occasion under a hot fire at close range.

Captain H. L. Ismay, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry, made all the staff arrangements prior to and during the operations, an exceedingly difficult task in a waterless country in the dry season, and with the complete success that you witnessed.

Lieutenant C. A. L. Howard, 32nd Lancers, displayed considerable courage in throwing hand grenades into caves under fire, and was wounded in doing so.

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(*c*) The following native officer, non-commissioned officers and men :—

In November.

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Jemadar Feroze Khan, 51st Punjabi Rifles. No. 293 Naik (local Havildar) Shan Khan, 76th Punjabis.

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In February.

No. 4392 Naik Sher Singh, 23rd Sikh Pioneers, for bravery on 4th February. In placing a charge of guncotton against a door of a fort, under a hot fire from inside, he was knocked over and nearly insensible, but as soon as he got clear he returned and placed the charge in the correct place.

No. 4584 Havildar Teja Singh followed Sher Singh, placed his charge coolly, arranged fuses correctly, and fired the charge, also under fire.

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I have, &c.,

T. ASTLEY CUBITT,
Lieutenant-Colonel,
Commanding the Troops, Somaliland Protectorate.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 30th September 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 26th September 1916.

No. 9223.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exempt tea sent from Travancore by land to British Indian ports for shipment thence to foreign countries from the export duty leviable thereon under Schedule III of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended, provided that export duty at the rate of Re. 1-8 per 100 lbs. has already been paid on such tea to the Travancore Darbar.

The 30th September 1916.

No. 9378.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exempt silver plate, silver thread and wire, and silver manufactures of all sorts, from so much of the import duty leviable thereon under item 50 of Schedule II, Part II, of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended, as is in excess of a duty of 10 per cent. *ad valorem*, provided that if at any time the duty leviable under the proviso to the said item 50 is less than 10 per cent. *ad valorem* then the lesser duty shall be the duty leviable.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 7th October 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 6th October 1916.

No. 1842-G.—With reference to Notification No. 1352-G., dated the 24th July 1916, the provisional recognition of the appointment of Mr. G. D. Lys as Acting Consul for Uruguay at Calcutta has been confirmed.

A. H. GRANT,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 7th October 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 7th October 1916.

No. 9572-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1915 (XIV of 1915), and in supersession of the Notification in this Department No. 1193-W., dated the 1st

January 1916, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned officers to act as Custodians for the purpose of receiving, holding and dealing with such money as may be paid to them in pursuance of the said Act, in respect of the territories specified against them :—

Controller of Hostile Trading Concerns, Bombay.	For the Presidency of Bombay (excluding Sind and Aden).
Controller of Hostile Trading Concerns in Sind.	For Sind.
Controller of Hostile Trading Concerns in Aden.	For Aden.

No. 9673 W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9063-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, viz :—

Additions.

Block, E.	
Blockhuys, V.	
Continental Export and Import Company	Shanghai.
King, Zunglieh D.	
Mayers, F. J.	Amoy.
Michael, Albert	Shanghai.
Pohoomul Brothers	,,
Silas & Company	,,
Technischo Export Maatschappij Azie ...	,,
Tisdall, B. D.	Amoy.
Wadman, H. P.	Shanghai.
Weippert, W. H. C.	Amoy.
Yunnanfu Electric Light Company.	

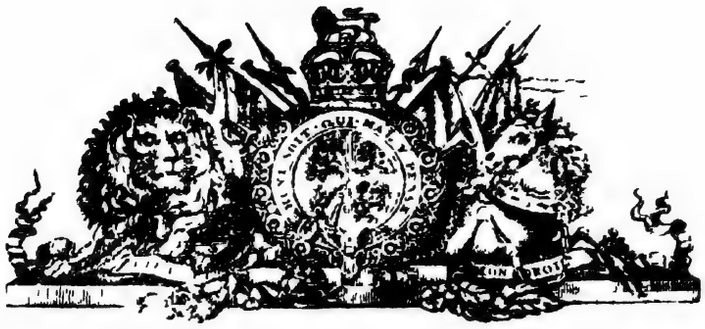
Alterations.

For the entry "Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Ordinance, 1916 (IV of 1916)" *read* "Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916)."

Delete the entry "Quan Hang Shing, Canton."

C. E. Low,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Malda. *No. 593T.M.—The 4th October, 1916.*—The following draft of an additional by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the Old Malda Municipality, in the district of Malda, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft by-law will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1916 and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered.

Draft By-law.

"No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road except—

(*a*) with the permission of the Commissioners in writing and

(*b*) on payment of a fee of Re. 1

This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of *fuljhari*, *charki*, *satka*, *patka*, and other harmless squibs and crackers.

Fine, Rs. 10."

Hooghly. *No. 598T.M.—The 5th October 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Uttarpara Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Shib Krishna Ray Chaudhari to be their Chairman.

Khulna. *No. 595L.S.-G.—The 4th October 1916.*—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under sections 38 and 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 11th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in the district of Khulna into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Khulna ...	Bagerhat ...	Fakirhat...	Nawapara	9	Boltoli .... 12 Pijanga ... ... 13 Barberia ... ... 14 Shyambagat ... ... 15 Bhadua or Firingidanga ... 16 Nawapara ... ... 17 Balladanga ... ... 76 Shahapur 77	*North.* Lakpur (20), Ballabhpur (18), thana Khulna, Satberia (11), Barberia (10) Lalchandrapur (9). *East.* Pagla Shyamnagar (80), Diapara (79), Jaria (78), Jaria Sirgauti (105). *South.* Kaishi Panchali (106), Udkul (107), Bhatpara Rasulpur (75), Palkpara (74), Palkpara (73), Sunagar (61), Jugidanga (60), Fakirdanga (59). *West.* Srikrishnapur (38), Mashkata (37), Nij Jaria (36), Kamardanga (34), Kahardanga (33).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that as the Nawapara Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

3. This cancels Notification No. 75L.S.-G., dated the 14th January 1909.

Rangpur.

No. 2466L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916 and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Betgari ...	9	Sherpur ... ... 31 Sherpur ... ... 32 Puthimari ... ... 33 Chak Bala ... ... 34 Khaprikhal ... ... 35 Sherpur ... ... 36 Betgari ... ... 37 Aladadpur ... ... 40 Arazi Digaltari ... 41 Dagura ... ... 42 Digaltari 43	*North.* Jaldhaka thana. *East.* Jaldhaka thana. Barabila ... 22 Pakuria ... 30 Ghagatari ... 29 Panapukhar ... 28 *South.* Khalia ... 56 Khalia ... 39 Pauladaha ... 38 Digaltari ... 44 Lalchandpur ... 45 *West.* Jaldhaka thana.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Betgari Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2467L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Khalia ...	7	Pauladaha 38	*North.*
			Khalia 39	Khaprikhal 35
			Do. 56	Aladadpur 40
			Mahadebpur 57	Arazi Digaltari ... 41
			Digaltari 44	Dagura 42
			Lalchandpur 45	Digaltari 43
			Harakali 46	*East.*
			Digaltari 47	Betgari 37
				Panapukhar 28
				South.
				Maheshpur 51
				Harakhali 48
				Mahadebpur 54
				Gokulpur 55
				Khalisa Gird 58
				West.
				Badarganj thana.
				Jaldhaka thana.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Khalia Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

No. 2468L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Rangpur.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Barabila ...	7	Maniram-Upanchanki ...	21	*North.*	
			Barabila	22	Jaldhaka thana.	
			Arazi Maniram ...	23	Kuribisa	20
			Bagpur	24	Ahala	16
			Thakurdaha ...	25	*East.*	
			Thakurdaha-Taluk ...	26	Kulkanda	14
			Uttam Kismat ...	27	Bhutka	13
			Panapukhar ...	28	Nabanidas	142
			Ghagatari	29	*South.*	
			Pakuria	30	Khalisa Gird ...	58
					Ranchandi	120
					Manohar	121
					Abhiram	124
					West.	
					Mahadebpur	57
					Khalia	56
					Betgari	37
					Sherpur	36
					Sherpur	31
					Sherpur	32

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Barabila Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

No. 2469L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Rangpur.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union:—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Kulkanda...	7	Chilakhal	1	*North*	
			Matukpur	2	River Tista.	
			Matukpur Kismat ...	3	*East.*	
			Matukpur Sriram	4	River Tista.	
			Bilbila	5	Ichli ...	147
			Sriram	6	Sankardaha ...	11
			Sankardaha	7	Dhamur Kismat ...	8
			Kulkanda	14	Dhamur Taluk ...	9
			Muktaram	15	*South.*	
			Ahala	16	Bhutka	13
			Paikan Farash Khana ...	17	Panapukhar	28
			Janaku	18	Bagpur	24
			Kulkanda Khamar ...	19	Arazi Maniram ...	23
			Kuribisa	20	Barabila	22
					Maniram-Upanchauki ...	21
					West.	
					Jaldhaka thana	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Kulkanda Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2470L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Lakshmitari.	7	Sankardaha 11	*North.*
			Narsingh 145	River Tista.
			Lakshmitari 146	*East.*
			Ichli 147	River Tista.
			Yusufkuri 148	Chalapak 152
			Arazi Dukhia ... 149	Jaydeb 158
			Jayram Ojha ... 150	*South.*
			Dasgandi 151	Habu 156
			Buridanga 154	Changmari 144
			Mandrail 155	Mandrail 148
			Dukhia 153	*West.*
				Gangachara 12
				Dhamur Taluk ... 9
				Arazi-Dhamur ... 10
				Dhamur Kismat ... 8
				Sarkardaha 7
				Bilbila 5

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Lakshmitari Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2471 L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Gangachara	7	Dhamur Kismat ...	8	*North.*	
			Dhamur Taluk ...	9	Sankardaha	7
			Arazi Dhamur ...	10	Sankardaha	11
			Gangachara ...	12	*East.*	
			Bhutka	13	Sankardaha	11
			Niamat	140	Lakshmitari ...	146
			Nilakchandi	141	Narsingh	145
			Nabanidas	142	Habu	156
			Mandrail	143	*South.*	
			Changmari	144	Abhiram	124
					Sheikh Taib	139
					Baragharia	138
					Kobaru	136
					West.	
					Panapukhar	28
					Kulkanda	14

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Gangachara Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2472 L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection, or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885) the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Gajganta	7	Chulapak 152	*North.*
			Habu 156	Jayram Ojha 150
			Gajgantanagar ... 157	Dasgandi 151
			Jaydeb 158	Lakshmitari 146
			Aiknath 159	Mandrail 155
			Ramballabh ... 160	Buridanga 154
			Arazi Debottar Kismat .. 161	Dukhia 153
			Ramkanta 162	*East.*
			Parbat Kismat ... 163	Kaliganj thana.
			Mausasur 164	Ahual 166
			Umaru 205	Dari Debottar ... 165
			Habu 206	Rupai Chhota ... 167
				Rupai 184
				South.
				Kobaru 136
				Harati 132
				Pasuram 209
				Banughat ... ..., 207
				Banughat 202
				Hariram Mal ... 204
				West.
				Nilakchandi 141
				Changmari 144

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Gajganta Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2473 L.S-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Haragach	7	Dari Debottar ... 165	*North.*
			Abual 166	River Tista.
			Rupal Chhota ... 167	*East.*
			Kartik 168	River Tista.
			Jaydeb 169	*South.*
			Pora Narsingh ... 170	Mahiganj thana.
			Jaynarayan Debottar ... 171	Kartik 189
			Nitarpara 172	Sadai 188
			Mobila 173	Gunanbadhai ... 187
			Narsingh 174	Kartik Gird Purba ... 183
			Mobila 175	Arip 185
			Hajipara 176	Baksha 186
			Hargacha Modafat ... 177	*West.*
			Kamdeb 178	Jaydeb 158
			Bamdeb 179	Mausasur 164
			Sarai 180	Ramkanta 162
			Baksha 181	Arazi Debottar Kismat ... 161
			Maubhasa 182	Chalapak 152
			Rupai 184	Hariram Mal ... 204

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Haragach Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2474L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Mominpur	7	Lalchandpur 50	*North.*
			Maheshpur 51	Lalchandpur 45
			Khursha-Balarampur ... 52	Harakali 49
			Bodha 73	
			Mominpur 74	*East.*
			Kharuabadha 75	Harakali Kismat ... 53
			Mansingpur 76	Ratirampur 62
			Jahanpur 77	Fakiram Kismat ... 64
			Hazarirghata 78	Ramjibanpur 63
			Momilpur 79	Haridebpur 71
				Ramanathpur 72
				Ishanpur 70
				Rajpur 80
				South.
				Badarganj thana.
				West.
				Badarganj thana.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Mominpur Union is not ripe of an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No 2475 L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1895), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council

is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Haridebpur	7	Harakali	48	*North.*	
			Ditto	49	Lalchandpur ...	45
			Ditto Kismat ...	53	Digaltari	47
			Mahadebpur	54	Kholea	39
			Gokulpur	55	Do.	56
			Khalisa Gird	58	Mahadebpur	57
			Gangahara	59	*East.*	
			Dabidebpur	60	Ranchandi	120
			Manthana	61	Uttam Taluk ...	117
			Ratirampur	62	Gilabari	113
			Ramjibanpur	63	Kamdebpur	112
			Fakiram Kismat ...	64	Rajendrapur Digar ...	109
			Gadadharjol	65	*South.*	
			Bishwanathpur ...	66	Ishanpur	70
			Gangadas	67	*West.*	
			Yusufpur	68	Momilpur	79
			Arazi Ratirampur ...	69	Hazarirghata... ...	78
			Haridebpur	71	Mominpur	74
			Ramnathpur	72	Bodha	73
					Kharuabadha ...	75
					Khursha Balarampur ...	52
					Lalchandpur ...	50
					Maheshpur	51

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Haridebpur Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2476L.S.-G—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885) the Governor in Council is

pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Uttam ...	7	Uttam Taluk	...	117	*North.*		
			Manthana ...	...	118	Panapukhar ...	...	28
			Baragharia ...	...	119	Nabanidas ...	...	142
			Ranchandi ...	...	120	Niamat ...	...	140
			Manohar ...	...	121	Nilakchandi ...	...	141
			Hariram Siraj	...	122			
			Manthana ...	...	123	*East.*		
			Abhiram ...	...	124	Kobaru ...	...	136
			Narsingh Kismat	...	125	Chabbishhazari	...	127
			Gathalu ...	...	137	Arazi Bhogi ...	...	126
			Baragharia ...	...	138	Dhap ...	...	214
			Sheikh Taik	...	139	*South.*		
			Niamat ...	...	215	Jagadishpur	...	115
			Kalaband ...	...	216	Gilabari ...	...	113
						Bhaktipur ...	...	217
						Bilatari ...	...	218
						Pirjabad ...	...	222
						Parbatipur ...	...	223
						Bhogi ...	...	213
						West.		
						Manthana ...	...	61
						Gangahara ...	...	59
						Khalisa Gird ...	...	58

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Uttam Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No 2477L. S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Pasuram ...	7	Arazi Bhogi ...	126	*North.*	
			Chabbishhazari ...	127	Nilakchandi ...	141
			Arazi Dalotar ...	128	Habu ...	156
			Maypur ...	129	Habu ...	206
			Payodhar ...	130	*East.*	
			Arazi Arip ...	131	Banuglat ...	207
			Harati ...	132	Ditto ...	202
			Arazi Kebalkrishna ...	133	Tapadhan ...	201
			Baldursing ...	134	Jamalkhan ...	200
			Kebalkrishna ...	135	Mahabatkhan ...	191
			Kobaru ...	136	Khalsakuri ...	198
			Binod ...	199	Khursa-Balarampur ...	52
			Chirabat Chandi ...	208	Lalchandpur ...	45
			Pasuram Taluk ...	209	*South.*	
			Pasuram Taluk ...	210	Rangpur Municipality.	
			Taluk Debottar ...	211	*West.*	
			Nilkanta ...	212	Kalaband ...	216
			Bhogi ...	213	Niamat ...	215
			Dhap ...	214	Uttam Taluk ...	117
			Banakuar ...	46	Narsingh Kismat ...	125
			Arazi Paydhar ...	47	Abhiram ...	124
			Chauna ...	48	Gathalu ...	137
			Kaimagali Kukuru Debottar ...	49	Baragharia ...	138
			Amasu ...	50		
			Kukrol ...	51		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Pasuram Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2478L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thanas Rangpur and Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Tapadhan	7	Kartik Gird Purba ...	183	*North.*	
			Arip	185		
			Baksha	186	Habu	206
			Gunanbadhai ...	187	Umaru	205
			Sadai	188	Jaydeb	158
			Kartik	189	Rupai	184
			Gunanbadhai ...	190	Maubhasa	182
			Mahabbat Khan ...	191		
			Pasua	192		
			Chandkuti	193	*East.*	
			Changchoka ...	194		
			Bidu Kumla ...	195	A portion of Mahiganj thanu.	
			Chilman	196	Arazi Bir Charan Khamar ...	39
			Umarkuti	197	Madaman	38
			Khalsakuri	198	Kachu	32
			Jamalkhan	200		
			Tapadhan	201	*South.*	
			Banughat	202		
			Hariram Mal ...	203	Rangpur Municipality.	
			Hariram Mal ...	204		
			Banughat	207		
			Manadar	33	*West.*	
			Taluk Doulat ...	34		
			Mangopal	35	Amasu	50
			Ramgobinda ...	36	Banakuar	46
			Bircharan	37	Binod	199
			Kismat Bhikari ...	40	Pasuram Taluk ...	209
			Sahebganj	41		
			Sri Kachla	42		
			Kachla	43		
			Bhebani Charan Khamar...	44		
			Nahati	45		
			Kachla Bahir ...	52		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Tapadhan Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2479L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Satghara ...	7	Manoharpur	... 101	*North.*	
			Damodarpur	... 220	Rangpur Municipality.	
			Surmanipur	... 221	Kalaband	... 216
			Pirjabad	... 222	*East.*	
			Parbatipur	... 223	Rangpur Municipality.	
			Rampura	... 224	Darsana	... 230
			Satghara	... 225	Binodpur	... 234
			Babu Khan	... 231	Akhilpur	... 235
			Ganeshpur	. 232	Harirampur	... 236
			Diodoba	... 233	*South.*	
			Barabari	... 237	Darsana Pahari	... 243
					Durgapur-Dilian	... 238
					Madhabpur	... 94
					Jadabpur	... 95
					West.	
					Ajodhyapur	... 97
					Jalkaria	... 100
					Bhabanipur	... 102
					Radhakrishnapur	... 219
					Bilatari	... 218

2. In exercise of the power coferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Union Satghara is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2480L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Rajendrapur.	5	Bhabanipur ...	...	102	*North.*		
			Gopinathpur ...		103	Manthana ...	...	61
			Chak Yusufpur	...	106	Uttam Taluk ...	...	117
			Pakhikandar ...	...	107			
			Chak Haridebpur	...	108	*East.*		
			Rajendrapur Digar	...	109	Rangpur Municipality.		
			Arazi Parbatipur	...	110	Pirjabad ...	...	222
			Dandi ...	...	111	Damodarpur ...	...	220
			Kamdebpur ...	...	112			
			Gilabari ...	...	113	*South.*		
			Mathapur ...	...	114	Manoharpur ...	...	101
			Jagadishpur ...	...	115	Julkaria ...	...	100
			Uttam Arazi ...	...	116	Srirampur ...	...	99
			Bhaktipur ...	...	217	Chandanpat ...	...	104
			Bilatari ...	...	218			
			Radhakrishnapur	...	219	*West.*		
						Ishanpur ...	...	70
						Arazi Ratirampur	...	69
						Yusufpur ...	...	68
						Bishwanathpur	...	66
						Gadadharjol ...	...	65
						Ratirampur ...		62

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Rajendrapur Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2481L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885) the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Chandanpat	7	Ishanpur 70	*North.*
			Rajpur 80	Ramanathpur 72
			Haripur 81	Haridebpur 71
			Baikunthapur ... 82	Arazi Ratirampur ... 69
			Shayampur 83	
			Ajodhyapur 97	*East.*
			Umarpur 98	Rajendrapur Digar ... 109
			Srirampur 99	Chak Yusufpur ... 106
			Jalkaria 100	Gopinathpur 103
			Chandanpat 104	Bhabanipur 102
			Madhakai 105	Manoharpur 101
			Jadalpur 95	Barabari 237
				South.
				Madhabpur 94
				Madhabpur 93
				Ajodhyapur Panropi ... 96
				Kesabpur 84
				West.
				Momilpur 79
				Badarganj thana.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Chandanpat Union is not ripe for elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2482L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rangpur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Darsana ...	7	Aswathpur	228	*North.*	
			Satgharia	229		
			Darsana	230	Babukhan	231
			Binodpur	234	Ganeshpur	232
			Akhilpur	235	Rangpur Municipality.	
			Harirampur	236		
			Bishu Kismat ...	242	*East.*	
			Darsana Pahari ...	243		
			Sutrapur	244	Mahiganj thana.	
			Mulakha	245		
			Sheikhpara	246	*South.*	
			Bangaon Bader ...	247		
			Dhurmadas	248	Mithapukur thana.	
			Panbari	249		
					West.	
					Janaki Digar	240
					Selimpur	241
					Fatehpur	239
					Durgapur Dilian ...	238
					Barabari	237
					Dudoba	233

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council, is pleased to direct that, as the said Darsana Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2483L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 4th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Tamfat ...	7	Rangpur Bara	...	67	*North.*		
			Kharakrai ...	...	68	Rangpur Municipality.		
			Satantara ...	...	69	*East.*		
			Arazi Tamfat	...	70	Muktaram ...	...	103
			Mirganj ...	...	71	Dardil ...	..	99
			Tamfat Khurd	...	72	Mandira ...	...	97
			Dharmadass	...	73	Fakira ...	...	184
			Tamfat ...	...	74	Taiab ...	...	96
			Tamfat Taluk	...	75	Gujar Khan	...	89
			Kalicharan ...	...	76	Jila Sardar ...	...	87
			Lakshman ...	...	77	Makura Bhagaban	...	88
			Azizulla ...	...	78	Arazi Chalunia	...	90
			Hoseinnagar	...	79	Kharija Khanabari	...	91
			Chalunia ...	...	80	Gunan ...	...	92
			Kadimnagar	...	81	Jaykrisha ...	...	93
			Raghu ...	...	82	Rati ...	...	94
			Makura ...	...	83	Parul ...	...	222
			Baju Khan ...	...	84	*South.*		
			Tamfat ..	...	85	Mithapukur thana.		
			Bakchu ...	...	86	*West.*		
			Ambari ...	...	100	Mauzas Panbari (249), Sheikhpara (246), Milakha (245), and Aswathpur (228) in Rangpur thana.		
			Mankhamar	...	101			
			Rangpur Chhota	...	102			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Tamfat Union is not ripe for elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

No. 2484 L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Rangpur.

2 The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Parul ...	7	Jula Sardar	...	87	*North.*		
			Makura Bhagaban	...	88			
			Gujar Khan	...	89	Bakchi	...	86
			Arazi Chalunia	...	90	Taiab	...	96
			Kharija Khanabari	...	91	Dalgram	...	95
			Gunan	...	92	Fakira	...	184
			Jaykrishna	...	93	Kalyani	...	185
			Rati	...	94	Pasua	...	186
			Tripar	...	206	Shyamnarayan	...	187
			Mahishmuri Chhota	...	207	Durgacharan	...	197
			Sarip Sadar	...	208			
			Sundar	...	209	*East.*		
			Sachakandi Kismat	...	210			
			Chand Raghu	...	211	Sal Mahammad	...	201
			Nagda	...	212	Bhagaban Khamar	...	202
			Sachakandi Taluk	...	213	Hayat Khan Bara	...	203
			Abhirami	...	214	Phulbari-Brahmottar	...	205
			Sachakandi	...	215	Pabitrajhar	...	204
			Berahim	...	216	Katukibari	...	235
			Anandi Dhaniram	...	217	Phulbari	...	238
			Parul Taluk	...	218	Chandipur	...	239
			Kismatchanda	...	219			
			Parul	...	220	*South.*		
			Kharijapara	...	221			
			Parul	...	222	Jitpur	...	225
			Saidpur	...	223	Radhacharan	...	224
			Manurchora	...	226	Thana Mitapokhur.		
			Jagatpur	...	227			
			Kismat Kala	...	228	*West.*		
			Arazi Bhati Katukibari	...	229			
			Chalunia	...	230	Makura	...	83
			Chalunia Khamar	...	231	Bakchi	...	86
			Arazi Chalunia	...	232			
			Ramchandra Mathur	...	233			
			Mahishmuri	...	234			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Parul Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2485 L.S-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Etakumari	7	Baghari Khamar	169	*North.*	
			Babua	170		
			Basua	186	Khudra Upanchauki	176
			Shyamnarayan	187	Ramnath ...	175
			Haragobinda	188	Kaniram ...	174
			Hatkandi	189	Kursa ...	171
			Jiban Mathur	190	Sibu ...	309
			Satbhita	191	Jadu Laskar	298
			Habid Khan	192		
			Srikanta	193	*East.*	
			Jagjiban	194		
			Madhuram-	195	Ekbal ...	299
			Tooram	196	Arazi Chaytal	300
			Durgacharan	197	Rambhadra	301
			Khamar Baralbita	198	Dautari ...	302
			Machpukur Purabari	199	Karuna ...	303
			Hasua Digar	200	Arazi Randhan	304
			Sal Mahammad	201	Bhuban Bakshi	305
			Bhagaban Khamar	202	Harekrishna	292
			Hayat Khan Bara	203	Panchanan	291
			Phulbari Brahmottar	205	Baman Sardar	288
			Jhilia	272	Radhakrishna	409
			Anantaram	273	Pratap Jaysen	407
			Chinta	274	Radhakrishna	411
			Rupram Upanchanki	275	Nabui	414
			Hayat Khan Chotta	276		
			Radhakrishna	277	*South.*	
			Majumbash	278		
			Kandeb	279	Jhilia ...	415
			Matuk	280	Sukanpukhar	271
			Machpukur	281	Sukanpukhar	269
			Niasha	282	Pabitrajhar	204
			Ganganarayan	283	Mahishmuri	234
			Arazi Panchanan	284		
			Kismat Durlabh	285	*West.*	
			Arazi Suchash	286		
			Machpukur	287	Tripur ...	206
			Santosh or Etakumari	293	Sarip Sadar	208
			Durgacharan	294	Sundar	209
			Narsingh	295	Kalyani ...	185
			Hariram	296	Gorai ...	178
			Jagadish	297	Dhalkhana ...	177
			Arazi Pratap Bisu	410		
			Rajballabh	412		
			Jhilia	413		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that as the said Etakumari Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Annada-nagar.	7	Baman Sardar	...	288	*North.*		
			Fatehuddin	...	289			
			Janglipuri Lakheraj	...	290	Sibu ...	...	309
			Panchanan	...	291	Arazi Dantari	...	307
			Harekrishna	...	292	Haricharan Laskar	...	341
			Jadu Laskar	...	298	Rajiba ...	...	394
			Ekbal	...	299			
			Arazi Chaytal	...	300	*East.*		
			Rambhadra	...	301			
			Dantari	...	302	Maskuridigar Baje	...	384
			Karma	...	303	Arazi Sudura	...	385
			Arazi Ramdhan	...	304	Binod Maji ...	...	392
			Bhuban Baksi	...	305	Arazi Kalua ...	...	386
			Abhoy Bhakta	...	306	Arazi Jaysen ...	...	387
			Ratideb	...	308	Sudura Taluk (a portion)	...	388
			Jagjiban	...	375	Arazi Hariram	...	372
			Arazi Gobrapara		376	Brindaban ...	...	373
			Gobrapara	...	377	Hariram ...	...	374
			Gobrapara	...	378	Jigabari ...	...	451
			Sahebkhan	...	379	Adam ...	...	428
			Sudura Nilamkharida	...	380	Niz Kismat ...	...	435
			Arazi Narayan	...	381	Bishnuram ...	...	438
			Kala	...	3 2	Niz Madhab ...	..	439
			Narayan	...	383	Niz Kismat ...	...	440
			Sudura Taluk (a portion)	...	388	Baman ...	...	441
			Chaytal	...	395	Niz Kismat ...	...	442
			Nabu Chalunia	...	396	Baka Kismat ...	...	444
			Petbhata	...	397	Raghudeb ...	...	445
			Rangnath	...	398	Niz Kismat ...	...	446
			Janglipuri	...	3 9	Madhu Laskar	...	447
			Bara Bil	...	400	Kamalabari ...	...	448
			Ramdhan	...	401	Murarideb ...	...	449
			Mangona	...	402	Sudura ...		450
			Abdulbaki	...	403			
			Mahammad Mashum	...	404	*South.*		
			Nabu or Patanpara	...	405			
			Pratap Bisu	...	406	Salmara ...	...	475
			Pratap Jaysen	...	407	Paran ...	...	474
			Joan Khan	...	408	Jhilia ...	...	415
			Radhakrishna	...	409	Jhilia ...	..	413
			Radhakrishna	...	411			
			Nabni	...	414	*West.*		
			Bajramarayan	...	416			
			Rajballabh	...	417	Rajballabh ...	...	412
			Haricharan	...	418	Arazi Pratap Bisu	...	410
			Jaysen	...	419	Machpukur ...	...	281
			Chand Chaudhury	...	420	Arazi Panchanan	...	284
			Nabu Kakoal	...	421	Kismat Durlabh	...	285
			Niz Kismat	...	422	Arazi Suchash	...	286
			Arazi Jagjiban	...	423	Machpukur	...	287
			Nabu	...	424	Santosh or Etakuman	...	295
			Suarkaji Kismat	...	425	Jagadish ...	...	297
			Arazi Jagjiban	...	426	Sibu ...	..	309
			Prankrishna	...	427	Sudura (portion)	...	388
			Suarkaji Kismat	...	429			
			Taj	...	430			
			Suarkaji	...	431			
			Kakoal	..	432			
			Nayalankar	...	433			
			Jagjiban	...	434			
			Naylankar	...	436			
			Panchanan	...	437			
			Jagjiban	...	443			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Annadanagar Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Tepamadhupur	7	Paikan ...	343	*North.*	
			Hari Charan Sarma	344		
			Ramchandra	345	Ratibandar	346
			Gunai Niranjan	358	Shahbag ...	347
			Bishwanath	359	Sunsuntari ...	356
			Dubachari	360	Dhusmara ...	357
			Azamkhan	361		
			Muradina	362	*East.*	
			Haditala	363		
			Barabari	364		
			Khashana	365	River Tista.	
			Maskuridigar Baje	384		
			Arazi Sudura	385	*South.*	
			Arazi Kalua	386		
			Arazi Jayseu	387	Arazi Sudura	366
			Sudura taluk (a portion)	388	Doulat Khan...	369
			Jikabari	389	Narayanpur	371
			Jikabari	390	Arazi Hariram	372
			Nizbari	391	Gobrapara ...	378
			Binod Maji	392	Shahebkhan	379
			Arazi Habid Khan	393	Sudura Nilamkharida	380
			Rajiba	394	Arazi Narayan	381
					Kala ...	382
					Narayan ...	383
					Petbhata ...	397
					Sudura (portion)	388
					West.	
					Nabu Chalunia	396
					Chaytal	395
					Abhoybhakta	306
					Haricharan Laskar	341
					Niz Dhappa	342

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Tepamadhupur Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
						North.		
Rangpur ...	Chhawla ...	7	Arazi Sudura	...	366	Sudura Taluk	..	388
			Ramsing Upanchauki	...	367	Haditala	...	363
			Ramsing Niz	..	368	Barubari	...	364
			Daulat Khan	...	369	Khakhana	...	365
			Kuar ...	...	370			
			Narayanpur	...	371	*East.*		
			Arazi Hariram	...	372			
			Brindaban	...	373	Tista river.		
			Hariram	...	374			
			Jigabari	...	451	*South*		
			Joan	...	452			
			Kandina	...	453	Tambulpur	...	551
			Gabura	...	454	Biseshwar	...	550
			Daliuddin	...	455	Rangopal	...	546
			Haguria Hasim	...	456	Arazi Maniram	...	544
			Sibdeb	...	457			
			Bhabanipur Upanchauki		458	*West*		
			Kishoripara	...	459			
			Dewan Hasim	...	460	Pratipalan	..	472
			Haguria Hasim	...	461	Salmara	...	475
			Kasim	...	462	Arazi Jagjiban	...	423
			Binod Hasim	...	463	Nabu	...	424
			Damsar	...	464	Prankrishna	...	427
			Dhapgacha	...	465	Suar Kaji Kismat	...	425
			Ratanpur	...	466	Arazi Jagjiban	...	426
			Arazi Kasim	...	467	Suar Kaji Kismat	...	429
			Haguruddin Hasim	...	468	Taj	...	430
			Taj Taluk or Kishorpara		469	Suar Kaji	...	431
			Adam	...	470	Kakoal	...	432
			Padmapanchi	...	471	Nayalankar	...	433
			Nabu Harighat	...	547	Jagjiban	...	434
			Niz Taj Upanchauki	...	548	Nayalankar	...	436
			Kismat Chaua	...	549	Panchanan	...	437
			Adam	...	428	Jagjiban	...	443
			Niz Kismat	...	435	Jagjiban	...	375
			Bishnuram	...	438	Gobrapara	...	378
			Niz Madhab	...	439			
			Niz Kismat	...	440			
			Baman	...	441			
			Niz Kismat	...	442			
			Baka Kismat	...	444			
			Raghudeb	...	445			
			Niz Kismat	...	446			
			Madhu Laskar	...	447			
			Kamlabari	...	448			
			Murarideb	...	449			
			Sudura	...	450			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that as the said Chhawla Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Tambulpur	7	Pratipalan	472	*North.*	
			Paran	473		
			Salmara	474	Chand Chandhuri ...	420
			Salmara	475	Nabu Kakoal ...	421
			Ramkrishna Upanchauki...	476	Niz Kismat	422
			Rajballabh Bara ..	477	Arazi Jagjiban ...	423
			Arazi Pirgacha ...	478	Nabu	424
			Pirgacha Bara ...	479	Suar Kaji Kismat ...	425
			Pirgacha Chhota ...	480	Arazi Jagjiban ...	426
			Pirgacha Upanchauki ...	481	Prankrishna ...	427
			Dabu	482	Suar Kaji Kismat ...	429
			Arazi Birbaria ...	483	Taj	430
			Arazi Paran	484	Suar Kaji	431
			Arazi Dabu	485	Kakoal	432
			Taj Nabu Upanchauki ...	486	Nayalankar	433
			Birnarayan	487	Jagjiban	434
			Arazi Gopal Taluk ...	488	Nayalankar	436
			Birbaria	489	Panchanan	437
			Gopal	490	Jagjiban	443
			Taluk Kandi Natabari ...	538	Padmapanchi ...	471
			Arazi Nagar Mahammad...	539	Adam	470
			Gopal	540	Kismat Chaua ...	549
			Dabu	541		
			Sonarai	542	*East.*	
			Arazi Ramgopal ...	543		
			Arazi Maniram ...	544	Sundarganj.	
			Gauriram	545	River Tista.	
			Ramgopal	546		
			Biseshwar	550	*South.*	
			Tambulpur	551		
			Arazi Latsala ...	552	Thana Sundarganj.	
			Arazi Rahamat ...	553	Taluk Kandi ...	558
			Haricharan	554	Emad Khan ...	557
			Taluk Kandi Digdar ...	555	Arazi Maniram ...	535
			Ghagua	556	Arazi Kandi Taluk Nizpara	537
					Maniram	530
					Harideb	492
					Majbari	531
					Dadan	528
					Chapra	491
					West.	
					Bhalubari	258
					Anantaram	259
					Jhilia	415

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Tambulpur Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2490L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Pirgacha, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Pirgacha...	7	Pabitrajhar	204	*North*	
			Radhacharan ...	224		
			Jitpur	225	Phulbari Brahmottar ...	205
			Katukibari	235	Hayatkhan Bara ...	203
			Arazi Ramchaudra-Mathur Mahiganj thana.	236	Majumbash	278
					Hayatkhan Chhota ...	276
			Pabitrajhar	237	Anantaram	273
			Phulbari	238	Jhilia	272
			Chandipur	239	Do.	413
			Kuberbas	240	Nabni	414
			Hashilapara	241	Bajurnarayan ...	416
			Taluk Ishad	242	Rajballabh	417
			Piar	243	Chand Chaudhury ...	420
			Nauhali	248		
			Kachu	249		
			Anantaram	259	*East.*	
			Pirgacha	260		
			Pansia Chhota ...	261		
			Do. Bara	262	Paran	473
			Arazi Piar	263	Ramkrishna Upanchauki	476
			Goabari	264	Rajballabh Bara ...	477
			Sudam	265	Arazi Pirgacha ...	478
			Arazi Goabari ...	266	Pirgacha Bara ...	479
			Ditto ...	267	Ditto Chhota ...	480
			Lakshmikanta Rajballabh	268	Ditto Upanchauki ...	481
			Sukanpukhar ...	269	Arazi Dabu	485
			Radhakrishna ...	270	Dabu	482
			Sukanpukhar ...	271	Gopal	490
			Jhilia	415	*South.*	
					Bhalubari	258
					Kismat Upanchauki ...	257
					Balihar	256
					Taluk Bhattacharjya ...	250
					Dudia Bari	247
					Aladipur	245
					Kuchipara	244
					West.	
					Thana Mitapokhur.	
					Manurchora	226
					Arazi Chalunia ...	242
					Mahishmuri	234

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Pirgacha Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj in the district of Rangpur into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Kandi Nizpara.	7	Chapra	491		
			Harideb	492		
			Arazi Debdoba ...	518	*North.*	
			Chapra	519	Gopal	490
			Patak Shikar ...	520	Birbaria	489
			Patak Shikar Jot ...	521	Taluk Kandi Natabari ...	538
			Arazi Patak Shikar ...	522	Dabu	541
			Patak Shikar ...	523	Sonarai	542
			Arazi Dadan ...	524	Ghagua	556
			Maniram Mahmud ...	525		
			Nazar Mahammad ...	526		
			Sabur Kazi ...	527	*East.*	
			Dadan	528	Thana Sundarganj.	
			Taluk Kandi Kabalapara...	529		
			Maniram	530		
			Majbari	531	*South.*	
			Arazi Satantara ...	532	Thana Sundarganj.	
			Taluk Kandi Nizpara ...	533		
			Arazi Kandi Taluk ...	534		
			Arazi Maniram ...	535	*West.*	
			Satantara	536	Arazi Maniram ...	517
			Arazi Kandi Taluk Nizpara	537	Makrampur ...	516
			Emad Khan	557	Suhrid	515
			Bagmara	559	Harideb	495
			Taluk Kandi ...	558	Nazar Mahammad ...	494
			Manirampur	560	Nazar Mahammad ...	493
			Maniram	561	Bhalaubari	258
			Taluk Kandi Digdair ..	562		
			Digdair	563		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Kandi Nizpara Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

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Draft Order.

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Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Kaykuri ...	7	Kuchipara	...	244	*North.*		
			Alodipur	...	245			
			Sikandarpur	...	246	Pur	...	243
			Dudiabari	...	247	Nauhali	...	248
			Taluk Bhattacharjya	...	250	Kachu	...	249
			Dilalpara	...	251	Anantaram	...	259
			Arazi Jamirjan	...	252			
			Manohar	...	253	*East.*		
			Arazi Ajudhyaram	...	254			
			Manoharbari	...	255	Gopal	...	490
			Balihar	...	256	Harideb	...	492
			Kismat Upanchauki	...	257	Chapra	...	491
			Bhalubari	...	258	Dadan	...	528
			Nazar Mahammad	...	493	Patak Shikar	...	520
			Ditto	...	494	Arazi Dobdoba	..	518
			Harideb	...	495			
			Danghat Upanchauki	...	496	*South*		
			Jamirjan	...	497	Thana Sundarganj.		
			Ditto or Danghat	...	498			
			Ditto Kismat	...	499	*West.*		
			Kirti Mahabbat	...	500	Thana Mitapokhur.		
			Atsattipura	...	501			
			Umarkhan	...	502			
			Muksudkhan	...	503			
			Manglakuti or Ramchandrapara	...	504			
			Taluk Kutubbash	...	505			
			Phultala	...	506			
			Arazi Kutubbash	...	507			
			Ditto	...	508			
			Ramnathpara Dhulipara	...	509			
			Manglakuti	...	510			
			Kaykuri	...	511			
			Ditto	...	512			
			Mirerpara	...	513			
			Kutipara	...	514			
			Suhrid	..	515			
			Makrampur	...	516			
			Arazi Maniram	...	517			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Kaykuri Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

No. 2493L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby

Rangpur.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union:—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Sarai ...	7	Serai	...	1	*North.*		
			Dhumgara Nuhali	...	5			
			Dhumair Kuti	...	6	Rangpur thana.		
			Machhari Udaynarayan	...	7			
			Machhari	...	8	*East.*		
			Charu Bhadra	...	9			
			Khamar Nidhiram	...	10	Dhumgara Kriparam	...	2
			Banupara	...	11	Hargacha Mudafat	...	3
			Subangpur	...	12	Ditto	...	4
			Arazi Charu Bhadra	...	13	Thakurdass	...	124
			Charu Bhadra	...	14	Machhari Sonatan	...	123
			Haragouri	...	15	Pir Mahammad	...	19
			Machhari Udaynarayan	...	1	Ramchandrapur	...	119
			Machhari Kismat Bara	...	17	Kismat Kamdeb	...	28
			Machhari or Ramkanta	...	18	Madan Mohan Sabek	...	29
			Madanmohan Dari	...	20			
			Rambhadra Debottar	...	21	*South.*		
			Machhari Bhagirath	...	2	Upashu	...	30
			Machhari Binod	...	23	Machhari Radhakrishna	...	31
			Arazi Udaynarayan Machhari	...	24	Upashu	...	110
			Kismat Dhuli	...	25	Kalabari	...	59
			Arazi Madaman	...	26	Nachania	...	58
			Arazi Machhari Bara	...	27	*West.*		
			Kachu	...	32			
			Madaman	...	38	Dhumgara Kriparam	...	2
			Arazi Bir Charan Khamar		39	Hargacha Mudafat	...	3
						Ditto	...	4
						Takurdass	...	124
						Machhari Sonatan	...	123
						Ramchandrapur	...	119
						Kismat Kamdeb	...	28
						Madanmohan Sabek	...	29

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Sarai Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

No. 2494L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Ben. Act III of 188), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Rangpur.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Kalyani ...	7	Upashu	... 30	*North.*	
			Machhari Radhakrishna	... 31	Kachu ...	.. 32
			Kalabari	... 59	Madan Mohan Sabek	... 29
			Hazra Chhota	... 60	Dharmeswar	... 117
			Hazra Bara	... 61		
			Hazra Habid	... 62	*East.*	
			Gada Simulia	... 63		
			Dalgram	... 95	Haragobinda	... 114
			Taiab	... 96	Kamdeb ...	... 113
			Mandira	... 97	Bahagili ...	... 161
			Kuber Sadar	... 98	Kashinath ...	... 179
			Dardil	... 99	Gorai ...	... 178
			Muktaram	... 103	Pasua ...	... 186
			Hazra Abu	... 104	*South.*	
			Kalyani	... 105		
			Suchas	... 106	Sundar ...	.. 209
			Bahagili-Bisheshwar	... 107	Chaud Raghu	... 211
			Taluk Pasua	... 108	Nagda ...	... 212
			Hazra Harananda	... 109	Rati ...	... 94
			Upashu	... 110	Gunan ...	... 92
			Janakinath	... 111	Gujarkhan ...	... 89
			Kutha	... 112		
			Bahari	... 180	*West.*	
			Kalyani	... 181	Bakchi ...	... 86
			Kalyani Chhota	... 182	Mankhamar ...	... 101
			Kalarai	... 183	Ambari ...	... 100
			Fakira	... 184	Rangpur Chhota	... 102
			Kalyani	... 185	Antopara ...	... 64
					Ataiganj Hât	... 65
					Nuchania ...	... 58

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Kalyani Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2495L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Kursa ...	7	Pir Mahammad	19	*North.*	
			Kismat Kamdeb	28		
			Madan Mohan Sabek	29	Machhari or Ramkanta	18
			Kamdeb	113	Machhari Sonatan	123
			Haragobinda	114	Nazirdah	134
			Dharmeshwar	115	Sadu	143
			Bidhunarayan Debottar	116	Arazi Babua	156
			Dharmeshwar	117	Arazi Sibukantiram	144
			Haragobinda	118	Ballabh Basu	142
			Ramchandrapur	119	Bhutchhara Khurd	141
			Durgapur	120	Bhutchhara	322
			Arazi Durgapur	121		
			Chaudipur	122	*East.*	
			Ramkrishnapur	145		
			Chandghat	146	Khopati	316
			Sibukantiram	147	Shahbaz	317
			Chandghat Khas	148	Haricharan Laskar	341
			Arazi Debiram	149		
			Bir Bhadra	150	*South.*	
			Gadadhar	151		
			Arazi Pir Mahammad	152	Kalyani	185
			Bangsibadan	153	Pasua	186
			Ratiram	154	Shyamnarayan	187
			Shyampur	155	Satbhita	191
			Mahesh	157	Babua	170
			Arazi Haragobinda	158	Bagbari Khamar	169
			Bahagili Krishnamangal	159	Narsingh	295
			Bahagili Harishwar	160	Hariram	296
			Bahagili	161	Jagadish	297
			Hazra Satantara	162	Jadu Laskar	298
			Debiram	165	Ratideb	308
			Gopal	166	Abhoy Bhakta	306
			Bishnupur	167		
			Kursa Bisheswar	168	*West.*	
			Kursa	171		
			Ramnath	175	Fakira	184
			Khudra Upanchauki	176	Bahari	180
			Dhalkhana	177	Kutha	112
			Gorai	178	Janakinath	111
			Kashinath	179	Upashu	110
			Arazi Dantari	307	Ditto	30
			Sibu	309	Arazi Madaman	26
			Dubarjhar	310	Arazi Machhari-Bara	27
			Raibarwa	311	Madan Mohan Dari	20
			Raghunath	312	Kachua	32
			Maheshpur	313		
			Chandghat	314		
			Ditto	315		
			Bahagili	163		
			Rajballabh	164		
			Arazi Kantiram	172		
			Arazi Upanchauki	173		
			Kantiram	174		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Kursa Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2496L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Bhutchhara	7	Dhumgara Kriparam	2	*North.*	
			Hargacha Mudafat	3		
			Ditto	4	River Tista.	
			Machhari Sonatan	123		
			Thakurdass	124	*East.*	
			Hargacha Bejafti	125		
			Ditto Chaturia	126	Gopidanga ...	325
			Ramballabh	127	Kaulia Balapara ..	328
			Harishwar	128	Haldibari ...	321
			Arazi Pallimari	129	Batubari ...	319
			Pallia ...	130		
			Pall mari ...	131	*South.*	
			Beru ...	132		
			Rajiba ...	133	Khopati ...	316
			Nazirdah ...	134	Chandghat ...	315
			Udashi ...	135	Ditto ...	314
			Arazi Sabdi ...	136	Ramkrishnapur ...	145
			Prannath Chhôta	137	Chandghat ...	146
			Ratinath ...	138	Shyampur ...	155
			Sabdi ...	139	Mahesh ...	157
			Kartik ...	140	Chandipur ...	122
			Bhutchhara Khurd	141	Ramchandrapur ...	119
			Ballabh Basu	142		
			Sadu ...	143	*West.*	
			Arazi Sibukantiram	144		
			Do. Babua	156	Machhari or Ramkanta ...	18
			Bhutchhara	322	Ditto Udaynarayan ...	8
			Prannath	324	Dhumairkuti ...	6
					Sarai ...	1

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the Bhutchhara Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Rangpur.

No. 2497L.S.-G.—The 6th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 14th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

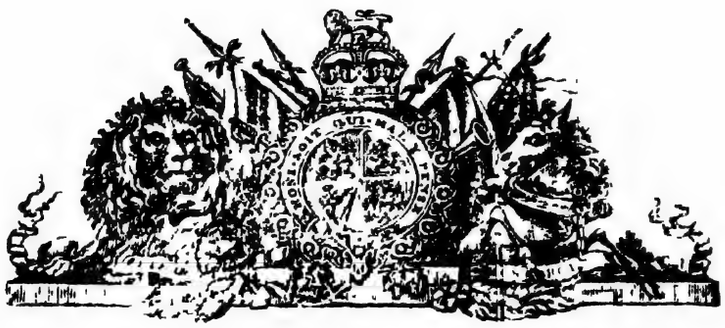
Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Kaunia-Balapara.	7	Khopati ... ... 316 Shahbaz ... ... 317 Batubari ... ... 318 Ditto ... ... 319 Haldibari ... ... 320 Ditto ... ... 321 Kanlia-Balapara ... 323 Gopidanga... ... 325 Arazi Kanlia ... 326 Arazi Bhutchhara ... 327 Ramgobinda ... 328 Arazi Harishwar ... 329 Ditto ... 330 Harishpur ... 331 Shahbaz ... ... 332 Lakshman ... ... 333 Arazi Shahabaz ... 334 Ganganarayan ... 335 Bangram ... ... 336 Harinath ... ... 337 Paitkapara ... ... 338 Batubari ... ... 339 Lakshman ... ... 340 Haricharan Laskar ... 341 Dhappa Niz ... 342 Ratibandar ... ... 346 Shahbaz ... ... 347 Nizpara ... ... 349 Arazi Harishwar ... 348 Gadai ... ... 350 Pajhordanga ... 351 Ratidass ... ... 352 Arazi Sunsuntari ... 353 Subhaghat ... ... 354 Dubaidanga ... 355 Sunsuntari ... 356 Dhusmara 357	*North.* River Tista. *East.* Thana Lalmonirhat. *South.* Abhoy Bhakta ... 306 Rajiba ... ... 394 Ramchandra ... 345 Haricharan Sarma ... 344 Gunai Niranjan ... 358 Arazi Dautari ... 307 Sibu ... ... 309 *West.* Raghunath ... ... 312 Chandghat ... .. 315 Bhutchhara ... 322 Sabdi ... ... 139 Prannath 324

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Kaunia-Balapara is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

L. S. S O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR, *the 9th March 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that upon the result of the next Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University being published the seven third grade Junior Scholarships allotted to the Chittagong Division will be distributed as follows :—

District Chittagong.	No of Scholarships.
Chittagong	2
Tippera	2
Noakhali	2
Chittagong Hill Tracts	1
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K. C. DE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE.—CHITTAGONG, *the 28th September 1916.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal State Railway, Dacca Section, in the district of Mymensingh, will be put up to sale, on 30th October 1916.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES. B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Mymensingh.	Pargana Alapsing, mauza Darikuttia.	97-98	Original main line and 1st diversion.	22 14 9	7·514	Nil ...	Nil ...	Commencing from 430 feet west of mile No. 97 towards west up to the river Brahmaputra.	*West*—River Brahmaputra. *North*, *South* and *East*—Mauza Darikuttia.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Alapsing, mauzas Pandapara and Kawnia.	98-99	1st diversion ...	16 13 0	5·504	Nil ...	Nil ...	From 630 feet east of mile No. 99 towards south up to the river Brahmaputra.	*North*—Mauza Kawnia. *South*—River Brahmaputra. *East* and *West*—Mauzas Kawnia and Pandapara.
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	98-99	Original main line.	13 2 6	4·336	Nil ...	Nil ...	From mile No. 99 towards east up to the river Brahmaputra.	*East*—River Brahmaputra. *West*—Mile No. 98. *North* and *South*—Mauzas Kawnia and Jadabdi Pandapara.
4	Ditto ...	Pargana Alapsing, mauza Kawnia.	99-100	Ditto ...	42 8 2	14·019	Nil ...	Nil ...	From mile No. 99 towards west up to 344 feet east of mile No. 100.	*East*—Mile No. 99. *North*, *South* and *West*—Mauza kawnia.
				Total ...	94 18 1	31·373				

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 22nd August 1916.

S. KLINGENSTEIN, Additional Collector.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 45 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Krishna Lal Sarkar, son of Hari Narayan Sarkar, of Mirpur, police-station Seraj gunj, was adjudicated insolvent by this Court on the 30th August 1916

A. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th September 1916. (2349—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 47 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ram Charan Basak, son of late Guru Charan Basak, of Kalipur, police-station Serajgunj, was adjudicated insolvent by this Court on the 28th July 1916.

A. C. SEN, District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th September 1916 (2350—1)

MOHENDRANATH DAS, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.

(2230—4—2181)

NANDA LAL BANERJEE, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court.

(2240—4—2182)

WANTED for the District Board of Rangpur a Sanitary Inspector on a monthly salary of Rs. 150 rising to Rs. 300 by an annual increment of Rs. 10. The applicants for the post must have a registrable medical qualification not lower than that of a Civil Assistant Surgeon and must hold a diploma in public health. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the Chairman, District Board, Rangpur, up to 25th October 1916. The successful candidate will have to remain on probation for six months and will be confirmed on approved service.

R. M. DASS, Chairman, District Board.

Rangpur, the 28th September 1916. (2360—2)

Draft Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that, on or about 14th July 1916, the undermentioned treasure of the value of Rs. 14 was found by Challa Appalaswami in the village of Sakalakottappali agraharam, Ellore Taluk, in the field known by the local name of Lakshmidevichetipampu and belonging to Vemu Lakshminarayana.

Description of Treasure	Weight.	Estimated value.
Five gold plates.	About ½ tola.	Rs. 14

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by a duly authorised agent before the Collector of Kistna at his office in Masulipatam on 10th February 1917, with a view to the claims being enquired into and determined according to law.

H. H. BURKITT, Ag. Collector.

The 26th September 1916.

Howrah Municipality.

THE Municipal Commissioners of Howrah, having previously given notice of their intention, and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 469(4) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, as in force in the town of Howrah, declare that in the area specified below no person shall use any premises for any of the following purposes :—

Purposes.

(1) Knacker's yard,
(2) Storing, packing, pressing, cleansing, preparing or manufacturing by any process whatever :—
  (*a*) Hides or skins (except storing in godowns) ;
  (*b*) Blood ;
  (*c*) Offal ;
  (*d*) Catgut.
(3) Manufacturing bricks, pottery or tiles.

Area.

North—Joyabibi Lane from the river Hooghly, Bustee Road, south of Victoria Cotton Mills.
East and South—The river Hooghly.
West—Girish Ghose Lane, Madhab Babu Lane, Dayaram Nasker Lane, Naskarpara Lane, Nobin Ghose Lane, Siva Gopal Banarjee Lane, a line parallel to and 100 feet north of Babudanga Road, a line parallel to and 60 feet west of Grand Trunk Road, Rajmohon Bose Lane, Belilios Road, a line parallel to and 60 feet west and south, as the case may be, of the following roads and lanes :—

Narasingha Dutt Road, Khurut road, Kasundia Road Khurut Dharmatolla Lane, Gopal Banarjee Lane, Ramkristopur Lane, Bajey Shibpur Road, Shibpur Dharmatolla Lane, Ananda Kumar Ray Chaudhuri Lane, Mollapara Lane, Grand Trunk Road, Shalimar Road, Rajkishore Ray Chaudhuri Lane, Foreshore Road up to Elliot Bridge.

MAHENDRA NATH RAY, Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners of Howrah.

Howrah Municipal Office, the 11th October 1916.

(2363—1)

Howrah Municipality.

THE Municipal Commissioners of Howrah, having previously given notice of their intention and no objection having been received within thirty days from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, as in force in the town of Howrah, define the general line of buildings on either side of—

(1) Strand Road from Telkulghat Road up to its junction with Foreshore Road at the Round Tank in Ward No. VII,
(2) Ram Mohon Mukherjee Lane in Ward No. VIII,
(3) Koipukur Lane in Ward Nos. VI and VIII,
(4) Dharmatolla Lane in Ward No. II,

in accordance with the plans approved by the Commissioners on the—

(1) 7th April 1916,
(2) 26th November 1915,
(3) 19th May 1916, and
(4) 19th May 1916, respectively.

MAHENDRA NATH RAY,
Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners of Howrah.

Municipal Office, Howrah, the 11th October 1916.

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MEDICAL STORE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

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A. G. BROWN, LIEUT., I.S.M.D.,
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Calcutta, 28th September 1916.

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(2362—1—2245)

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15th November "
30th " "
15th December "
31st " "
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2nd " " " "
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2nd " " " "
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PART VI.

Bills introduced in the Indian Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented to the Council, and Bills published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Indian Legislative Council on the twenty-seventh September, 1916 :—

No. 12 OF 1916.

Bill to establish and incorporate a University at Patna.

WHEREAS it is expedient to establish and incorporate a University at Patna, to be known as the Patna University ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Patna University Act, 191 .

(*2*) It shall come into force on such date as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, direct.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context—

"College" means any educational institution admitted to the privileges of the University ;

"College of the University" means the Patna College, the Training College for teachers at Patna, and any other educational institution admitted as a college of the University in accordance with this Act and the Regulations ;

"External College" means the Bihar National College, Bankipur, the Greer Bhumihar Brahman College, Muzaffarpore, the Tej Narayan Jubilee College, Bhagalpur, the Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, the St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh, and any other college other than a college of the University ;

"Local Government" means the Local Government of Bihar and Orissa ;

"Regulations" means the Regulations of the University for the time being in force ;

"Senate" means the University Senate ;

"Syndicate" means the University Syndicate ;

"University staff" means such persons as may be declared by the Regulations to be members of the University staff ; and

"University" means the Patna University.

Incorporation.

3. (*1*) The first Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor of the University, and the first members of the Syndicate and Senate, and all persons who may hereafter become such officers or members, so long as they continue to hold such office or membership, are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name of the Patna University.

(*2*) The Patna University shall have perpetual succession and a common seal, and shall sue and be sued by the said name.

(*3*) The University shall be deemed to have been incorporated for the purposes, among others, of making provision for imparting education, of promoting original research, of examining students

and conferring degrees, of admitting educational institutions to its privileges, and of supervising and controlling the administration of colleges of the University in all matters of education and discipline, and of inspecting and supervising external colleges.

Authorities and officers of the University.

4. The following shall be the authorities and officers of the University :—

I.—The Chancellor,

II.—The Vice-Chancellor,

III.—The Syndicate,

IV.—The Senate

V.—The Registrar, and

VI—Such other officers and bodies, as may be provided for by the Regulations.

The Chancellor.

5. (*1*) The Chancellor shall be the Lieutenant-Governor of Bihar and Orissa for the time being.

(*2*) The Chancellor shall, by virtue of his office, be the head of the University, and shall, when present, preside at the meetings of Convocation.

(*3*) Every proposal for the conferment of an honorary degree shall be subject to the confirmation of the Chancellor.

(*4*) The Chancellor shall finally decide any dispute with regard to the election of any person to be a member of the Syndicate or Senate.

(*5*) If, in the opinion of the Chancellor, an inquiry into any question connected with the administration of the University is, at any time, expedient, the Chancellor may cause such an inquiry to be made by such persons, and in such manner, as he may direct, and, after considering the result thereof, and ascertaining the views of the Syndicate and of any other authority of the University which he may think fit to consult thereon, he may pass such orders as seem to him to be right and proper, and the same shall be binding upon every authority and officer of the University.

(*6*) The Chancellor shall nominate, upon the expiration (as hereinafter provided for)—

(*a*) of the first and each succeeding Syndicate —four persons, of whom not less than two shall be members of the University staff, or of the teaching staff of the colleges, to be members of the next succeeding Syndicate, and

(*b*) of the first and each succeeding Senate— such of the ordinary Fellows as are not required by this Act to be elected.

The Vice-Chancellor.

6. (*1*) The Vice-Chancellor shall be a whole-time officer of the University, appointed by the Local Government, and shall hold office for five years from the date of his appointment, on the expiration of which period, he may be re-appointed from time to time, provided that no such re-appointment shall be for a longer period than two years.

(*2*) The Vice-Chancellor shall be the principal executive officer of the University, and shall, when present, preside at every meeting of the Syndicate or of any other University body (except in the Senate when the Chancellor is present) of which he is a member.

(*3*) The Vice-Chancellor shall be charged with the due carrying out of the provisions of this Act and of the Regulations.

(*4*) The Vice-Chancellor shall appoint and control all officers and servants of the University other than the University staff.

(*5*) The Vice-Chancellor shall have the right of visiting and inspecting the external colleges.

(*6*) The Vice-Chancellor shall decide finally all matters of discipline in the University, and such matters of discipline in the colleges of the University as are not delegated to other authorities by the Regulations.

The Syndicate.

7. (*1*) The Syndicate shall consist of sixteen members, including the Vice-Chancellor, the Director of Public Instruction in Bihar and Orissa, and the Principal of the Patna College, who shall always be *ex-officio* members thereof.

(*2*) The ordinary members of the first Syndicate shall be the persons specified in the First Schedule, and shall hold office for such period as may be prescribed by the Regulations.

(*3*) Upon the expiration of the period of office of the ordinary members of the first Syndicate, the next and every ensuing Syndicate shall include, in addition to the nominated and *ex-officio* members hereinbefore referred to, nine persons to be elected by the Senate from amongst its members, of whom not less than five shall be members of the University staff or of the teaching staff of the colleges of the University.

(*4*) Subject to the provisions of this Act and the Regulations, the Syndicate shall have the entire management of, and superintendence over, the affairs, concerns and property of the University; shall control the courses of study, the examinations, the qualifications necessary for ordinary degrees, and all matters of education in the colleges of the University, shall be responsible for the supervision and inspection of such matters in the external colleges, and shall regulate the fees to be charged by the University and the colleges.

The Senate.

8. (*1*) The Senate shall consist of not less than forty nor more than sixty ordinary Fellows in addition to the following *ex-officio* Fellows, namely :—

(*i*) the Members of the Executive Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bihar and Orissa ;

(*ii*) the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Patna ;

(*iii*) the Bishop of Chota Nagpur ;

(*iv*) the Director of Public Instruction in Bihar and Orissa ; and

(*v*) the Principal of the Patna College and the Principal of the Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.

(*2*) The ordinary Fellows of the first Senate shall be the persons specified in the Second Schedule, and shall hold office for such period as may be prescribed by the Regulations.

(*3*) Upon the expiration of the period of office of the first Senate, the next and every ensuing Senate

shall include, in addition to the nominated and *ex-officio* Fellows hereinbefore referred to in this Act, four ordinary Fellows elected by the Faculties constituted in accordance with the Regulations, and eight elected by the three foregoing classes of Fellows :

Provided that, from such date as the Chancellor may determine, the number of Fellows to be elected by the first three classes shall be reduced to such number as he may, from time to time, prescribe, and the balance shall thereafter be elected by the registered graduates of the University.

(*4*) The Senate may (subject to the confirmation of the Chancellor) authorise the conferring of honorary degrees of the University, and may deliberate any question relating to the administration of the University, and come to a resolution thereon. A copy of every such resolution shall be forwarded to, and considered by, the Syndicate, but shall not be binding on that body.

Admission of educational institutions to the privileges of the University.

9. (*1*) No educational institution shall be admitted to any privileges of the University, unless the following conditions are complied with, namely :—

(*a*) the admission of the institution to such privileges has, on application made, been recommended by the Syndicate, approved by the Senate, and sanctioned by the Local Government ; and

(*b*) all provisions of the Regulations relating to the admission of educational institutions to such privileges have been complied with.

(*2*) No educational institution shall be admitted as a college of the University, unless the following conditions are complied with, namely :—

(*a*) the college buildings are situate within one mile from the Senate House of the University;

(*b*) all provisions of the Regulations relating to the admission of educational institutions as colleges of the University have been complied with.

(*3*) No educational institution shall be admitted as an external college, unless the following conditions are complied with, namely :—

(*a*) the college buildings are situate in one of the following towns, namely :—Muzaffarpore, Bhagalpur, Cuttack, or Hazaribagh ;

(*b*) all provisions of the Regulations relating to the admission of educational institutions as external colleges have been complied with.

Exclusion of a college from the privileges of the University.

10. (*1*) Any member of the Syndicate may bring forward a proposal that a college be deprived, either in whole or in part, of its privileges.

(*2*) The Syndicate shall, after affording the governing body of the college all reasonable facilities for stating its objections to the proposal, consider the proposal and transmit a copy of its proceedings, including a copy of any representation which may be made by such governing body thereon, to the Senate.

(*3*) The Senate shall consider the proposal and transmit a copy of the proceedings of the Syndicate and of its own proceedings to the Local Government.

(*4*) The Local Government, after such further inquiry, if any, as may appear to it to be necessary shall pass such orders on the proposal as it thinks fit, and such orders shall be binding on the University and the college.

Termination of privileges granted by other Universities to colleges in Bihar and Orissa.

11 Notwithstanding anything in any other law for the time being in force, no University established by Act of the Governor General in Council shall, after the commencement of this Act, admit any college to any privileges whatever, and any privileges granted to any college prior to the commencement of this Act, shall be withdrawn on the commencement of this Act.

University Staff.

12. The University staff shall be appointed by the Chancellor on the recommendation of the Syndicate, who shall transmit its recommendations through the Vice-Chancellor :

Provided that this provision shall not apply in the case of the temporary staff paid from the funds of the University, in which case the appointment shall rest with the Syndicate subject to the sanction of the Chancellor.

Audit of account

13. The accounts of the University shall, once at least in every year, and at intervals of not more than fifteen months, be audited by auditors appointed by the Local Government, and a copy of the accounts, together with the auditor's report, shall be submitted to the Governor General in Council.

Regulations.

14 (*1*) Subject to the provisions of this Act, the Regulations may provide for all or any of the following matters :—

(*a*) the duration of the term of office of the ordinary members of the Syndicate and Senate including that of the first members ;

(*b*) the time and mode of all elections to the Syndicate or the Senate, and the filling of all casual vacancies therein, and all other matters relating thereto ;

(*c*) the constitution, powers and duties of the Faculties or such other bodies, as it may be deemed necessary, from time to time, to appoint ;

(*d*) the conditions of appointment and the powers and duties of the Registrar, Professors or other officers of the University, whether being members of the University staff or not ;

(*e*) the appointment and functions of governing bodies of the colleges ;

(*f*) the admission of educational institutions as colleges, and the withdrawal of privileges from colleges so admitted ;

(*g*) the admission of students to the University and their examination ;

(*h*) the residential arrangements of students of the University ;

(*i*) the appointment and duties of Examiners ;

(*j*) the conferment by the University of degrees, diplomas, certificates and other academic distinctions, and the qualifications for the same ;

(*k*) the withdrawal of degrees, diplomas, certificates and other academic distinctions ;

(*l*) the general discipline and control of the University and of the colleges of the University ;

(*m*) the accounts to be kept and the use to be made of the funds of the University; and

(*n*) all other matters relating to the administration of the University.

(*2*) The first Regulations shall be framed by the Local Government. The Senate may, from time to time, make new or additional Regulations, or may amend or repeal the Regulations.

(*3*) The Syndicate shall have power to draft and propose to the Senate Regulations to be made by the Senate, and it shall be the duty of the Senate to consider the same.

(*4*) All new Regulations, or additions to the Regulations, or amendments to, or repeals of, the Regulations, shall require the previous sanction of the Local Government, which may, after the opinion of the Syndicate has been taken, sanction, disallow, or remit the same for further consideration.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

[*See section 7 (2).*]

ORDINARY MEMBERS OF THE FIRST SYNDICATE.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

[*See section 8 (2).*]

ORDINARY FELLOWS OF THE FIRST SENATE.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THIS Bill is intended to provide the legislative sanction necessary for the constitution of a University at Patna. A scheme for the establishment of such a University was prepared in 1913 by a large local Committee and published for general criticism. This scheme, after being in some respects modified in the light of public criticism, and the views of the Local Government has received the approval of the Secretary of State, and forms the basis of the present Bill.

The University contemplated by the Bill will be primarily a residential and teaching University located at Patna. In view, however, of the existence of Colleges in other parts of the Province, and the local feeling in favour of their retention, it is provided that, in addition to the Colleges at Patna, the University should comprise Colleges situated at four other centres, and the Bihar National College at Bankipur. The Colleges at Patna, which will be known as Colleges of the University, will be under the direct control of the Syndicate in matters of education, and of a whole-time Vice-Chancellor in matters of discipline, while the other or 'external' Colleges will be subject to general supervision and inspection by the same authorities on lines generally similar to those governing the relation of affiliated Colleges to a University under the Universities Act of 1904.

The constitution of the new University will enable the Province of Bihar and Orissa to obtain a University of its own, and will effect some reduction in the large number of students now under the jurisdiction of the University of Calcutta.

The 21st September, 1916. C. SANKARAN NAIR.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd October 1916.*

MADAGASCAR—NORTH-EAST COAST.

Diego-Suarez Bay Approach—Non-existence of Shoal.

No. 300 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 860 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2¾ miles, north-eastward, from the extremity of Ambodi Vahibé point, in the southern approach to Diego-Suarez bay.
Lat. 12° 21′ S., long. 49° 34¼′ E.

Description.—A one-fathom shoal.
Remarks.—The shoal is to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No 758, Cape St. Andrew to Antongil bay.
„ 2899, Chagos archipelago to Madagascar.
Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 248.
Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 950 of 1916. (*H. 4120/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—QUEENSLAND.

Cairns Harbour—Alterations in Lighting of Dredged Channel.

No. 301 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 868 of 1916), are republished :—

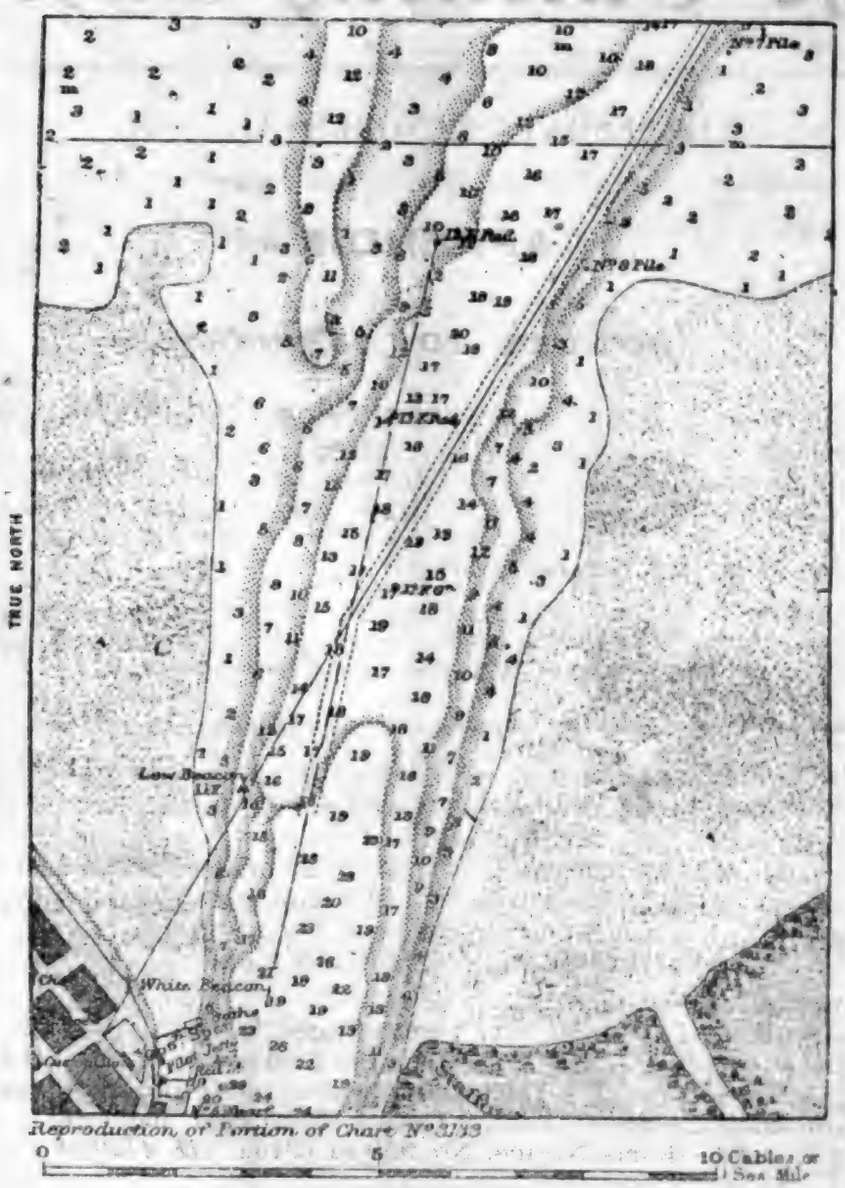
Position.—Cairns, lat. 16° 55½′ S., long. 145° 46¼′ E.
Details.—The positions of two *fixed red* leading lights marking a recent extension of the dredged channel to Cairns, together with the new position of the *fixed green* light near the turn into the new channel, are shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 3133.

Remarks.—No. 9 pile beacon, from which the fixed green light was formerly exhibited, has been removed, and is therefore not shown on the reproduction.

Charts affected.—No. 3133, Cairns harbour.
„ 2924, Cape Grafton to Hope islands.
„ 2350, Double point to Cape Grafton.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, page 363.
Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 339; Revised Supplement, 1913.

Authority.—Marine Department, Brisbane. (*H. 3348/16.*)



NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND.

Tauranga Harbour—Light established.

No. 302 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 871 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On stony beacon, situated near the extremity of the reef at the southern end of Mounga nui.

Lat. 37° 38¼′ S., long. 176° 10¼′ E.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *W.R., ev. 3 sec., 14 ft., vis. 5 m.*

Details :—

Character.—A *flashing* light, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash, $\frac{1}{3}$ sec. eclipse. $2\frac{2}{3}$ secs.

Elevation —14 feet.

Visibility.—5 miles.

Sectors.—*White* from 259° (*S. 64° W. Mag.*), through west, to 79° (*N. 64° E. Mag.*) ;

Red elsewhere.

Structure.—Black and white beacon with rectangular topmark

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Variation.—15° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2521, Tauranga harbour.

„ 3332, Mercury bay to Town point.

„ 2527, Mayor island to Poverty bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2903*a*.

New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 108 ; Supplement No. 2, 1915.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No 37 of 1916. (*H. 4447/16.*)

NEW GUINEA—CERAM, BANDA ISLANDS.

Rozengain Reef—Amended Position.

No. 303 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 882 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 3¼ miles, 297° (*N. 67° W. Mag.*), from the position shown on the chart, and about 2¼ miles, south-eastward, from Rozengain island.

Lat. 4° 36½′ S., long. 130° 02½′ E.

Remarks.—The reef is to be moved on the chart to the position given above.

Variation.—4° E.

Chart affected.—No. 942*b*, Eastern archipelago, sheet 4.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 157.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 973 of 1916. (*H. 4478/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST

South Channel, Fitzroy river entrance—Alteration of leading lights.

No. 304 (first publication).—The Portmaster, Brisbane, has given Notice (No. 11 of 1916) that on the 18th September 1916, the front leading lights of the two corresponding leads on Cardigan Point and Casuarina Island, South Channel, Entrance to Fitzroy River, will be changed from red to white, and both leads will thereafter consist of two white lights.

Charts affected.—Nos. 345 and 363 ; Australia Directory, Volume II.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Nga Yot bay—Existence of a wreck.

No. 305 (first publication).—

Subject.—The Steamer "Zoroastrian" is a total wreck in Nga Yot bay about 40 miles north of the entrance to Bassein river.

Caution.—Mariners are hereby warned.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.

„ 3772, Calventuras to Bassein river.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, telegram dated 29th September 1916.

The 25th September 1916.

NEW GUINEA—CERAM ISLAND, NORTH COAST.

Hatiling Bay—Existence of a Reef.

No. 295 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 835 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 1¾ cables, 69° (*N. 66° E. Mag.*), from Wahai flagstaff and about 3¾ cables eastward from Tanjong Aentopra.
Lat. 2° 47¼′ S., long. 129° 29¼′ E.
Description.—A 2-fathom reef of small extent.
Remarks.—Vessels are advised to pass to the westward of the 3-foot shoal situated westward of the 2-fathom reef, as the former is conspicuously marked by discoloured water, whereas the discolouration over the 2-fathom reef is scarcely distinguishable.
Variation.—3° E.
Chart affected.—No. 930, Plan of Wahai bay and Hatiling bay.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 128.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 918 of 1916. (*H. 4246/16*).

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—COOK STRAIT, PORT NICHOLSON APPROACH.

Karori Rock Light—Correction to certain Charts.

No. 296 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 844 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 41° 21′ S., long. 174° 40¼′ E.
Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *W.R., ev. 4 sec., 65 ft, vis. 13 m.*
Details.—This light is incorrectly shown on some copies of the charts as a flashing white light; it is a *flashing white* light with *red* sectors, showing thus :—
Red from 291° (*N. 85° W. Mag.*) to 327° (*N. 49° W. Mag.*);
White thence through north to 134° (*S. 62° E. Mag.*);
Red thence to 153° (*S. 43° E. Mag.*);
White elsewhere but obscured by land.
Variation.—16° E.
Charts affected.—No. 695, Cook strait.
„ 2054, Cook strait and the coast to Cape Egmont.
„ 3629, Hokitika to Otago harbour.
„ 1212, New Zealand.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 150.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4411/16.*)

CELEBES—EAST COAST.

Tomori Bay Approach—Existence of a Reef.

No. 297 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 854 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—In the northern approach to Tomori bay.
Lat. 1° 54′ 50″ S., long. 121° 49′ 40″ E.
Depth—Awash at low water.

Charts affected.—No. 2549, Tomori gulf.
„ 3616, Tomori gulf to Salayar strait.
„ 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago, sheet III.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 491.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 967 of 1916. (*H. 4405/16.*)

PERSIAN GULF—HENJAM ISLAND ANCHORAGE APPROACH.

Amendment to depth reported on shoal North-westward of Ras-al-Mashia.

No. 298 (*second publication.*)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 143M. of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 78M. of 1914. (*This office No. 202 of 1914.*)

Position—At a distance of 10 cables 299° (N. 63° W. Mag.) from Ras-al-Mashia.
Lat. 26° 41½′ N., long. 55° 53½′E. (Approximate on Chart No. 753.)

Least depth—5½ fathoms, sand, instead of 3½ fathoms reported previously.

Variation—2° E.

Charts affected—No. 3599, Henjam Island Anchorage.
„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet with plan.
„ 753, Persian Gulf Entrance.

Publication—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, page 209.

Authority—The Director, Royal Indian Marine.

PERSIAN GULF—HENJAM ISLAND ANCHORAGE.

Partial existence of Ras-al-Mashia Beacon; Caution with regard to Eastern approach.

No. 299 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 146M. of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Ras-al-Mashia, lat. 26° 41′ N., long. 55° 54′ E.

(1) *Particulars.*—The beacon, which was reported to have been destroyed in 1915, near the end of the spit, extending north-eastward from Ras-al-Mashia, and about 2½ cables northward from White Mosque, still has a few feet showing at the highest tides and can be used for anchoring.

Description.—Cement base with staff stayed and a small white flag on top.

(2) *Caution.*—The eastern approach to Henjam anchorage should be used with great caution by ships of 20 feet draught and over.

Remarks.—It is recommended to keep well to southward of 3½ fathoms patch 1½ miles south-east from Cairn on Ras-Khurgu and then to enter on a line of bearing Cable House on Kishm Island 336° (N. 26° W. Mag.), altering course to anchorage when 5 feet Cairn on Henjam Island 13½ cables from the Ras-al-Mashia Beacon, bears about 242° (S. 60° W. Mag.), not later.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3599, Plan of Henjam Anchorage,
„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, pages 209 and 210.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding, H. M. S. "Philomel", dated 23rd August 1916.

The 18th September 1916.

KOREA—SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Fusan Harbour—Alterations in Lighting.

No. 289 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 807 of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Light-buoy established :

Position.—At the southern end of Puppaui, at a distance of 6¼ cables, 108° (*S. 67° E. Mag.*), from Uno se (Channel rock) light.

Uno se (Channel rock) light, lat. 35° 06¼′ N., long. 129° 04′ E.

Description.—A red cylindrical light-buoy, with framework superstructure, exhibiting a *flashing green* light *every three seconds.*

(2) Light-buoy withdrawn :

Position.—At a distance of about half a cable, northward, from Kioshi sho, and about 3 cables, southward, from Uno se light.

Description.—A black cylindrical light-buoy, exhibiting a flashing green light.

(3) Alteration in colour of light-beacon :

Position.—On Uno se (Channel rock).

Alteration.—The colour of the masonry beacon has been altered from red to black.

(4) Leading lights discontinued :

Position.—On the north-western side of the harbour, northward of Choragu.

Description.—Two fixed red lights.

Remarks.—The light-buoy and leading lights referred to in paragraphs (2) and (4) respectively are to be expunged from the charts.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1259, Fusan harbour.
„ 3666, Fusan harbour to Chukupen bay.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion (4).
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū (4).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, Nos. 1779, 1780, 1783.
E. C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, pages 77, 78, 79; Supplement 1914.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 144 of 1916. (*H. 4181/16.*)

CHINA—North Coast.

Wei Hai Wei Anchorage—Light-Buoy and Buoys withdrawn.

No. 290 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative, to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 819 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5¼ cables north-westward of the Observation spot on Leu kung tau.
Observation spot lat. 37° 30½′ N., long. 122° 09½′ E.
Description.—Light-buoy numbered "1" exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5 cables south-westward from the Observation spot.
Description.—Red can-buoy, numbered "2."

(*c*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5¾ cables south-westward from the Observation spot.
Description.—Red can-buoy, numbered "3."

Remarks.—The light-buoy and buoys described above are to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 3025, Wei hai wei anchorage.
„ 2823, Wei hai wei and approaches.
„ 3457, Li tau bay to Chu tau.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912. page 455 ; Supplement 1915.

Authority.—King's Harbour Master, Wei hai wei. (*H. 4299/16.*)

CEYLON—West Coast.

Colombo—Alteration in Time-Signal.

No. 291 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 827 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At the Master Attendant's Office, lat. 6° 56′ N., long. 79° 50½′ E.

Details.—The semaphore time-signal has been discontinued and replaced by a time-ball.

The ball is hoisted half way up at 5 minutes, close up at 2 minutes before the signal, and dropped at 1h. 00m. 00s., 4h. 00m. 00s., 21h. 00m 00s. standard time, corresponding to 19h. 30m. 00s., 22h. 30m. 00s., 15h. 30m. 00s. Greenwich mean time.

Should the signal fail, the ball will remain hoisted for 15 minutes and a green flag will be shown from the Colombo signal mast.

On Sundays and public holidays the signal will only be made at 21h. 00m. 00s. standard time.

Note.—The note on the charts with reference to time-signals is to be amended accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 914, Colombo harbour.
„ 3686, Approaches to Colombo harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 5038.
W. C. India Pilot, 1909, page 93 ; Revised Supplement, No. 1, 1915.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 103 ; Revised Supplement, 1916.

Authority —Master Attendant, Colombo. (*H. 4267/16.*)

SUMATRA—South Coast.

Pedada Bay—Existence of a Reef.

No. 292 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 828 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¾ miles, south-westward, from Kelapa islet.

Centre of reef, lat. 5° 44′ 58″ S., long. 105° 12′ 20″E., on chart No. 2056.

Details.—The reef is about 2½ cables in length in a northerly and southerly direction, and is marked by discoloured water.

Note.—The reef is to be indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.

„ 2761, Chingkuk bay to the strait of Sunda.

„ 1653, Island of Java, western portion.

„ 941*a*. Eastern archipelago, sheet I.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 49.

China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 54.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 917 of 1916. *(H. 4245/16.)*

JAPAN—Kiusiu, East Coast.

Oryuzako Anchorage—Light established.

No. 293 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 829 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On the 273-foot summit of Tosaki hana.

Lat. 31° 47′ 07″ N., long. 131° 28′ 55″ E., on chart No. 3375.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *283 ft.. vis. 7 m.*

Details :

Character.—A *fixed white* light.

Elevation.—283 feet.

Visibility.—7 miles; from 183° *(S. 7° W. Mag.)*, through west to 3° *(N. 7° E. Mag.)*.

Power.—Under 100 candles.

Structure.—White hexagonal brick tower, 18 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3375, Plan of Oryuzako anchorage.

„ 1548, Osumi Kaikyo to O shima.

„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.

„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1868*a*.

Japan Pilot, 1914, page 92.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 143 of 1916. *(H. 4180/16.)*

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Fusan Harbour—Amended details with regard to Dredging operations.

No. 294 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 830 of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 568 of 1915. (*This office No. 211 of 1915.*)

Position.—Uno se (Channel rock), lat. 35° 06½′ N., long. 129° 04′ E.

Details.—The area within which dredging operations are in progress in Fusan harbour has been amended and is now defined by lines joining the undermentioned positions :—

Distance and bearing from Uno se (Channel rock) light-beacon.

(*a*) $6\frac{2}{10}$ cables, 271° (*N. 84° W. Mag.*).
(*b*) $5\frac{8}{10}$,, 247° (*S. 72° W. Mag.*).
(*c*) Nine-tenths of a cable, 278° (*N. 77° W. Mag.*).
(*d*) $2\frac{3}{10}$ cables, 236° (*S. 61° W. Mag.*).
(*e*) 8 ,, 125° (*S. 50° E. Mag.*).
(*f*) $9\frac{2}{10}$,, 139° (*S. 36° E. Mag.*).

The dredger, when at work, will carry a black ball by day and exhibit a *red* light by night ; vessels entering or leaving the harbour should pass to the northward of the dredger and Uno se light-beacon ; the Note on the chart is to be amended accordingly.

Variation.—5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1259, Fusan harbour.

Publication.—E. C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, page 80 ; Supplement 1914.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 145 of 1916. (*H. 4182/16.*)

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RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA FOR THE YEAR 1915-16.

No. 2348 Marine.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 2nd October 1916.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

Letter No. 4948, dated the 30th August 1916, from the Vice-Chairman, Port Commissioners, Calcutta, submitting the Administration Report of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta for the year 1915-16.

Income.—The income of the Trust during the year amounted to Rs. 1,59,35,156, or less than the budget estimates for the year by Rs. 5,25,681

but an improvement of Rs. 14,85,107 over that of the previous year. The income for the year includes a sum of Rs. 26·97 lakhs from receipts derived from War surcharges which were levied on all commodities except coal and pig-iron. Excluding this item, the total receipts from ordinary sources amounted to Rs. 1,32,37,773. as against Rs. 1,44,50.349 in the previous year, which, however, includes the War surtax levied during the last two months of that year.

The following figures show the effect of the War on the shipping and trade of the port during the year under review :—

	August to March.		
	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.
I.—Net tonnage of the port ...	2,925,801	2,338,811	1,910,057
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
II.—Jetties, Imports ...	824,760	537,021	476,811
III.—Docks, Imports ...	483,379	527,467	314,847
IV.— ,, General Exports ...	815,691	571,277	819,841
V.— ,, Coal ...	2,007,648	1,666,555	1,067,678

The figures speak for themselves. The decreases in the tonnage handled rendered necessary the continuance of the War surcharges throughout the year.

Under the following heads the receipts fell appreciably below the estimate for the year :—

	Actual.	Estimate	Difference.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Petroleum wharf ...	4.24,789	4,41,625	16,836
Port	4,47,932	5,24,800	76,868
Port approaches ...	5.78,917	6,50,900	71,983
Railway	15,37,585	16,05,400	67,815
Ferry service ...	4,06,247	4,35,000	28,753
River dues	18.04.357	20,72,500	2,68.143
Special War surcharges	26.97,683	30,00,000	3,02.317

Expenditure.—The expenditure on Revenue account amounted to Rs. 1,49,07,001 as against Rs. 1,56,30,272 estimated for the year, and Rs. 1.55,38,840, the expenditure of the previous year. There was a credit balance on the year's working of Rs. 10,28,454, but as the year opened with a debit balance on Revenue account of Rs. 10,88,490, the net deficit at the close of the year under review was Rs. 60,035.

The actual expenditure was noticeably less than the estimate for the year under the following heads :—

	Actual	Estimate	Difference.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Jetties ...	9,55,133	10,14,318	59,185
Wet docks ...	28,44,442	30,41,476	1,97,034
Ferry service ...	3,29,805	3,71,793	41,988
Minor works ...	.....	25,000	25,000
Provision to meet unforeseen expenditure	.....	1,00,000	1,00,000
Unforeseen establishment charges ...	.....	50,000	50,000
Interest and Sinking Fund charges ...	63,57,815	66,37,723	2,79,908
Interest on Bank balances	...	30,000	30,000

Jetties.—During the year 241 vessels with an aggregate gross tonnage of 1,330,885 were berthed at the jetties, as compared with 212 vessels with a tonnage of 1,247,392 in the previous year. The total imports in tons delivered from the jetties were 788,431. The total earnings amounted to Rs. 14,65,026, of which 80 per cent. were contributed by goods and 20 per cent. by vessels. There was a decrease of 130,000 tons landed at the jetties as compared with the previous year, and of 395,000 tons as compared with 1913-14.

The general decline in imports was made up to some extent by increased imports from Japan, America and Scandinavia.

Owing to the reduced demand by European Lines for accommodation at the jetties, practically all the vessels of the China and Far Eastern trades, which formerly discharged in the stream, and vessels of the British India Steam Navigation Company from Bombay *viâ* Coast ports were berthed at the jetties.

Docks.—During the year 905 vessels were berthed at the Docks, of which 26 were Government transports, as against 1,160 vessels in the previous year, of which 108 were Government transports. The total number of vessels that entered empty and loaded general exports was 354 as against 282 in the previous year. There was, however, a marked decline in the number of vessels that entered empty and loaded coal. The total imports and exports in tons landed and shipped over the Dock quays were 570,997 and 2,665,630, respectively, as against 700,133 and 3,554,464 of the previous year.

The imports of sugar and rice at the Docks have been unusually large. On the other hand, there was a marked decline in general imports and sleepers. The abolition of the Salt Golahs at the Docks resulted in the transfer of the whole of this trade to the stream. As regards general exports the figures for tea and gunnies are the highest on record, the exports of jute, manganese, pig-iron and shellac being also very satisfactory. The port, however, suffered severely during the year owing to the great fall in the export of coal due to shortage of tonnage, the decrease being over 47 per cent. and 39 per cent. as compared with the figures of 1913-14 and 1914-15 respectively. The export of wheat and seeds was only 40 per cent. of the last quinquennial average and less by 26 per cent. than the figures of the preceding year.

The total decline in the traffic of the Docks, in both imports and exports, amounted to over 1,000,000 tons as compared with that of the previous year, and over 1,600,000 tons as compared with the traffic of 1913-14.

Petroleum Wharf, Budge-Budge.—The Petroleum Wharf received 99 vessels only for discharge of oil, as against 115 in the previous year, 75,979,488 gallons of kerosine oil being discharged as against 79,851,577 in the previous year. The total revenue of the depôt amounted to Rs. 4,24,789, a decrease of Rs. 1,498 as compared with the earnings of the previous year.

Tea Warehouse.—The year was a record one for the tea trade, the quantity of tea handled for sale and shipment being larger than in any previous year. For nearly five months in the year stocks largely exceeded the capacity of the warehouse. The Calcutta sales were in excess of those of the previous season by 34 million lbs., and by 14 million lbs. of those of 1913-14, while, in spite of the difficulties in shipment, the tonnage shipped through the Docks was the highest on record, being 14,637 tons and 25,013 tons in excess of 1914-15 and 1913-14, respectively.

Inland Vessels Wharves.—The revenue of the Inland vessels wharves shows an improvement of Rs. 28,154 over that of the previous year, but is less than that of 1913-14 by Rs. 67,311.

Ferry Service.—In consequence of two of the steamers of this service having been utilized for Government purposes for nearly six months of the year the total number of passengers carried was less than that of the previous year. The earnings, however, show a small improvement, which was due to increase of traffic on the longer runs, for which higher rates of fare are charged.

Railway.—The receipts under this head were Rs. 1,47,220 higher than those of the previous year. This was due to the enhanced rate of terminal charges paid by the different railways to the Commissioners from the beginning of the year.

Port and Port Approaches.—The vessels which visited the port numbered 1,150, with an aggregate gross tonnage of 4,848,961, as against 1,428 vessels with a gross tonnage of 5,997,639 in 1914-15 and against 1,650 vessels with a gross tonnage of 6,926,817 in 1913-14. The income of the Port amounted to Rs. 4,47,932, or Rs. 87,061 less than that of the previous year. The income of the Port Approaches, which is derived mainly from the Port dues on shipping, was Rs. 5,78,917, or a decrease of Rs. 1,04,817 as compared with that of the previous year, testifying to the marked decline in tonnage.

Improvement of Navigable Channels.—The Dredgers "Balari" and "Sandpiper" worked during the year chiefly on the Eastern Gut and Moyapur Bars in the Upper Reaches and on the Upper Balari Bar in the Lower Reaches. During the latter part of the year both the Eastern Gut and Moyapur Bars suffered deterioration owing to the "Sandpiper" having been laid up for repairs.

The lighting of the river channels at night between Mud Point and Saugor was taken advantage of by about 30 ships which passed down the channels at night.

In connection with the question whether training works should be undertaken in the Port Approaches in addition to dredging, a good deal of data was compiled in accordance with the programme laid down by Mr. M. Nethersole, C.S.I., Inspector-General of Irrigation, after his inspection of the river.

Capital Expenditure.—The total expenditure on Capital account during the year amounted to Rs. 71 lakhs as against Rs. 109·6 lakhs estimated for the year, showing the great restriction that had to be placed on expenditure owing to the situation created by the War. The chief works in progress during the year were practically the same as in the preceding year. The expenditure was met from the opening balance on Capital account of Rs. 23 lakhs and a loan of Rs. 85 lakhs raised by an arrangement with the Bank of Bengal.

Capital Account.—The capital debt of the Trust at the close of the year amounted to Rs. 10,75,49,302, while the total assets were Rs. 14,10,70,051.

Besides the assets referred to, the Commissioners have at their disposal three other funds accumulated out of revenue, which constitute an important asset of the Trust. These are the Reserve Fund, the Depreciation Fund and the Fire Insurance Fund. The total amount at credit of these Funds on the 31st March 1916 was Rs. 32,42,010.

During the year several members of the supervising staff were permitted by the Commissioners to join His Majesty's Forces in different capacities. The Commissioners also assisted Government from time to time by the loan of vessels for military and other purposes.

The Governor in Council desires to express his thanks to the Commissioners, and especially to Mr. H. J. Hilary who held the office of Vice-Chairman throughout the year, for their efficient administration of the Trust in a year of exceptional financial and other difficulties due to the War.

ORDER.—Ordered that copies of the Resolution be forwarded to the Government of India and to the officers and departments concerned, and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

By order of the Governor in Council,

C. P. WALSH,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE PORT OFFICERS, CALCUTTA AND CHITTAGONG, FOR THE YEAR 1915-16.

No. 2349 Marine.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 9th October 1916.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

(1) Letter from the Port Officer, Calcutta, No. 6646, dated the 3rd August 1916, submitting the annual report of his department for the year 1915-16.

(2) Letter from the Port Officer, Chittagong, No. 420P., dated the 30th June 1916, submitting the annual report of his department for the year 1915-16.

Port of Calcutta.

Bengal Pilot Service.—The Bengal Pilot Service lost the services of four officers during the year : one Branch and one Senior Master Pilot retired, and one First and one Second Mate Leadsman resigned. Of the two Leadsmen, one resigned in order to take service connected with the war As no suitable candidates for the service were obtainable in England owing to war conditions, one Leadsman Apprentice was appointed locally from the Merchant Service. There were 52 pilots and 11 Leadsmen Apprentices in the service during the year, of whom no less than 15 officers out of 21 absent on leave were employed on duties connected with the war.

2. **Vessels piloted.**—Vessels to the number of 1,145 with a gross tonnage of 4,832,612, and 1,154 with a gross tonnage of 4,750,736 were piloted inwards and outwards, respectively, against 1,431 and 1,451 vessels with a gross tonnage of 6.006,581 and 6,099,433, respectively, during the previous year.

The number of vessels drawing over 21 feet piloted inwards and outwards was 395 and 739, respectively, against 401 and 827 vessels in the preceding year. No vessel was detained at the Sandheads for want of a pilot.

Two vessels were neaped during the year for want of sufficient water on the bars.

3. **Pilotage receipts.**—The receipts from pilotage were Rs. 11,06.117 against Rs. 13,14,601 and Rs. 14,63,822 in 1914-15 and 1913-14, respectively.

4. **Casualties to vessels.**—There were 23 cases of groundings against 24 in 1914-15. No damage resulted. In two instances the pilots were found to have been guilty of an error of judgment.

One collision occurred against 4 in the preceding year, and one boat was damaged as the result of collision. The Pilots in fault were suitably dealt with.

Three cases of casualties to vessels were referred to Departmental and 10 to Special Courts of Enquiry.

5. **Examinations.**—Thirty-four candidates out of 77 successfully passed the examinations for the grant of Colonial and Home-Trade Certificates of Competency as Master, Mate, Engineer or Engine-driver, and 130 out of 575 candidates passed the examinations for Certificates of Competency as Master, Serang or Engine-driver under the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884.

6. Commander D. F. Vines, R.I.M., held the office of Port Officer and Shipping Master throughout the year.

Commander G. N. Forteath, R.I.M., Deputy Port Officer and Senior Deputy Shipping Master, reverted to the Royal Indian Marine on the 27th

April 1915, when the duties were carried on by Lieutenant J. C. Ward, R.I.M., Assistant Port Officer, up to 7th August Commander G. H. S. LaTouche, R.I.M., took over the duties of the office from the 7th August 1915.

Lieutenant J. C. Ward, R.I.M., held the office of Assistant Port Officer and Deputy Shipping Master up to the 17th November 1915, when his services were placed at the disposal of the Director, Royal Indian Marine, for service in Mesopotamia.

Mr. C. H. Sharp, Assistant Shipping Master, acted as Assistant Port Officer and Deputy Shipping Master in addition to his own duties till the 1st January 1916, when he was relieved of the duties of Assistant Port Officer and Deputy Shipping Master by Mr. S. H. Reaks, Senior Master Pilot.

Mr. G. Robertson, First Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor, proceeded on combined leave, preparatory to retirement, from the 22nd January 1916, when Chief Engineer C. F. Laslott, R.I.M., Second Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor, took over the duties.

From 22nd January 1916 to the end of the year, the office of Second Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor was held by Engineer E. S. Borner, R.I.M.

The office of Third Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor was in charge of Engineer W. G. Horley, R.I.M., up to 21st June 1915, when he reverted to the Royal Indian Marine, being relieved by Engineer E. S. Borner, R.I.M., who continued to be in charge up to 22nd January 1916. During the remainder of the year Mr. G. F. Silley was appointed to act as Third Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor.

7. The thanks of Government are due to Commander Vines for his efficient administration of the Department during a particularly strenuous year and to those officers of the Pilot Service who were on duty during the year, for their ready and willing co-operation in the various circumstances which have arisen in consequence of the war.

The Governor in Council also desires to record his appreciation of the useful service of over 25 years rendered by Mr. G. Robertson, who is retiring from the post of First Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor.

Port of Chittagong.

Vessels entering and leaving the Port.—Vessels to the number of 838 (including 535 inland steamers) with a gross tonnage of 626,305 entered the port, and 817 vessels (including 519 inland steamers) with a gross tonnage of 621,516 cleared, against 714 and 705 vessels representing a gross tonnage of 618,622 and 617,855, respectively, during the previous year.

2. **Casualties to vessels.**—There were three casualties to vessels during the year. One was a case of collision, and in the other two cases one vessel sank and one was totally lost. In only one case a Special Court of Enquiry was appointed under section 31 of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884.

3. Out of 151 candidates 69 passed the prescribed examination, for Masters', Serangs' or Engine-drivers' certificates under the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884.

4. Commander B. H. Jones, R.I.M., filled the post of Port Officer during the year, except from the 15th August to the 17th September 1915, when he was engaged on duties connected with the war. Mr. W. W. Nind, Collector of Customs, Chittagong, carried on the duties during Commander Jones' absence. Engineer A. H. F. deWoolfson, R.I.M., held the office of Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor.

The thanks of Government are due to Commander Jones for his efficient administration of the Department during the year.

By order of the Governor in Council,

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE EXCISE DEPARTMENT IN BENGAL DURING THE YEAR 1915-16.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2068S.R.—The 25th September 1916.—The following extracts from the Report of the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, on the administration of the Excise Department in Bengal during 1915-16 are published for general information, together with a memorandum issued by Government on the Report.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 3483E., dated Calcutta, the 25th August 1916.

From—A. N. MOBERLY, ESQ., I.C.S., Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Dept.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report on the administration of the Excise Department in the Presidency of Bengal for the year 1915-16.

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5. **Temperance teaching in schools.**—The following has been communicated to me in compliance with Government memorandum No. 1850 S.R., dated the 24th September 1915, for incorporation in this report :—

"Instruction on the abuse of drugs and intoxicants is provided for in the syllabus for Standards III to VI of schools in Western Bengal, while such instruction is provided for in Eastern Bengal for classes V to VII in 'A Teacher's Handbook on Temperance Lessons' by Captain Gourlay, I.M.S., issued by the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam. The orders of the Government of India contained in paragraph 4 of the Commerce and Industry Department Resolution Nos. 6305—6323-221, dated the 25th July 1914, regarding temperance teaching in schools are engaging the attention of the Education Department."

6. **Excise Advisory Committees.**—Excise Advisory Committees were convened for all municipalities outside the Calcutta district and for all rural areas, with the exception of the Sadar subdivision of the Dinajpur district, in which there is no Local Board.

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7. **Licensing Boards.**—The Licensing Board for the Calcutta Municipality held eight meetings during the year, of which four meetings, held during the first quarter, were dealt with in paragraph 7 of last year's report. The Boards for the Cossipore-Chitpur, Maniktola, Garden Reach, Howrah, and Bally Municipalities held one meeting each. The Licensing Board for the South Suburban Municipality held no meeting, as there are no shops in that portion of the Municipality which lies within the Calcutta district.

The Calcutta Licensing Board held two meetings in July and September, in connection with changes of site, which were mostly necessitated by the acquisition of the old sites for public purposes. The Board also visited the site of a *tari* shop, to the licensee of which time had been granted for removal, and decided that it need not be changed before the end of the year.

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8. **Consumption of country spirit, ganja and opium.**—The consumption of country spirit, *ganja* and opium decreased by 7·3 per cent., 17·2 per cent. and 17·1 per cent., respectively, as compared with that in 1914-15. Economic conditions were generally bad, except in certain areas in which the circumstances of jute mills and tea gardens directly affect the prosperity of a large body of persons who mostly consume country spirit, though there was some improvement towards the end of the year. As was only to be expected, the rate of decrease was most marked during the first four months, in which comparison is made with a period anterior to the outbreak of war. During those four months the consumption of country spirit decreased by 18·3 per cent., that of *ganja* by 25·6 per cent., and that of opium by 20·8 per cent. as compared with the previous year. The larger decrease in the case of drugs was mainly due to an increase in retail prices at a time when consumers could

ill afford it. In the last seven months of the year, when comparison is made with the first seven months after the effect of the war was felt, the consumption of country spirit showed a nominal increase of ·1 per cent., whilst that of *ganja* and opium showed decreases of 10·2 per cent. and 14·7 per cent., respectively. The consumption of country spirit was practically stationary, but the increased prices of *ganja* and opium were still pressing heavily upon consumers. There were also indications that the amount of opium which had formerly been sold to smugglers in certain districts had been underestimated, and the curtailment of allotments to shops, in which the vendors admittedly could not dispose licitly of as much opium as they were at first allowed, accounts for the heavier proportionate fall in the consumption of that drug.

9. **Temperance movement at Teknaaf.**—The Collector of Chittagong reported at the end of April 1915 that a temperance movement had been initiated among the Maghs at Teknaaf and that the sale of country spirit at the local shop had almost entirely ceased. The shop was accordingly closed from the 1st May, and, although a case of illicit distillation was subsequently detected, it has been kept closed as the movement appears so far to be due to a genuine desire to abstain from liquor. The *tari* and *pachwai* shops at Teknaaf were closed from the same date.

10. **Total revenue and charges** * * * .—The excise revenue and charges of the Presidency for the last five years are shown below :—

Period.	Revenue.	Charges.	Net revenue.	Percentage of charges.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1911-12	1,33,89,707	6,21,197	1,27,68,510	4·63
1912-13	1,37,59,157	6,00,994	1,31,58,163	4·37
1913-14	1,53,88,017	6,38,308	1,47,49,709	4·14
1914-15	1,53,59,916	7,12,121	1,46,17,795	4·83
1915-16	1,51,30,570	8,26,217	1,43,04,353	5·46
Difference of the past two years.	-2,29,346	+84,096	-3,13,442	+·63

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12. **Actual receipts.**—Deducting the advance collections (Rs. 10,06,237) for 1916-17 and adding the revenue (Rs. 12,16,837) for 1915-16, which was collected in advance in 1914-15, the actual receipts on account of 1915-16 were Rs. 1,53,41,170 against Rs. 1,52,20,821 (after similar adjustment) of the preceding year, showing an increase of Rs. 1,20,349 or ·79 per cent.

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14. **Revenue under different heads** * * * .—The chief increase in receipts again occurred under the head "Opium" (Rs. 2,13,568). There were large decreases under "country spirit" (Rs. 3,33,423) and *ganja* (Rs. 1,13,858). The only other considerable variations were a decrease of Rs. 33,779 under *tari* and an increase of Rs. 27,986 under *pachwai*.

15. **Demand and Collection** * * * .—Taking the population of the Presidency of Bengal, according to the census of 1911, to be 45,329,247, the incidence of excise revenue was 5 annas 4 pies against 5 annas 5 pies in the previous year.

16. **Result of settlements for the current year up to 31st May 1916.**—* * * * * * The settlements for the current year show a net decrease of Rs. 8,24,388. The alteration in the system of taxation of country spirit in Calcutta, which is explained in paragraph 19 below, is responsible for a decrease of Rs. 7,94,196. If this sum be excluded the net decrease only amounts to Rs. 30,192.

License-fees for country spirit have increased in nine districts and decreased in eighteen, the net decrease amounting to Rs. 8,55,113. Apart from the decrease in Calcutta there are no very striking fluctuations, the most marked being an increase of Rs. 19,520 in Midnapore and decreases of just over Rs. 10,000 in Mymensingh, Dinajpur and Pabna and just under Rs. 10,000 in Dacca. There has been a small increase of Rs. 30,725 under the head "Other excisable articles." Opium license-fees have risen generally, the total increase amounting to Rs. 1,49,286. Notwithstanding a decrease of nearly Rs. 46,000 in the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions, *ganja* license-fees have increased by Rs. 81,368, due mainly to increases of Rs. 92,292 and Rs. 22,500 in Calcutta and Dinajpur, respectively. The increases under opium and *ganja* are due to keen competition following on increased profits, the result of higher retail prices. On the other hand *pachwai* license-fees have fallen by more than Rs. 1,60,000, and there has been a decrease in foreign liquor license-fees in the Dacca Division, due to the higher prices charged by the wholesale dealers. As a result there is a net decrease of Rs. 71,012 in the Burdwan Division, due to the falling off under *pachwai*, though Hooghly shows an increase of Rs. 40,008, and of Rs. 69,105 in the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions, owing to decreases under foreign liquor and *ganja*. The Presidency Division shows a net increase of Rs. 1,64,730 due to increases of Rs. 1,34,775 in Calcutta and Rs. 37,586 in the 24-Parganas, and the Rajshahi Division a net increase of Rs. 6,112.

SECTION II.—Country Liquor.

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Country Spirit.

17. **System.**—The system of contract supply was the only system in force in this Presidency during the year under report.

18. **Country Spirit Licenses.**—The number of licenses for the sale of country spirit was 1,164 as compared with 1,233 in 1914-15, a decrease of 69. One shop was abolished in each of the districts of Burdwan, Faridpur and Pabna, 2 each in Murshidabad, Jessore, Dacca, Rajshahi and Malda, 3 each in Bankura, Howrah and Khulna, 4 in Nadia, 5 each in Midnapore and the 24-Parganas, 10 in Hooghly, and 25 in Calcutta. There was an increase of two shops in Mymensingh, owing to the substitution of country spirit shops for foreign liquor shops in two places, where it was found that consumers of the lower classes were acquiring a taste for cheap imitation brandy in lieu of country spirit, which they could not obtain easily, as the nearest shops were at a considerable distance.

19. **Consumption.**—The total consumption of country spirit in the Presidency amounted to 665,023 proof gallons against 717,822 proof gallons in the preceding year, a decrease of 52,799 proof gallons. The decrease would have been larger but for the fact that consumption in Calcutta did not fall to the extent that had been anticipated. The abolition of nearly a quarter of the country spirit shops caused keen competition at the settlements for the shops which remained and license-fees increased by nearly 20 per cent. It was expected that this increase in taxation would cause a general enhancement of the retail price of liquor. But the vendors immediately began to compete for the custom of the shops which had been abolished. Most of them soon discovered that this competition merely resulted in loss, but when they wished to raise their prices they found that a small minority, who were not losing, would not fall into line. Ultimately the large majority of the vendors petitioned for relief. The rate of duty was enhanced from Rs. 6-4 to Rs. 9-6 per proof gallon with effect from the 1st April 1916, with the result that all the vendors surrendered their licenses. Settlement was then made with them for one year at comparatively low fixed license-fees. The revised duty and license-fees left no margin for price cutting, prices rose immediately and consumption has now decreased considerably.

Consumption was affected to some extent by the reduction, from the 1st April 1915, of the strength at which spirit was issued to retail shops in 13 districts. The general decrease was, however, mainly due to the continuance of the economic depression and high prices caused by the war and, in some areas, by a partial failure of crops. It is not surprising therefore that consumption should have increased in the areas whose prosperity depends upon that of the two industries, jute and tea, which did extremely well during the year under report. In the first of these areas, which consists of the Serampore thana of Hooghly and the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas and contains most of the jute mills, consumption increased by 9·3 per cent., a fact which shows in a striking manner the influence of the economic factor upon consumption, since the decrease in the remaining areas of these districts amounted to 33·7 and 28·0 per cent., respectively. In the district of Jalpaiguri consumption increased by 9·0 per cent., but this was due not only to the flourishing condition of the tea industry, but also to the efforts made to check the smuggling of outstill liquor from Bhutan. Some increase was made in the establishment in the course of the year and preventive measures met with more success, though a large quantity of illicit liquor still comes in. The small increase of 63 proof gallons in Mymensingh occurred in the Netrokona and Tangail subdivisions and was due partly to the substitution of country spirit shops for foreign liquor shops, which had disposed of at least 500 proof gallons of spirits in the preceding year, and partly to an influx of up-country coolies to work on the construction of a new railway line.

The decrease again exceeded 1,000 proof gallons in 20 districts. It was largest in the 24-Parganas (6,933 proof gallons), Burdwan (6,463 proof gallons), Calcutta (5,422 proof gallons), Midnapore (5,067 proof gallons), Bankura (4,075 proof gallons) and Malda (3,050 proof gallons) and exceeded 2,000 proof gallons in Dinajpur, Rajshahi, Darjeeling, Howrah and Hooghly. The proportionate decreases were largest in Chittagong and Tippera (20·7 per cent.), Rajshahi (20·1 per cent.), Bankura (19·5 per cent.), Khulna and Pabna (19·3 per cent.), Malda (19·2 per cent.), Dinajpur (18·8 per cent.) and Murshidabad (18·0 per cent.). Although the decrease in Calcutta exceeded 5,000 proof gallons, it amounted to less than 2 per cent. of the previous year's consumption.

20. **Total revenue from country spirit.**—The total revenue—license and distillery fees and duty—from country spirit was Rs. 63,33,487 against Rs. 66,66,910 in 1914-15, a decrease of Rs. 3,33,423. The revenue derived from duty and distillery fees decreased by Rs. 2,58,919 and that from license-fees by Rs. 74,504.

21. **Convictions for drunkenness and action taken against licensees for permitting it.**— * * * * * In Calcutta 6,763 persons were convicted of drunkenness as compared with 8,216 in the previous year. Three cases have been reported—one from each of the districts of the 24-Parganas, Calcutta. and Bogra—in which vendors or salesmen permitted drunkenness on licensed premises. In Calcutta the case related to a *tari* shop. All the cases were compounded under section 65 of the Bengal Excise Act, on payment of sums of Rs. 10 in each of the districts of Calcutta and Bogra and of Rs. 5 in the 24-Parganas.

22. **Distilleries and warehouses.**—As in the previous year, there were two modern distilleries in the Presidency, at Asansol and Konnagar, and one distillery in the Government premises at Russa. There was no change in the areas of supply. The contract with the Cawnpore Sugar Works Company, Limited, for the supply of country spirit to the districts of the Rajshahi Division except Darjeeling, which expired on the 31st March 1915, was renewed for one year. The warehouses at Kalna, Chinsura, Serampore and Howrah have been closed from the 1st April 1916 and a new warehouse has been opened at Bandel. Molasses or *mohua* were the bases used in the manufacture of country spirit.

Supplies from distilleries to the various bonded warehouses were generally adequate. Stocks occasionally fell below the prescribed minimum but there were no instances in which they fell so low as to cause difficulty in supplying retail vendors.

Tari.

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24. **Statistics.**—The total number of licenses issued for the sale of fermented and fresh *tari* decreased from 1,744 to 1,742 and the total receipts from Rs. 4,86,642 to Rs. 4,52,863 or by Rs. 33,779.

25. **Fermented Tari.**—The number of fermented *tari* licenses decreased from 762 to 690. In the district of the 24-Parganas, where shops are numerous, 27 shops were abolished, following on a reduction of 29 shops in 1914-15. Elsewhere the chief changes were decreases of 16 shops in Howrah, 9 in Murshidabad, 6 each in Midnapore and Hooghly, and 4 each in Burdwan and Malda.

The bulk of the fermented *tari* revenue is derived from the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions and the district of Malda, which contributed Rs. 4,27,036 out of a total revenue under this head of Rs. 4,48,640. License-fees decreased by Rs. 34,083 as compared with the previous year. The decrease was largest in the 24-Parganas (Rs. 33,385), Malda (Rs. 4,517), Murshidabad (Rs. 3,280), Howrah (Rs. 2,344), Chittagong (Rs. 1,367), and Midnapore (Rs. 1,160), whilst there was an increase of Rs. 10,844 in Calcutta and of Rs. 1,682 in Dinajpur.

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Pachwai.

27. **Licenses.**—The total number of licenses issued for retail sale, home-brewing and special manufacture was 28,460 as compared with 25,301 in 1914-15 :—

	1914-15.	1915-16.
Retail sale	1,508	1,390
Home-brewing	23,323	26,738
Special manufacture	470	332

The number of retail licenses decreased in Burdwan (36), the 24-Parganas (33), Murshidabad (18), Birbhum (12), Midnapore (9), Khulna (4), Bankura (3), Hooghly (2), Howrah (1), and Jessore (1). The decrease in Burdwan and Murshidabad was due to the abolition of shops in localities in which they were numerous with the object of removing unnecessary facilities for obtaining *pachwai*. In Midnapore and the 24-Parganas unfavourable economic conditions and the high price of rice prevented vendors from coming forward to take settlement of some of the smaller shops. Both these causes contributed to the decrease in Birbhum. A new shop was opened in Nadia, on the application of a number of aboriginal consumers, in a locality in which several cases of illicit manufacture had been detected.

The number of home-brewing licenses increased by 3,584 in Dinajpur, 1,001 in Malda, 223 in Rajshahi, 198 in Rangpur, and 163 in Pabna. There was a decrease of 853 licenses in Darjeeling, 416 in Mymensingh, 272 in Jalpaiguri, 114 in Dacca, 81 in Bogra, and 18 in Tippera. The increase in Dinajpur was due to the activity of the Excise staff in the last quarter of the year after a good paddy crop had been harvested. People do not go to Excise officers to ask for licenses and the number taken out depends largely on the number of villages which officers can visit at a time when the aborigines have rice or money and wish to brew *pachwai*. If an officer does not come round they brew without a license. In Malda the Superintendent of Excise succeeded in breaking the combination among the Santals by organising raids on the villages of the ringleaders, with the result that four of them were convicted of illicit manufacture. The Collector reports that the Santals now make no objection to taking out licenses, but that there is no doubt that a

number of those who manufacture escape taxation, owing to the inability of the small Excise staff to visit all the villages at the season during which manufacture is prevalent. This is equally true of all the districts in which home-brewing is common, and the present position is far from satisfactory.

28. **Revenue.**—The revenue from retail license-fees increased from Rs. 8,60,654 to Rs. 8,83,978, or by Rs. 23,324. The increase was considerable in Burdwan (Rs. 20,508), Murshidabad (Rs. 5,436), and Birbhum (Rs. 5,361). There was a decrease of Rs. 11,212 in Bankura. The revenue from home-brewing licenses increased from Rs. 39,559 to Rs. 44,221.

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SECTION III.—Foreign Liquor.

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30. **Licenses and Revenue.**—The total number of licenses issued for the wholesale and retail vend of potable foreign liquor, exclusive of licenses for the retail sale of medicated wines and rectified spirits, was 641 against 656* in the previous year.

The "On and Off" license for foreign liquor, which allowed the holder to sell for consumption either on or off the premises, was abolished from the 1st April 1915 and the system of issuing subsidiary licenses, under which the vendors of country spirit in Calcutta were permitted to sell foreign liquor for consumption either on or off the premises, was discontinued from the same date. The effect of these measures and of the substitution of country spirit shops for two foreign liquor shops in Mymensingh was a decrease of 40 retail foreign liquor licenses as shown below :—

Year.	Number of retail licenses.				
	"On."	"Off."	"On and Off."	"Subsidiary."	Total.
1914-15	...	135	40	57	232
1915-16	16	176	...	...	192
Increase ...	16	41	...	...	...
Decrease ...	...	...	40	57	40

As regards other classes of licenses there were decreases under the heads Wholesale (1), Restaurants (5), Railway Refreshment rooms (1), and Dâk Bungalows (3), and increases under Bars at theatres and other places of amusement (33), and Steamers (1). An auctioneer's license was issued in Calcutta.

The number of licenses for the sale of medicated wines and rectified spirits decreased by 44 and 6, respectively. The decrease in the number of medicated wines licenses chiefly occurred in the districts which were formerly included in Eastern Bengal and Assam and was due to the enhancement of the license-fee to the same level as in the other districts of the Presidency.

The total receipts from license-fees amounted to Rs. 3,73,939 as compared with Rs. 3,99,968 in 1914-15. The receipts from duty on Indian-made foreign liquor were Rs. 3,06,794 against Rs. 2,75,464 in the preceding year.

31. **Imports and issues of Foreign Liquor from the Custom Houses, Calcutta and Chittagong** * * * * *.—

The imports through the port of Chittagong were small. The Collector of Customs, Calcutta, explains the figures of imports into the port of Calcutta in 1915-16 as follows :—

"*Ale, beer and porter*—Have fallen in gallonage by 22 per cent. Consumption has also decreased from 820,503 to 636,305 gallons. The United Kingdom sent 81 per cent. of the whole, but with a contraction of 23 per cent.

* Revised figures.

Holland sent more: also Denmark, which produces an excellent quality of *beer*: from Japan the quantity rose from 33,383 to 69,478 gallons. *Japanese beer* is cheaper and is also reported to have relatively a greater proportion of spirit. The absence of large bodies of regular troops from the country doubtless curtails beer consumption, and the new duties will emphasize the contraction.

Spirits.—The great demand for alcohol for munition purposes, the enhanced cost of the raw material and the considerable shortage of labour have caused a shrinkage of 4 per cent. in imports, but values have risen by 9 per cent. The new duties imposed as from the 1st March 1916 will intensify the curtailment. As it is, the local retail prices were raised considerably in the beginning of 1916, and since the budget was introduced there has been another enhancement. Possibly Bengal is becoming more temperate not so much by inclination as by order. The only spirits showing a greater consumption are *gin* and *liqueurs*. The quantity of *brandy* consumed fell from 61,583 to 60,314 gallons; *whisky* contracted from 190,493 to 180,822 gallons: *Denatured spirit* fell to 185,948 gallons from 233,619, and *rum* from 5,009 to 3,774 gallons. With the cessation of the German trade in *white* or *rectified spirits* (what little came was on prize court account) the deficiency has been more than filled by larger receipts from Java, *arrack spirit* increasing in demand from 9,722 to 23,882 proof gallons. It is used principally for the *locally-made brandy* and *whisky* so largely consumed by mill and garden labour, and it has evidently been possible to eliminate the special but very disagreeable flavour of *arrack*. It is interesting to note that samples of *Japanese whisky* have made their appearance. *Perfumed spirit* gave some increase to the revenue. The total quantity of *proof spirits* cleared for consumption fell by 4 per cent. to 289,361 gallons.

Wines.—Imports were greater by 6 per cent., consumption rose by 2 per cent., from 79,165 to 81,007 gallons. *Champagne* and *port* were, curiously enough, in greater demand, and *vermouth* has again increased in popular favour, rising from 26,806 to 27,980 gallons. *Vermouth* like *whisky* is a comparatively cheap drink: the Italian seems to be the more popular, but the French variety at one time in the year was unobtainable, which may account for the boom in the former."

The Customs Department have kindly furnished the following statistics of imports and clearances of potable foreign spirits at the Calcutta Custom House:—

Years.	Imported (L. P. Gallons).			Issued on payment of duty (L. P. Gallons).		
	Brandy, whisky, rum and gin.	White and rectified spirits.	Total.	Brandy, whisky, rum, and gin	White and rectified spirits.	Total.
1913-14 ...	275,008	54,602	329,610	267,990	50,887	318,877
1914-15 ...	246,726	25,862	272,588	278,918	34,046	312,964
1915-16 ...	269 739	5,963	275,702	257,039	14,867	271,906

32. **Manufacture of rectified spirits.**—Rectified spirits were manufactured in the Asansol and Konnagar distilleries. A temporary license was granted to Dr. K. C. Bose to work a still with which he wished to experiment at his premises at No. 45, Amherst Street. He is now constructing a small distillery at No. 28, Bahir Mirzapore Road, for the production of rectified spirits.

33. **Duty-free spirits.**—The following quantities of rum and rectified spirits were issued duty-free during the year :—

	L. P. Gallons.
Shahjehanpur rum	342
Anwarganj rectified spirits	2,483
Madras ditto	1,442
Asansol ditto	10,599
Konnagar rum	374
Ditto rectified spirits	3,042

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34. **Issue of rectified spirits at the reduced rate of duty.**—A total quantity of 8,436 L. P. gallons of rectified spirits manufactured at Konnagar, Asansol, Anwarganj (in the United Provinces), Madras and in the experimental Distillery at 45, Amherst Street, Calcutta, was issued to wholesale chemists and druggists for the manufacture of medicines, chemicals or drugs, on payment of duty at the reduced rate of Rs. 7-13 per proof gallon, or used by Messrs. D. Waldie & Co. for the manufacture of these articles in bond.

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Locally manufactured Beer.

37. **Statistics.**—The number of breweries was 2 as in the previous year. Duty was charged upon 24,771 gallons as compared with 49,617 gallons in 1914-15. The outturn at the Victoria Brewery, Sonada, fell off on account of the transfer of troops from the district. There was no manufacture at the St. Mary's Seminary, Kurseong, where beer is only manufactured for private consumption, as the balance of the previous year's stock was sufficient to meet the demand.

Receipts from license-fees and duty amounted to Rs. 4,809 against Rs. 9,468 in the previous year.

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SECTION IV.—Hemp Drugs.

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Ganja.

41. **Retail licenses.**—The total number of licenses issued in the Presidency for the retail sale of *ganja* was 1,275 as compared with 1,347 in 1914-15.

42. **Consumption of Ganja.**—The total quantity of *ganja* consumed in the Presidency amounted to 2,138 maunds 12 seers against 2,584 maunds 16 seers in 1914-15, a decrease of 446 maunds 4 seers. The decrease exceeded 10 per cent. in every district. It exceeded 20 per cent. in Tippera (33·6 per cent. or 37¼ maunds), Bankura (30·1 per cent. or 7¾ maunds), Malda (24·8 per cent. or 15¾ maunds), Pabna (24·5 per cent. or 20½ maunds), Murshidabad (24·4 per cent. or 12½ maunds), Nadia (23·6 per cent. or 12¼ maunds), Bogra (23·2 per cent. or 13¾ maunds), Burdwan (21·5 per cent. or 18¾ maunds), and the 24-Parganas (20·2 per cent. or 50½ maunds), and 10 maunds in Calcutta (60 maunds 36 seers), Mymensingh (42 maunds 8 seers), Dacca (19 maunds 29 seers), Rangpur (18 maunds 8 seers), Rajshahi (15 maunds 11 seers), Midnapore (10 maunds 15 seers), and Bakarganj (10 maunds 14 seers).

The decrease in consumption was due partly to the general economic depression and partly to the fact that, although there was a reduction in license-fees, vendors generally made the increase in the rate of duty an excuse for a considerable advance in their prices. Tippera and Bankura, in which the largest proportionate decreases occurred, both suffered from scarcity during the year.

43. **Total revenue.**—The total receipts for the year amounted to Rs. 33,83,555 against Rs. 34,97,413 in 1914-15, the net decrease being Rs. 1,13,858. There was a fall of Rs. 2,30,594 in the receipts from license-fees, whilst receipts from duty increased by Rs. 1,16,736.

44. **Incidence of Taxation.**—The incidence of license-fees per seer of *ganja* consumed was Rs. 18·3 and that of duty Rs. 20. The total taxation was 38·3 per seer as compared with 32·4 in the preceding year. The greater part of the increased incidence of taxation was caused by the fall in consumption.

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47. **Cultivation and outturn of Ganja at Naugaon in Rajshahi.**—The crop of 1915 was much smaller than had been expected, and it was anticipated that there might be a shortage, in which case high prices would be realised for the new crop. This led to an increase in the number of applications for permission to cultivate *ganja*. 3,901 applications were received for an area of 5,627 bighas, against 3,695 applications for an area of 5,338 bighas in the preceding year; 3,103 licenses covering an area of 2,999 bighas 19 cottahs and 7 chataks were granted, as compared with 3,056 licenses covering an area of 2,947 bighas 3 cottahs and 3 chataks in 1914-15. The area actually cultivated with *ganja* was 2,926 bighas 12 cottahs and 9 chataks against 2,973 bighas 9 cottahs and 4 chataks in the preceding year. * * *

The total quantity of *ganja* stored in the public *golas* amounted to 7,232 maunds 15 seers 11 chataks as compared with 6,867 maunds 39 seers 12 chataks in the preceding season.

48. **Manufacture and Storage.**— * * * *

The cost of cultivation and manufacture of the drug is reported to have been Rs. 30-10 per maund, as in the preceding year, but subsequent enquiries indicate that this is, if anything, an under-estimate.

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49. **Receipts, Issues and Balances at the public Golas and the wholesale price at Naugaon.**— * * * * *

The total exports from Naugaon during the year amounted to 5,789 maunds 5 seers 2 chataks against 7,614 maunds 2 seers 7 chataks in the preceding year. The decrease was shared by all Provinces and States.

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Bhang.

51. **Licenses and Revenue.**—The number of retail licenses in the year under report was 222 against 228 in 1914-15. The number was very small except in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions. The total number of druggists' permits issued was 175 as compared with 166 in the preceding year. The total revenue from both license-fees and duty amounted to Rs. 1,09,646 as compared with Rs. 1,06,953 in 1914-15.

52. **Consumption.**—The total consumption within the Presidency amounted to 629 maunds 13 seers against 671 maunds 25 seers in the previous year. The decrease exceeded 5 maunds in the 24-Parganas (16¼ maunds), Calcutta (12¼ maunds), and Burdwan (5¼ maunds), the three districts in which *bhang* is most largely consumed.

Three maunds of duty-paid *bhang* were exported from Calcutta to French Chandernagore.

Charas.

53. **Licenses and Revenue.**—The number of retail licenses during the year under report was 33 against 35 in 1914-15. One shop was abolished in each of the districts of Howrah and Mymensingh. The total revenue amounted to Rs. 44,306 as compared with Rs. 48,883 in 1914-15. There was a fall of Rs. 5,477 in the receipts from license-fees, whilst receipts from duty increased by Rs. 900.

54. **Imports and consumption.**—The total quantity of *charas* imported was 20 maunds 28 seers against 19 maunds 30 seers in the preceding year. The wholesale dealers of Calcutta, Birbhum and Dinajpur imported the drug direct from the Punjab and supplied retail vendors in the other districts of the Presidency.

The total issues to retail shops in Bengal amounted to 19 maunds 25 seers as compared with 20 maunds 26 seers in 1914-15.

SECTION V.—Opium.

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55. **Restricted supply of opium to licensed shops.**—The system under which the issue of opium to retail shops is restricted to the estimated local demand continued in Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Calcutta, Khulna, Bakarganj and Chittagong, and in a few shops in Birbhum, Nadia, Jessore and Malda. During the year restrictions were imposed on the issues to a few shops in the district of Dinajpur in which the consumption had given cause for suspicion in 1914-15. The special system of settling opium shops by lottery among persons previously approved by the Collector continued in Chittagong.

56. **Licenses for retail sale.**—The total number of licenses issued for the retail sale of opium was 824 against 859 in 1914-15. The decrease was due to the abolition of one shop in each of the districts of Hooghly, the 24-Parganas, Murshidabad, Mymensingh and Bogra, 2 each in Dacca and Dinajpur, 3 each in Burdwan, Midnapore, Nadia, Jessore, Rangpur and Malda, and 8 in Calcutta.

57. **Druggists' permits.**—The number of druggists' permits fell from 374 to 350, a decrease of 24. The number of licenses for the sale of poppy heads was 7 against 6 in the previous year.

58. **Consumption.**—The total quantity of opium consumed within the Presidency was 1,288 maunds 15 seers as compared with 1,554 maunds 11 seers in the previous year, a decrease of 265 maunds 36 seers.

Consumption decreased in 26 districts and increased in one. The increase occurred in Jalpaiguri and amounted to 17 seers. It was due to the influx of a large number of Assamese coolies to work in the tea gardens in the Duars. The decrease exceeded 10 per cent. in Malda (36·2 per cent. or 624 seers), Bakarganj (30·2 per cent. or 433 seers), Darjeeling (26·0 per cent. or 87 seers), Bankura (25·5 per cent. or 236 seers), Dinajpur (23·3 per cent. or 259 seers), Calcutta (22·7 per cent. or 4,628 seers), Murshidabad (22·6 per cent. or 353 seers), Pabna (22·4 per cent. or 102 seers), Bogra (22·3 per cent. or 108 seers), Birbhum (19·8 per cent. or 257 seers), Midnapore (19·4 per cent. or 1,244 seers), Rangpur (17·9 per cent. or 288 seers), Burdwan (17·7 per cent. or 592 seers), Jessore (14·5 per cent. or 122 seers), Rajshahi (13·9 per cent. or 101 seers), Dacca (13·3 per cent. or 177 seers), and Faridpur (11·9 per cent. or 80 seers). The decrease also exceeded 100 seers in Hooghly (263 seers), the 24-Parganas (282 seers), and Nadia (112 seers).

The decrease was due partly to a decrease in the demand for local consumption and partly to the effects of the restrictive system and preventive operations in reducing the quantity available for sale to smugglers. It was intended that the enhancement of the treasury price of opium to Rs. 40 per seer should have the effect of increasing the retail price to Rs. 60 per seer in shops in which it was less than that figure. This object was attained except in a few shops in Jalpaiguri and Rangpur, and even in those districts the average price of opium increased. Coming as it did in a year of economic depression, the general increase in the retail price of opium naturally resulted in a decrease in local consumption.

Statistics regarding the consumption of opium are, however, complicated by the fact that a certain amount of the opium which is issued to shops finds its way into the hands of smugglers. Economic conditions and high retail prices have little effect upon the demand for opium for the purpose of smuggling—in fact a decrease in the demand for local consumption tends to render supplies more easily available and places greater temptation in the way of vendors. It is to meet this difficulty that, in cases in which the restrictive system is in force, vendors, who find that their allotments are in excess of the local demand, are permitted to apply for a reduction of their allotments and a proportionate reduction of license-fees, which is granted, with effect from the beginning of the financial year, if it is found by enquiry that the decreased consumption is not due to an attempt on the part of vendors to realise extortionate prices. This arrangement undoubtedly

prevented the issue of a large quantity of opium which, if it had been issued, would inevitably have been sold to smugglers. At the same time the fact that three cases were detected in Calcutta and one each in Burdwan and Midnapore, in which opium was smuggled from licensed shops, shows that smugglers were still at work. The cancellation of the licenses in these cases had a salutary effect upon other vendors, and it was in these districts and in Malda (where the increase in the retail price was greatest) that the largest actual decreases, amounting to two-thirds of the total decrease in the Presidency, occurred. It may, I think, fairly be claimed that the restrictive system and preventive measures have had the effect of materially reducing the supplies of opium available for smuggling in Bengal, though a certain quantity of opium was smuggled, especially during the earlier months of the year, and some shops are still under suspicion. At the same time, the large quantity of opium seized during the year indicates that smugglers have had no difficulty in making up elsewhere for any curtailment of supplies in this Presidency.

59. **Total receipts.**—The total receipts amounted to Rs. 31,35,892 against Rs. 29,22,324, showing an increase of Rs. 2,13,568 or 7·3 per cent., whilst consumption decreased by 17·1 per cent.

60. **Madak and Chandu.**—The habit of opium smoking was prevalent in some districts, notably in Burdwan, Birbhum, Midnapore, Hooghly, Calcutta, Nadia, Murshidabad, Dacca, and Malda. Except in parts of the Nadia and Malda districts, it is believed that the habit is not spreading. The Collector of Midnapore, however, again reports that the present rules have not proved effective in checking it.

61. **Morphia and Opium pills.**—The use of morphia as a substitute for opium is reported to exist to a limited extent in Hooghly and Calcutta, and is reported to be spreading to Nadia. The use of opium pills has been reported from Jalpaiguri, where two cases of illicit sale were detected. In one case the pills were being sold by a Punjabi as a cure for the opium habit. In the other the pills contained a mixture of *bhang* and opium and were sold extensively as a medicine. Both cases ended in conviction.

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SECTION VI.—Cocaine.

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64. **Licenses and revenue.**—Two hundred and four licenses were issued during the year to chemists, druggists, qualified medical practitioners and dentists for the sale of cocaine as compared with 220 in 1914-15. The license-fees realized amounted to Rs. 221 against Rs. 220 in the preceding year. Thirty licenses for the possession of cocaine were issued free to managers of hospitals or dispensaries not under Government supervision, viz., 22 licenses for tea gardens in Jalpaiguri, 3 for charitable dispensaries in Calcutta, 3 in Midnapore, 1 in Burdwan, and 1 in Murshidabad.

65. **Preventive operations and illicit transactions.**—The abuse of cocaine continues in Calcutta and the neighbouring parts of the 24-Parganas, in the Serampore and part of the Sadar subdivisions of the district of Hooghly, in the towns of Burdwan, Asansol and Raniganj and in Dacca city. Cases of illicit possession or sale were also detected in Midnapore, Nadia and Khulna.

The number of persons convicted of illicit possession or sale of cocaine in Calcutta decreased from 1,159 to 1,001. This cannot, however, be regarded as an indication that there is any decrease in the habit; it is mainly due to the fact that the energies of Excise officers were directed more against the larger dealers and less against the petty hawkers and consumers than in the previous year. Excise officers seized 509 ounces of cocaine as compared with 64 ounces in 1914-15 and successfully prosecuted a leading member of one of the largest and best known gangs, besides four other considerable dealers. The Customs officers did extremely good work and seized 826 ounces as compared with 779 ounces in the previous year, whilst 46 ounces were seized by the Police.

The illicit trade is regularly organized. The leading smugglers receive consignments at frequent intervals and distribute the drug to illicit dealers in Calcutta and elsewhere. Cocaine is frequently sent up-country in exchange for opium. These dealers again distribute it to smaller dealers or hawkers or to consumers. The hawkers deal only in small packets, containing a grain or two of cocaine, and it is in this form that the drug usually reaches the consumer. It is reported that there are very few localities where these packets are not sold. There is little hope of dealing effectively with this abuse unless the source of the cocaine can be reached. As the war has apparently made no difference to the ease with which cocaine can be obtained, though practically all the cocaine seized is of German origin, this would appear to be a matter of some difficulty. The situation in Calcutta is, however, so serious that it is most desirable that an attempt should be made.

The total quantity of cocaine seized in Bengal was 86 lbs. 12 oz. 25 grains (avoirdupois) against 62 lbs. 5 oz. 102 grains in the previous year.

SECTION VII.—Offences against the Excise and Opium laws.

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67. **Arrests and convictions.**—The total number of persons arrested during the year was 4,780 as compared with 3,935 in the previous year: 4,226 persons were convicted against 3,589 in 1914-15. The increase in the number of arrests was mainly due to the closer supervision exercised by whole-time Superintendents, to larger establishments, or to both these causes. It was marked in Calcutta (292), Midnapore (203), Birbhum (74), Jessore (60), Rajshahi (60), Murshidabad (58), and Jalpaiguri (50). * * *

MEMORANDUM ON THE REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE EXCISE DEPARTMENT IN BENGAL DURING THE YEAR 1915-16.

THE report on the administration of the Excise Department for 1915-16 calls for little comment, the chief feature being the continued decline in consumption. In spite of the considerable decrease noticed in the previous year country spirit showed a further falling off of 52,799 proof gallons and *ganja* and opium of 446 and 266 maunds respectively. This reduction in consumption was general throughout the Presidency with the exception of one district, Jalpaiguri. Here the decrease under *ganja* was counterbalanced by an increase under opium and country spirit. This is attributable to the flourishing condition of the tea industry, and as regards opium to an influx of Assamese coolies to the gardens. The general falling off in the rest of the Presidency was due to the combination of administrative and economic factors noted in the memorandum on the report for 1914-15.

2. During the year the new re-organisation scheme was carried further into effect, but it has not yet been possible to bring the cadre of inspectors up to its full strength and the re-adjustment of the grading will still take time to complete.

3. The system of Advisory Committees throughout the districts and of Licensing Boards in Calcutta and the neighbouring municipalities remained in force. The recommendations of the Advisory Committees were accepted in the majority of cases. In accordance with these recommendations 61 sites were changed, 20 shops abolished and two new shops sanctioned. In only 11 cases was it found impracticable to adopt the recommendations of the Advisory Committees for a change of site. As regards the abolition of shops, the Excise authorities were unable in 19 cases to accept the recommendations of the Advisory Committees ; but against this must be set the fact that in 18 cases the Excise authorities felt bound to reject proposals made by Advisory Committees for the opening of new shops. Turning to the Licensing Boards of Calcutta and its suburbs, their recommendations were all accepted and with one exception were carried into effect.

4. The total excise revenue showed a decrease of Rs. 2,29.346, being Rs. 1,51,30,570 against Rs. 1,53,59,916 in the previous year. The only heads which showed an increase were spirits manufactured in India paying higher duties than country spirit (Rs. 31,330), pachwai (Rs. 27,986), opium (Rs. 2,13,568) and bhang (Rs. 2,693). The most noteworthy increase is in the revenue derived from opium. This occurred in spite of the considerable reduction in consumption already mentioned. It is to be attributed partly to the increase in the treasury price which was introduced from the 1st April 1915 and partly to increased competition for licenses following on higher retail prices and increased profits. The more than countervailing decrease of revenue under other heads has been fully explained by the Commissioner of Excise and calls for no further comment. The net result was that the incidence of excise revenue fell to 5 annas 4 pies from 5 annas 5 pies in the previous year.

5. A special staff has been organized in connection with the Excise Intelligence Bureau to cope with the operations of smugglers, and the efforts of the preventive side of the department and of the Customs officials met with considerable success. The Customs officials did particularly well in connection with opium, effecting two record seizures : they also made large seizures of cocaine, while the Excise officers seized no less than 509 oz. of this drug as compared with only 64 oz. in the previous year. The deleterious cocaine habit shows no signs of decreasing, and the decrease in the number of convictions for illicit possession is explained by the fact that the energies of the preventive officers were directed against the larger rather than the petty dealers. Owing to the high degree of organization obtaining in this trade great difficulties are encountered in bringing to justice those who are really responsible, and Government note with satisfaction the success already attained in dealing with the directors of these illicit operations.

J. DONALD,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

The 27th September 1916.

REPORT ON FAMINE IN THE DISTRICT OF BANKURA FOR THE WEEK ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

IN **Bankura District** the condition of the affected areas is improving The harvesting of *aus* paddy and *bhadoi* crops is continuing. Prospects of winter paddy are good. The condition of people on the relief works is generally good. The relief measures are adequate. Gratuitous relief has been closed since 30th September and valedictory doles given. Some relief works are being continued. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 8¾ seers per rupee. The number of persons on the relief works was 18,483 and in receipt of gratuitous relief 19,819, total 38,302. One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one persons were relieved on private works.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DARJEELING, *the 3rd October 1916.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 9th October 1916.

Summary.—During the week under report from moderate to very heavy rain was general throughout the Province. The fall was particularly heavy in the eastern districts. In Birbhum another flood of somewhat less intensity occurred during the week further damaging both houses and crops in the tracts previously affected. Adequate relief measures are being taken. Reports of damage to standing crops either by excessive rainfall or floods have been received from several other places of both eastern and western Bengal. Harvesting of autumn paddy and jute still continues in places. Weeding of winter rice continues. The prospects of the crop are so far fairly satisfactory. Cattle-disease is reported from three districts only. The average price of common rice has risen by about 0·4 per cent as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	5·30	8	8	Weather rainy and cloudy. Damage to *aman* paddy in the Sundarban *abads* due to breach of embankments caused by the last cyclone is reported from Basirhat. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and steeping of jute still continue. The condition of the standing *aus* paddy and jute is fair. Transplanting of winter rice is finished. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	5·25	7¼	7¼	
	Barrackpore	3·28	6¼	6 9/16	
	Barasat ...	5·56	7¼	7¼	
	Basirhat ...	6·93	7¼	7¼	
2	Nadia ...	2·08	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute is nearly over. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	8·40	7¼	7¼	
	Meherpur ...	1·50	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	5·61	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	2·64	6¾	6¾	
3	Murshidabad	3·87	7	7	Weather cyclonic. Prospects of standing crops are fair, but some damage has been caused by floods in the Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import. Cattle-disease is reported from Raghunathganj and Lalgola police-stations.
	Lalbagh ...	5·51	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	1·92	8	8¼	
	Kandi ...	3·30	7¼	8	
4	Jessore ...	(*a*)	8	8	Weather rainy. Transplantation of winter paddy is finished and steeping of jute is going on. Some damage to *aman* paddy has been done by excessive rains in the Magurah subdivision. The prospects of mung, etc., are not good. Fodder is scarce in many places.
	Jhenidah ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	8	
	Magura ...	7·86	7¼	7¼	
	Narail ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	(*a*)	
	Bangaon ...	3·64	7¾	7¾	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Nonakali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
5	KHULNA ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	Report not received.
	Satkhira ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7	
	Bagerhat ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7	
6	BURDWAN ...	3·52	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy. Weeding of winter rice, steeping and washing of jute and sowing of *kalai* are going on. Both *aus* and *haimanti* paddy have been partly damaged by the recent storm and flood. Export of rice and insufficiency of fodder are reported from Katwa. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Gratuitous relief in the flooded areas is being given; the actual amount paid during the week has not been known yet.
	Asansol .	4·07	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	7·02	7½	7½	
	Kalna ...	2·27	7½	7½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	2·30	8	8	Weather hot and cloudy. Another flood of slightly less intensity occurred on the 3rd and 4th instant. Houses and crops have been further damaged over same areas. Relief in the shape of food, etc., was given by the District Officer and his staff to 3,500 persons last week. Further grants of Rs. 5,920 and Rs. 10,000 were received for gratuitous relief and agricultural loans respectively. Arrangements are being made for their distribution. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	6·56	7½	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	3·89	8¾	8¾	Weather fair. Harvesting of *aus* rice is going on. Standing crops excepting sugarcane are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	4·68	7½	7½	
9	MIDNAPORE	3·43	7¾	7¾	Weather cloudy. Serious damage to the standing crops by flood has been reported from parts of the Ghatal subdivision and slight damage by heavy rains has also been caused in parts of the Contai subdivision. Prospects of jute are good; harvesting has been nearly completed. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	4·67	7½	7½	
	Tamluk ...	8·31	8½	8 1/2	
	Contai ...	5·05	8	8½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	7·14	7	7½	Weather seasonable. Weeding of winter rice continues. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	2·50	6½	6½	
	Arambagh ...	5·44	7½	7½	
11	HOWRAH ...	6·61	(*n*)	(*n*)	The weather has been rainy in the earlier part of the week. The standing paddy crop in Amta and Singty thanas was under water for 4 or 5 days. Both *aus* and *aman* paddy and also the vegetable crops have suffered to some extent. The condition of standing crops is good elsewhere. Jute is being harvested. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Price of common rice is stationary.
	Uluberia ...	7·63	(*n*)	(*n*)	

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	6·98	7	7	Weather rainy and stormy. Prospects of standing crops are good. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	11·77	7¼	7¼	
	Nator ...	5·64	7	7	
13	DINAJPUR ...	7·31	7⅛	7¼	Weather rainy but fair since 9th instant. Heavy rain has caused slight damage to *bhadoi* paddy. Prospects of the winter rice crops are good. Harvesting of jute and *bhadoi* paddy continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	4·18	8¼	8¼	
	Balurghat ...	5·48	8 7/16	(*a*)	
14	JALPAIGURI	7·57	7¼	7¼	Weather rainy. Steeping and washing of jute are nearly completed. *Haimanti* paddy is doing well. Fodder, water and food-stuffs are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	6·90	6¼	6¼	
15	DARJEELING	5·95	(*a*)	8	Weather seasonable. *Bhutta* and cardamom are being harvested. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kurseong ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	7¼	
	Siliguri ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	7	
	Kalimpong...	(*a*)	(*a*)	7¼	
16	RANGPUR ...	3·96	7¼	7¼	Weather rainy and cloudy. Harvesting and steeping of jute still continue. Transplantation of winter paddy is nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are good. The recent rain has done much good to the winter rice crop. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	5·77	8	8	
	Kurigram ...	3·39	7¼	7	
	Gaibandha ...	6·36	7¼	(*a*)	
17	BOGRA ...	9·65	8	8	Weather seasonable. Cutting and steeping of jute is still going on in places. Condition of winter rice is good. Lands are being prepared for the *rabi* crops. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
18	PABNA ...	5·46	7¼	7¼	Weather cloudy and rainy. Steeping of jute still continues. Stocks of food-grains are adequate and fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	(*a*)	
19	MALDA ...	7·77	7¼	7¼	Weather cloudy and rainy. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and steeping and washing of jute are nearly completed. Sowing of *kalai* has commenced. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
20	COOCH BEHAR	3·56	$7\frac{9}{16}$	$7\frac{9}{16}$	Weather cloudy and rainy. Steeping and washing of jute are going on briskly. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	10·75	7 $7\frac{1}{2}$†	7 8†	Weather rainy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of jute is almost over. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj ...	8·41	7	7	
	Narayanganj	11·58	7 $7\frac{9}{16}$†	$6\frac{8}{8}$ $7\frac{9}{16}$†	
	Munshiganj*	16·68	7	7	
22	MYMENSINGH	8·76	$6\frac{5}{16}$	$6\frac{5}{16}$	Weather cloudy. The condition of jute and paddy is good and the weather is favourable. Harvesting of jute and transplantation of paddy are nearly finished. Stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	7·24	$6\frac{4}{8}$	$6\frac{3}{8}$	
	Tangail ...	(n)	(n)	$7\frac{4}{8}$	
	Netrakona ...	11·30	$6\frac{9}{16}$	$6\frac{9}{16}$	
	Kishorganj...	14·23	$6\frac{5}{16}$	$6\frac{5}{16}$	
23	FARIDPUR ..	3·75	$6\frac{4}{8}$	$6\frac{4}{8}$	Weather cloudy and rainy. Its effects on the standing crops are fair. Prospects of standing crops are satisfactory. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of rice are sufficient. There has been no large import or export.
	Goalundo	13·72	$7\frac{3}{8}$	$7\frac{3}{8}$	
	Madaripur ...	9·20	$7\frac{4}{8}$	$7\frac{4}{8}$	
	Gopalganj‡	6·99	8	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	9·08	$7\frac{4}{8}$ $8\frac{4}{8}$‖	$7\frac{4}{8}$ 9‖	Weather cloudy and rainy. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	8·20	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{4}{8}$	
	Patuakhali ...	11·70	7	7	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	(n)	(n)	$7\frac{4}{8}$ $8\frac{4}{8}$‖	
25	CHITTAGONG	12·03	8	9	Weather cloudy and rainy. Transplantation of winter rice is completed. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	5·58	$7\frac{4}{8}$	$7\frac{4}{8}$	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(n) Not reported. ‖ *Aus* rice

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
26	Tippera (Comilla).	19·23	8	8	Weather rainy and stormy. Prospects of standing crops are good, but some damage has been done at sadar by two breaches in the Gomti embankments. Transplantation of *aman* paddy continues. Effect of the weather on the standing crops is fair. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	8·96	6½	6½	
	Chandpur ..	16·60	7½	8	
27	Noakhali .	6·65	8	7½	Weather cloudy. Transplantation of *aman* paddy and steeping of jute have been completed. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ..	10·40	7½	8 5/16	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	18·52	7	8	Weather cyclonic. All the rivers are in flood. Winter paddy is considerably damaged. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati.

D. N. Mookerji,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Calcutta, *the 10th October 1916.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 30th September 1916.

Date	Hour	Height of surface above or below zero, minus sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 54·00	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
24th Sept. 1916	8 A.M	7·40	61·40	62·40	R. L. of gauge post is 54·00.
25th " "	8 "	7·50	61·50	62·00	B. M. on College step is 69·74.
26th " "	8 "	8·00	62·00	61·60	
27th " "	8 "	8·50	62·50	61·30	
28th " "	8 "	8·90	62·90	60·85	
29th " "	8 "	9·00	63·00	60·35	
30th " "	8 "	8·80	62·80	59 80	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record	... ...	Highest "	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do.	... ...	Lowest "	...	37·68 on 25th April 1884.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do.	... ...	Ditto "	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 30th September 1916.

R. C. ADHICARI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 30th September 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
24th Sept. 1916	7 A.M.	22·3	22·3	24·2	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
25th " "	"	22·2	22 2	24·0	The bench-mark for the gauge is on
26th " "	"	22·3	22·3	23·8	a pucca pillar between the Passenger
27th " "	"	22·4	22·4	23·6	ghat and Chandpore ghat
28th " "	"	22·2	22·2	23·3	Its reduced level is 22·41.
29th " "	"	22·2	22·2	23·1	
30th " "	"	22·1	22·1	22·7	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	3·4 on 10th February 1915
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest "	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).		Ditto "	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	... ...	Lowest "	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 30th September 1916.

NILMANI DE,
Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 23rd September 1916, on 1,639 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	605,670	2,81,160 0 0	2,762,250 0	4,84,960 0 0	30,900 0 0	7,97,010 0 0	99,013	(a) 67,962	166,975
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 382	(b) 178 0 0	1,685 0	296 0 0	(d) 14 0 0	(d)483 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year(c)	16,271,009	72,11,784 0 0	57,054,868 0	78,35,959 0 0	8,74,684 0 0	1,84,22,427 0 0	2,442,471	1,394,957	3,837,428
Total for 25 weeks ...	16,876,679	74,92,944 0 0	59,817,118 0	78,20,909 0 0	9,05,584 0 0	1,82,19,437 0 0	2,541,484	1,462,919	4,004,403
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	484,590	2,42,832 0 0	2,814,611 0	5,42,017 0 0	37,808 0 0	8,22,346 0 0	101,346	66,626	167,972
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,637 miles)	(c) 294	(c) 153 0 0	1,837 0	342 0 0	19 0 0	513 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	15,209,868	68,72,373 0 0	63,283,805 0	89,93,676 0 0	6,20,192 0 0	1,59,86,241 0 0	2,574,066	1,653,530	4,227,596

(a) Including ballast train-miles 10,704.
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding 6 miles open only for goods traffic
(d) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,530
(e) Audited figures to end of July 1916.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 23rd September 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	56,220	16,750 0 0	129,920 0	11,080 0 0	2,290 0 0	31,120 0 0	7,014	(b) 2,747	9,761
Per mile of railway per week	474	141 0 0	1,180 0	94 0 0	(a) 5 0 0	(a) 260 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year(c)	1,288,010	3,96,295 0 0	2,377,238 0	1,61,585 0 0	57,478 0 0	6,15,218 0 0	162,416	46,182	208,598
Total for 25 weeks ...	1,344,230	4,13,045 0 0	2,507,158 0	1,72,625 0 0	60,768 0 0	6,46,338 0 0	169,430	48,929	218,359
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	(d)106,544	17,192 0 0	103,456 0	7,637 0 0	1,680 0 0	26,482 0 0	6,806	1,856	8,662
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	899	146 0 0	873 0	64 0 0	1 0 0	211 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	1,330,304	3,46,378 0 0	2,226,835 0	1,34,463 0 0	54,218 0 0	5,34,891 0 0	168,377	47,853	216,730

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 2,700.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 700.
(c) Audited figures to end of July 1916.
(d) Includes certain adjustments.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 23rd September 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,650	2,910 0 0	41,980 0	2,110 0 0	30 0 0	5,050 0 0	952	(a)372	1,324
Per mile of railway per week	231	88 0 0	1,269 0	64 0 0	1 0 0	153 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year(b)	136,741	50,372 0 0	967,312 0	63,227 0 0	667 0 0	1,21,306 0 0	23,098	8,364	31,962
Total for 25 weeks ...	143,891	51,282 0 0	999,292 0	64,437 0 0	697 0 0	1,26,356 0 0	24,050	8,736	32,786
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	5,241	1,811 0 0	(c)32,014 0	2,049 0 0	20 0 0	4,880 0 0	962	251	1,193
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles).	161	55 0 0	783 0	62 0 0	.....	147 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	167,671	47,062 0 0	954,454 0	65,909 0 0	667 0 0	1,16,378 0 0	21,831	15,633	37,3

(a) Including ballast train-miles, nil.
(b) Audited figures to end of July 1916.
(c) Includes adjustments.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 23rd September 1916, on 53·66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	17,650	4,900 0 0	146,200 0	7,570 0 0	40 0 0	12,510 0 0	1,671	(a) 1,505	3,176
Per mile of railway per week	329	91 0 0	2,725 0	141 0 0	1 0 0	233 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year (b)	396,918	1,23,946 0 0	3,548,343 0	1,16,979 0 0	732 0 0	3,41,657 0 0	46,817	22,544	69,361
Total for 25 weeks ...	414,568	1,28,846 0 0	3,794,443 0	1,24,549 0 0	772 0 0	3,54,167 0 0	48,488	24,049	72,537
Total for the 13 weeks of calendar half-year(b)	186,022	53,688 0 0	1,850,120 0	51,994 0 0	335 0 0	1,36,037 0 0	23,552	13,949	36,501
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	19,425	6,020 0 0	147,088 0	7,518 0 0	28 0 0	13,566 0 0	1,939	1,190	3,129
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (55·22 miles)	352	109 0 0	2,664 0	136 0 0	1 0 0	246 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	387,096	1,17,099 0 0	2,487,628 0	1,16,850 0 0	787 0 0	3,34,736 0 0	50,351	22,422	72,673
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	186,730	56,430 0 0	1,199,179 0	59,093 0 0	420 0 0	1,16,943 0 0	24,349	11,276	35,521

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 87. | (b) Audited figures to end of July 1916.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 30th September 1916, on 1,639 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (f)	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. (f)			
Total traffic for the week	643,750	3,11,360 0 0	2,798,240 0	4,81,060 0 0	22,130 0 0	8,36,050 0 0	92,013	a) 67,180	166,193
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 407	(b) 197 0 0	1,708 0	294 0 0	(d) 15 0 0	(d) 499 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (c)	16,876,679	74,92,944 0 0	59,817,118 0	78,70,999 0 0	9,08,884 0 0	1,62,19,427 0 0	2,541,484	1,463,918	4,004,402
Total for 26 weeks ...	17,520,429	78,04,304 0 0	62,615,358 0	83,01,959 0 0	9,37,704 0 0	1,70,44,497 0	2,640,497	1,530,998	4,170,595
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	524,993	2,51,552 0 0	2,809,607 0	4,57,795 0 0	21,039 0 0	7,70,976 0 0	101,480	66,784	168,264
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,587 miles)	(e) 332	(e) 159 0 0	1,771 0	307 0 0	15 0 0	481 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	15,736,561	66,34,225 0 0	66,193,612 0	96,81,471 0 0	6,51,221 0 0	1,67,56,917 0 0	2,675,846	1,720,804	4,396,650

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 11,303.
(b) Excluding 56 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding 6 miles open only for goods traffic.
(d) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,570.
(e) Audited figures to end of July 1916.
(f) Increase is chiefly due to Durga Pooja holidays.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 30th September 1916, on 118·58 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	a 69,790	17,660 0 0	150,880 0	10,850 0 0	3,150 0 0	31,360 0 0	7,014	(b) 2,580	9,594
Per mile of railway per week	589	149 0 0	1,273 0	89 0 0	(c) 4 0 0	(c) 262 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year(c)	1,344,230	4,12,965 0 0	2,517,185 0	1,72,625 0 0	60,765 0 0	6,46,345 0 0	169,130	48,229	218,359
Total for 26 weeks ...	1,414,020	4,30,615 0 0	2,668 065 0	1,83,175 0 0	63,915 0 0	6,77,705 0 0	176,144	51,809	227,953
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	(d) 87,639	16,206 0 0	108,153 0	7,393 0 0	1,589 0 0	25,258 0 0	6,771	1,867	8,638
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·48 miles)	740	137 0 0	913 0	62 0 0	1 0 0	200 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	1,617,943	3,62,479 0 0	2,334,996 0	1,41,796 0 0	55,904 0 0	5,60,179 0 0	175,643	49,730	225,373

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 2,670.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 700.
(c) Audited figures to end of July 1916.
(d) Includes certain adjustments.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 30th September 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings	Weight carried.	Goods earnings			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,980	3,196 0 0	40 830 0	2,070 0 0	30 0 0	5,280 0 0	962	(a) 272	1,234
Per mile of railway per week	237	93 0 0	1,234 0	63 0 0	1 0 0	160 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year(b)	143,391	61,282 0 0	999,393 0	44,437 0 0	637 0 0	1,26,356 0 0	24,050	8,536	32,586
Total for 26 weeks ...	151,241	64,462 0 0	1,040,112 0	66,507 0 0	667 0 0	1,31,636 0 0	25,002	8,808	33,810
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	5,166	1 892 0 0	(a) 3 ,114 0	4,087 0 0	21 0 0	5,000 0 0	959	452	1,391
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	156	3[illegible]·0 0	940 0	93 0 0	1 0 0	151 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	112,786	48,974 0 0	965 568 0	72,295 0 0	706 0 0	1,21,978 0 0	22,780	16,064	38,844

(a) Including ballast train-miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1916.
(c) Includes certain adjustments.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 30th September 1916, on 53·66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	18,060	5,070 0 0	263,500 0	9,070 0 0	40 0 0	14,180 0 0	1,871	(a) 1,550	3,721
Per mile of railway per week	336	94 0 0	3,779 0	169 0 0	1 0 0	264 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (b)	414,548	1,76,846 0 0	2,794,447 0	1,24,549 0 0	772 0 0	2,54,167 0 0	48,458	24,049	72,537
Total for 26 weeks ...	432,598	1,83,916 0 0	2,997,943 0	1,33,619 0 0	813 0 0	2,68,347 0 0	50,329	25,599	75,758
Total for the 13 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	204,072	88,788 0 0	2 062,930 0	91,064 0 0	595 0 0	1,80,317 0 0	24,223	15,499	39,722
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	19,341	5,867 0 0	129,998 0	6,650 0 0	28 0 0	12,545 0 0	1,949	1,154	3,103
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·22 miles)	364	106 0 0	2,354 0	120 0 0	1 0 0	227 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	206,637	1,22,966 0 0	2,617,636 0	1,28,500 0 0	815 0 0	2,47,281 0 0	52,300	24,576	76,776
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	206,291	89,297 0 0	1,329,177 0	65,742 0 0	448 0 0	1,55 487 0 0	26,194	12,430	38,624

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 100. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 23rd September 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,500	2,040 0 0	58,000 0	4,500 0 0	20 0 0	6,560 0 0	1,428	(b)700	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	149	41 0 0	1,173 0	90 0 0	.....	131 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half year (a)	83,187	76,631 0 0	715,393 0	49,474 0 0	308 0 0	76,413 0 0	15,683	6,890	20,532
Total for 25 weeks ...	90,687	98,671 0 0	774,393 0	53,974 0 0	328 0 0	82,973 0 0	15,060	7,590	22,650
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	6,125 0	357 0 0	7 0 0	364 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (22 miles)	.....	.....	266 0	16 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	37,474 0	4,696 0 0	39 0 0	4,735 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Audited figures to end of July 1916. (b) Including ballast train miles, nil.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 30th September 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,830	2,790 0 0	75,670 0	6,520 0 0	20 0 0	9,330 0 0	1,428	7,0	9,128
Per mile of Railway per week	176	56 0 0	1,507 0	130 0 0	.....	186 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half year (a)	90,687	28,671 0 0	774,393 0	53,974 0 0	328 0 0	82,973 0 0	15,060	7,390	22,450
Total for 26 weeks ...	99,517	31,461 0 0	849,963 0	60,494 0 0	348 0 0	92,303 0 0	16,488	8,090	24 578
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	.....	.....	6,130 0	410 0 0	5 0 0	415 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (23 miles)	.....	.....	267 0	18 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	.....	.....	43,754 0	5,096 0 0	44 0 0	5,140 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Audited figures to end of July 1916.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 23rd September 1916, on 51 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Totals.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,731	18,695 0 0	28,986 0	12,903 0 0	109 0 0	26,707 0 0	3,876	3,732	8,859
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	369 0 0	.....	253 0 0	2 0 0	524 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of the half-year	1,11,739	3,04 077 0 0	757,204 0	3,19,004 0 0	3,905 0 0	6,26,986 0 0	62,180	93,015	155,195
Total traffic up to 23rd September 1916 ...	1,16,970	3,17,772 0 0	786,189 0	3,31,907 0 0	4,014 0 0	6,53,693 0 0	64,056	96,748	161,054
(176 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	248 0 0	.....	239 0 0	2 0 0	510 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,963	13,071 0 0	31 351 0	13,959 0 0	716 0 0	27,746 0 0	1,487	4,342	5,829
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	256 0 0	.....	274 0 0	14 0 0	544 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,04,992	2,78,386 0 0	748,073 0	3,24,044 0 0	4,218 0 0	6,07,648 0 0	43,068	1,04,603	147,488
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	217 0 0	.....	254 0 0	3 0 0	474 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes :—Difference for the week...		+ 634		— 1,056	— 607	— 1,029			
Difference up to date ...		+ 39,386		+ 6,963	— 204	+ 46,145			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local and through passengers.

The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in salt and building materials, *viz.*, iron, cement and lime, &c. The potato traffic showed an improvement.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 23rd September 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,735	2,394 0 0	14,618 0	1,475 0 0	17 0 0	3,886 0 0	982	938	1,920
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	35 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	56 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of the half-year	1,49,414	48,936 0 0	336,233 0	27,411 0 0	589 0 0	76,936 0 0	21,991	25,286	47,277
Total traffic up to 23rd September 1916	1,49,149	51 334 0 0	353,871 0	28,886 0 0	606 0 0	80,846 0 0	22,973	26,124	49,097
(176 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	39 0 0	.....	17 0 0	.....	46 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	.....	1,653 0 0	.....	1,506 0 0	20 0 0	3,179 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	24 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year	.....	23,963 0 0	.....	13,177 0 0	348 0 0	43,518 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	17 0 0	.....	8 0 0	.....	25 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes.—Difference for the week		+ 741		— 31	— 1	+ 706			
Difference up to date		+ 31,361		+ 15,709	+ 258	+ 37,328			

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 23rd September 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week*	312	69 0 0	1,194 0	233 0 0	2 0 0	304 0 0	94	88	182
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	2 0 0	.....	8 0 0	.....	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of the half-year	13,390	10,929 0 0	183,981 0	34,106 0 0	120 0 0	45,155 0 0	5,252	9,455	14,707
Total traffic up to 23rd September 1916	13,612	10,998 0 0	187,175 0	34,339 0 0	122 0 0	45,459 0 0	5,346	9,543	14,889
(176 days) Or per week per mile of Railway	.....	13 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	60 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	.....	185 0 0	.....	103 0 0	3 0 0	236 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	4 0 0	.....	4 0 0	.....	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year	.....	2,052 0 0	.....	2,182 0 0	53 0 0	4,287 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	3 0 0	.....	3 0 0	.....	6 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes.—Difference for the week		— 63		+ 130	— 1	— 66			
Difference up to date		+ 8,946		+ 33,157	+ 79	+ 41,182			

* The line closed for traffic beyond Sevok.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 23rd September 1916, on 2,067 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,067 miles open ...	383,780	(a)1,40,180	799,610	(b)1,16,740	21,880	2,78,800	60,994	(c)38,274	99,268
Or per mile of railway ...	185·67	67·82	386·85	56·48	10·58	134·88	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24½ weeks of official half-year (e)	13,131,304	49,91,520	29,166,111	40,19,161	6,69,308	96,79,989	1,520,178	1,197,454	2,717,632
Total for 25½ weeks ...	13,515,084	51,31,700	29,965,721	41,35,901	6,91,188	99,58,789	1,581,172	1,235,728	2,816,900
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,043 miles open	398,768	1,47,383	842,749	1,11,536	22,325	2,81,244	63,757	(d)37,967	101,724
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	195·19	72·14	412·51	54·59	10·93	137·66	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	12,380,390	44,30,351	27,851,578	36,33,456	6,39,670	87,03,477	1,604,280	1,176,082	2,780,362
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		2·30		3·05	·22	2·81			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		2·31		2·94	·22	2·76			

(a) Decrease chiefly under local and foreign inward passengers.
(b) Increases under local and foreign outward; foreign inward decreased.
(c) Includes 2,676 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 2,927 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes audited figures up to 31st July 1916.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 23rd September 1916 on (a) 800 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 22 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	91,000	49,000 0 0	544,000 0	93,000 0 0	8,000 0 0	1,50,000 0 0	17,367	20,910	38,277
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	61·25	.....	113·14	9·73	184·12	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year	2,293,435	12,48,972 0 0	11,597,831 0	15,27,551 0 0	2,49,270 0 0	30,25,793 0 0	418,423	475,736	894,159
Total for 25½ weeks ...	2,384,435	12,97,972 0 0	12,141,831 0	16,20,551 0 0	2,57,270 0 0	31,75,793 0 0	435,790	496,646	932,436
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year:—									
Proportionate actuals ...	93,847	46,256 0 0	563,499 0	62,409 0 0	20,742 0 0	1,29,387 0 0	15,018	24,199	39,217
Per mile of railway(b) ...	.....	55·35	.....	79·10	26·29	164·74	.....	.....	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,312,201	12,76,263 0 0	11,907,898 0	16,35,606 0 0	3,09,745 0 0	32,21,614 0 0	389,341	522,716	912,057

(a) Excludes 44 miles from Harangajao to Maibang on the Hill Section under reconstruction.
(b) Calculated on 789 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 23rd September 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other* earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,742	2,999 0 0	58,022 0	11,242 0 0	(a)879 0 0	15,120 0 0	375	(d)880	1,255
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	82 0 0	.....	309 0 0	15 0 0	(c)406 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 24 weeks of half-year *	175,364	45,244 0 0	1,897,431 0	2,47,523 0 0	10,469 0 0	3,03,236 0 0	12,976	22,166	35,142
Total for 25 weeks ...	182,106	48,243 0 0	1,955,453 0	2,58,765 0 0	11,348 0 0	3,18,356 0 0	13,351	23,046	36,397
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	6,413	1,952 0 0	53,364 0	9,960 0 0	(b)666 0 0	12,578 0 0	647	(e)304	951
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	54 0 0	.....	273 0 0	11 0 0	(c)338 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	150,780	42,144 0 0	1,344,400 0	2,06,375 0 0	12,392 0 0	2,60,911 0 0	10,940	18,471	29,411

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 336.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs. 268
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 147.
(e) Ditto, 1915, 74.
* Includes Audited earnings for the month of July 1916.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 23rd September 1916, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	14,888	6,732 0 0	97,186 0	16,551 0 0	1,022 0 0	24,305 0 0	2,029	(a)2,927	4,956
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	58 0 0	.....	141 0 0	9 0 0	208 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 24 weeks of half-year.*	344,130	104,265 0 0	2,545,473 0	3,83,888 0 0	4,168 0 0	4,92,321 0 0	44,866	19,812	124,678
Total for 25 weeks ...	359,018	110,997 0 0	2,642,659 0	4,00,439 0 0	5,190 0 0	5,16,626 0 0	46,895	82,739	129,634
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	12,878	4,387 0 0	92,731 0	13,748 0 0	822 0 0	18,957 0 0	2,163	(b)1,413	3,576
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	37 0 0	.....	118 0 0	7 0 0	162 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	319,349	99,993 0 0	2,100,039 0	3,05,747 0 0	7,380 0 0	4,13,120 0 0	45,309	64,405	109,714

(a) Ballast train-miles, 477.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, 69.
* Includes Audited earnings for the month of July 1916

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Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8174A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3308A.D.—The 10th October 1916.*—The orders of the 19th September 1916, transferring Maulvi Hamidur Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district, are cancelled.

Dacca. Murshidabad.

No. 3311A.D.—The 10th October 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdullah, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district.

Dacca. Murshidabad.

No. 3342A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—Mr. J. C. H. Macnair, I.C.S., on leave, is appointed to be Additional District and Sessions Judge, Bakarganj.

Bakarganj.

No. 3345A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—Mr. D. C. Patterson, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Bakarganj, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of that District.

Bakarganj.

No. 3347A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—Mr. P. E. Cumminde, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Bakarganj, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Jessore.

Bakarganj.
Jessore.

No. 3349A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—Mr. J. H. A. Street, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Jessore, is appointed to be Additional District and Sessions Judge, Jessore and Khulna.

Jessore.
Khulna.

No. 3351A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—Mr. Mahim Chandra Ghosh, I.C.S., is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Pabna and Bogra.

Pabna.
Bogra.

No. 3390A.D.—The 13th October 1916.—Babu Bhabesh Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district.

Jalpaiguri.
Howrah.

No. 3442A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—Babu Ashutosh Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district.

Nadia.
Mymensingh.

No. 3452A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—Mr. H. P. Duval, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal.

Calcutta.

No. 3454A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—Mr. H. C. Maitland, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 3458A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—Mr. L. S. Bingemann, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge, Bankura.

Bankura.
Midnapore.

This cancels the orders of the 7th October 1916, posting Mr. Bingemann temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district.

No. 3460A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—Mr. L. S. Bingemann, I.C.S., Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Bankura, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Burdwan, Midnapore, Birbhum and Hooghly, during a portion of the Civil Court vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code.

Bankura.
Burdwan.
Midnapore.
Birbhum.
Hooghly.

Mr. Bingemann is also authorised, under section 9 *(4)* of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Midnapore for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 3463A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Mahmud, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district, on relinquishing charge of his special duty.

Dacca.

POLICE.—*No. 3334A.D.—The 11th October 1916.*—Mr. W. H. Cornish, Superintendent of Police, Khulna, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Rangpur.

Khulna.
Rangpur.

No. 3336A.D.—The 11th October 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Khurshed, Deputy Superintendent of Police, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Khulna, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.
Khulna.

CONFIRMATION.

POLICE.—*No. 3484A.D.—The 17th October 1916.*—Mr. W. Murray, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police of the fourth grade, is confirmed in that grade.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3359A.D.—The 12th October 1916.*—The following promotions and appointments are sanctioned in the grades of Magistrates and Collectors. The officers concerned will continue to act in higher grade or appointment, until further orders :—

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the second grade.*

Rai Ganga Charan Chatarji Bahadur, from the 3rd April 1916 to the 30th September 1916, inclusive, *vice* Mr. L. Birley, C.I.E., I.C.S., appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be Secretary to Government.

Mr. M. C. McAlpin, I.C.S., from the 1st May 1916 to the 23rd May 1916, inclusive.

Appointed substantively pro tempore *to the third grade.*

Mr. Guru Saday Dutt, I.C.S., from the 3rd April 1916 to the 30th September 1916, inclusive, *vice* Rai Ganga Charan Chatarji Bahadur, promoted.

Mr. D. H. Wares, I.C.S., from the 1st May 1916 to the 23rd May 1916, inclusive.

This cancels so much of the orders contained in Notification No. 688A.D., dated the 19th May 1916, as relate to the promotions of Rai Ganga Charan Chatarji Bahadur and Mr. Guru Saday Dutt, I.C.S., to the second and third grade, respectively.

No. 3413A.D.—The 14th October 1916.—The following acting appointments are sanctioned in the grades of Magistrates and Collectors :—

To act in the first grade.

Mr. J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., with effect from the 30th August 1916, *vice* Mr. Jnanendra Nath Gupta, I.C.S., on leave, until further orders.

Rai Ganga Charan Chatarji Bahadur, from the 2nd September 1916, *vice* Mr. R. C. Hamilton, I.C.S., on leave, to the 29th September 1916, inclusive.

Mr. M. C. McAlpin, I.C.S., from the 11th September 1916, *vice* Mr. S. G. Hart, I.C.S., on deputation, to the 29th September 1916, inclusive.

To act in the second grade.

Mr. P. H. Waddell, I.C.S., with effect from the 30th August 1916, *vice* Mr. J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., appointed to act in the first grade, until further orders.

„ J. H. Lindsay, I.C.S., from the 2nd September 1916 to the 29th September 1916, inclusive, *vice* Rai Ganga Charan Chatarji Bahadur, appointed to act in the first grade and again with effect from the 12th October 1916, *vice* Mr. D. H. Wares, I.C.S., on leave, until further orders.

„ J. C. French, I.C.S., from the 11th September 1916 to the 29th September 1916, inclusive, *vice* Mr. M. C. McAlpin, I.C.S., appointed to act in the first grade.

„ F. D. Ascoli, I.C.S., from the 11th September 1916, *vice* Mr. P. H. Waddell, I.C.S., on leave, to the 29th September 1916, inclusive.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3466A.D.—The 16th October 1916.*—Babu Gyanendra Nath Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinajpur, is allowed leave for twenty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

Dinajpur.

POLICE.—*No. 8173A.—The 17th October 1916.*—Mr. R. C. Durrup de Dombal, Deputy Superintendent of Police, under orders of transfer to Chittagong, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1916.

Chittagong.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3473A.D.—The 16th October 1916.*—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation, by the Hon'ble Mr. Edward Brooks Henderson Panton, I.C.S., of his office of Additional Member of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

Council.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8359L.R.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101(*1*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands, in the district of Malda, comprised within the external boundaries of villages falling entirely or partly within 5 miles from the main stream of the river Ganges.

Malda.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent and cess payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise ;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which and the steps by which it increases ;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1699T.R.—The 10th October 1916.—Khan Sahib A. K. Kabiruddin Ahmad, Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera with effect from the 12th October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duty.

Noakhali and Tippera.

No. 1746T.R.—The 14th October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (Act XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the further retention of the temporary office of the Joint Sub-Registrar of Boda at Debiganj, in the district of Jalpaiguri, up to the 30th September 1917.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 8310L.A.—The 13th October 1916.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Singh, Deputy Collector, Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district, in connection with the construction of the Khulna-Bagerhat Light Railway.

Khulna.

No. 1572T.R.—The 23rd September 1916.—The following revised scale of charges for the treatment of animals admitted in the hospital attached to the Bengal Veterinary College at Belgachia is sanctioned in modification of that prescribed by rule 3 of the Rules for the Admission of Animals into that hospital, published under Notification No. 2643, dated the 20th July 1908 :—

24-Parganas.

Class I.—Horses and ponies belonging to well-to-do owners.

	Rs.	A.	
(*a*) In-patients, Re. 1 per diem, with a minimum charge of	12	0	
(*b*) Out-patients	5	0	each case.
(*c*) Charge for examination and written opinion as to soundness	16	0	

Class II.—Horses and ponies belonging to persons of small means and Hackney carriage-drivers.

	Rs.	A.	
(*a*) In-patients, horses, 8 annas per diem, with a minimum charge of	5	0	
In-patients, ponies under 14 hands, 6 annas per diem, with a minimum charge of ...	3	0	
(*b*) Out-patients, horses and ponies	1	0	each case.
(*c*) Examination for soundness and verbal opinion ... ... { Horses ...	5	0	
{ Ponies ...	5	0	

Class III.—Cattle.

(*a*) In-patients, if fed by owners	Free.		
(*b*) In-patients, if fed by hospital—			
Well-to-do owners, 6 annas per diem, with a minimum charge of	1	8	
Cart-men, goalas and pack-bullock drivers, 2 annas per diem with a minimum charge of	1	0	
(*c*) Out-patients—			
Well-to-do owners	0	8	each case
Others	Free.		

Class IV.—Dogs.

(*a*) In-patients, 4 annas per diem, with a minimum charge of	3	0	
(*b*) Out-patients for a course of treatment ...	1	0	
(*c*) Charge for examination	5	0	
(*d*) The property of poor people	Free.		

Class V.—Sheep and Goats.

	Rs.	A.
(*a*) In-patients, 2 annas per idem, with a minimum charge of	0	8
(*b*) Out-patients for a course of treatment ...	0	4
(*c*) The property of poor people	Free.	

Class VI.—Other animals.

Rates will be decided by the Principal or Assistant Principal on admission.

N.B.—The charges for animals admitted under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act will be the same such as the charges prescribed under classes II, III, IV, V, and VI

2. This also modifies the Judicial Department Notification No. 1798½J.D., dated the 4th July 1902, so far as the scale of charges is concerned.

Calcutta. *No. 8295Agri.—The 12th October 1916.*—Mr. S. Milligan, Officiating Director of Agriculture, Bengal, is appointed to hold charge of the office of the second Deputy Director of Agriculture, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the forenoon of the 5th October 1916, during the absence on deputation to military duty of Mr. K. McLean.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bakarganj. *No. 8317L.A.—The 13th October 1916.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of the Gabkhan Bharani Khal, in the villages of Baruhar, Sharangal, Kangsha and Srirjug-Pratappur, pargana Selimabad, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 125 bighas 14 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, of uniform breadth of 185 feet, lying contiguous to the southern boundary of the land already acquired for the above purpose under declaration No. 439T.R., dated the 19th May 1916, on the southern side of the Gabkhan Bharani Khal, leading from the western bank of cadastral survey plot No. 46—a khal in mauza Baruhar—up to 164th mile post in mauza Srirjug-Pratappur, is required within the aforesaid villages of Baruhar, Sharangal, Kangsha and Srirjug-Pratappur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Officer, Bakarganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Malda. *No. 8368L.A.—The 16th October 1916.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the English Bazar Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the Muhammadan burial-ground at village Andharupara, pargana Bhatia Gopalpur, zilla Malda, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the mango garden of Babu Krishna Lal Choudhury,

East and South—By the Municipal burial-ground,

West—By the mango garden of Babu Krishna Lal Choudhury,

is required within the aforesaid village of Andharupara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Malda.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Mymensingh. *No. 8395L.A.—The 16th October 1916.*—In line 4 of declaration No. 5858L.A., dated the 25th July 1916, published at page 1385, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd August 1916, regarding the acquisition of land required for borrowpits in the Mymensingh-Netrakona Section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway, in the villages of Char Iswardia and Jhaugara, district Mymensingh, *for* the words "miles 3 and 4" *read* "miles 3, 3·15 and 4."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

24-Parganas. *No. 8292Regn.—The 12th October 1916.*—Babu Bijay Chandra Dhar, Sub-Registrar of Mathurapur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the 15th August 1916.

This cancels Notification No. 6353Regn., dated the 29th July 1916.

Tippera. *No. 8298Regn.—The 12th October 1916.*—Maulvi Khadim Rasul, Sub-Registrar of Sarail, in the district of Tippera, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for ten days, with effect from the 18th September 1916, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 6632Regn., dated the 29th July 1916.

24-Parganas. *No. 8300Regn.—The 12th October 1916.*—Babu Kanai Lal Mitra, Sub-Registrar of Budge-Budge, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 30th September 916 to the 2nd November 1915, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 6375Regn., dated the 8th August 1916.

Burdwan. Khulna. *No. 8302Regn.—The 12th October 1916.*—Babu Jatindra Nath Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Raona, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj, in the district of Khulna.

Pabna. *No. 8304Regn.—The 12th October 1916.*—Maulvi Ghulam Asab Ali Khan, Sub-Registrar of Dhangora, in the district of Pabna, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-six days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 7280Regn., dated the 4th September 1916.

Burdwan. *No. 8312Regn.—The 13th October 1916.*—Babu Girija Nanda Sen Kabiraj, Sub-Registrar of Mankar, in the district of Burdwan, was granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fourteen days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 7788Regn., dated the 19th September 1916.

No. 8327Regn.—The 14th October 1916.—Maulvi Saiyid Hatif 'Ali-ul-Husain, Sub-Registrar, grade II, was granted extraordinary leave without allowances, under articles 232 and 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and three days, with effect from the 1st June 1916, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 857T.R., dated the 29th May 1916.

Dacca. *No. 8342Regn.—The 14th October 1916.*—Babu Jyotish Chandra Mukharji Sub-Registrar of Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Second Joint Sub-Registrar of Dacca, *vice* Babu Bipin Chandra Sen.

Dacca. *No. 8344Regn.—The 14th October 1916.*—Babu Dinesh Chandra Guha, Sub-Registrar of Rupganj, in the district of Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Narayanganj in the same district, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Jyotish Chandra Mukharji.

Bakarganj. Dacca. *No. 8346Regn.—The 14th October 1916.*—Babu Kiran Chandra Datta, Sub-Registrar of Radhaballav, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Rupganj, in the district of Dacca, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Dinesh Chandra Guha.

Calcutta. *No. 8365Regn.—The 16th October 1916.*—Babu Surendra Krishna Ray, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Calcutta, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for thirty days, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 233T.-S.R.—The 11th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 7 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), the Governor in Council is pleased to vest the Deputy Commissioner of Excise with the powers conferred by section 73, sub-section (*1*) of the said Act on a Collector in regard to the investigation of offences, to be exercised throughout Bengal concurrently in each district of Bengal with the Collector of such district and subject to the control of the Excise Commissioner.

No. 234T.-S.R.—The 11th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*g*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 7 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in Notification No. 596-S.R., dated the 30th March 1915 (published at pages 562—578 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st *idem*), namely :—

In paragraph 15, line 1 of the said notification, *after* the word "Collector" *insert* the words "Deputy Commissioner of Excise"

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 267T.-Medl.—The 12th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 28, sub-section (*1*), of the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912 (IV of 1912), and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be visitors of the Berhampore Lunatic Asylum, viz.:—

1.	The Commissioner of the Presidency Division	*Ex officio.*
2.	The District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad	
3.	The District Magistrate, Murshidabad ...	
4.	The Superintendent of Police, Murshidabad ..	
5.	The Civil Surgeon, Murshidabad	
6.	The Assistant Surgeon, Murshidabad ...	
7.	The Senior Deputy Magistrate, Murshidabad ...	
8.	The Senior Munsif, Murshidabad ...	
9.	Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandi, K.C.I.E.	*Non-officials.*
10.	Rai Baikunth Nath Sen Bahadur, Vakil ...	
11.	Babu Vishnucharan Sen, Zamindar ...	
12.	„ Brojendra Nath Sen, L.M.S. ...	
13.	„ Radhika Mohan Sen, Vakil ...	
14.	„ Mohendra Nath Mukherji, Vakil ...	
15.	„ Srivan Vehari Sen Zamindar ...	
16.	„ Jogesh Charan Sen, Zamindar ...	
17.	„ Kshetranath Paul, Zamindar ...	
18.	Maulvi Abdus Samad, Pleader ...	

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8175A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3376A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Hrishikesh Dutt the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Hooghly, for a period of three years from the 24th October 1916,

Hooghly.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3378A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Priya Nath Das the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the 24th October 1916,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Kanchrapara Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3380A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Nibaran Chandra Sen the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Faridpur, for a period of three years from the 22nd October 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Goalundo subdivision of the said district,

Faridpur.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Goalundo Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3382A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Khan Bahadur Muhammad Shams-uz-Zoha the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Birbhum, for a period of three years from the 24th October 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

Birbhum.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Suri Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3384A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Jogesh Charan Sen the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Murshidabad, for a period of three years from the 27th October 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

Murshidabad.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3406A.D.—The 13th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Noakhali, for a period of three years from the 28th October 1916,

Noakhali.

(*b*) to direct them to sit as members of the Feni Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct them to take down evidence in the English language.

Babu Rohini Kumar Som. | Maulvi Abdul Razzak.

No. 3408A.D.—The 13th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Krishna Kishor Datta the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Noakhali, for a period of three years from the 28th October 1916,

Noakhali.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Feni Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3410A.D.—The 13th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Maulvi Bazlul Haq, an Honorary Magistrate of the Feni Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Noakhali, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench, in respect to cases brought before the said Bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench.

Noakhali.

POWERS.

No. 3463A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Mahmud, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Dacca.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

LEAVE.

No. 3304J.—The 16th October 1916.—Babu Sukumar Bhattacharji, Subordinate Judge of Dacca, is allowed leave for thirteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th August 1916.

Dacca.

POWERS.

No. 295J.D.—The 10th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 492 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Additional Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, to be *ex-officio* Public Prosecutor in all cases coming before the Calcutta High Court on its Appellate Side.

Calcutta.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3737P.D.—The 10th October 1916.—Babu Manomohan Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer and is posted to the Arambagh subdivision of the Hooghly district.

Hooghly.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following draft of amendments which the Commissioner of Police Calcutta, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*b*) of section 62 of the Calcutta Police Act, 1866 (Bengal Act IV of 1866) and clause (*b*) of section 39 of the Calcutta Suburban Police Act, 1866 (Bengal Act II of 1866), and with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council, intends to make in the rules for regulating traffic in, and the use of, the streets of Calcutta and its suburbs so as to prevent danger, obstruction or inconvenience to the public, published at page 409 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th February 1912, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st December 1916, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft amendments.

1. In the first sentence of rule 3, *after* the words "main street" *insert* the words "specified in the annexed schedule."

2. At the end of the rules, *add* the following Schedule :—

SCHEDULE.

Main Streets.

Alipore Road.
Amherst Street.
Bagbazar Street.
Barrackpore Trunk Road.
Ballygunge Circular Road.
Belgachia Road.
Belvedere Road.
Belliaghatta Road.
Bentinck Street.
Bowbazar Street.
Camac Street.
Canning Street.
Cathedral Road.
Charnock Place.
Chitpore Road (Upper).
Chitpore Road (Lower).
Chowringhee Road.
Circular Road (Upper).
Circular Road (Lower).
Circular Garden Reach Road.
Clive Street.
College Street.
Cornwallis Street.
Corporation Street.
Cotton Street.
Dalhousie Square, North, South, East, West.
Dhurrumtolla Street.
Diamond Harbour Road.
Dufferin Road.
Darmahatta Street.
Eden Garden Road.
Esplanade Row, East.
Elgin Road.
Elliott Road.
Free School Street.
Galif Street.
Garden Reach Road.
Gas Street.
Government Place, North.
Government Place, East.
Government Place, West.
Grey Street.
Hare Street.
Harrison Road.
Harrington Street.
Hastings Street.
Harish Chunder Mukerji Road.
Kidderpore Road.
Kalutola Street.
Lall Bazar Street.
Lansdowne Road.
Manicktolla Road.
Mayo Road.
Middleton Street.
Mirzapur Street.
Machua Bazar Street.
Narkuldanga Road.
Nimtola Ghat Street.
Nalooahpara Road.
Ochterlony Road.
Old Court House Street.
Outram Road.
Park Street.
Red Road.
Ripon Street.
Russa Road, North.
Russa Road, South.
Sobha Bazar Street.
Sham Bazar Street.
Strand Road, North.
Strand Road, South.
St. George's Gate Road.
Theatre Road.
Tollygunge Circular Road.
Wellington Street.
Wellesley Street.
Wood Street.

Main streets running north and south, have preference to main streets running east and west.

Side streets running north and south, have preference to side streets running east and west.

R. CLARKE,
Commissioner of Police.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 12th October 1916.

No. 107.—Mr. C. P. Walsh, Officiating Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government in the Irrigation and Marine Departments, is granted combined leave for one year, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 26th October 1916, or such subsequent date as he may be relieved.

The 13th October 1916.

No. 108.—Babu Surendra Nath Bhattacharji, Sub-Engineer, attached to the office of the Chief Engineer, Bengal, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, to the Second Calcutta Division.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Fourth Publication.]

The 25th September 1916.

No. 15.—Notification.—The following draft of a rule which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to add to the Rules for Tolly's Nala, published with notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904 (published at pages 744-46, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 8th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Draft Rule.

28. Whenever it is decided to close Tolly's Nala temporarily under section 3 of the Canals Act, 1864, for doing any act necessary for the improvement of the Nala, one month's notice of the intention to close it shall be given.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 12th October 1916.

No. 103Mne.—In supersession of this Department Notification No. 82Mcn., dated the 4th August 1916, Mr. F. W. Moore, Branch Pilot, is granted, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations combined leave for twelve months, viz., privilege leave for thirty-seven days under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period under article 671 of the Regulations, with effect from the 17th July 1916.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 13th October 1916.

No. 109.—Babu Bhupati Banarji, Overseer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the 3rd Calcutta to the 2nd Calcutta Division.

H. H. GREEN,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 16th October 1916.

No. 110.—Babu Surendra Lal Maitra, Supervisor, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Circular and Eastern Canals to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8176A.

No. 3372A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—The orders of the 7th October 1916, vesting Babu Manomohan Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, are cancelled.

No. 3374A.D.—The 12th October 1916.—The orders of the 2nd October 1916, granting privilege leave for two months and twelve days to Babu Sharat Chandra Lahiri (No. I), Sub-Deputy Collector, Ulubaria, Howrah, are cancelled.

Howrah.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1461-D., dated Darjeeling, the 13th October 1916.—Temporary Civil Assistant Surgeon Nabajiban Banarji did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 13th to the 14th September 1916, both days inclusive.

No. 1463-D., dated Darjeeling, the 13th October 1916.—Temporary Civil Assistant Surgeon Nabajiban Banarji is appointed temporarily to be Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway at Parbatipur, with effect from the 21st September 1916, until further orders.

W. R. EDWARDS, M.D., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR Mr. A. P. PETERS has been placed in charge of the Howrah Treasury from the forenoon of the 12th October 1916, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

W. S. HOPKYNS, *Collector, Howrah.*

HOWRAH COLLECTORATE, *the 10th October 1916.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU ASUTOSH DUTT has been placed in charge of the Pabna Sadar Treasury from the forenoon of the 12th October 1916, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

G. C. CHATTERJEE, *Collector.*

PABNA, *the 12th October 1916.*

BABU UMAPRASANNA GUHA, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Mymensingh Sadar Treasury with effect from the forenoon of the 12th October 1916, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

J. A. WOODHEAD, *Collector.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 12th October 1916.*

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU AKHIL KUMAR CHATTERJEE has been placed in charge of the Bankura Treasury from the forenoon of the 8th October 1916, and he is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

A. W. COOK, *Collector.*

BANKURA, *the 12th October 1916.*

RAI MON MOHAN CHAKRABORTI BAHADUR, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Comilla Treasury from the forenoon of the 12th October 1916, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

T. EMERSON, *Collector.*

TIPPERA TREASURY, *the 12th October 1916.*

BABU GUNAMAY CHATTERJEE, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Bogra Treasury with effect from the 12th October 1916, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

A. P. SEN, *Offg. Collector.*

BOGRA COLLECTORATE, *the 13th October 1916.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION.

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL SIDE.

The 29th September 1916.

THE Hon'ble the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, appointed Babu Nursing Chunder Mookerjee, an Assistant Registrar on Rs. 200—300 a month, to be an Assistant Registrar in the Taxing Office on Rs. 300 a month in the place of Babu Narayan Chunder Bose, deceased, with effect from the 1st August 1916.

By order,

J. H. HECHLE,
Registrar.

General Letter No. 11.

To

THE DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE / DISTRICT MAGISTRATE / DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF

Calcutta, the 18th September 1916.

HIGH COURT: ENGLISH DEPARTMENT; *Civil* / *Criminal.*

SIR,

IT has been brought to the notice of the High Court that inconvenience is entailed on European litigants in the mufassal owing to the practice obtaining in some courts of issuing processes to them in the vernacular only. As summonses and other forms in connection with civil and criminal cases are printed in English as well as in the vernaculars, the omission to use the English version in the case of Europeans seems to the Judges to indicate a lack of thought and intelligence on the part of the issuing courts.

2. The Judges accordingly direct that processes to Europeans, of which English versions have been prescribed by the High Court,* should invariably be issued in that language; and I am to request that you will be so good as to see that these instructions are strictly complied with in your district.

* *Vide* Appendix D, Volume II of the High Court's G. R and C O., Civil, and Appendix C, *ibid*, Criminal.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

NOTIFICATION.

MR. L. B. BURROWS, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, exercising the powers of a Subordinate Judge and a Munsif within the Sadar subdivision of Darjeeling, in the district of Dinajpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar subdivision of the executive district of Darjeeling.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 13th October 1916

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1916 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

E. H. BRAY,
Sheriff.

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৬ সাল, তারিখ ২৭শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে শ্রীযুত বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৬ সালের ২৯শে নভেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী বিচিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ক্ষান্ত।

ই, এইচ, ব্রে,
শরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 12th October 1916.

No. 73-P.—In supersession of the Government Notification No. 875, dated 7th April 1916, Maulvi Abdul Latif, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is allowed combined leave for one year, with effect from 1st November 1915, viz., privilege leave for thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave, on medical certificate, for the remaining period under articles 235 and 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 74-P.—Babu Akshay Kumar Mukherji, District Deputy Inspector of Schools, Dacca (class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, and in the Provincial Educational Service with effect from 16th September 1916, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Latif, on leave, on the allowance admissible in terms of article 139 of the Civil Service Regulations.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

THE order transferring Babu Monmohon Mukherjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, on relief work at Bankura, to the Uluberia subdivision of the district of Howrah is cancelled.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 7th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 324J.Ct.—Babu Rebati Raman Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Jalpaiguri district.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 11th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 180R.G.—Babu Dilip Chandra Dhar, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Lalbagh subdivision in the district of Murshidabad.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN, CALCUTTA, *the 12th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the powers conferred on me in Government order No. 168P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, I appoint Rai Saheb Amal Chandra Pal as a non-official visitor of the Sub-Jail at Barrackpore in the district of the 24-Parganas in place of Babu Iswar Prosad Pain, resigned.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA. *the 13th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 338J.Ct.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Darjeeling Jail:—

1. Rai Sahib Mathura Mohan Mukherjee.
2. Rai Hari Mohan Chandra Bahadur.
3. Mr. T. R. Watson.
4. Dr. B. B. Sarkar, M.B.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 12th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 333J.Ct.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Kurseong Sub-Jail :—

1. The Rev. Mr. H. C. McColl.
2. Mr. Girija Bhusan Mukherjee.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 12th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 353J.Ct.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Siliguri Sub-Jail, in the district of Darjeeling :—

(1) Mr. M. W. S. Pemberton.
(2) Babu Prasanna Kumar Mukherjee.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 13th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Committee for the Management of the Darjeeling High School, under rule 3 of the Rules for the Managing Committee of Government High Schools :—

1.	District Magistrate	*President.*
2.	Head Master	*Vice-President and Secretary.*
3.	Babu Achyata Nath Adhikari, B.A.	Elected representative of the teaching staff.
4.	Sardar Bahadur Bhimdall Dewan ...	Representatives of the parents and guardians of pupils.
5.	Munshi Mohammed Azim ..	
6.	Mr. S W. Ladenla, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling.	An official other than the Educational Officer.

J. T. RANKIN, *Deputy Commissioner.*

DARJEELING, *the 30th September 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Committee for the management of the Government High School at Khulna under rule 3 of the Rules for the Managing Committees of the Government High Schools :—

1.	The District Magistrate ...	*President.*
2.	The Head Master of the School ...	*Vice-President and Secretary.*
3.	Babu Gopal Chandra Ghose, Assistant Head Master	*Elected representative of the teaching staff.*
4.	Kazi Saifuddin, Pleader, Khulna ...	*Representatives of the parents and guardians of pupils.*
5.	Babu Kunja Behari Mukherji, Vakil, Khulna	
6.	The Senior Deputy Magistrate, Khulna, Sadar	*Ex-officio. (An official other than an educational officer.)*

W. B. THOMSON, *District Magistrate.*

KHULNA, *the 14th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the Managing Committee of the Rangamati Government High English School will henceforth be composed of the following members, under rule 3 of the Rules for Managing Committees of Government High Schools:—

1.	Superintendent, Chittagong Hill Tracts...	*President.*
2.	Head Master, Rangamati High School ...	*Vice-President and Secretary.*
3.	Babu Dhirendra Nath Chaudhuri, B.A., B.T., Assistant Head Master.	*Elected representative of the teaching staff.*
4.	Raja Bhuban Mohan Roy, Chakma Chief.	*Non-official members representatives of parents and guardians of pupils.*
5.	Dr. Sorashi Lall Sarkar, Civil Surgeon ...	
6.	Babu Nagendra Nath Dewan, Sub-Deputy Collector.	*An official other than an educational officer.*

A. J. W. HARRIS,

For *Superintendent, Chittagong Hill Tracts.*

RANGAMATI, *the 9th October 1916.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1438R.—The 12th October 1916.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held under section 35, sub-section (*1*), of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Pollakandi Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No 30 of 1908-09), in the district of Mymensingh, that the Society ought to be dissolved:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 39, sub-section (*1*), of the said Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by section 42, sub-section (*1*), of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Subdivisional Officer, Jamalpur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. M. MITRA,

Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 10005G.—The 13th October 1916.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held under section 35, sub-section (*1*) of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Salia Bagpur Dehati Baitulmal (registerd No. 69 of 1912) in the district of Bakarganj, that the Society ought to be dissolved:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 39, sub-section (*1*) of the said Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by section 42, sub-section (*1*) of the said Act, I hereby appoint the Subdivsional Officer of Pirojpur to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. M. MITRA,

Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (5) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911, AS AMENDED BY BENGAL ACT III OF 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plan of a Proposed Public Street No. XIV (North and South Road, Ward No. V.), which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 10th May 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST, 5, CLIVE STREET, *the 16th October 1916.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 30th day of September 1916, and transactions during the half-month from the 15th to the 30th September 1916.

Description of salt	In Sulkea Government godowns.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 30TH SEPTEMBER 1916 INCLUSIVE. Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	412,541	115,655	528,196	52,310	204,821	999	32 200
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	489,946	141,780	631,726	22,616	196,000	1,900	15,248
Hamburg and Bremen salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	246,721*	97,310	344,031	54,850	231 389	3.790	49,668
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	624,132	...	624.132	89.720	...	...	46 220
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massowah salt ...	126,108	62,156	188,264	45,975	117,056	10,600	19,722
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat and Lingah rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt ...	...	360	360	10,278*	10,289	9,920	...
Cocoanada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,899,448	417,261	2 316,709	275,749	759,546	27,209	163,058

* Duty on 10,278 Mds. of Madras salt was paid at Madras.

Written off during the half month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	1,542
Abandoned and destroyed	13
In transit—	
Liverpool and other Panga salt	20,810
Spanish salt	14,060
Port Said salt	3,700
Massowah salt	6,300

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,
Assistant Collector for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 12th October 1916.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 30th September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 30th September 1916.

No. 9368-W.-11.—The following Notifications of the Department of Import Restrictions, London, are published for general information :—

BOARD OF TRADE,

Department of Import Restrictions,

22, Carlisle Place, S. W.

August 24th, 1916.

NOTIFICATION No. 7.

INTERPRETATIONS.

P.=Prohibited. N. P.=Not Prohibited.

Description of Article.	*Decision.*
Absorbent Duster (Cotton)	P.
Advocate	P.
(Cancels entry in Notification No. 1.)	
Angostura Bitters	P.
(Cancels entry in Notification No. 1.)	
Artificial Leather (made of cotton)	P.
Bags, Imitation Leather	P

Bamboo Mouthpieces	N. P.
Bathroom Accessories, *i.e.*—	P.
Metal Soap and Sponge Holders,	
„ Racks,	
„ Baskets, etc.,	
„ Towel Racks,	
„ Tumbler Holders, etc.	
Battery Cell (Complete) or Electric Battery	N. P.
Belt Hooks (Steel) for binding machinery belting ...	P.
Billiard Chalks	P.
Boards. Emery, for abrasing hard skin and corns ...	N. P.
Brads made of Horn	P.
Brass Clamps (with steel screw and nut) for connecting Rubber and Canvas Hose to Couplings	P.
Brass Nails	P.
Brass Nuts for Aneroid Barometers	P.
Brass Oil Pumps	P.
Broom Handles	P.
Button Moulds (metal) filling and backs	P.
Brandy. Compounds of	P.
Card Fasteners with brass sockets attached for screwing Blocks to Wood Lasts	P.
Cement for Leather Belting	N. P.
Chalk	N. P.
Chalks, Billiard	P.
Chargers, Magnet	N. P.
Chenille Plait—made principally of Artificial Silk and Ramie	N. P.
Clamp for use with Stitching Awl	P.
Clothes Line Reels in Metal Cases	P.
Cloth Matting (Japanese) made of rice pulp	N. P.
Collapsible Cups (of metal)	P.
Cotton Bias Binding for use on Rubber and Canvas Shoes ...	P
Cotton Khaki Webbing	P.
Cutters for Card and Lead, *i.e.*, Card Cutters, Lead Cutters	P.
Cyclometers	P.
Discs, Metal, for centre of Rubbers	N. P.
Dried Moss for making Floral Emblems, etc.	P.
Dusting Mop (Woollen) Hand	P.
Earmarkers (Tin)	P.
Electric Battery or Complete Battery Cell	N. P.
Electric Switches	P.
Emery Boards for abrasing hard skin and corns ...	N. P.
Enamelled Tea Spoons (small)	N. P.
Envelope Sealing Machine	N. P.
Essence of Peach (as Strong Waters)	P.
Felt—"Vulca-Unit," used in the manufacture of Boots and Shoes	P.
Fruit Pectin, (as Bottled Fruits)	P.
Fog Horns, (Norwegian) Machine	P.
Grease Cups	P.
Gumming Machines (Hand)	N. P.
Gut for stringing Tennis Racquets	N. P.
Hand Dusting Mop (Woolen)	P.
Hand Gumming Machines	N. P.
Handles, Broom	P.
Hatchets	P.
Heddles (Steel)	P.
Iron Nails with a covering of Brass on the head ...	N. P.
Iron Nails with all Brass Heads	P.
Ignition Wheels for automatic lighters	P.
Japanese Cloth Matting made of rice pulp	N. P.
Khaki Webbing (Cotton)	P.
Leather (Artificial). (Made of Cotton)	P.
Leather Bags (Imitation)	P.

Leather Straps for the manufacture of Chrome Tanned Leather	P.
Machines for Packing Powders	P.
Machines, Spraying, for white and lime washing ..	N P.
Magnet Chargers	N. P.
Mathematical Drawing Instruments, *i.e.*—	N. P.
Drawing Pens, Compasses, Spring Bow-pens and pencils, Dividers.	
Maw Skins or "Vells"	P.
Metal Button Moulds, filling and backs	P.
Metal Discs for centre of Rubbers	N.P.
Moss (Dried) for making Floral Emblems, etc. ...	P.
Moulds, Porcelain, for manufacture of Rubber Gloves ...	P.
Mouth-pieces, Bamboo	N.P.
Nails,—Brass	P.
Nails, Iron, with all Brass Heads	P.
Nails—Iron, and Iron Nails with a covering of Brass on the head	N P.
Norwegian Fog Horns (Machine)	P.
Nuts, Brass, for Aneroid Barometers...	P.
Oil Pumps (Brass)	P.
Perfectol (a liquid cleaner—not a Soap) (Amending entry Notification No. 1)	N.P.
Porcelain Moulds for manufacture of Rubber Gloves ...	P.
Primus Stoves (Burners for) and Tools for removing Nipples from the Burners	P.
Punched Rivets (Steel)	P.
Rubies (Synthetic) *ex* South Africa	N.P.
Rum—Compounds of	P.
Screw Hooks for Coats Hangers	P.
Screw Metal Tops of tins for toilet powder	P
Sealing Machine (for Envelopes)	N.P.
Small Enamelled Teaspoons	N.P.
Spirit Stoves Cases (Empty), made of cardboard with tin lid	P
Spraying Machines for white and lime washing	N.P.
Steam Traps	P.
Steel Belt Hooks for binding machinery belting ...	P.
Steel Heddles	P.
Steel Punched Rivets	P.
Straps (Leather) for the manufacture of Chrome Tanned Leather	P.
Switches, Electric	P.
Synthetic Rubies, *ex* South Africa	N.P.
Tin Earmarkers	P.
Trouser Press	P.
"Vells" or Maw Skins	P.
Visca Chenille (Cancels entry in Notification No. 5) ...	N.P.
Wheels, Ignition, for automatic lighters	P.

BOARD OF TRADE.

Department of Import Restrictions.

22, Carlisle Place, S. W.

August 24th, 1916.

NOTIFICATION No. 8.

ARTICLES FOR THE IMPORTATION OF WHICH A GENERAL LICENCE HAS BEEN GIVEN TO H. M. CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES.

Description of Article.

Brass Terminals for Electric fuse boards.
General Licence to H. M. Customs to admit Brass Screws applies.

Goods and Toys consisting wholly or mainly of Rubber.
(Amending Notification No. 1—Indiarubber Balloons.)
Rubber-covered Rollers for Clothes Wringers.
Small Parcels of Plants sent as gifts to the Royal Gardens at Kew by similar Institutions abroad.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 7th October 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 7th October 1916.

No. 9586.—Mr. A. H. Lloyd, I.C.S., an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is granted privilege leave for nineteen days with effect from the 16th October 1916, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the leave.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 12th October 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 12th October 1916.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1209.—A despatch by Lieutenant-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., on the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 19th January to the 30th April 1916, is published for general information :

No. 168-31-O.

General Headquarters,
I. E. F. "D."

Dated the 12th August 1916.

FROM

LIEUTENANT-GENERAL SIR P. H. N. LAKE, K.C.B.,
K.C.M.G.,
Commanding Indian Expeditionary Force "D."

TO

THE CHIEF OF THE GENERAL STAFF,
Army Headquarters, Simla, India.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to submit a despatch describing the operations of the Force under my command, from January 19th, 1916, the date of my assuming command, up to April 30th, 1916.

2. Sir John Nixon's last despatches, dated January 17th, referred to General Aylmer's advance from Ali Gharbi; his capture of the Turkish position at Shaikh Saad after severe fighting on the 6th, 7th and 8th January; the battle of 13th and 14th January on the Wadi River, and the retreat of the enemy to an entrenched position across the Umm-al-Hannah defile.

3. The period now under report includes three phases in the further attempt to relieve Kut:—

1st Phase.—19th to 23rd January.—Unsuccessful attempt to force the Hannah defile.

Commander—Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer.

2nd Phase.—24th January to 10th March.—A period of rest and reorganisation, followed by the unsuccessful attempt to outflank the enemy's right in the vicinity of the Dujailah Redoubt.

Commander—Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer.

3rd Phase.—11th March to 30th April.—A brief period of preparation, followed by the attack and capture of the Hannah and Falahiyah positions; failure to force the Sannaiyat position; and fall of Kut.

Commander—Lieutenant-General Sir G. F. Gorringe.

4. The general position of affairs on the Tigris front on January 19th, 1916, was that the bulk of General Aylmer's force, after the heavy fighting referred to in paragraph 2, was encamped on the left bank of the Tigris, above the Wadi River; the advanced troops were in touch with the Turks entrenched in their Umm-al-Hannah position. General Aylmer was actively engaged in re-organising his force for a further advance with the least possible delay. He fully realised that an immediate advance must involve some deficiencies in his organisation and fighting strength, but was influenced by the following factors:—

(*i*) General Townshend's reports as to the limit of his food supplies, and the influence of food supply questions generally on the operations of the relieving column.

(*ii*) General Townshend's anxiety about the sufficiency of his ammunition supply and the condition of some of his troops.

(*iii*) The rapidity with which the Turks might be able to reinforce the troops opposed to General Townshend, and the desirability of forestalling them.

It was, I understand, these three considerations that had mainly influenced my predecessor in ordering General Aylmer to advance as early in January as possible with the force which would then be concentrated at Ali Gharbi.

It was not until after the heavy fighting for the Hannah position on January 21st that General Townshend's report of January 25th, 1916—to the effect that as regards food supplies he could hold out for another 84 days—reached General Headquarters.

5. The difficulty experienced in pushing up reinforcements, supplies and munitions of war to the front seriously affected the operations.

The number of steamers available in January 1916 for river transport purposes was practically the same as when, in June 1915, the first advance up the Tigris took place. Additional river craft had from time to time been demanded as augmentations to the force in Mesopotamia were decided upon, but, owing to the peculiar conditions which vessels intended for the intricate navigation of the Tigris have to satisfy, the provision of these vessels was a difficult problem, necessarily entailing long delays, and the supply was never able to keep pace with the requirements of the force.

In consequence of this, it was never possible during the period now under report either to concentrate at the Tigris front the whole of the forces available in the country, or to equip such forces as could be concentrated there with sufficient transport to make them mobile and enable them to operate freely at any distance from the river.

It was always necessary, therefore, for General Headquarters to balance most carefully the flow of reinforcements and supplies, so that the former should not outrun the latter.

1st Phase. 19th to 23rd January.

6. After the battle of Wadi River, General Aylmer's leading troops had followed the retreating Turks to the Umm-al-Hannah position and entrenched themselves at the mouth of the defile, so as to shut the enemy in and limit his power of taking the offensive.

7. The weather at this period was extraordinarily unfavourable. Heavy rains caused the river to come down in flood, and overflow its banks, and converted the ground on either bank into a veritable bog.

Our bridge across the Wadi was washed away several times, while the boisterous winds greatly interfered with the construction of a bridge across the Tigris, here some 400 yards in width.

8. It was essential to establish artillery on the right bank of the Tigris so as to support, by enfilading fire, the attack of our infantry against the Hannah position.

9. Guns and troops were ferried across, with difficulty, owing to the high wind and heavy squalls of rain ; but by the 19th all troops allotted to the right bank had crossed over and were established in the positions from which they were required to co-operate with the main force on the left bank.

10. Meanwhile the leading infantry brigades on the left bank had pushed nearer the enemy. January the 20th was devoted to a systematic bombardment of his position, and during the night the infantry pushed forward their advanced line to within 200 yards of the enemy's trenches.

11. On the morning of the 21st, under cover of an intensive artillery bombardment, our infantry moved to the attack

On our right the troops got to within 100 yards of the enemy's line but were unable to advance further. Our left column, consisting of the Black Watch, 6th Jats and 41st Dogras, penetrated the front line with a rush, capturing trenches which they held for about an hour and a half. Supports were sent forward, but, losing direction and coming under heavy fire, failed to reach them. Thus, left unsupported, our previously successful troops, when Turkish counter-attacks developed, were overwhelmed by numbers and forced to retire.

12. Heavy rain now began to fall and continued throughout the day. Telephone communication broke down, and communication by orderly became slow and uncertain.

After further artillery bombardment the attack was renewed at 1 P.M., but by this time the heavy rain had converted the ground into a sea of mud, rendering rapid movement impossible. The enemy's fire was heavy and effective, inflicting severe losses, and though every effort was made, the assault failed.

Our troops maintained their position until dark and then slowly withdrew to the main trenches which had been previously occupied, some 1,300 yards from those of the enemy.

13. As far as possible all the wounded were brought in during the withdrawal, but their sufferings and hardships were acute under the existing climatic conditions, when vehicles and stretcher-bearers could scarcely move in the deep mud.

14. To renew the attack on the 22nd was not practicable. The losses on the 21st had been heavy, the ground was still a quagmire and the troops exhausted. A six hours' armistice was arranged, in order to bury the dead and remove the wounded to shelter.

15. I cannot sufficiently express my admiration for the courage and dogged determination of the force engaged. For days they bivouacked in driving rain on soaked and sodden ground. Three times they were called upon to advance over a perfectly flat country, deep in mud, and absolutely devoid of cover, against well constructed and well planned trenches, manned by a brave and stubborn enemy approximately their equal in numbers. They showed a spirit of endurance and self-sacrifice of which their country may well be proud.

2nd Phase. 24th January to 10th March.

16. The hurried improvisation of temporary brigades, divisions, etc., with which the force had been obliged to commence its advance from Ali

Gharbi was now showing its inherent weakness. Divisions and brigades, the units of which knew each other and had served together in France, had perforce been broken up to meet the difficulties of transport on a long sea voyage. There had been no time on arrival in Mesopotamia to await belated units. In many cases, Field Ambulances had arrived after the combatant units. Brigade and divisional formations had been made up with such units as were first available. This was a severe handicap to the troops, and steps were now taken to reconstitute formations as far as possible in their original condition.

17. Throughout the month of February, preparations were made for resuming the offensive. Reinforcements were pushed up from the Base by steamer and route march; reorganisation and training were carried on at the front. On the left bank our trenches were again pushed forward towards the Hannah position. Frequent reconnaissances were made by land and air on both banks. During this period no severe fighting took place, though several minor operations were undertaken to gain information and to harass the enemy. On February 11th the bridge which had been destroyed by floods on January 14th was replaced.

18. The situation at the end of February was briefly as follows:—

> On the left bank, the enemy, having been reinforced, still held the Hannah position in force; further in rear were other defensive lines, at Falahiyah, Sannaiyat, Nakhailat, and along the northern part of the Es Sinn position. All except the last named had been constructed since the battle of Hannah on 21st January. They were all protected on both flanks by the Tigris and the Suwaikieh Marsh respectively. On the right bank, the Es Sinn position constituted the Turkish main line of defence, with an advanced position near Beit Aiessa. The right flank of the Es Sinn position rested on the Dujailah Redoubt, which lay some five miles south of the river and 14 miles south-west of the British lines on the right bank.

19. It was decided to attack the Turkish right flank and Dujailah Redoubt, as the first step towards the relief of Kut before the arrival of the flood season, expected about the middle of March. It was feared that, as soon as the Tigris came down in flood, the Turks would cut the bunds and so flood the country as to render further offensive operations impracticable.

The whole area was so flat that there was hardly any portion of it which could safely be said to be above flood level.

20. General Aylmer made his arrangements accordingly. He decided not to wait for further reinforcements, but to advance with the maximum force for which land transport could be made available with two days' food and water. To conceal his intentions during the period of preparation, our artillery on both banks engaged the enemy's trenches on the left bank, whilst the force in front of the Hannah position displayed great activity.

21. Operations were again interruped at the beginning of March by adverse weather conditions. This delay was unfortunate, as it gave time to the enemy to construct trenches closing the gap which had hitherto existed between the Dujailah Redoubt and the Hai River.

22. On the afternoon of March 7th, General Aylmer assembled his subordinate commanders and gave his final instructions, laying particular stress on the fact that the operation was designed to effect a surprise; and that, to prevent the enemy forestalling us, it was essential that the first phase of the operation, *i.e.*, the capture of the Dujailah Redoubt, should be pushed through with the utmost vigour.

23. His dispositions were briefly as follows:—

> The greater part of a division under General Younghusband, assisted by Naval Gunboats, contained the enemy on the left bank. The remaining troops were formed into two columns, under General Kemball and General Keary, respectively, a reserve of infantry and the Cavalry Brigade being held at the Corps Commander's own disposal. Kemball's column, covered on the outer flank by the Cavalry Brigade, was to make a turning movement to attack the Dujailah Redoubt from the south, supported by the remainder of the force operating from a position to the east of the Redoubt.

24. The night march by this large force, which led across the enemy's front to a position on his right flank, was a difficult operation, entailing movement over unknown ground and requiring most careful arrangements to attain success. Thanks to excellent staff work and good march discipline, the troops reached their allotted positions apparently undiscovered by the enemy, but while Keary's column was in position at daybreak ready to support Kemball's attack, the latter's command did not reach the point selected for its deployment, in the Dujailah depression, until more than an hour later. This delay was highly prejudicial to the success of the operation.

25. In spite of their late arrival the presence of so large a force seems to have been quite unexpected by the Turks, as Dujailah Redoubt was apparently lightly held when our columns reached their allotted positions. Prompt and energetic action would probably have forestalled the enemy's reinforcements. But time was lost by waiting for the guns to register and to carry out reconnaissances, and when, nearly three hours later, Kemball's troops advanced to the attack, they were strongly opposed by the enemy from trenches cleverly concealed in the brushwood, and were unable to make further ground for some time, though assisted by Keary's attack upon the Redoubt from the east.

The southern attack was now reinforced and by 1 P.M. had pushed forward to within 500 yards of the Redoubt, but concealed trenches again stopped further progress and the Turks made several counter-attacks with reinforcements which had by now arrived from the direction of Magasis.

26. It was about this time that the Corps Commander received from his Engineer officers the unwelcome news that the water supply contained in rain-water pools in the Dujailah depression, upon which he had reckoned, was insufficient, and could not be increased by digging. It was clear therefore that unless the Dujailah Redoubt could be carried that day, the scarcity of water would of itself compel our troops to fall back. Preparations were accordingly made for a further assault on the Redoubt and at 5-15 P.M. attacks were launched from the south and east under cover of a heavy bombardment. The 9th and 28th Infantry Brigades got within 200 yards of the southern face where they were held up by heavy fire, although reinforced. Meanwhile, the 8th Infantry Brigade supported by the 37th had assaulted from the east; the two leading battalions of the former, the Manchesters and 59th Rifles, and some of the 37th Infantry Brigade, succeeded in gaining a foot-hold in the Redoubt. But here they were heavily counter-attacked by large enemy reinforcements, and being subjected to an extremely rapid and accurate shrapnel fire from concealed guns in the vicinity of Sinn Aftar, they were forced to fall back to the position from which they started.

27. The troops, who had been under arms for some 30 hours including a long night march, were now much exhausted, and General Aylmer considered that a renewal of the assault during the night 8th-9th March could not be made with any prospect of success. Next morning the enemy's position was found to be unchanged, and General Aylmer, finding himself faced with the deficiency of water already referred to, decided upon the immediate withdrawal of his force to Wadi, which was reached the same night.

28. The evacuation of our wounded had preceded our retirement. The first parties of wounded reached Wadi at 4 P.M. on March 9th, and the last wounded man was attended to in hospital at that place at 2 A.M., March 10th. The Corps Commander speaks in high terms of the gallantry and devotion displayed by officers and subordinates of the Medical Service and Army Bearer Corps during the fighting. They collected and attended to the wounded under heavy fire in a manner which called forth the admiration of the whole force.

3rd Phase. 11th March to 30th April.

29. No further operations of any importance occurred during March, though minor engagements took place on the right bank, in which enemy trenches were taken and prisoners captured. But rain fell, and the Tigris came down in heavy flood on March 15th, causing extensive inundations which compelled our troops to evacuate their advanced positions on that bank. For the remainder of the month there was a strenuous struggle with the inundations, to prevent the whole country being flooded. Every available man was engaged in digging embankments, and operations were temporarily suspended.

30. On March 12th, Major-General Sir G. F. Gorringe succeeded to the command of the Corps. Fresh troops now began to arrive up-river and it was decided to renew active operations as soon as this reinforcement was complete. Careful investigations were made, meanwhile, as to the feasibility of an advance on Kut by the right bank from Shaikh Saad, but as enquiry showed that the country along this route was not flood proof and would be liable to inundation by the breaking of the bunds on the right bank of the Tigris, which were under Turkish control, it was decided that conditions were more favourable for an attack on the Hannah position, and an advance up the left bank.

Preparations were accordingly made for putting this plan into action.

31. The VII Division had been engaged in sapping up to the enemy's front trenches, continually under heavy fire and hampered by floods. By March 28th, their sap-heads were 150 yards from the Turkish front line.

On April 1st, the XIII Division moved up from Shaikh Saad to relieve them in the front trenches preparatory to the assault. Heavy rain fell, however, on this and the following day, and floods rendered some of the positions of our troops on the right bank untenable. The ground became impassable, and operations had to be postponed.

32. By the evening of April 4th, the ground had dried sufficiently for the assault. At daylight the next morning the XIII Division jumped out of their trenches and rushed the Turkish first and second lines in quick succession. Our artillery and machine guns at once opened on the third and other lines in rear, and by 7 A.M. the whole position was in our hands.

33. The attack on Hannah had been prepared with the greatest care, and was brilliantly executed by General Maude and the XIII Division. The enemy's position was a maze of deep trenches occupying a frontage of only 1,300 yards between the Tigris and the Suwaikieh Marsh, and extending for 2,600 yards from front to rear. Although it was lightly held by the Turks with a few companies and some machine guns, it was a position of great strength.

34. Meanwhile, on the right bank, the III Division had been gaining ground. In the morning the 8th Infantry Brigade, led by the Manchesters, captured the Turkish position on Abu Roman mounds. An attempt by the enemy to recapture this position in the afternoon was beaten off.

During the day the river rose considerably, and it was evident that a fresh flood was coming down. This pointed to the urgency of capturing the Falahiyah and Sannaiyat positions, 3 and 6 miles respectively west of the Hannah position, before the rising river should enable the Turks to flood the country between us, by opening the bunds.

35. After nightfall a heavy bombardment was directed on the Falahiyah position from 7-15 P.M. to 7-30 P.M., after which the XIII Division assaulted and captured a series of deep trenches in several lines. The position was stubbornly held by about 3 battalions of Turks, but by 9-30 P.M. it was completely in our hands and consolidated.

The 38th Infantry Brigade and the Warwicks and Worcesters of the 39th Infantry Brigade did particularly well in this assault. High praise is due to Major-General Maude, his brigade commanders and all under their commands for this successful night attack. The Division suffered some 1,300 casualties during the day.

36. The VII Division, which had hitherto been in support, now moved forward, and passing through the XIII Division, took up a position about two miles east of Sannaiyat, ready to attack the northern portion of these entrenchments at dawn on April 6th. The line of direction was to be maintained by moving with the left flank along a communication trench which joined the Falahiyah and Sannaiyat positions. Previous reconnaissance of the terrain to be traversed had of course been impossible during daylight, as it was then still occupied by the Turks.

37. The passage, however, of numerous and deep cross trenches so hampered the advance that, at dawn, when the assault was to have taken place, the troops were still some 2,300 yards from the enemy's position. This delay was fatal to their chance of success, as the ground was perfectly flat and without any vestige of cover. In these circumstances it would have been wiser to have postponed the attack at the last moment. The advance was however continued with the greatest gallantry under heavy artillery and machine gun fire, to within 700 yards of the Turkish trenches. Here

the attacking lines were checked, and eventually fell back on to the supporting 3rd line, where they dug themselves in at about 1,000 yards from the enemy.

38. During the night of 5th-6th April and throughout the 6th the river rose steadily, until at mid-day it reached the highest level of the year. The wind changed to the north and blew the water of the Suwaikieh Marsh southwards across the right of the VII Division; protecting bunds along both the Tigris and the edge of the marsh had then to be constructed under the enemy's fire. Our guns were surrounded by floods, and for some time the position was distinctly critical.

The Marsh continued to encroach so much on the ground occupied by the VII Division that all efforts had to be devoted to securing from the floods the positions already gained. On the right bank the inundations rendered communication most difficult, and threatened to isolate the III Division altogether. On April 8th, in face of many difficulties, a new bridge over the Tigris was completed at Falahiyah.

39. During the night 8th-9th April the XIII Division took the place of the VII Division in the trenches, and at 4-20 A.M. advanced to the assault on Sannaiyat When within 300 yards of the enemy's front line they were discovered by the Turks, who sent up "Very" lights and flares and opened a heavy rifle and gun fire. The first line, including detachments of the 6th K.O. Royal Lancaster Regiment, 8th Welsh Fusiliers, 6th L. North Lancashire Regiment and 5th Wiltshire Regiment, penetrated the centre of the enemy's front line trench. In the glare of the lights the second line lost direction, wavered, and fell back on the third and fourth lines. Support thus failed to reach the front line at the critical moment, in spite of the most gallant and energetic attempts of officers concerned to remedy matters.

Our troops who had reached the enemy's trenches were heavily counter-attacked by superior numbers and driven back to from 300 to 500 yards from the enemy's line, where brigades dug themselves in.

40. I had been at Wadi in close touch with the Corps Commander since April 6th, and after the failure of this attack, we met and discussed the situation together in detail. While it was clearly very desirable to secure the Sannaiyat position with its obvious advantages, yet we had to bear in mind how very short the time at our disposal was if Kut was to be relieved and the delay which a systematic approach by sapping right up to the position must involve. It was therefore decided that another attempt to force the enemy's right about the Sinn Aftar Redoubt offered prospects of speedier success,.

41. General Gorringe accordingly proceeded to make the necessary arrangements for this move. As will be understood, it involved securing the control of the river bunds which were covered by the enemy's advanced position at Beit Aiessa, and establishing communications across the intervening flooded areas which must be traversed before we could reach that position. It should be borne in mind that there is no such thing as a road, in the sense in which we use the word, in this part of the country, and that no road material or metalling of any sort exists; yet in order to supply the troops with food and ammunition when they should have succeeded in crossing the inundations, some sort of permanent track above flood level, along which transport could work, was essential.

42. The VII Division now again took over and pushed forward the trench work in front of Sannaiyat as far as constant interruptions by floods would permit. The XIII Division was held back near Falahiyah Bridge in reserve.

43. On April 12th, the III Division, advancing across belts of inundation intersected by deep cuts, drove in the enemy's piquets east of Beit Aiessa and occupied their outpost line, consolidating their position during the night.

On April 15th and 16th, some of the enemy's advanced trenches were captured and counter-attacks were repulsed. Our new line was consolidated by night, guns were moved forward and preparations were made for the attack of the main Beit Aiessa position on the morning of the 17th.

44. Under cover of an intense bombardment the 7th and 9th Infantry Brigades advanced at 6-45 A.M. and actually reached the Turkish trenches before our artillery fire lifted. When the bombardment ceased they leapt into the trenches, bayonetted numbers of the enemy and the Beit Aiessa

position was soon in our hands. The enemy left 200 to 300 dead in the trenches and 180 prisoners were captured.

These operations, culminating in the capture of Beit Aiessa, reflect great credit on Major-General Keary and the troops under his command. Steady and consistent progress was made day after day in spite of most difficult conditions and often with a shortage of rations which the transport was heavily strained to bring forward.

45. Orders were now issued for the XIII Division to move up in relief of the III Division, after dark, the latter to concentrate on the left rear of the XIII preparatory to further operations next day.

46. At 5 P.M. the enemy's artillery commenced to bombard Beit Aiessa and to establish a barrage in rear of the III Division, sweeping the passage through the swamps along which its communications lay. An hour later a very strong counter-attack came from the south-west. In spite of heavy shelling from our guns the attack was pressed home against the 9th Infantry Brigade, from which a double company had been pushed forward to guard two captured guns which could not be brought in during daylight. In retiring the double company masked our fire; the 9th Infantry Brigade was pressed and gave ground, exposing the left of the 7th Infantry Brigade which was also forced back. Our troops rallied on the 8th Infantry Brigade which was holding its ground firmly on the left of the line, and on a portion of the 7th Infantry Brigade.

Reinforcements from the XIII Division were already moving forward but owing to the darkness and boggy ground they were delayed and some hours elapsed before they arrived.

The attack which commenced at 6 P.M. was followed by a series of heavy attacks throughout the night, the 8th Infantry Brigade on the left repelling as many as six such attacks. But our line held firm, and the enemy retreated at dawn, having suffered losses estimated at 4,000 to 5,000 men.

47. In this engagement the following units particularly distinguished themselves by their steadiness and gallantry :—1st Battalion Connaught Rangers, 27th Punjabis, 89th Punjabis, 47th Sikhs and 59th Rifles—also the South Lancs., East Lancs., and Wiltshire Regiments. The 66th and 14th Batteries Royal Field Artillery did good service, also the 23rd Mountain Battery, which expended all its ammunition, and did great execution at close range. Generals Egerton and Campbell, who commanded the brigades most heavily engaged, set a fine example of coolness and gallantry in the hand-to-hand fighting which took place.

Although the enemy had suffered heavy losses and had failed to obtain any success after their initial rush, they had checked our advance and regained that portion of Beit Aiessa nearest the river which included the bunds controlling the inundations. Its recapture was essential.

48. During the succeeding days some progress in this direction was made by trench fighting and by consolidating positions pushed out towards Sinn Attar. The boggy nature of the ground made movement difficult. and many of the troops were worn out with fatigue.

Meanwhile on the left bank, although frequently interrupted by floods, the VII Division had been steadily pushing forward saps, and as there were some signs of a weakening of the enemy's forces at Sannaiyat, there appeared to be an opportunity to make another attempt to capture that position. The VII Division was ordered to prepare for an assault on the 20th supported by troops from the right bank. But on the afternoon of the 19th, the wind veered round to the north, water from the marsh flooding their trenches and the ground in front of them; the attack had therefore to be postponed

49. Throughout the 20th and 21st the Sannaiyat position was bombarded. Arrangements were made for the assault to take place next morning on a front which eventually had to be reduced to that of one brigade, the extreme width of passable ground being only 300 yards. After preliminary bombardment, the VII Division advanced, the 19th Infantry Brigade leading. Besides our artillery on both banks, massed machine guns on the right bank covered our advance. The leading troops carried the enemy's first and second lines in their immediate front, several of the trenches being flooded, but only a few men were able to reach the third line.

50. Large Turkish reinforcements now came up. They delivered a strong counter-attack, which was repulsed. A second counter-attack however succeeded in forcing our troops back, as many men were unable to use their rifles, which had become choked with mud in crossing the flooded

trenches, and so were unable to reply to the enemy's fire. By 8-40 A.M., our men were back in their own trenches.

51. By mutual consent parties went out, under the Red Cross and Red Crescent flags, to collect their respective wounded. The Turkish casualties appear to have been heavy as they were evacuating wounded until nightfall. Our casualties amounted to about 1,300.

52. Persistent and repeated attempts on both banks had thus failed, and it was known that at the outside not more than 6 days' supplies remained to the Kut garrison. General Gorringe's troops were nearly worn out. The same troops had advanced time and again to assault positions strong by art and held by a determined enemy. For 18 consecutive days they had done all that men could do to overcome, not only the enemy, but also exceptional climatic and physical obstacles—and this on a scale of rations which was far from being sufficient, in view of the exertions they had undergone, but which the shortage of river transport had made it impossible to augment. The need for rest was imperative.

53 There remained but one chance if the relief of Kut was to be accomplished, and that was the introduction by some means of additional supplies into General Townshend's camp, which would enable him to hold out for a still longer period.

Faint as the chance was, the "Julnar" one of the fastest steamers on the river, had for some days been under preparation by the Royal Navy for an attempt to run the enemy's blockade.

54. At 8 P.M., on April 24th with a crew from the Royal Navy under Lieutenant Firman, R.N., assisted by Lieutenant-Commander Cowley, R.N.V.R., the "Julnar" carrying 270 tons of supplies, left Falahiyah in an attempt to reach Kut.

Her departure was covered by all artillery and machine gun fire that could be brought to bear, in the hope of distracting the enemy's attention. She was, however, discovered and shelled on her passage up the river. At 1 A.M., on the 25th General Townshend reported that she had not arrived and that at midnight a burst of heavy firing had been heard at Magasis, some 8½ miles from Kut by river, which had suddenly ceased.

There could be but little doubt that the enterprise had failed, and next day the Air Service reported the "Julnar" in the hands of the Turks at Magasis.

55. The leaders of this brave attempt, Lieutenant H. O. B. Firman, R. N., and his assistant Lieutenant-Commander C. H. Cowley, R.N.V.R.,—the latter of whom had throughout the campaign in Mesopotamia performed magnificent service in command of the "Medjidieh"—have been reported by the Turks to have been killed; the remainder of the gallant crew, including 5 wounded, are prisoners of war.

56. In the hope of prolonging the resistance of Kut for even a day or two the Royal Flying Corps and Royal Naval Air Service had dropped into Kut between April 16th and April 29th approximately 8 tons of supplies, besides fishing nets, medicines and specie.

Although these supplies could not materially alter the course of the siege, it was a performance which is deserving of high praise, for it involved a great strain on the pilots, and the journeys were subject to attacks by enemy aircraft of superior speed and fighting capacity. One of our machines was shot down while engaged on this supply service, another was damaged but brought home safely with great skill.

57. With the failure of the "Julnar" there was no further hope of extending the food limit of the garrison of Kut. Everything that was possible with the means to hand had been attempted. The troops only desisted from their efforts when, through battle losses, sickness and exhaustion, the limit of human endurance had been reached. On April 29th Kut surrendered.

I need not enlarge upon the bitter disappointment felt by all ranks on the Tigris Line at the failure of their attempt to relieve their comrades in Kut. It was mitigated by His Majesty the King's gracious message of May 7th, 1916, in which His Majesty expressed his feeling that his troops had done all that was humanly possible.

58. By the courtesy of the Turkish Commander-in-Chief Major-General Khalil Pasha, I was able to arrange, on April 30th and the following days, that all the more serious cases among the sick and wounded of the garrison of Kut should be handed over to me in exchange for an equivalent number of

Turkish prisoners. In this connection I should like to acknowledge my indebtedness to Captain Hon. A Herbert, M.P., Irish Guards, and Captain T. E. Lawrence, General Staff, Intelligence, Egypt, who greatly assisted me in these negotiations.

59. This report would be incomplete without some reference to occurrences in the other parts of Mesopotamia. During practically the whole period under review, neither the Turks on the Euphrates nor the Arab tribes in the vicinity of that river have given us any trouble. When however in January the advance against the hostile positions in front of Kut took place, it was thought advisable to make a demonstration northwards to a short distance from our advanced post at Nasiriyah, with a view to deterring as many of the hostile tribes on the Hai River as possible from joining forces with the enemy.

60. The major portion of the force at Nasiriyah accordingly moved out at the beginning of January and encamped in the neighbourhood of Butaniyah Lake. Early in February, when the object in view had been attained, the troops returned to Nasiriyah. On the return journey some of the villages, with whom friendly relations had hitherto obtained, apparently mistaking our movement for a retreat, treacherously attacked our rearguard. The attack was beaten off, a party of the Royal West Kents and the 30th Mountain Battery behaving very gallantly. A small force marched out the following morning from Nasiriyah, surprised and destroyed the offending villages in retaliation for their treachery.

Nothing of importance occurred on the Karun Line; that country and the neighbourhood of the Oilfields, as well as the country to the west and the south of Basrah, remaining quiet and undisturbed throughout the period under review.

61. When my predecessor, General Sir John Nixon, submitted his despatch of January 17th, 1916, he had had no opportunity of bringing to notice the names of those officers and men who had distinguished themselves during the actions at Shaikh Saad from 6th to 8th January, and at the Wadi River on 13th January 1916. I have therefore included them in this report.

62. I desire to place on record my appreciation of the services rendered by Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer. Faced by great climatic and other difficulties, and unable, for reasons already referred to, to allow himself the time for reorganisation and preparation which under other circumstances he would have deemed essential, he applied himself to a difficult task with an energy, ability and determination which enable him twice to defeat a brave enemy at least equal to himself in numbers, and which would in all probability have carried him to success at the Umm-al-Hannah position but for weather conditions which proved an almost insurmountable obstacle.

Major General (temporary Lieutenant-General) Sir G. F. Gorringe has rendered valuable service to the State. As Chief of the Staff to the Tigris column from January 28th, and in command of the column from March 12th onwards he has shown untiring energy, ability and devotion, in dealing with the many difficult situations which he had to face. He is a commander of proved ability in the field.

Major-General C. V. F. Townshend has already shown himself a fine commander of troops in action and a tactician of no mean ability. It was mainly his personal example of cheerfulness, courage and resource which inspired the garrison of Kut to sustain a siege of nearly 5 months, under every sort of trial, until sheer starvation compelled surrender.

Major-General H. d'U. Keary, after commanding his division in France with distinction, has led it with resource and success throughout the operations under review. He could always be depended upon to handle his division with skill in any operation with which he was entrusted.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) H. T. Brooking has displayed much ability in his administration of the Euphrates area, and in the various minor operations which he has conducted.

63. This campaign in Mesopotamia has been one in which the difficulties experienced by the troops in actual contact with the enemy have been all but equalled by those which have had to be faced by the Headquarters and Lines of Communication Staffs and the Departments of the Army, upon whose exertions it depended that their comrades in the fighting line should be fed and supplied with the material they required to enable them to carry out their arduous task.

Major-General M. Cowper, as head of my Administrative Staff, has rendered most valuable service. His energy and ability when things threatened to go wrong and an awkward emergency had to be faced, have more than once saved the situation.

Major-General A. W. Money, as my principal staff officer, has shown himself an exceptionally able Chief of the General Staff. With wide experience and sound judgment, his advice has always been of the highest value to me on all occasions.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Beach, R.E., has continued to me the valuable assistance which he rendered to my predecessor. As head of my Intelligence Section he has displayed a cool well-balanced judgment of no mean order.

64. To Rear Admiral Sir Rosslyn Wemyss, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., D.S.O., Naval Commander-in-Chief, East Indies, I am indebted for much useful advice and cordial co-operation. Captain Nunn, C.M.G., D.S.O., Commander Wason and the other officers of the Royal Navy have afforded us the able assistance which we have become accustomed to receive from them.

I have referred elsewhere to the daring attempt made by the S.S. "Julnar" to run the gauntlet of the Turkish defences. Knowing well the chances against them, all the gallant officers and men who manned that vessel for the occasion were volunteers, among them Engineer Sub-Lieutenant Lewis Reed, the regular Chief Engineer of the vessel. I trust that the services in this connection of Lieutenant H. O. B. Firman, R.N., and Lieutenant-Commander C. H. Cowley, R.N V.R., his assistant, both of whom were unfortunately killed, may be recognised by the posthumous grant of some suitable honour.

65. The Air Service, which includes both the Royal Naval Air Service and the Royal Flying Corps, has distinguished itself throughout by hard work and devotion to duty, and the assistance which it has afforded to the other arms has been invaluable. Never fully manned, it found itself, towards the end of the last advance, very short-handed and faced by one or more enemy machines of considerably greater speed and fighting capacity, but its efficient work was nevertheless maintained.

66. The manner in which the Signal Service, only recently organised, and augmented from time to time with but partially trained men, has succeeded in carrying out its duties reflects credit upon both officers and men.

67. None know better than the officers of the Royal Indian Marine how inadequate to meet the ever increasing requirements of this force have been their resources, in personnel, in material, and especially in river craft. Their endeavours to satisfy those requirements have been unceasing, and the measure of success obtained has been highly creditable to all concerned. In addition to the permanent officers I would especially mention the temporary officers in command of the river steamers plying between the Tigris front and the Base, who, working always at high pressure and often under dangerous conditions, have displayed a patriotic devotion to duty worthy of high praise.

68. The energy and devotion to duty shown by the personnel of the Medical Services deserve commendation. Overworked and undermanned as they were during the advance in January—for the greater portion of the medical organisation then in the country had been shut up in Kut, and the medical units of the III and VII Divisions had only begun to arrive—they did their utmost with the means at their disposal to alleviate the sufferings of the sick and wounded. With the arrival in February of the first river hospital ship "Sikkim" and a steady increase in personnel, their power of dealing with the situation was considerably improved, as the action on March 8th showed.

69. No report on the Medical Services would be complete without reference to the splendid services rendered by Mr. T. A. Chalmers of Assam, who brought out. and himself drove, his specially designed motor boat "Ariel." He spent his whole time, frequently under fire, in conveying sick and wounded between collecting stations, field ambulances and river hospital craft, in a manner which no other boat in our possession could have imitated.

70. The Ordnance Services, under Colonel A. P. Douglas, with many serious difficulties to combat, have throughout worked quietly and efficiently to keep the force at the front supplied with the munitions they required

71. The Supply and Transport Corps have had their establishment seriously reduced from sickness and other causes, and have always worked

at high pressure. They have been constantly confronted with the difficulty that sufficient river transport tonnage could not be allotted to them to admit of the full scale of rations being delivered at the front.

72. The Military Works Services, though having to compete with an enormous and ever increasing volume of demands with a staff whose increase was by no means commensurate, has carried through creditably an amount of work the sum total of which can only be realised by those who have seen it actually in progress.

73. The Remount and Veterinary Services, the Telegraph and Postal Departments have all worked very satisfactorily.

74. The Survey Department has performed valuable, if unostentatious work, often under very adverse conditions.

75. The Army Chaplains of all denominations have worked devotedly and given unstinted service to the force. In their ministrations to the wounded they have freely exposed themselves in the front line.

76. I wish to record my appreciation of the valuable work performed by the Officers of General Headquarters and my personal Staff, to whom I am much indebted for their loyal assistance on all occasions.

77. I would express my deep obligation to Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Percy Cox, Mr. Dobbs, I.C.S., and the officers of the Political Department for their valuable advice and assistance freely rendered on every occasion. The remarkably small amount of tribal interruption along our extensive Lines of Communication and the satisfactory condition of internal affairs throughout the occupied territory and adjoining districts are a high testimony to Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Percy Cox's ability, tact and experience.

78. Accompanying this despatch is a list of officers and men whose names I would bring to notice in connection with services rendered during the operations herein reported upon.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

P. LAKE, *Lieutenant-General,*

Commanding Indian Expeditionary Force "D."

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Education, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 9th September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

EXAMINATIONS.

No. 59.—The 7th September 1916.—The following rules regarding the institution of a new literary examination to be known as the "Oriental Language Teachership Examination" are published for general information. These rules will come into force from the date of this notification.

The object of this examination is, firstly to ascertain the competency or otherwise of men professing to teach Government officers the vernacular and the Persian, and Arabic languages, and, secondly, to give publicity to the names of those munshis, pundits, etc., who are, in the opinion of the central examining bodies, capable of teaching.

1. The following are the languages in which the examination will be held.

At Calcutta.—Arabic, Persian, Urdu, Hindi, Bengali, Assamese and Uriya.

At Madras.—Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam, Canarese and Urdu.

At Bombay.—Arabic, Persian, Urdu, Marathi, Gujarati and Canarese.

At Karachi.—Sindhi.

At Lahore.—Punjabi.

2. The examination will be open to the public, but in the case of Arabic will be confined to natives of Arabia, Mesopotamia, Syria or Egypt, and in the case of Persian, to natives of Persia.

3. Successful candidates will be furnished with certificates from the examining bodies. Their names will be published in the *Gazette of India* and also in the gazettes of such provinces as are interested in the languages concerned. List of the names of these successful candidates will be maintained by the central examining bodies*, with a view to their being recommended to officers applying for competent teachers.

*1. Board of Examiners, Calcutta.
2. Board of Examiners, Madras.
3. Civil and Military Examination Committee, Bombay.

NOTE.—Lists of the names of successful candidates in Punjabi will be sent by the Government of the Punjab to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, to be maintained by them.

4. Examinations will be held quarterly on the first Monday in January, April, July and October of each year by the Board of Examiners at Calcutta.

In Madras the examinations will be held half-yearly on the first Monday in January and July by the Board of Examiners.

In Bombay the examinations will be held quarterly by the Civil and Military Examination Committee on the first Monday in January, April, July and October. Examinations in Sindhi will, however, be held only at Karachi by the Local Committee for vernacular examinations.

Examinations in Punjabi will be held at Lahore twice a year in the last week of April and the first week of November under the orders of the Punjab Government.

When the first Monday in the quarter or half-year is a gazetted holiday, the examination will be held on the following Monday or if that is also a gazetted holiday, on the next working day thereafter.

NOTE.—The term "gazetted holiday" used in this rule should be held to mean—

(1) Holidays prescribed or notified under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881.

(2) Holidays on which, by Government notification in the gazette, any public office is ordered to be closed for the transaction of public business without reserve or qualification.

In addition to the quarterly examinations mentioned above, the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, will conduct examinations, for candidates other than in the presidencies of Madras and Bombay, twice annually at Lucknow and Lahore in March and October in Urdu, Persian, Arabic and Hindi. The exact dates of the examinations and the places at which they will be held will be notified to intending candidates on application to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta.

5. Candidates for examination in Urdu should apply to the examining body of the Presidency in which they reside. Candidates desirous of attending examinations held at Calcutta or at the tour examinations at Lucknow or Lahore should apply to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, and for examinations held at Madras to the Board of Examiners, Madras. Those who desire to appear at examinations held at Bombay should apply to the Civil and Military Examination Committee, Bombay. Applications of candidates for examination in Sindhi should be made to the Commissioner in Sind, Karachi, and those for examinations in Punjabi to the Governmet of the Punjab. The applications from candidates in any language except Persian or Arabic must be accompanied by a fee of Rs. 10 and all applications should be forwarded in sufficient time to reach the examination boards or committees concerned at least a month before the date of examination. The fees once paid will in no case be refunded or held over to the next examination, provided that in the case of a candidate who subsequently decides not to avail himself of the examination and intimates his decision to the examination board or committee concerned at least ten days before the examination the fee should be refunded. Candidates who fail to pass may present themselves for re-examination on payment of the full fee of Rs. 10, but on each such occasion the whole examination must be undergone, previous failure in any one subject being regarded as failure in all.

6. The following are the subjects of the examination :—

(1) A written translation of a difficult passage of English into the language of the examination with special regard to accuracy of idiom and neatness of expression.

(2) A written translation of a simpler passage of English in a narrative style, into the ordinary colloquial of the language.

(3) A general paper of grammar, idiom and prosody of the language of such a nature as to test the candidate's critical and comprehensive knowledge of the language.

(4) A conversational and colloquial test in English, including the *viva voce* explanation of such points in grammar, idiom, etc., as the examining officer may place before the candidate.

50 per cent. of the marks in each subject are required to pass. The names of candidates who obtain 80 per cent. of the marks in each subject will be distinguished in the published list by an asterisk to signify that they are considered especially competent to give advanced instruction in the language

7. No text books are prescribed for these examinations. Candidates may provide themselves with dictionaries for use in the two translation tests. Copies of papers set at previous examinations in Urdu may be had on application to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 14th October 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 9th October 1916.

No. 1861-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Mr. L. Grommers to be in charge of the Consulate General for Chile at Calcutta, during the absence of Senor Don Carlos Campo Rencoret.

The 12th October 1916.

No. 1891-G.—With reference to notification No. 229-G., dated the 24th February 1916, the provisional recognition of the appointment of Mr. G. D. Lys as Acting Consul for Portugal at Calcutta, has been confirmed by His Majesty's Government.

A. H. GRANT,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 14th October 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 14th October 1916.

No. 9752.—The following officiating promotions and reversions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified, with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. A. H. P. Wolferstan	Assistant Collector, class II, substantive.	Assistant Collector, class I, officiating.	29th August 1916.
Mr. A. E. Boyd ...	Assistant Collector, class III, substantive.	Assistant Collector, class II, officiating.	28th " "
Mr. A. H. Lloyd, I.C.S. ...	Collector, class III, officiating.	Assistant Collector, substantive.	11th September 1916.
Mr. A. H. P. Wolferstan	Assistant Collector, class I, officiating.	Assistant Collector, class II, substantive.	30th " "
Mr. A. E. Boyd ...	Assistant Collector, class II, officiating.	Assistant Collector, class III, substantive.	30th " "

CUSTOMS.

The 14th October 1916.

No. 9925-W.-II.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

THE 8TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1916.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1916, and made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted:—

(C) Bleaching powder ;
(C) Brewers' dried yeast ;
(C) Cloth manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair except khaki woollen or worsted cloth ;
(B) Gloves, fingerless sheepskin ;
(B) Gloves, with leather palms ;
(C) Grindstones ;
(C) Hacksaw blades ;
(B) Hair, animal, tops, noils, and yarns of ;
Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—
(C) Egg, yolk and liquid, and albumen :
(B) Scarves, jerseys, cardigan jackets, socks, men's gloves and underwear, manufactured wholly or partly of wool ;
(A) Small tools, the following :—
Files ;
(C) Strontium sulphate ;
(B) Waxes, mineral and vegetable (except carnauba), and composite waxes ;
(B) Wool, raw (sheep's and lamb's) and mixtures thereof.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—

(C) Albumen ;
(A) Bleaching powder ;
(C) Boots and shoes, other than heavy boots for men ;
(C) Felt, carpets and carpet rugs ;
(B) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather ;
(C) Gramophone record compositions ;

(B) Grindery, the following articles of :—

Brads ;
Metal toe tips ;

(A) Grindstones ;
(A) Hacksaw blades ;
(B) Hair, animal, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof ;
(A) Iron wire ;
(A) Iron wire rods ;
(C) Leather, not otherwise prohibited ;
(A) Leather, sole ;
Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—

(C) Egg, yolk and liquid ;

(B) Scarves, shawls, jerseys, cardigan jackets, socks, men's gloves and underwear manufactured wholly or partly of wool ;
(B) Shoemakers' tools, the following :—

Awls ;
Awl hafts ;
Chisels, hand cold, 8 inches by ¼ inch ;
Files, seat ;
Hammers, single and double faced ;
Irons, forepart, glazing, lap, seat wheel and waist ;
Knives ;
Nippers, cutting ;
Pincers ;
Pliers, eyelet ;
Punches, spring ;
Rasps ;
Welt ploughs, runners and mills ;

(A) Small tools, the following :—

Files, other than shoemakers' seat files ;

(B) Steel rivets, bifurcated ;
(B) Strontium sulphate ;
(C) Tissues manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair, except khaki woollen or worsted cloth ;
(A) Umbrella ribs, tubes and tube frames ;
(B) Waxes, animal, mineral, and vegetable (except carnauba) and composite waxes ;
(C) Woollen gloves and hosiery not otherwise prohibited ;
(C) Woollen underwear not otherwise prohibited ;
(B) Wool, raw, and mixtures thereof ;
(C) Yeast.

(3) That on and after the 1st day of October, 1916, the exportation of "steel hoops" should be prohibited to all destinations.

(4) That on and after the 9th day of October, 1916, the heading "(C) Bags and sacks not otherwise specifically prohibited (except paper bags)" should be deleted and there be substituted therefor the heading "(C) Bags, wrappers or sacks not otherwise specifically prohibited (except paper bags) other than any such bags, wrappers or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings."

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recomendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

No. 9939-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz*:—

Additions.

China Mining and Metal Company, Limited.
Jovansen, M., Miss, Tientsin.
Ki Heng Company, Swatow.
Moksey, H. J. (A. B. Svenska Kullager Fabriken).
Pongee and Lace Emporium.
Svenska Kullager Fabriken, A. B. (Moksey, H. J.).
Torin and Company, Canton.

Alteration.

For the entry "British Mining and Industrial Company, Limited, Tientsin" *read* "Russo-British Mining and Industrial Company."

No. 9944-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department Notification No. 7788-W.-II, dated the 26th August 1916, *viz*:—

ADDITIONS.

ARGENTINA.

Gomez, Pedro, Comodoro Rivadavia, Territory of Chubut.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").
Soteras y Val, Alsina 1251-55, Buenos Aires.

BOLIVIA.

Bacovich, Marcos, Oruro.
Schluter & Company, Oruro.

BRAZIL.

AO Cylindro, Porto Alegre.
Bauer, Walter F., Rua General Camara 88, Rio de Janeiro; and Recife, Pernambuco.
Bier, F. G., & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 106, Porto Alegre.
Deutsch Süd-Amerikanische Telegraphen Gesellschaft A. G., Rua da Assemblea 8; Rua General Camara 62, Rio de Janeiro; and Pernambuco.
Freyer, Hugo, Porto Alegre.
Gonczy, Porto Alegre.
Kopinsky, Joseph, Rua Sao Paulo 52, Rio de Janeiro.
Lima, Luzio Horacio (Berringer & Company), Para.
Metzler, Hugo, Porto Alegre.
Pereira, E., & Company, Rio de Janeiro.
Schaible & Kanitz, Rua José Bonifacio 40, Sao Paulo; Rua Sao Pedro 52, Rio de Janeiro.
Schrocter, J., Porto Alegre.
Siemens-Schückert Werke, Rio de Janeiro; Baha; Porto Alegre and Sao Paulo.
Viera de Mello, Francisco, Rio de Janeiro.

CHILE.

Groothoff, A. & O., Iquique.
Kosmos Steamship Line, (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").
Smith, Charles Dudley, (of A. & O. Groothoff), Iquique.

COLOMBIA.

Kosmos Steamship Line, (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").

ECUADOR.

Kosmos Steamship Line. (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").

GREECE.

Tiring, Victor, & Frères, Salonika.
Zachariou, Alexandre, & Company, (Alexandre Zachariou & Athanasios Papatheodorou), 54 Stadium Street, Athens.

ICELAND AND FAROË ISLANDS.

Braun, Rich. N., Reykjavik, Iceland.
Brauns Verslun, Reykjavika. Iceland.
Krossanes Oil & Guano Factory, Krossanes, Iceland.
Obenhaupt, A., Templarasund 5, Reykjavik, Iceland.
Thomsen, H. Th. A., Reykjavik, Iceland; and Thorshavn, Färoe Islands.

JAPAN.

Doi, Nagashi, Minami Rokuchome 122, Aoyama, Tokyo.
Hattori, Y., Benton-Dori, Yokohama.
Ichikawa, Kiyoshi, 14 Nichome, Iidawachi, Kojimachi-ku, Tokyo.

LIBERIA.*

Deutsche Liberia Bank.

MOROCCO.*

Escalant, Antonio Lopez, Larache.

NETHERLANDS.

Bella, M de la, 2e Jan van der Heydenstraat 2, Amsterdam.
Buitenlandsche Handels Maatschappy, (Foreign Trading Company), Haagsche Veer 35, Rotterdam.
Bunge & Company, Dam 2, 4, 6, Amsterdam.
"B. E. Sons," Graaf Florisstraat 7, Amsterdam.
Dijk, Jac P. M. van, Berkelsche Laan 16, Rotterdam.
Goudzwaard, A. W. M., & Kolff, J. M., Pelikaanstraat 25, Rotterdam.
Kaufmann's Huidenhandel, N. V., (formerly S. G. Kaufmann) Ruigeplaatweg 41, Rotterdam.
Loo, J. Van der, & Company, Kromme Waal 22, Amsterdam; and Rotterdam.
Oliflers, L. N. G., Keizersgracht 70, Amsterdam.
Oostra, I., Pieter de Hooghstraat 42 and Prinsengracht 526, Amsterdam.
Post, Van der Burg & Company, Willemsplein 11, Rotterdam.
Rijnberk, W. E. Van, Wijnhaven 26, Rotterdam.
Schnitzer Gedr., Middensteiger 28, Rotterdam.
Slavenburg, J. L., Vijverhofstraat 86-92, Rotterdam.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Leezenberg, P., Medan.

NORWAY.

Guthormsen, C., (late Guthormsen & Shepherd), ϕ. Slotsgt. 5, Christiania.
Holger, Jensen, Stortingsgaden 4, III, Christiania.
Stinnes, Hugo, A/S, Stortingsgaden 4, III, Christiania.
Viking Canning Company Limited A/S, Kopervik near Bergen.

PERSIA.*

Haji Gholem Ali & Haji Mohammed Bagher Behbehani & Sons, Bushire.

PERU.

Kosmos Steamship Line, (Agencia Maritima, "Kosmos").

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Asuncion, Roman, Manila.
Botica Boie, Manila.
La Prueba Cigar Factory, P. O. Box 856, and Gunao 4, Manila.
Manila Drug Company, Manila.
Muller, Heinrich, Manila.
Vellguth, Rudolf, Manila.

SPAIN.

Deutsch, Charles, Atocha 151, Madrid.
Figueras, Manuel, Tarragona.
Hispano (La) Alemana, Viladomat 83, Barcelona.
Llombet, Andres, Rosario 2, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.
Postigo, Salvador, Trinidad Grund 21, Malaga.
Rodriguez, Andres Llombet, Rosario 2, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.
Saggese Hermanos de Binisalem et de Palma, Palma, Balearic Islands.
Serra, Juan, Tarragona.
Tapias, José, Tarragona.
Wimmer, J., & Company, (Hans, Johannes, & Max Wimmer), Puerta del Sol 6, Madrid.

URUGUAY.

Delcampo, Carlos, Montevideo.

REMOVALS.

ARGENTINA.

Vogel, F. W., & Company, Calle Defensa 467, Buenos Aires.

BRAZIL.

Albuquerque, Antonio de, Rua 13 de Mayo 25, Para.
Empreza de Navegacão Mosqueiro e Soure, Para.
Mosqueiro & Soure, Para.
Officina Viuva Camillier.
Rosa Neves & Company, Florianopolis.
Teltscher & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 122, Porto Alegre.

CHILE.

Soeiedad Imprenta y Litografia Universo, Santiago.

ECUADOR.

Moreira, Nicanor, Manta.

MOROCCO.

Assayag, Simon, Laraiche.
Haquiba, Cades, Laraiche.
Moryusef, Mesod Uld Brami, Laraiche.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Plantagen Gesellschaft Langkapoera, Batavia.
Teller, Scholte & Company, Sourabaya.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Keller, E. A., & Company, Martinez 4, Manila.
Menzie, J.

SPAIN.

Albert Joaquin Duran, Vergara 10-12, Barcelona.
Chell, Jose Vilchez, Isaac Peral 22, Cadiz,
Duran, Joaquin, Vergara 10-12, Barcelona.
Guardiola, Juan, Alicante.
Pi y Sarriera, Antonio, Plaza del Teatro 3, Barcelona.
Raich Hermanos & Company, Plaza Urquinaona 10, Barcelona.
Wirth, Robert, Calle Sevilla 6, Madrid.

SWEDEN.

Ganslandt and Gussing (A/B), Hjulhamnsg. 4, Malmö; Gothenburg and Ystad.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Electro Bleaching Gas Company, The, Buffalo Avenue, and Union Street, Niagara Falls; and 25 Madison Avenue, New York City.
Gravenhorst & Company, 96, Wall Street, New York City.
Nenhaus, Richard, (of the Electro Bleaching Gas Company).

VARIATIONS IN LIST.

Corrections in the names and alterations in and additions to addresses of the persons or firms whose names have been already published on the respective dates shown in the margin are made as under:—

DENMARK.

Aug. 8th, 1916. Seelk, Alfred, Strandv. 118; Vimmelskaftet 42; and Borsen, Copenhagen.
June 30th, 1916. Bonne, C. Riis, Linoleum Company, Limited, Kronprinsensgade 6, Copenhagen.

JAPAN.

May 9th, 1916. Benicke, F., Nachf, 4 Honkawaya-cho, Nihonbashi-ku, Tokyo; and 81 Kyo-machi, Kobe.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Mar. 24th, 1916. Adler Warenhuis (Moritz Adler), Sourabaya.

NORWAY.

June 30th, 1916. Forenede Feldspatbrud A/S, Sarpsborg and Strandgade 24, Christianssand, S.
Feb. 29th, 1916. Möller, E. D., Skippergatan 9, Christiania.

PERU.

May 18th, 1916. Ludowieg, C., & Company, Ucayali 300, Lima.

SPAIN.

Aug. 8th, 1916. Bosser, Emilio Badia, Calle Aribau 110 and 121; Calle Proyenza 177, Barcelona.
June 15th, „ Ramirez, Antonio, Trinidad Grund 7, Malaga.

VENEZUELA.

Aug. 22nd, 1916. Behrens, Adolfo, (Partner of Blohm & Company).
„ „ Christern, Zingg & Company, Maracaibo.

No. 9954-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India, whether by the parcels post or otherwise, of all goods from Abyssinia,

Argentina, the Azores, Bolivia, Brazil, the Canary Islands, the Cape Verde Islands, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, the Danish West Indies, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Liberia, Madeira, Mexico, Morocco, the Netherland East and West Indies, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, the Philippine Islands, Portuguese East and West Africa, San Salvador, Spain, Spanish West Africa, Uruguay and Venezuela, unless Certificates of Interest in the form prescribed in the annexed schedule are presented to the Customs Collector at the port of import in respect of such goods.

Provided that

(*i*) a single certificate may be used to cover any number of parcels of goods shipped to the same consignee on the same vessel at the same time for the same port :

(*ii*) nothing in this notification shall apply to

(*a*) goods imported for the use of Government Departments;

(*b*) goods imported under a general or special licence granted by the Governor General in pursuance of the Trading with the Enemy Proclamation No. 2, as amended and extended by subsequent Proclamations, except so far as a certificate of origin may be required by the conditions of the licence itself;

(*c*) goods imported from an allied country by way of a neutral country on a through bill of lading or by through postal parcel;

(*d*) goods transhipped for consignment to other parts of the British Empire where the system of certificates of interest is in force, or carried forward in the same bottom to foreign ports;

(*e*) *bona-fide* personal and household effects of persons entering the country;

(*f*) goods shipped for India on or before the 30th September 1916.

(*iii*) the Customs-Collector may, in his discretion, and if he sees no reason for suspecting that the goods have emanated from an enemy territory, allow delivery of any goods imported from the above-mentioned countries, even if unaccompanied by certificates of interest on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct;

(*iv*) the Customs-Collector, in his discretion, may

(*a*) detain goods in respect of which a certificate of interest has been duly furnished, pending the production of such further evidence of interest as he may consider satisfactory; or

(*b*) release such goods on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct.

SCHEDULE.

Form of Certificate of Interest.

I, hereby certify that Mr. (Producer, Manufacturer, Merchant, Trader, etc.), residing at in this town, has declared before me that the merchandise designated below is to be shipped from this town to , and consigned to (*a*) (Merchant, Manufacturer, etc.), and that no person who is an enemy, (or is treated

(*a*) If desired, the word "order" may be inserted here, instead of the name of the purchaser in India.

as an enemy under any law or proclamation for the time being in force relating to trading with the enemy or relating to trading with persons of enemy nationality or association), has any interest in such merchandise; and that he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof.

Number and Description of Cases.	Marks and Numbers.	Weight or Quantity.	Total Value. (*b*)	Contents.	Name of Producer or Manufacturer.

This certificate is valid only for a period of not more than (*c*) days from the date hereof, and for not more than (*d*).

(Signed)..... .....

(*Signature of person declaring.*)

(Signed)..... .....

(*Signature of Consular Authority issuing certificate and date.*)

(Consular Fee Stamp.)

(*b*) This column may be left blank, if desired.

(*c*) Here insert under number of days for which certificate is valid.

(*d*) Here insert quantity or weight.

No. 9961-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of the Notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6165-158-W.-11, dated the 22nd July 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India, whether by the parcels post or otherwise, of all goods from Belgium, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland and Switzerland unless certificates of origin and interest in the form prescribed in the annexed schedule are presented to the Customs-Collector at the port of import in respect of such goods:

Provided that

(*i*) a single certificate may be used to cover any number of parcels of goods shipped to the same consignee on the same vessel at the same time for the same port:

(*ii*) nothing in this notification shall apply to

(*a*) goods imported for the use of Government Departments;

(*b*) goods imported under a general or special license granted by the Governor General in pursuance of the trading with the enemy Proclamation, No. 2, as amended and extended by subsequent Proclamations, except so far as a certificate of origin may be required by the conditions of the license itself;

(*c*) goods imported from an allied country by way of a neutral country on a through bill of lading or by through postal parcel;

(*d*) goods transhipped for consignment to other parts of the British Empire where the system of certificates of origin and interest is in force, or carried forward in the same bottom to foreign ports;

(*e*) *bonâ-fide* personal and household effects of persons entering the country;

(*f*) imports of alabaster, articles of carved coral and shells, bulbs, carbide of calcium, codliver oil, coral (raw), curbstone, cyanide of calcium, flax, flax seed, foodstuffs (other than sugar and spirits), fresh flowers, granite, granite setts for paving, ice, iron ore, marble, pavement slates, paving slates, paving stones, quicksilver, Sienna-earth, slatestone, strawboard, sulphur, tar, timber of any kind (including pit-props, and wood hoops for making casks), mechanical wood pulp (excluding cellulose);

(*g*) goods of Belgian origin re-exported from the United Kingdom;

(*h*) goods shipped for India on or before the 30th September 1916, covered by a certificate of origin;

(*iii*) the Customs-Collector may, in his discretion, and if he sees no reason for suspecting that the goods have emanated from an enemy territory, allow delivery of any goods imported from the above-mentioned countries, even if unaccompanied by certificates of origin and interest on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct;

(*iv*) the Customs-Collector, in his discretion, may

(*a*) detain goods in respect of which a certificate of origin and interest has been duly furnished, pending the production of such further evidence of origin and interest as he may consider satisfactory; or

(*b*) release such goods on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct.

SCHEDULE.

Form of Certificate of Origin and Interest.

I, hereby certify that Mr. (Producer, Manufacturer, Merchant, Trader, etc.), residing at in this town, has declared before me that the merchandise designated below, which is to be shipped from this town to consigned to (*a*) (Merchant, Manufacturer, etc.), has not been produced or manufactured in enemy territory; that no person who is an enemy, or is treated as an enemy under any law or proclamation for the time being in force relating to trading with the enemy or relating to trading with persons of enemy nationality or association, has any interest in

(*a*) If desired, the word "order" may be inserted here, instead of the name of the purchaser in India.

such merchandise; and that he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof.

Number and Description of cases.	Marks and Numbers.	Weight or Quantity.	Total Value. (*b*)	Contents.	Name of Producer or Manufacturer. (*e*)

This certificate is valid only for a period of not more than (*c*) days from the date hereof, and for not more that (*d*)

(Signed)..... (Signed).....

(*Signature of person declaring.*) (*Signature of Consular Authority issuing certificate and date.*)

(Consular Fee Stamp.)

(*b*) This column may be left blank, if desired.

(*c*) Here insert number of days for which certificate is valid.

(*d*) Here insert quantity or weight.

(*e*) This column may be left blank at the request of the declarant; but the name of the producer or manufacturer must be inserted in a separate document issued at the same time by the Consular Officer, which will only be inspected by the Customs Authorities at the port of importation. The separate document may be either a letter from the Consular Officer concerned or a copy of the certificate itself furnishing the necessary particulars.

In the case of the following articles, however, the particulars in question need not necessarily be furnished either in the certificate or in the separate document; in such cases the words "he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof" in the text of the certificate may be replaced by the words "I am satisfied that such is the case":—

(*i*) All articles in respect of which certificates of origin and interest, though not required under this notification, are issued at the special request of the exporter.

(*ii*) Argols.
Berries.
Bones.
Charcoal.
Codliver oil.
Dried flowers.
Eiderdown.
Empty yarn and electric cable spools.
Essential oils of native fruits.
Fish oils.
Grease.
Hides.
Leaves.
Lichen, moss and other wild growths.
Medicinal herbs.
Metal foundry residues.
Old clothes and wearing apparel.
Olive meal (ground).
Old rags.
Old rails.
Old ropes, lines, etc.
Personal effects.
Returned empties (including casks).
Roots.
Ships' stores.
Spelter.
Squills.
Steel, zinc and other metal scraps.
Sumac.
Waste clippings of textile materials.
Wax (beeswax, etc.)

(*f*) The Consular authority will stamp all certificates in a prominent place with the words—
"The present certificate must not be regarded as an absolute guarantee of the origin or interest of the goods which remain liable to seizure if they should prove on examination by the competent British authorities to be of enemy origin."

(*g*) In the case of goods partially produced or manufactured in enemy territory, certificates will only be granted, and accepted, when not more than 25 per cent. of the value of the finished article is due to enemy labour or material. The percentage of value derived from such enemy production or manufacture should be stated in the certificate. The percentage should be calculated, not upon the sale price of the finished goods in India, but upon the value delivered at the place of manufacture, excluding cost of packing and carriage to India.

(*h*) In the case of Belgian goods the certificate should state that the goods have been produced or manufactured in Belgium, or that less than 25 per cent. of their value is due to enemy (other than Belgian) labour or material and that the certifying officer is satisfied as to the truth of the declaration.

Goods manufactured in Holland which owe less than 25 per cent. of their value to enemy (other than Belgian) labour or material but include also a Belgian element which raises the proportion to more than 25 per cent. are considered for the purpose of this certificate as goods of Belgian origin.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 601T.M.—The 12th October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council proposes to make under section 15 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th December 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 15 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that—

(1) The Cox's Bazar Municipality in the district of Chittagong shall, for the purpose of the election of Commissioners, be divided into wards as shown in columns 1 and 2 of the following table, and

Chittagong.

(2) the number of Commissioners to be elected for each such ward shall be that shown in column 3 of that table :—

Number of Wards.	Boundaries of Wards.	Number of Commissioners to be elected for each ward.
1	2	3
I	*North*—Ramu Road and Seabeach Road. *East*—Aungthowain Phroo's chara. *South*—Bhanga Mura Hills. *West*—The Bay of Bengal.	2
II	*North*—Bagkhali river. *East*—Aungthowain Phroo's chara. *South*—Ramu Road and Seabeach Road. *West*—Kalamarchara.	3
III	*North*—Bagkhali river. *East*—Rumalichara. *South*—Ramu Road. *West*—Aungthowain Phroo's chara.	2
IV	*North*—Ramu Road. *East*—Rumalichara. *South*—Bhanga Mura Hills. *West*—Aungthowain Phroo's chara.	1

No. 603T.-M.—The 12th October 1916.—The following draft of an amendment which, in exercise of the power conferred by section 290 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council proposes to make in rule 20 of the rules for the Howrah Municipality which were published under Notification No. 231M., dated the 1st February 1915, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Howrah.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 30th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft amendment.

To rule 20 of the said rules *add* the following new clause :—

"(*f*) if a person makes any connection with the service-pipes of the Commissioners or with any communication-pipes leading water from the service-pipes otherwise than in accordance with these rules or conditions."

No. 615T.—L.S.-G.—The 14th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 38 and 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), and in modification of Notification No. 112T.—L.S.-G., dated the 27th April 1912, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct—

Birbhum.

(*a*) that the Rampurhat Union Committee in the district of Birbhum shall consist of nine members instead of seven members, and

(*b*) that, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, three of the members of the said Union Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

No. 617 T.—L.S.-G.—The 14th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 8 of the Bengal Ferries Act, 1885 (Bengal Act I of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to vest the immediate superintendence of such public ferries, in any Union constituted under the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 in the district of Dacca, as may be selected by the District Magistrate, in the Chairman of its Union Committee.

Dacca.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B. C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings in Burdwan Road in Ward No. 23 in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 25th May 1916.

C. F. PAYNE,
Chairman of the Corporation.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 12th October 1916.*

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR. *the 9th March 1916.*

The 21st September 1916.

No. 3K.—With reference to Government (Education Department) Notifications Nos. 234E., dated the 24th February 1911, and 1405E., dated the 19th October 1911, the following list of text-books to be used in Middle and Primary schools for girls in Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions for the year 1917 is published for general information :—

STORIES, NATURE LESSONS, HANDWORK, NUMBER, GAMES. Class I. "Teachers' Handbook of Nature Lessons," Part I (Teachers' Handbook of Correlated Lessons, Part I). (For teachers only.) (Macmillan & Co.)

VERNACULAR READING. Analytic Reading Sheets, Parts I and II. (For teachers only.) A. C. Roy. (The Students' Library, Dacca.)

STORIES, NATURE LESSONS, HANDWORK, GEOGRAPHY, NUMBER, GAMES. Class II. "Teachers' Handbook of Nature Lessons," Part I (Teachers' Handbook of Correlated Lessons, Part I). (For teachers only.) (Macmillan & Co.)

VERNACULAR READING. Analytic Reading Sheets, Part II. (For teachers only.) A. C. Roy. (The Students' Library, Dacca.)

Bengali Primer, II. Jaladhar Sen. (Macmillan & Co.)

Or

Shishu Sahitya. (Amriananda Kabyabinode.)

Maktab Primer. (For Muhammadans only.) Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya, Svarna Press.)

HISTORY, STORIES, LITERATURE, ELEMENTARY SCIENCE, HANDWORK Class III. "Teachers' Handbook of Nature Lessons," Part II, for girls (Teachers' Handbook of Correlated Oral Lessons, Part II, for girls). (For teachers only.) (H. N. Datta, Wari.)

VERNACULAR READING. Nutan Nimna Path. A. C. Gupta. (Author), or

Cheleder Ramayan. U. K. Ray Chaudhury. (The City Book Society, Calcutta.)

Maktab Reader, I. (For Muhammadans only.) Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya, Svarna Press.)

HISTORY, STORIES, LITERATURE, ELEMENTARY SCIENCE, HANDWORK. Class IV. "Teachers' Handbook of Nature Lessons," Part II, for girls (Teachers' Handbook of Correlated Oral Lessons, Part II, for girls). (For teachers only.) (H. N. Datta, Wari.)

VERNACULAR READING. Saral Nimna Path. Dinesh Ch. Sen and N. C. Basu. (Atul Library, Dacca.)

Or

Balika Benodini. Kali Bhusan Mukherjee. (Nripendra Ch. Roy.)

Maktab Reader, II. (For Muhammadans only.) Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya, Svarna Press.)

LITERATURE—PROSE AND POETRY. Class V. Sahitya Pustak, Part I (revised edition). Mahamahopadhyaya P. C. Vidyaratna. (Students' Library, Dacca.)

Or

Nava Sandarva. Akshay K. Datta-Gupta Kabiratna, M.A. (Author.)

Sahitya Sopan, Part I. (For Muhammadans only.) M. Zahirul Haque. (Students' Library, Dacca.)

LITERATURE—PROSE AND POETRY. Class VI. (For Hindus.) Sakuntala. Umesh Chandra Basu. (Sarat Chandra Datta, Cotton Library, Dacca), and Kavita Pustak. Rai Bahadur K. P Vidyasagar. (Students' Library, Dacca.)

Saral Sahitya. (For Muhammadans.) Kazi Imdadul Haque. (Sheik Abdul Gani.)

LITERATURE*—Class VII—

1. PROSE. Sitar Banabas. I. C. Vidyasagar.

2 POETRY. Meghnadbadh Kabya (selected cantos II, IV, IX). (Students' Library, Dacca.)

N.B.—In classes II—V, Aided schools may use either of the two alternative books prescribed under subject "Vernacular Reading."

GRAMMAR. Classes IV to VII. Elementary Bengali Grammar. (For teachers only.) S. N. Kavyatirtha. (Education Department.)

ARITHMETIC. Class I. Teachers' Handbook of Correlated Lessons, Part I. (Macmillan & Co.)

Classes II to IV. Patiganit Shiksha Pranali. (For teachers only.) Nagendra Nath Mazumdar. (U. K. Chanda, Dacca.)

Class II. Saral Shishu Patiganit, Parts II and III. Longmans, Green & Co. (For pupils.)†

Classes III and IV. Saral Patiganit, Part I. (For pupils.)† Rai Bahadur K. K. Banerji. (K. Roy & Co., Calcutta.)

Classes V to VII. Shishuranjan Patiganit, Parts III and IV. (For pupils.) K. P. Basu. (D. N. Sen.)

HISTORY. Classes V to VII. Model Lessons in the History of India for lower classes, Bengali edition. (For teachers only.) (Macmillan & Co.)

Class VI. Aitihasik Path, Part I. (For pupils.) Kazi Imdadul Haque. (The Students' Library, Dacca.)

Class VII. History of the British Empire. (For pupils.) Jagadish Ch. Ghosh, B.A. (P. C. Bose, Roy Gupta & Co., Dacca.)

GEOGRAPHY. Classes III to V. "Teachers' Handbook of Geography," Part I. (For teachers only.) Kazi Imdadul Haque. (The Students Library, Dacca.)

Classes VI and VII. "Teachers' Handbook of Geography," Part II. (For teachers only.) Kazi Imdadul Haque. (The Students' Library, Dacca.)

HYGIENE. Classes V and VI. Saral Sarir Palan‡. Jadu Nath Mukherjee. (Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta.)

Class VII. Village Sanitation. K. C. Banerjee. (Author.)

SEWING AND KNITTING. Classes I to VII. Suchi Silpa. (For teachers.) Mrs. Moorat

PHYSICAL EXERCISES. Classes III to VII. Departmental Drill Book. Revised by Dr. Gray. (Department of Public Instruction.)

WRITING. Class II. Hater Lekha, Part I§. Sunity Banerjee. (Albert Library, Dacca.)

Class III. Hater Lekha, Part II. Sunity Banerjee. (Albert Library Dacca.)

Class IV. Hater Lekha, Part III. Sunity Banerjee. (Albert Library Dacca.)

* No suitable books for Muhammadans have yet been produced for use in the higher classes
† The use of an Arithmetic book by pupils is not obligatory
‡ To be printed on better paper
§ Better sentences to be chosen for future edition.

DRAWING. Class II. "Teachers' Manual of Drawing," Vol. I. (For teachers only.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)
Drawing Tablet No. I. (For pupils.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)
Classes III to VII. "Teachers' Manual of Drawing," Vol. II. (For teachers only.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)
Drawing Tablets Nos. II to VI. (For pupils.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)

The following books are prescribed for use in Lower Primary maktabs for girls and in Zenana classes in the year 1917 in Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions :—

READING. Class I. Instructions for Maktab Teachers. (For teachers only.) Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya, Svarna Press.)
Class II. Maktab Primer. Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya, Svarna Press.)
Class III. Maktab Reader, Part I. Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya, Svarna Press.)
Class IV. Maktab Reader, Part II. Tafazzal Hossain (D. N. Bhattacharyya, Svarna Press.)

English text-books to be used in Middle English schools for girls for the year 1917 in Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions :—

ENGLISH. Class III. First Steps in English. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
The Second Term in English. (Indian Scenes.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
The Third Term in English. (An Indian Tour.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

FOR TEACHERS. Class III. First Steps in Teaching English. (To accompany First Steps in English by the Direct Method.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
The Second Term in Teaching English. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
The Third Term in Teaching English. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Class IV. The Fourth Term in English. (An English Tour.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
The Fifth Term in English (An English Tour continued), 3rd edition. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
The Sixth Term in English (Story and History from the East), 3rd edition, with illustrations. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

FOR TEACHERS. Class IV. The Fourth Term in Teaching English. (To accompany "The Fourth Term in English" by the Direct Method.) (An English Tour.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
The Fifth Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. (An English Tour to accompany "The Fifth Term in English" by the Direct Method.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
The Sixth Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. (To accompany "The Sixth Term in English by the Direct Method.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Class V. Picture Composition, Book I. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son.)
Macmillan's Bengal Reader, II.
Class VI. Picture Composition, Book II. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son.)
Macmillan's Bengal Reader, III.
Class VII. Picture Composition, Book III. Lewis Marsh. Blackie & Son.)
Macmillan's Bengal Reader, IV.

GEOMETRY. Class VII. Inductive Geometry for Transition classes. H. A. Nesbitt.

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The 20th September 1916.

THE following list of approved Prize and Library books for use in schools in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions is published for general information :—

Literature, Grammar, Composition, etc.—English.

1. A TREASURY OF ENGLISH POEMS. Mahbul Huq. (Sarkar & Co.) As. 12. Library book.

2. THE CHILDHOOD OF THE WORLD. Edward Clodd. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1. Library book.

3. BRITISH ORATORS. J. H. Fowler. (Macmillan & Co.) 9*d*. Prize and Library book.

4. THE ISLE OF GRAMARYE, PART I. E P. Roberts. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*. Library book.

5. THE ISLE OF GRAMARYE, PART II. E. P. Roberts. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*. Library book.

6. ENGLISH CONVERSATION. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 6. Library book.

7. DACCA—THE ROMANCE OF AN EASTERN CAPITAL. F. B. Bradley-Birt. (The Indian School Supply Depôt, Agents for G. Bell & Sons.) Re. 1-14. Prize and Library book.

8. THE STORY OF NAPOLEON BONAPARTE. A. O. Cooke. (Oxford (University Press.) 6*d*. Prize and Library book.

9. HISTORICAL BALLADS. W. Macdougall. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s*. Library book.

10. THE ABBEY HISTORY READERS, BOOK VI—THE VICTORIAN ERA. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s*. Prize and Library book (specially commended as a prize book).

11. THE FORTUNES OF NIGEL. Sir W. Scott. Adapted by Paul Hardy. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s*. Prize and Library book.

12. THE ARABIAN NIGHTS. M. Dorothy Hardy. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s*. Prize and Library book.

13. THE STORY OF HIAWATHA. Alice B. Woodword. (G. Bell & Sons.) 9*d*. Prize and Library book.

14. PETER PAN FOR LITTLE FOLK. Daniel O'Connor. (G. Bell & Sons.) 9*d*. Prize and Library book.

15. THEN AND NOW STORIES, NO. 9, THREE CROSSES—ONE FLAG. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*d*. Library book.

16. WENDY'S FRIENDS. Edited by Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 10*d*. Prize and Library book.

17. THE HOME OF THE LOST BOYS. Edited by Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s* Prize and Library book (specially commended).

18. THE CHIMNEY CORNER. Edited by Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*. 3*d*. Prize and Library book (specially commended).

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21. KING'S TREASURIES. Edited by Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s*. Prize and Library book (specially commended).

22. THE "A. L." BRIGHT STORY READERS, NO. 122—INDIAN FAIRY STORIES. Retold by F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 2½*d*. Prize and Library book.

23. THE "A. L." BRIGHT STORY READERS. No. 142—SCOTT'S IVANHOE. Retold by J. B. Marshall. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 4*d*. Prize and Library book.

24. THE "A.L." BRIGHT STORY READERS, No. 144—SOME CELTIC STORIES. Newly told by J. B. Marshall. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 4*d*. Prize and Library book.

25. STORY OF ENGLISH INDUSTRY AND TRADE, H. L. Barrows. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*. 6*d*. Prize and Library book.

26. THREADS IN THE WEB OF LIFE. M. R. Tomson and T. A. Tomson. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

27. THE "A. L." BRIGHT STORY READERS, No. 112. Prepared by E. J. Crossfield. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 2*d*. Prize and Library book.

28. THE "A. L." BRIGHT STORY READERS. No. 124. Retold by F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 2½*d*. Prize and Library book.

29. HERE AND THERE STORIES, NO. 4—JUNIOR. BY LAND AND SEA. (Macmillan & Co.) 3*d*. Library book

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31. HERE AND THERE STORIES, No. 15, SENIOR—HERE AND THERE IN AUSTRALASIA. (Macmillan & Co.) 5*d*. Library book.

32. HOW AND WHY STORIES, No. 10—CURIOUS FACTS ABOUT ANIMALS. George Guest. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*d*.

33. HOW AND WHY STORIES, No. 15—INSECT LIFE. J. H. Fabre. (Macmillan & Co.) 3*d*. Prize and Library book, (specially commended).

34. NAGANATHAN AT SCHOOL. G. Barlow. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

35. THE "A. L." SCHOLAR'S ENGLISH DICTIONARY. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) As. 4. Prize book.

36. THE LITTLE PEOPLE IN FAR-OFF LANDS, No. F. 14—THE MOTHERLAND. F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 2*d*. Prize and Library book.

37. ENGLISH POETRY FOR YOUNG STUDENTS. W. T. Webb. (Macmillan & Co). 1*s*. net. Library book.

38. The "A. L." SERIES REAL STORIES. TWO HEROES, No. R. 33. F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 1*d*. Prize and Library book.

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43. CHILDREN OF OTHER TIMES, BOOK II. Edited by H. Hayens. (The Indian School Supply Depôt, for Collins' Clear Type Press.) 1*s*. Prize and Library book.

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137. BRAHMACHARYYA (ENGLISH EDN.) Ramesh Chandra Chakravarti. (India Book Co.) As. 6. Prize and Library book for Hindu children.

138. THE "EDUCARAMO" CONCISE ENGLISH DICTIONARY. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 6. Library book

139. TALKS TO TEACHERS IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS. A. M. C. Arnold' (Longmans, Green & Co.) Re. 1. Library book.

140. THE BOY WHO WOULD NOT LEARN. H Strang. (Oxford University Press.) 6*d*. Prize and Library book.

141. OUR KINGS AND QUEENS. Edited by T. Leman Hare. (Indian School Supply Depôt, Agents for T. C. & E. C. Jack). As. 12. Prize book.

142. THE CONCISE ANGLO-BENGALI DICTIONARY. Charu Chandra Guha. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) Rs. 2. Library book.

143. THE LOTUS BOOK OF ENGLISH VERSE. P. C. Wren. (K. and J. Cooper.) As. 10. Prize and Library book.

144. THE CHILDREN'S ENCYCLOPÆDIA IN 8 VOLUMES. (The Standard Literature Co., Ltd.) Rs. 60. Library book.

145. THE NEW SELF EDUCATOR IN 7 VOLUMES. (The Standard Literature Co., Ltd.) Rs. 75. Library book.

146. SAKUNTALA AND HER KEEPSAKE. Roby Datta. (Das Gupta & Co.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

147 POEMS, PICTURES AND SONGS. Roby Datta. (Das Gupta & Co.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

148. STORIES IN BLANK VERSE. Roby Datta. (Das Gupta & Co.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

149. A DICTIONARY, BENGALI, SANSKRIT AND ENGLISH. Kedarnath Vidyabenode. (M. N. Mitra.) Rs. 2. Library book.

150. ROBINSON CRUSOE. Daniel Defoe. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 9. Prize and Library book.

151. STORIES FROM GRIMM. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 9. Prize and Library book.

152. TALES FROM HENTY G. A. Henty. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

153. MARVELLOUS ESCAPES FROM PERIL Walter Wood. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

154. STORIES OF STARLAND. Mary Proctor. (Blackie & Son, Ltd., Agents for G. W. Bacon & Co.) Re. 1-4. Prize and Library book.

155. THE STAR OF INDIA POETRY BOOK. Tomlinson. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 12. Library book.

156. ON THE WRITING OF ENGLISH. G. Townsend Warner. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) Rs. 2-10. Library book.

157. GULLIVER'S TRAVELS. J. Swift, simplified by P. C. Wren. (Oxford University Press.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

158. FORT AMITY. Simplified by H. Malim. (Oxford University Press.) Re. 1. Prize and Library book.

159. INDIAN TALES. S. B. Banerjee. (Oxford University Press.) As. 6. Prize and Library book.

160. A LITTLE NORMAN MAID. H. Strang. (Oxford University Press.) 6*d*. Prize and Library book.

161. BRAVE MARGET. H. Strang. (Oxford University Press.) 6*d*. Prize and Library book.

162. CERDIC THE SAXON. H. Strang and L. L. Weedon. (Oxford University Press.) 6*d*. Prize and Library book.

163. OUR GREAT ADVENTURE. H. Strang. (Oxford University Press.) 6*d*. Prize and Library book.

164. THE STORY OF FRANCIS DRAKE. R. Ford. (Oxford University Press.) 6*d*. Prize and Library book.

165. CONCISE OXFORD DICTIONARY. (Oxford University Press.) 3*s*. 6*d*. Library book.

166. THE STORY OF LORD ROBERTS. A. O. Cooke. (Oxford University Press.) 6*d*. Prize book.

167. THE MODERN ANGLO-BENGALI DICTIONARY, VOL. I (A.-F). Charu Chandra Guha. (Bengal Library, Dacca.) Rs. 10 (complete). Library book.

168. BENGAL DACOITS AND TIGERS. Maharanee Sunity Devee. (Thacker Spink & Co.) Rs. 3. Prize and Library book.

Literature—Bengali.

1. UTTAR BHARAT VRAMAN O SAMUDRA DARSAN. Syama Kanta Ganguli. (The author.) Re. 1-8. Library book.

2. BELUNE PANCH SAPTAHA. Rajendra Lal Acharyya. (B. M. Datta.) Re. 1. Prize and Library book

3. ASHIDINE BHUPRADAKSHIN. Rajendra Lal Acharyya. (B. M. Datta.) Re. 1. Prize and Library book.

4. GHOOMER GALPA. Hemada Kanta Choudhury. (Durgadayal Choudhury.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

5. ARANYABASA. Abinas Chandra Das. (Sanskrit Press Depository.) Re. 1-4. Library book.

6. RACHANA SHIKSHA (MATRICULATION ESSAY IN BENGALI). Krishna Prasanna Paul and Panchanan Chattarji. (Nath, Nandy & Co.) As. 12. Library book.

7. STORIES FROM ILIAD. Nabakrishna Ghosh. (Anilendra Nath Sinha.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

8. STORIES FROM ODYSSEY. Nabakrishna Ghosh. (Anilendra Nath Sinha.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

9. RAMAYAN (GADYA O PADYA). Bepin Behari Mitra. (B. N. Sen). As. 8. Prize book.

10. SITAR BANABAS. Iswar Chandra Vidysagar, edited by Bagala Ranjan Das. (Hari Nath Banerjee.) As. 12. Library book.

11. HITABANI. Manindra Prasad Sarbadhikari. (Hari Das Datta.) As. 1. Library book.

12. ULYSSES Bimala Prasanna Sen. (The author.) Re. 1. Prize and Library book.

13. BHARAT CHITRA (REVISED.) Priyadarsan Halder. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

14. CHANAKYA NITI. Narayan Chandra Neogi. (Jatin Brothers.) As. 1-6. Library book.

15. MAHABHARAT. Hari Pada Ghosh. (Rabindra Mohun Ghosh.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

16. BIBIDHA PRABANDHA. Hem Chandra Sarkar. (The author.) As. 5. Prize and Library book.

17. RUDRA PRATAP. Govinda Nath Guha. (The author.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

18. ASOKA ANUSHASAN. Charu Chandra Basu and Lalit Mohan Kar. (Krishna Chaitanya Das.) Re. 1-8. Prize and Library book.

19. SREE CHAITANYA CHARIT. Achyuta Charan Chaudhuri. (The author.) As. 6. Prize and Library book.

20. BIDESHI POURANIKI. Hem Chandra Bakshi. (Hemendra Nath Datta.) As. 8. Prize book.

21. PURAN KATHA, PART I. Kali Prasanna Das Gupta. (Sahitya Prachar Samiti, Ltd.) As. 10. Prize and Library book.

22. SACHITRA SARAL CHANDI. Kali Prasanna Das Gupta and Dakshina Ranjan Mitra Majumdar. (Sahitya Prachar Samiti, Ltd.) As. 8 (As. 12 bound in cloth). Prize and Library book.

23. RAMAYANER KATHA. Kali Prasanna Das Gupta. (Sahitya Prachar Samiti, Ltd.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

24. RIP VAN WINKLE (BENGALI). Kumudini Kanta Ganguli. (Prafulla Kumar Chakravarti.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

25. BRAHMACHARYYA (BENGALI). Ramesh Chandra Chakravarti. (The author.) As. 8. Prize and Library book for Hindu children.

26. KESHAB JANANI—DEVI SARADA SUNDARIR ATMA KATHA. Edited by Jogendra Lal Khastagir. (Jogendra Lal Khastagir.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

27. MARKIN JATRA. Indubhusan De Majumdar. (Bejay Kumar Maitra, Sanyal & Co.) Re. 1. Prize and Library book.

28. RACHANA. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Sanskrit Press Depository.) As. 10. Prize and Library book.

29. LIFE OF MARY CARPENTER. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Sanskrit Press Depository.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

30. PAURANIKI KATHA AND ISLAM KAHINI. Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya. (Nogendra Kumar Roy, Dacca.) Rs. 2 (bound in cloth). Library book.

31. KRITTIBASA'S RAMAYANA. Edited by Ramananda Chatterjee. (Ramananda Chatterjee.) Re. 1-8. Prize and Library book.

32. SACHITRA ARABYOPANYAS, PART I. Ramananda Chatterjee. (Charu Chandra Banerjee.) Re. 1-8. Prize and Library book.

33. SACHITRA ARABYOPANYAS, PART II. Ramananda Chatterjee. (Abinas Chandra Sarkar.) Re. 1 Prize and Library book.

34. HINDUSTANI UPAKATHA. Edited by Ramananda Chatterjee. (Ramananda Chatterjee.) Re. 1. Prize book.

35. GAYA KAHINI. Atul Chandra Mukherjee. (Mathura Nath Sen, City Book Society, Calcutta.) Rs. 2-8. Library book.

36. KATIPAY PATRA. Sir Bijoy Chand Mahtab, Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan. (Gurudas Chatterjee.) Re. 1. Prize book.

37. JAPAN. Suresh Chandra Bandopadhyaya. (Chatterjee & Co., Calcutta.) Re. 1-8. Prize and Library book.

38. BRAHMASADHAN. Sitanath Tattvabhusan. (A. C. Sarkar.) Re. 1-8. Prize and Library book.

39. SARBBADHARMA O TAPASYA. Aswini Kumar Chatterjee. (The author.) Re. 1. Prize and Library book.

40. RAMESWAR DURGA. Amalananda Basu. (The author.) As. 8. Prize and Library book.

41. ARYYA RAMANI. Kshirode Chandra Chandra. (The author.) As. 6. Prize and Library book.

42. KHADYA. Rai Chuni Lal Basu Bahadur. (The author.) Re. 1. Library book.

43. SHARIR SWASTHYABIDHAN. Rai Chuni Lal Basu Bahadur. (Jyoti Prakas Basu.) Re. 1-8. Library book.

44. PUSHPANJALI. Pareshnath Mahalanabis. (The author.) As. 2. Prize and Library book.

45. BUDDHER JIBAN O BANI. Sarat Kumar Roy. (Priyanath Das Gupta, Indian Publishing House, Calcutta.) As 12. Prize and Library book.

46. BHARATIYA SADHAK. Sarat Kumar Roy. (Priyanath Das Gupta, Indian Publishing House, Calcutta.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

47. SIKH GURU O SIKH JATI. Sarat Kumar Roy. (Priyanath Das Gupta, Indian Publishing House, Calcutta.) Re. 1. Prize and Library book.

Sanskrit.

1. PANINI PARISISTA VYAKARAN. Devendra Kumar Banerjee. (The author.) As. 12. Library book.

2. VYAKARAN KOUMUDI, PART IV. Iswar Chandra Vidyasagar, edited by Bagalaranjan Das. (Behari Lal Ghosh.) Re. 1. Suitable for Teacher's Library.

3. HINTS ON SANSKRIT COMPOSITION AND TRANSLATION. Pandit Hari Charan Kabyabenode. (Indian Publishing House, Calcutta.) Library book.

4. VIDYASAGAR'S VYAKARAN KOUMUDI, PARTS I-IV. Edited by Hara Lal Banerjee. (Brojendra Mohan Datta.) Re. 1-4 (bound). Library book.

5. VIDYASAGAR'S VYAKARAN KOUMUDI, PARTS I-III. Edited by Hara Lal Banerjee. (Brojendra Mohan Datta.) As. 12. Library book.

6. VIDYASAGAR'S VYAKARAN KOUMUDI, PART IV. Edited by Hara Lal Banerjee. Brojendra Mohan Datta As. 8. Library book.

7. KRATABANG PURANAM. Narayan Chandra Saha. (The author.) Rs. 10. Library book (for Colleges).

Arabic, Persian and Urdu.

1. GANJINA-I-DANISH. Mirza Ali Akbar. (The author.) Library book.

2. FARSI-I-JADID, VOL. II. Aga S. Muhammad Ali. (The author.) Re. 1. Library book.

3. BAB-I-ILMN OR TAHSIL-I-FARSI. Syed Zulfiquer Hossain. (A. M Mehdhi.) As. 13. Library book.

4. THE ARABIC TEACHER, PART II (ANGLO-ARABIC GRAMMAR). Maulvi Abul Basher Muhammad Osman Ghani. (A. S. Ahmadur Rahman.) As. 12. Library book.

5. MUALLIM-UL-BANAT. Khwaja Fyaz Hossain. (The author.) A. 1. Prize book.

6. RAFIQ-I-NISWAN. Khwaja Fyaz Hossain. (The author.) As. 2. Prize book.

7. AZIZ-I-NISWAN. Khwaja Fyaz Hossain. (The author.) As. 3. Prize and Library book for girls.

8. ADIB-I-NISWAN. Khwaja Fyaz Hossain. (The author.) As. 4. Library book

9. SAD-AYAT-HIKMAT. Kazi Abdul Jabbar. A. 1. Library book for Madrasahs.

10. HALAT-I-HARMAIN SHARIFAIN (WITH THE MAPS OF HOLY PLACES IN ISLAM). H. M. Moinuddin. (The author.) Re. 1. Prize book for Muhammadan pupils in all schools.

Mathematics and Science—English.

1. MANUAL OF HYGIENE AND DOMESTIC ECONOMY. C. Banks. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-8. Library book.

2. WORKSHOP ARITHMETIC. Frank Castle. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.* Library book.

3. A FIRST COURSE IN PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY FOR RURAL SECONDARY SCHOOLS. W. Aldridge. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s.* 6*d.* Library book.

4. WONDERS OF PHYSICAL SCIENCE. E. E. Fournica. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

5. ACHIEVEMENTS OF CHEMICAL SCIENCE. J. C. Philip. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

6. PRACTICAL GEOMETRY FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS, PART I. R. D. Carve. (G. Bell & Sons.) As. 12. Library book.

7. A FIRST BOOK OF ARITHMETIC. S. Lister. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.* Library book.

8. HYGIENE AND DOMESTIC ECONOMY FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS. C. Banks. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6. Prize and Library book.

9. ELEMENTARY PHYSICAL SCIENCE, PARTS I AND II. C. H. Draper. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) 1*s.* Library book.

10. ELEMENTARY MECHANICS, PART III. C. H. Draper. (Blackie & Son. Ltd.) 1*s.* Library book.

11. HEAT, PART IV. C. H. Draper. (Blackie & Son. Ltd.) 1*s.* Library book.

12. SOUND AND LIGHT, PARTS V AND VI. C. H. Draper. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) 1*s.* Library book.

13. WORKED EXERCISES IN ELEMENTARY GEOMETRY. F. C. Gillespie. (Oxford University Press.) 3*s.* 6*d.* net. Library book.

14. POPULAR SCIENCE IN 7 VOLUMES (The Standard Literature Co., Ltd.) Rs. 70. Library book.

15. FIRST AID IN ACCIDENTS. U. Rama Rau. (G. A. Natesan & Co.) Re. 1. Prize and Library book.

16. LESSONS IN ELEMENTARY TROPICAL HYGIENE. Henry Strachan. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 12. Library book.

17. TOWN PLANNING IN ANCIENT DEKKAN. C. P. Ventakarama Ayyar. (The author.) Rs. 2. Library book.

18. ART DRAWING FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS. J. Y. Buchanan. (Macmillan & Co.) Rs. 1-8. Library book for the use of teachers.

Bengali.

1. GRAHA NAKSHATRA. Jagadanunda Roy. (Indian Press, Allahabad.) Re. 1-4. Prize and Library book.

2. MANASIK GANANA. Adinath Sen. (P. Sen & Brothers.) A. 1-6. Library book.

3. NUTAN SHUVANKARI. Adinath Sen. (P. Sen & Brothers.) As. 2. Library book.

4. JYOTISH DARPAN. Apurba Chandra Datta. (Bangiya Sahitya Parishad.) Re. 1-4. Prize and Library book.

History and Geography—English.

1. THE THREE SOUTHERN CONTINENTS. J. B. Reynolds. (Macmillan & Co., for A & C. Black, Ltd.) 1*s.* 4*d.* Prize and Library book.

2. EUROPE IN THE 19TH CENTURY. E. Nixon and H. R. Steel (G. Bell & Sons.) 2*s.* Prize and Library book.

3. THE PUPIL'S CLASS BOOK OF GEOGRAPHY—THE BRITISH DOMINIONS. E. J. S. Lay. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*d.* Library book.

4. HISTORY OF ENGLAND FOR BEGINNERS. A. B. Buckley. (Macmillan & Co.) 3*s.* Prize and Library book.

5. THE ATLAS GEOGRAPHIES, PART IV—COMMERCIAL GEOGRAPHY. T. Franklin and E. R. Shearmur. (Macmillan & Co., for W. A. K. Johnston, Ltd.) 3*s.* net. Specially commended for library.

6. BLACK'S TRAVEL PICTURES—EUROPE, SCOTLAND. Selected and edited by R. J. Finch (Macmillan & Co., for A. and C. Black, Ltd.), 10*d.* Prize and Library book.

7. GRAPHIC CHART OF ENGLISH HISTORY. G. H. Reed. (Macmillan & Co., for Cambridge University Press.) 2*s.* net. Prize and Library book.

8. A FIRST GEOGRAPHY OF THE BRITISH ISLES. W. M. Carey. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.* Library book.

9. THE ATLAS GEOGRAPHIES, PART III—ASIA. T. Franklin and E. D. Griffiths. (Macmillan & Co., for W. A. K. Johnston, Ltd.) 1*s.* 10*d.* net. Specially commended for library.

10. THE ATLAS GEOGRAPHIES PREPARATORY—THE WORLD AND ITS PEOPLE. T. Franklin and E. R. Shearmur. (Macmillan & Co., for W. A. K. Johnston, Ltd.) 7*d.* net. Specially commended for library.

11. THE OXFORD STUDENTS' HISTORY OF INDIA (REVISED AND ENLARGED). V. A. Smith. (Oxford University Press.) Re. 1-8. Library book.

12. THE THIRD PERIOD OF INDIAN HISTORY—MODERN INDIA. M. Prothero and Dr. S. C. Vidyabhusan. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12. Library book.

13. THE ATLAS GEOGRAPHIES, PREPARATORY—EARTH LORE. T. Franklin and E. R Shearmur. (Macmillan & Co., for W. A. K. Johnston, Ltd.) 7*d.* net. Library book (specially commended).

14. A REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE. David Frew. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) Library book.

15. A FIRST HISTORY OF INDIA. J. N. Fraser. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

16. A SHOOL HISTORY OF INDIA. P A. Wadia. (K. & J. Cooper.) Re. 1-6. Prize and Library book.

17. ASIA. J. B. Reynolds. (Macmillan & Co., for A. & C. Black, Ltd.) 1*s.* Library book.

18. A FIRST HISTORY OF ENGLAND. J. N. Fraser. (K. & J. Cooper.) Re. 1-2. Library book.

19. A HISTORY OF INDIAN SHIPPING AND MARITIME ACTIVITY FROM THE EARLIEST TIMES. Radha Kumud Mukherjee. (Longmans, Green & Co.) 7*s.* 6*d.* net. Library book

20. THE PEOPLE OF ENGLAND, I—THE PEOPLE IN THE MAKING. Stanley Leathes. (William Heinemann.) Prize and Library book.

21. THE PEOPLE OF ENGLAND, II—THE PEOPLE IN ADVENTURE. Stanley Leathes. (William Heinemann.) Prize and Library book.

22. THE FUNDAMENTAL UNITY OF INDIA. Radha Kumud Mukherjee. (Longmans, Green & Co.) 3*s.* 6*d.* net. Library book.

23. IN MANY LANDS, BOOK I. Samuel Gibson. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s.* Library book.

24. IN MANY LANDS, BOOK II. Samuel Gibson. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s.* Library book.

Bengali.

1. SAMASAMAYIK BHARAT, VOL. VIII. Jogindra Nath Samaddar. (Nalinaksha Ray.) Rs. 3. Prize and Library book.

2. BANGLAR ITIHAS, PART I. Rakhaldas Banerjee. (Bengal Medical Library, Calcutta.) Rs. 2-8. Prize and Library book.

3. JESSORE-KHULNAR ITIHAS. Satish Chandra Mitra. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) Rs. 3. Library book.

4. JAGATER SAVYATAR ITIHAS, SUCHANA (INTRODUCTION TO THE HISTORY OF CIVILIZATION OF THE WORLD.) Jagneswar Bandopadhyaya. (The author.) Rs. 2. Library book.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

No. 4K.—In continuation of the Director of Public Instruction's Notification No 1K., dated the 20th July 1916, the following supplementary list of text-books to be used in Government high schools for boys and girls in Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions during the year 1917 is published for general information :—

History (English) for pupils ...	Classes VII and VIII.	"A History of India for Junior Students," published by Messrs Longmans, Green & Co., or "History of India for Junior Classes," by E. Marsden.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 26th September 1916.*

List of Candidates who have passed the Half-yearly Examination in the Art of Teaching in the Rajshahi Division held in September 1916.

RAJSHAHI DISTRICT.

1. Babu Jagadish Chandra Chakraverty, Assistant Master, Natore H. E. School.
2. ,, Bepin Chandra Pramanik, Head Master, Kaligram M. E. School.
3. ,, Monmohan Maitra, Head Master, Gayeshpur M. E. School.

DINAJPUR DISTRICT.

4. Babu Haripado Chowdhury, Head Master, Hashimpur M. E. School.
5. Munshi Maniruddin Ahmed, Head Pandit, Hashimpur M. E. School.
6. Babu Rakhal Bandhu Neogi, 2nd Master, Dinajpur Municipal M. E. School.

JALPAIGURI DISTRICT.

7. Babu Jatindra Nath Singha, Head Master, Jalpaiguri M. E. School.
8. Maulvi Muhammed Hossain, Officiating Persian Teacher, Jalpaiguri Zilla School.
9. Babu Suresh Chandra Chakraverty, Officiating Assistant Master, Jalpaiguri Zilla School.

RANGPUR DISTRICT.

10. Babu Satyabrata Mazumdar, Assistant Teacher, Koilashranjan H. E. School.
11. ,, Surendra Nath Das Gupta, Assistant Teacher, Koilashranjan H. E. School.
12. ,, Sashthi Kanta Deb, Head Master, Mohimaganj M. E. School.
13. ,, Purna Chandra Bhattacherjee, Assistant Teacher, Kumarjani M. E. School.
14. Maulvi Maniruddin Ahmed, 3rd Pandit, Jaigir M. V. School.
15. Babu Baidya Nath Sircar, Teacher, Govindapur M. V. School.

BOGRA DISTRICT.

16. Babu Duryyadhan Shaha, Additional Teacher, Shariakandi M. E. School.

17. „ Prasanna Kumar Pramanik, Assistant Master, Santahar M. E. School.

18. „ Pramada Bhusan Bose, Assistant Head Master, M. E. School, Chandaikona.

19. „ Harilal Mukerjee, 3rd Master, Domdama M. E. School.

20. Maulvi Abdul Goffur Mandal, 2nd Pandit, Domdama M. E. School.

PABNA DISTRICT.

21. Babu Ganga Charan Das, Head Master, Bera M. E. School.

22. Maulvi Akkas Ali, Anglo-Persian Teacher, Shahzadpur H. E. School.

23. Pandit Abhilash Chandra Kabyatirtha, Head Pandit, Pabna Zilla School.

P. CHATTERJEE,

Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.

JALPAIGURI, *the 12th October 1916.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal State Railway, Dacca Section, in the district of Mymensingh, will be put up to sale, on 30th October 1916

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which land is situate	Situated on which side of the railway).	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Mymensingh.	Pargana Alapsing, mauza Darikustia.	97-98	Original main line and 1st diversion.	22 14 9	7·514	Nil ...	Nil ...	Commencing from 420 feet west of mile No. 97 towards west up to the river Brahmaputra	*West*—River Brahmaputra *North, South* and *East*—Mauza Darikustia.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Alapsing, mauzas Pandapara and Kawnia.	98-99	1st diversion ...	16 13 0	5·504	Nil ...	Nil ...	From 630 feet east of mile No. 99 towards south up to the river Brahmaputra	*North*—Mauza Kawnia *South*—River Brahmaputra *East* and *West*—Mauzas Kawnia and Panda para.
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	98-99	Original main line	13 2 6	4·336	Nil ...	Nil ...	From mile No. 99 towards east up to the river Brahmaputra.	*East*—River Brahmaputra *West*—Mile No. 98. *North* and *South*—Mauzas Kawnia and Jadabdi Pandapara
4	Ditto ...	Pargana Alapsing, mauza Kawnia.	99-100	Ditto ...	42 8 2	14·019	Nil ...	Nil ...	From mile No. 99 towards west up to 344 feet east of mile No. 100.	*East*—Mile No. 99. *North, South* and *West*—Mauza Kawnia.
				Total ..	94 18 1	31·373				

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 22nd August 1916.

S. KLINGENSTEIN, Additional Collector

INSOLVENT ESTATES (OLD ACTS).

HALF YEARLY STATEMENT MADE UP TO 31ST JANUARY 1915.

ESTATES.	WHOLE DISBURSEMENTS.			Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Transfers to unclaimed dividend account under Rule 175 of the P. T. I. Act of 1909.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
	Whole amount of receipts.	Dividends paid.	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Alexander & Co. ...	2,91,087 1 9	2,32,428 3 10	48,899 13 8	9,759 0 3	8,954 5 1	.....	804 11 2	Nothing further recoverable.
Adam, Scott & Co. ...	1,31,609 5 4	1,06,547 4 0	23,086 5 1	1,975 12 3	1,109 15 0	.....	865 13 3	Ditto.
Asiatic Marine Insurance Office ...	8,40,361 11 1	6,92,443 5 11	1,38,990 12 9	8,927 8 5	4,061 4 0	.....	4,866 4 5	Ditto.
Anstruthers & Co. ...	17,005 3 3	7,366 11 6	3,747 4 1	5,891 3 8	5,496 3 11	.....	394 15 9	Ditto.
Arrakiel, J. G ...	1,024 5 6	52 6 1	394 15 9	576 15 8	129 2 7	.....	447 13 1	Ditto.
Alexander Wallace & Co ...	24,142 11 7	16,356 2 7	6,404 3 1	1,382 5 11	545 4 8	.....	837 1 3	Ditto.
Anderson, George ...	1,806 12 6	.....	953 9 3	853 3 3	733 0 2	.....	120 3 1	Ditto.
Atkinson & Co., W. L. ...	17,234 12 9	5,630 9 6	8,863 2 11	2,741 0 4	2,058 0 4	.....	683 0 0	Ditto.
Adhur Chunder Shaw ...	19,013 9 11	8,134 4 9	8,242 15 4	2,636 5 10	1,207 3 3	.....	1,429 2 7	Ditto.
Andrews, J ...	2,037 0 5	950 10 0	348 5 8	738 0 9	142 11 3	.....	595 5 6	Ditto.
Anderson, G. (2nd) ...	4,963 9 4	2,787 14 2	1,560 1 9	615 9 5	264 8 2	.....	351 1 3	Ditto.
Albertini, Cæsar (F. Acerboni & Co.)	20,143 7 1	15,348 8 6	2,086 13 1	2,708 1 6	147 3 9	.....	2,560 13 9	Ditto.
Ayacoob Hadjee Abdool Rohomon	11,461 10 3	8,028 15 6	2,088 9 11	1,344 0 10	1,229 10 10	.....	114 6 0	Ditto.
Ashutosh Mookerjee ...	29,301 1 11	3,885 14 4	17,419 13 2	7,995 6 5	115 11 9	7,879 10 8	.....	Ditto.
Anund Mohun Dutt and another ...	3,739 2 3	530 1 6	2,540 9 5	668 7 9	668 7 9	.....	.....	Ditto
Adam Ahmed ...	7,545 1 7	5,330 4 5	1,296 2 3	918 10 11	918 10 11	.....	.....	Ditto
Abdool Gunny ...	19,111 4 0	12,597 6 7	5,151 6 7	1,362 6 10	1,341 4 8	.....	21 2 2	Ditto
Akhoy Kumar Chuckerbutty ...	2,501 3 9	.....	936 0 8	1,565 3 1	.....	1,565 3 1	.....	Ditto
Arthur, Allan (Ewing & Co.) ...	2,46,891 14 0	1,70,060 10 4	50,486 5 4	25,344 14 4	23,385 13 10	2,959 0 6	.....	Ditto.
Arthur, Allan (P. account) ...	588 14 10	.....	.....	588 14 10	258 10 0	330 4 10	.....	Ditto.
Adhur Chunder Hazra (Adhur Chunder Hazra and Sachinundun Haldar).	532 12 3	.....	30 0 0	502 12 3	.....	502 12 3	.....	Ditto.
Abdul Karim Omar ...	4,059 2 5	2,727 10 4	180 14 3	1,150 9 10	318 4 11	270 11 0	561 9 11	Ditto.
Akhoy Kumar Mookerjee ...	7,911 13 9	2,737 15 7	3,384 11 9	1,789 2 5	130 1 8	1,659 0 9	.....	Ditto.
Aghore Nath Chatterjee and others	1,747 9 2	501 6 5	94 13 9	1,151 5 0	1,133 4 7	.....	18 0 5	Ditto.
Adaito Churr Dhur and others ...	6,084 15 1	844 3 9	404 10 5	4,836 0 11	4,821 5 9	14 11 2	.....	Ditto.
Balfour & Co ...	5,61,316 3 6	3,04,469 3 4	2,55,181 14 1	1,665 2 1	713 10 2	.....	951 7 11	Ditto.
Boyd & Co. ...	30,673 14 3	10,773 10 4	13,425 1 11	6,475 2 0	1,953 3 11	.....	4,521 14 1	Ditto.
Brunet, Saliz and Latapie ...	15,235 0 0	8,047 9 5	5,625 0 5	1,562 6 2	1,445 10 8	.....	116 11 6	Ditto.
Bodry, John (1st) ...	1,705 7 1	79 1 11	547 6 0	1,078 15 2	582 1 8	.....	496 13 6	Ditto.
Bluett, James ...	873 0 0	40 0 11	222 14 2	610 0 11	610 0 11	.....	.....	Ditto.

Bagot, W. N. ...	4,149 4 9	49 3 7	3,498 4 2	601 13 0	392 4 5	......	209 8 7	Ditto.
Bodry, John (3rd) ...	4,425 4 6	1,112 3 5	2,384 6 10	928 10 3	642 13 0	......	285 13 3	Ditto.
Babu Lall Shaw and another ...	1,35,530 2 7	89,288 14 9	30,736 10 9	15,504 9 1	15,257 1 1	......	247 8 0	Ditto.
Buldeo Das (Chuttoorbhooj Buldeo Das).	3,802 3 1	1,661 0 3	991 0 10	1,150 2 0	1,150 2 0	......	......	Ditto.
Bhoremull Gandaka ...	16,319 3 6	11,211 1 1	3,226 1 6	1,882 0 11	1,752 4 0	......	129 12 11	Ditto.
Bungsheedhur Khettry and others (Nanoomull Khettry).	1,04,279 10 2	79,244 7 1	16,555 1 2	8,480 1 11	7,998 10 3	......	481 7 8	Ditto.
Belletty, M. ...	6,180 0 0	1,024 13 10	116 13 10	538 4 4	370 9 10	......	167 10 6	Ditto.
Bhoobun Mohun Banerjee and another.	1,58,927 12 8	36,824 1 11	1,16,279 15 3	5,823 11 6	5,823 11 6	......	......	Ditto.
Bhola Nath Das ...	3,100 0 0	29 11 2	2,449 11 7	620 9 3	524 5 11	......	96 3 4	Ditto.
Baker, F. W. (separate account) ...	2,337 15 3	1,010 14 10	123 9 0	1,203 7 5	1,157 14 6	......	45 8 11	Ditto.
Bheekum Chand Batty ...	1,452 6 4	857 10 8	74 6 5	520 5 3	286 10 5	......	233 10 10	Ditto.
Bungsheedhur Singhania (Kriparam Sookdoyal).	2,849 2 6	448 14 11	1,661 8 10	738 10 9	645 8 11	......	93 1 10	Ditto
Bhujendro Bhusan Chatterjee ...	3,580 10 3	893 4 8	629 15 10	2,057 5 9	725 5 5	......	1,332 0 4	Ditto.
Beer Nursing Dutt ...	92,826 10 5	8,548 3 7	79,427 13 6	4,850 9 4	1,960 3 8	......	2,890 5 8	Ditto.
Bhubun Mohun Das ...	1,698 0 0	491 8 1	71 2 9	1,135 5 2	669 7 7	......	465 13 7	Ditto.
Bucktwar Chand and Balkissen ...	46,979 12 3	34,407 7 8	11,441 4 0	1,131 0 7	1,069 10 1	......	67 6 6	Ditto.
Brij Mohun Dobey ...	35,599 1 11	2,844 11 2	25,023 8 1	7,730 14 8	5,062 1 7	2,668 13 1	......	Ditto.
Briggs, W. M. ...	1,360 13 0	312 7 2	37 1 11	1,011 3 11	167 7 10	......	843 12 1	Ditto.
Barrow, C. F. ...	6,794 3 8	3,307 7 0	293 10 0	3,193 2 8	2,040 2 2	......	1,153 0 6	Ditto
Beer Chand Coonduo and another ...	2,201 8 3	642 5 2	968 9 6	590 9 7	590 9 7	......	......	Ditto.
Bal Chand Neem Chand ...	3,894 9 0	507 4 4	2,209 3 9	1,178 1 11	1,178 1 11	......	......	Ditto.
Bissessur Lall Gowen Lal (Radha Kissen Kotary)	8,648 8 3	3,591 13 3	4,415 9 2	641 1 10	547 8 1	......	93 9 9	Ditto.
Bal Chand Khosal Chand and others	8,653 7 11	3,581 4 9	2,853 2 6	2,219 0 8	1,777 14 5	......	441 2 3	Ditto.
Baroda Kanto Pramanick ...	8,699 10 0	6,015 5 10	2,089 4 9	594 15 5	594 15 5	......	......	Ditto.
Brojo Gopal Chatterjee ...	1,029 2 0	......	125 0 6	904 1 6	......	904 1 6	......	Ditto
Bhimraj Sakhtiya and another (Sobharam Bhimraj).	27,052 1 10	19,687 7 6	6,186 15 1	1,177 11 3	1,095 2 4	......	82 8 11	Ditto.
Bhairodan Jawar and another ...	8,551 4 6	5,246 9 1	781 7 5	2,523 4 0	1,714 12 6	808 7 6	......	Ditto.
Babu Lall and others (Hurnund Roy Babu Lall).	57,722 12 6	25,620 12 6	5,138 3 11	26,963 12 1	11,063 12 0	15,900 0 1	......	Ditto.
Bhugwan Das and others ...	4,089 5 9	1,302 13 6	330 1 4	2,456 6 11	1,907 15 5	548 7 6	......	Ditto.
Bissessur Lall ...	530 1 9	......	10 4 0	519 13 9	......	519 13 9	......	Ditto.
Basanta Lall ...	730 0 0	......	......	730 0 0	......	730 0 0	......	Ditto.
Bal Chand Soorana ...	1,575 0 0	664 15 10	177 6 2	732 10 0	732 10 0	......	......	Ditto.
Colvin & Co. ...	1,84,427 8 8	1,36,470 10 10	31,256 10 8	16,660 3 2	8,755 3 0	......	7,905 0 2	Ditto.
Cruttenden, Mackillap & Co. ...	99,959 11 1	72,895 6 5	20,263 11 4	6,800 9 4	5,080 1 9	......	1,720 7 7	Ditto.
Cannyram Chooner Lall ...	9,623 9 3	5,676 2 8	2,212 5 4	1,735 1 3	1,523 9 7	......	211 7 8	Ditto.
Cany Lall Bural and another ..	21,208 5 11	17,472 10 1	2,990 11 5	745 0 5	632 14 3	......	112 2 2	Ditto.
Crompton, G. F. ...	5,413 5 1	2,747 14 5	2,124 12 6	540 10 7	487 13 3	......	52 13 4	Ditto.
Charles Nephew & Co. ...	5,15,390 11 10	4,05,052 2 6	98,146 12 8	12,191 12 8	10,246 11 8	......	1,945 1 0	Ditto
Castello, M. G. ...	3,201 7 9	2,227 5 6	264 10 2	709 8 1	372 14 3	......	336 9 10	Ditto.
Carr, Robert ...	11,349 3 8	9,779 11 7	966 1 8	603 6 5	603 6 5	......	......	Ditto.
Cantopher, Robert ...	907 10 6	196 15 8	167 15 9	542 11 1	542 11 1	......	......	Ditto.

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Child, W. C. ...	22,090 10 0	16,599 6 0	4,704 11 10	786 8 2	691 4 8	.....	95 3 6	Nothing further recoverable.
Cole, George (Perry & Co.) ...	3,018 10 4	1,310 12 1	937 1 11	770 12 4	770 12 4	.....	.....	Ditto.
Colville, Gilmore & Co ...	1,77,543 10 8	14,326 12 10	88,649 4 6	74,567 9 2	65,716 2 11	.....	8,851 6 3	Ditto.
Chota Lall Sew Prosad ...	44,733 11 0	19,348 5 2	19,610 14 0	5,774 7 0	5,632 1 11	.....	142 5 1	Ditto.
Conti, G. A. ...	3,567 10 8	849 7 7	1,092 4 4	1,625 14 9	383 3 11	.....	1,242 10 10	Ditto.
Cohen, S. E., and E. E Cohen ...	1,806 3 0	280 1 10	1,012 9 4	513 7 10	317 12 5	.....	195 11 5	Ditto.
Chunder Kanto Shaw ...	43,972 1 6	6,315 7 7	36,831 6 6	825 3 5	825 3 5	.....	.....	Ditto.
Coleman, C. ...	1,716 8 0	986 7 5	119 3 2	610 13 5	610 13 5	.....	.....	Ditto.
Coverjee Bomanjee ...	985 6 6	157 11 7	59 6 8	768 4 3	690 2 6	.....	78 1 9	Ditto.
Cohen, J. A. (2nd) ...	2,303 6 7	.....	1,374 11 7	1,228 11 0	1,160 3 1	.....	68 7 11	Ditto.
Chogemull Chotay Lall ...	3,237 12 6	693 14 0	1,493 3 4	1,050 11 2	241 11 6	.....	808 15 8	Ditto.
Chandmull Jorwarmull ...	9,658 11 6	6,355 3 4	2,699 14 2	603 10 0	421 15 10	.....	181 10 2	Ditto.
Choonee Lall Baid and another (Chogemull Maloom Chand).	6,620 14 3	1,307 9 6	1,736 2 0	577 2 9	324 2 1	.....	253 0 8	Ditto.
Clark, A. M. (J. H. Fergusson & Co.)	23,198 8 2	12,913 0 9	7,606 9 11	2,678 13 6	1,482 12 5	.....	1,196 1 1	Ditto.
Cowie, David, and another (Colvin, Cowie & Co.).	1,63,753 2 9	91,447 1 7	64,423 11 4	7,882 5 10	6,904 4 0	978 1 10	.....	Ditto.
Chooney Lall Doodhooria and another (Luchiram and Thanmull).	1,990 12 3	807 0 0	149 10 9	1,034 1 6	704 14 0	.....	329 3 6	Ditto.
Cohen, A. A ...	1,732 2 0	.....	.....	1,732 2 0	.....	1,732 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Chooney Lall Oswal and others (Chooney Lall Bhimraj).	16,341 4 4	10,467 4 7	3,786 11 4	2,087 4 5	1,341 1 9	.....	746 2 8	Ditto.
Charu Chunder Bose ...	1,603 7 0	146 3 1	662 15 11	794 4 0	794 4 0	.....	.....	Ditto.
Cotton, W G L ...	1,769 1 5	1,089 3 10	119 12 10	560 0 9	560 0 9	.....	.....	Ditto.
Cohen, E. A. ...	32,286 1 3	.....	20,190 0 0	12,096 1 3	.....	12,096 1 3	.....	Ditto.
Cobbold, H R. (Mitchell, Bardsley & Co.).	51,462 3 11	27,418 1 1	7,438 2 4	16,606 0 6	13,889 8 6	2,716 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Cameron, C. A. ...	2,400 0 0	1,577 5 8	139 1 11	683 8 5	680 1 3	.....	3 7 2	Ditto.
Chiranjee Lall and others (Ram Narain Chattoorbhooj)	5,842 8 8	1,029 12 6	1,537 11 3	3,275 0 11	1,080 4 7	2,194 12 4	.....	Ditto.
Chooni Lall and others (Panna Chand and Choom Lall).	1,64,167 10 10	74,374 13 5	73,927 1 6 14,796 13 4 P of G. P. N.—	15,865 11 11	24,148 10 7 G. P. N.— 15,000 0 0 G. P. I.— 1,530 2 0	Dr. Balance— 8,282 14 8	.....	Ditto.
C. R. Das ...	67,840 0 0	51,265 9 5	13 12 0	16,560 10 7	16,474 4 7	.....	86 6 0	Ditto.
Chaitram Mehra ...	2,165 2 0	593 4 0	880 2 3	691 11 9	675 6 10	.....	16 4 11	Ditto.

Dove, J. M.	...	12,991	0	0	10,202	12	8	2,214	0	8	574	2	8	316	11	4	.....		257	7	4	Ditto.
DeSilva, John Emanuel	...	15,089	13	2	11,131	11	5	1,023	11	3	2,934	6	6	2,909	8	8	.....		24	13	10	Ditto.
Dickson, William	...	1,843	0	2	1,039	2	3	297	0	3	506	13	8	506	13	8	.....		.....			Ditto.
Dorrett Brothers	...	2,164	9	6	34	7	9	1,470	1	6	660	0	5	660	0	5	.....		.....			Ditto.
Duff, David	...	2,137	12	9	1,041	8	5	489	15	9	606	4	7	483	9	4	.....		122	11	3	Ditto.
Dwarka Nath Mitter	...	5,938	12	0	731	10	10	4,641	13	5	565	3	9	447	8	9	.....		117	11	0	Ditto.
Deno Nath Dey	...	12,218	11	11	7,804	8	7	2,315	6	4	2,098	13	0	1,631	1	4	.....		467	11	8	Ditto.
Damodar Das	...	4,018	15	9	1,715	1	4	999	14	6	1,303	15	11	1,160	13	4	.....		143	2	7	Ditto.
DeBruner, Julius	...	65,912	4	7	58,106	7	4	7,188	1	7	617	11	8	326	13	7	.....		290	14	1	Ditto.
Dawood Khan Esabhoy	...	1,797	8	9	31	11	4	1,238	4	7	527	8	10	190	5	0	.....		337	3	10	Ditto.
Deb Narain Bysack and another	...	5,691	14	6	3,385	4	9	1,447	4	7	859	5	2	859	5	2	.....		.....			Ditto.
Dwarka Nath Daw and another	...	7,866	9	6	4,764	8	9	1,980	12	10	1,121	3	11	876	9	3	.....		244	10	8	Ditto.
DeSanto, R. J.	...	2,050	7	2	795	0	0	649	1	5	606	5	9	3	11	8	.....		602	10	1	Ditto.
Dharam Chand (Golab Chand Dharam Chand).		22,408	9	8	18,677	5	5	3,270	7	6	460	12	9	419	12	3	.....		41	0	6	Ditto.
Dhattry Coomar Shaw	...	8,307	9	7	5,844	6	6	1,848	15	6	614	3	7	614	3	7	.....		.....			Ditto.
Durrant, W. E.	...	3,903	3	9	1,010	13	0	1,307	14	11	1,584	7	10	1,584	7	10	.....		.....			Ditto.
Debendra Nath Chunder and another (C. D. Mangos & Co.).		8,988	8	2	6,035	15	2	2,169	6	7	783	2	5	749	4	4	.....		33	14	1	Ditto.
Dykes & Co., J. A.	...	11,227	8	1	4,349	5	2	5,866	9	2	1,011	9	9	312	12	7	698	13	2	.....		Ditto.
Deb Chand Banganee (Jesraj Sobhagmull).		10,243	0	9	6,217	10	1	1,835	0	10	2,190	5	10	320	7	2	1,869	14	8	.....		Ditto.
Durga Dutt Bajoria (Assaram Bajoria).		59,478	8	3	47,081	10	8	8,882	13	8	3,510	15	11	2,957	2	7	553	13	4	.....		Ditto.
Das Brothers (Sumbhoo Nath Das)		20,328	4	1	11,967	1	1	2,926	2	1	5,435	0	11	4,617	15	11	817	1	0	.....		Ditto.
Durlav Chunder Coondoo	...	27,148	1	9	10,644	11	11	13,660	14	6	2,842	7	4	3,039	8	1	Dr. Balance— 197		0	9	.....	Ditto.
Eagleton, F. A.	...	3,653	3	6	72	11	2	2,841	4	4	739	4	0	446	0	1	.....		293	3	11	Ditto.
Espino, Manuel Del	...	3,800	1	3	1,667	15	11	1,298	6	11	833	10	5	687	8	7	.....		146	1	10	Ditto.
Emmett, C. H., and J. H. Chambers (Emmett and Chambers).		23,491	8	3	8,799	11	3	13,109	13	1	1,581	15	11	1,581	15	11	.....		.....			Ditto.
Ferguson & Co.	...	1,96,005	7	4	1,48,653	6	2	33,097	7	10	14,254	9	4	11,828	3	11	.....		2,426	5	5	Ditto.
Ferguson Brothers	...	1,47,924	5	4	68,087	12	4	75,113	15	2	4,172	9	10	3,761	0	8	.....		411	9	2	Ditto.
Ferris, G. R.	...	2,650	0	0	67	7	6	813	2	3	1,769	6	3	1,292	1	6	.....		477	4	9	Ditto.
Fanshaw, R. F.	...	876	0	10	176	8	6	96	15	1	602	9	3	425	4	7	.....		177	4	8	Ditto.
Fornaro, C. (Fornaro and Hunt)	...	27,288	4	3	17,381	1	4	9,001	15	7	905	3	4	453	12	4	.....		451	7	0	Ditto.
Forbes, H. T.	...	3,000	0	0	497	8	0	1,248	15	7	1,253	8	5	21	8	0	.....		1,232	0	5	Ditto.
Floyd, E. M.	...	614	0	9	27	8	0	50	10	11	535	13	10	535	13	10	.....		.....			Ditto.
Fool Chand Rajgarhya (Bhagiruth Das Fool Chand).		18,321	1	1	12,126	8	7	1,787	8	2	4,407	0	4	4,220	15	3	.....		186	1	1	Ditto.
Gordon, Stuart & Co.	...	78,183	10	4	39,924	6	8	35,568	12	4	2,690	7	4	2,632	0	10	.....		58	6	6	Ditto.
Goberdhone Mullick	...	2,880	14	9	1,371	10	5	963	12	4	545	8	0	473	12	3	.....		71	11	9	Ditto.
Gubbay, A. J.	...	90055	7	0	6,088	9	2	2,075	4	0	891	9	10	215	5	11	.....		676	3	11	Ditto.
Golam Hossain Virjee	...	1,26,756	14	4	40,928	6	8	85,314	2	4	514	5	4	318	1	0	.....		196	4	4	Ditto.
Ghaseeram	...	38,350	5	10	10,535	5	6	25,967	15	3	1,847	1	1	1,231	11	2	.....		615	5	11	Ditto.
Ghose, R. G., & Co.	...	29,911	1	2	21,218	2	4	7,954	3	8	738	11	2	536	2	0	.....		202	9	2	Ditto.

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		Dividends paid	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Gregory, M. ...	17,186 2 5	12,174 13 6	4,154 14 4	856 6 7	717 5 5	.....	139 1 2	Nothing further recoverable.
Gasper, N M. ...	7,010 0 9	4,872 0 8	607 12 0	1,480 4 1	1,188 9 1	.....	291 11 0	Ditto.
Gubbay, E. S. ...	53,783 3 0	17,176 15 8	36,070 3 1	536 0 3	432 14 9	.....	103 1 6	Ditto.
Greedhary Lall Kannya Lall ...	26,621 12 4	19,836 1 4	3,418 3 4	3,367 7 8	3,367 7 8	.....	.....	Ditto.
Gopal Chunder Bose ...	3,891 0 0	2,267 1 4	876 10 0	747 4 8	535 8 6	.....	211 12 2	Ditto.
Gobin Chand Doogur (Nunsee Inder Chand).	1,07,816 2 7	59,601 10 5	41,217 9 11	6,996 14 3	6,996 14 3	.....	.....	Ditto.
Gray, Walter, and another (Robert and Charrial).	3,14,768 4 0	2,09,594 14 1	48,148 3 10	63,025 2 1	54,570 0 10	.....	8,455 1 3	Ditto.
Grish Chunder Marrick and others (Grish Chunder and Bhooth Nath Ghose).	13,956 0 5	5,860 13 8	5,534 9 8	2,560 9 1	2,541 10 0	.....	18 15 1	Ditto.
Gopal Chunder Rage ...	2,834 15 3	1,516 0 3	813 12 3	505 2 9	505 2 9	.....	.....	Ditto.
Greedhary Lall Sadkhan and Kally Churn Sadkhan.	6,246 6 0	400 9 6	4,991 13 2	853 15 4	374 1 3	.....	479 14 1	Ditto.
Gosto Behary Seal ...	34,539 14 3	13,983 14 10	19,941 2 7	614 12 10	500 4 11	.....	114 7 11	Ditto.
Gobind Das and another (Goberdhone Das Ram Gopal).	2,152 8 8	361 14 9	1,270 14 1	519 11 10	273 7 0	.....	246 4 10	Ditto.
Golab Rai and another (Kali Shai Golab Rai).	13,975 10 11	9,064 12 4	3,102 8 0	1,808 6 7	1,611 14 1	.....	196 8 6	Ditto.
Gouree Datt and Moorally Dhur ...	3,617 6 9	.....	1,995 8 6	1,621 14 3	.....	1,621 14 3	.....	Ditto.
Gobindram and another ...	7,414 13 3	4,859 5 9	1,957 10 11	597 12 7	597 12 7	.....	.....	Ditto.
Ghanesham Das Chandgotia and others (Juggernath Sirdarmull).	25,064 12 5	18,599 13 1	4,254 5 7	2,210 9 9	2,029 10 5	180 15 4	.....	Ditto.
Gungaram Domany ...	2,210 1 3	283 1 2	1,256 5 8	670 10 5	225 11 1	444 15 4	.....	Ditto.
Gobind Das Domany (Gobind Das Pryag Das).	14,410 1 2	1,461 4 3	12,383 12 4	565 0 7	88 12 9	.....	476 3 10	Ditto.
Griffiths, O. B. (W. Moran & Co.)	7,95,754 8 7	4,29,718 11 6	3,58,828 13 11	7,206 15 2	6,970 6 1	.....	236 9 1	Ditto.
Girindro Nath Das ...	17,117 1 8	3,667 13 6	12,545 1 10	904 2 4	796 11 3	.....	107 7 1	Ditto.
Goordial (Hardeo Das Goordial) ...	37,298 14 11	24,732 5 5	8,578 14 0	3,987 11 6	3,817 10 5	.....	170 1 1	Ditto.
Georgiadi, (2nd) G. A. ...	3,380 9 7	2,176 10 7	170 7 11	1,033 7 1	970 11 9	.....	62 11 4	Ditto.
Georgocopulo, J. G. (F. Melachrino & Co.).	7,528 12 11	5,692 7 3	665 9 5	1,170 12 3	404 7 9	766 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Ganesh Prosad Kali Prosad (Mohabir Prosad Ganesh Prosad).	19,957 7 6	6,462 11 0	8,457 2 11	3,037 9 7	2,216 13 6	820 12 1	.....	Ditto.
Ganga Prosad and another (Kalika Prosad Ganga Prosad).	11,173 1 7	4,334 4 10	1,739 3 11	5,099 8 10	1,704 4 4	3,395 4 6	.....	Ditto.

Gopee Chand Das and another ...	5,160	2	2	2,737	4	1	475	11	3	1,947	2	10	1,498	12	0	448	6	10	.....			Ditto.
Ganesh Prosad Khettry ...	17,686	9	8	11,341	13	8	2,768	10	1	3,576	1	11	2,549	13	4	1,026	4	7	.....			Ditto.
Green, W. B. ...	1,397	3	0	.....			.....			1,397	3	0	.....			1,397	3	0	.....			Ditto.
Gunga Charn Saha and others ...	4,730	5	3	961	3	7	1,311	1	6	2,458	0	2	2,412	14	9	.....			45	1	5	Ditto.
Hoffman & Co. ...	25,170	12	5	6,933	13	3	17,650	8	0	586	7	2	356	3	4	.....			230	3	10	Ditto.
Heera Lall Mumna Lall ...	19,704	0	3	8,519	10	5	7,122	11	3	4,061	10	7	4,061	10	7	.....			.....			Ditto.
Hughesdon Brothers ...	2,44,226	5	7	39,290	4	8	2,04,268	13	9	687	3	2	542	5	9	.....			144	13	5	Ditto
Hoppe, William ...	1,346	8	6	2	0	0	672	1	1	672	7	5	613	3	1	.....			59	4	4	Ditto
Huffnagle & Co., Charles ...	1,320	4	7	74	9	3	342	4	1	903	7	3	821	11	2	.....			81	12	1	Ditto.
Hudson, Nathaniel ...	2,225	11	3	655	5	6	461	2	6	1,109	3	8	936	15	2	.....			172	4	6	Ditto.
Holloway, William ...	1,055	11	11	76	8	8	324	8	7	654	10	8	614	10	6	.....			40	0	2	Ditto.
Haulon, E. ...	2,069	9	0	152	2	2	1,191	9	4	725	13	6	725	13	6	.....			.....			Ditto.
Howard Brothers ...	10,421	9	10	6,168	12	7	3,394	13	6	857	15	9	630	5	0	.....			227	10	9	Ditto.
Hill, James (Barham, Hill & Co.)	32,114	9	9	17,374	4	0	10,861	5	8	3,879	0	1	3,489	8	4	.....			389	7	9	Ditto.
Hurry Narain Khettry ...	10,178	5	9	4,533	5	3	3,808	13	1	1,836	3	5	1,771	8	6	.....			64	10	11	Ditto.
Huckting & Co., B. H. ...	4,872	5	3	2,018	15	3	1,846	12	9	1,006	9	3	939	13	7	.....			66	11	8	Ditto.
Hutchison & Co., J. H. (L. W. Toolmin & Co.).	4,326	0	3	2,036	15	8	507	9	0	1,781	7	7	1,442	7	11	.....			388	15	8	Ditto.
Heera Lall Doodhooria ...	2,965	14	3	1,498	4	4	357	4	10	1,110	5	1	395	1	10	715	3	3	.....			Ditto.
Heera Nund (Buddermuff Heera Nund).	1,212	15	3	607	15	1	88	2	1	516	14	1	442	3	11	.....			74	10	2	Ditto.
Hubbard, C. E. ...	4,154	2	8	2,265	9	3	698	0	2	1,190	9	3	1,190	9	3	.....			.....			Ditto.
Hurro Nath Mozoomdar and others	7,700	0	0	3,516	2	0	2,306	7	5	1,877	6	7	1,877	6	7	.....			.....			Ditto.
Hurruck Chand Johoorymull (Kanuoy Lall Hurruck Chand).	12,571	6	0	11,277	7	0	753	15	4	639	15	0	162	4	4	.....			477	11	4	Ditto.
Hadjee Noor Mahomed Jackeria ...	1,70,006	13	10	1,10,195	10	4	51,196	8	8	8,614	10	10	3,292	13	3	5,321	13	7	.....			Ditto.
Heins, G. W. (C. Gould & Co.) ...	12,502	2	11	8,061	15	0	3,726	2	0	714	1	11	579	14	4	.....			134	3	7	Ditto.
Heera Lall Auddy ...	12,217	5	10	7,231	6	7	1,156	5	2	3,829	10	1	3,684	12	10	.....			144	13	3	Ditto.
Hurro Nath Shaw ...	20,937	0	9	14,593	8	11	5,819	5	7	524	2	3	524	2	3	.....			.....			Ditto.
Hogg, Thomas (Beak & Co.) ...	1,282	8	6	.....			56	12	0	1,275	12	6	.....			1,275	12	6	.....			Ditto.
Hadjee Sallay Mahomed Ellias ...	2,341	4	1	1,534	10	11	128	12	3	677	12	11	515	12	4	.....			162	0	7	Ditto.
Hadjee Hidiatoollah and others ...	1,25,835	9	8	1,02,214	5	8	17,809	4	8	5,811	15	4	5,769	11	1	.....			42	4	3	Ditto.
Hazareemull ...	1,811	1	6	758	10	2	160	6	6	892	0	10	892	0	10	.....			.....			Ditto.
Heera Lall Hari Har Prosad (Moti Ram Heera Lall).	12,649	11	0	6,599	4	2	3,487	6	4	2,563	0	6	1,648	2	0	914	14	6	.....			Ditto.
Hurruck Chand and others (Hurruck Chand Tumsook Das).	8,297	5	3	3,185	2	10	1,151	3	0	960	15	5	161	14	4	799	1	1	.....			Ditto.
Hafiz Enamullah ...	928	1	6	.....			98	8	0	829	9	6	.....			829	9	6	.....			Ditto.
Hurdhone Das and another ...	1,876	4	0	131	12	5	1,087	0	7	657	7	0	651	2	4	.....			6	4	8	Ditto.
Hadjee Abdool Rohoman and Hadjee Ahmed Patel.	77,375	5	10	54,158	11	1	7,628	6	2	15,588	4	7	14,126	10	0	1,461	10	7	.....			Ditto.
Hurry Bux and another (Ram Gopal Hurnarain).	18,366	2	9	13,159	6	9	4,026	3	4	1,170	8	8	257	14	11	912	9	9	.....			Ditto.
Hurry Lall and another (Hari Lall Gulzari Lall).	2,588	8	9	1,381	8	2	498	5	5	708	11	2	695	6	0	.....			18	5	2	Ditto.
Hem Chunder Bose ...	10,155	8	0	8,052	1	9	1,788	13	8	314	8	7	204	9	7	.....			109	15	0	Ditto.
Hatem Ali Khan ...	842	9	0	.....			71	6	0	771	3	0	.....			771	3	0	.....			Ditto.

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Issur Chunder Mill ...	8,546 1 6	506 12 3	6,175 1 7	1,864 3 8	1,864 3 8	.....	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Issur Das Juggernath ...	75,099 2 6	63,866 5 4	11,248 1 0	884 12 2	880 7 8	.....	4 4 6	Ditto.
Issory Prosad and others ...	664 7 0	.....	7 10 6	656 12 6	.....	656 12 6	.....	Ditto.
Jansen & Co. ...	20,002 10 9	139 11 5	15,872 5 0	3,990 10 4	3,766 5 1	.....	224 5 3	Ditto.
Jeebun Kumaree Bibee (Jesroop Meher Chand).	1,46,826 1 5	1,13,661 8 1	29,902 2 1	3,322 7 3	3,249 9 3	.....	72 14 0	Ditto.
Juggessur Laha ...	34,388 4 1	16,701 4 2	16,519 2 4	2,167 13 7	1,851 6 1	.....	316 7 6	Ditto.
Jadub Chunder Seal ...	2,094 6 7	374 1 10	907 2 9	813 2 0	580 12 8	.....	232 5 4	Ditto.
Jordon, J. S. ...	5,376 8 0	3,582 9 6	984 15 5	808 15 1	545 0 7	.....	263 14 6	Ditto.
Jacob, Charles ...	933 8 0	.....	415 13 4	517 10 8	454 6 7	.....	63 4 1	Ditto.
Judah, S. E. ...	2,186 15 0	.....	1,450 4 7	736 10 5	643 2 11	.....	93 7 6	Ditto.
Johur Lall Mookeem ...	1,656 0 0	648 15 0	262 4 7	744 12 5	373 13 9	.....	370 14 8	Ditto.
Joakim, M. C. ...	7,754 15 3	4,223 8 11	2,422 12 5	1,108 9 11	838 9 7	.....	270 0 4	Ditto.
Jogendro Nath Kowar ...	5,958 0 0	1,445 5 8	3,577 14 3	934 12 1	752 10 4	.....	182 1 9	Ditto.
Jougul Kissore Sew Lall and Futteh Chand.	9,544 8 6	5,950 3 1	2,262 11 9	1,331 9 8	1,051 7 2	.....	280 2 6	Ditto.
Jarewasmull Begamy and another	918 15 6	.....	71 8 0	847 7 6	.....	847 7 6	.....	Ditto.
Johurry Lall Paul and another ...	88,066 15 8	50,274 2 4	33,572 5 7	4,220 7 9	3,530 10 5	689 13 4	.....	Ditto.
Jaitroop and Choonee Lall ...	8,292 7 2	5,566 5 4	2,081 8 11	644 8 11	644 8 11	.....	.....	Ditto.
Juggernath and others (Guzanund Luchmisarain Juggernath Chotay Lall).	18,268 0 9	11,629 4 9	2,329 3 8	4,309 8 4	2,135 0 1	2,174 8 3	.....	Ditto.
Jogendro Sri Ghosha ...	940 3 0	.....	.....	940 3 0	.....	940 3 0	.....	Ditto.
Johurmull Mohun Lall ...	3,782 2 3	723 15 0	2,000 3 2	1,058 0 1	506 12 6	551 3 7	.....	Ditto.
Jadub Chunder Sikdar ...	17,715 0 0	11,402 6 2	4,371 3 3	1,941 6 7	1,907 15 2	.....	33 7 5	Ditto.
Jotindro Narain Dey and others ...	10,135 7 9	.....	5,867 9 3	4,267 14 6	.....	4,267 14 6	.....	Ditto.
Joy Gopal Pal, 1st Insolvency ...	650 0 0	.....	.....	650 0 0	.....	650 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Khan Mahomed Dhurrumsee ...	55,247 9 1	33,008 1 8	11,149 7 7	11,089 15 10	1,312 7 6	.....	9,777 8 4	Ditto.
Kally Das Das and others ...	73,719 13 5	22,069 12 6	46,591 2 0	5,058 14 11	2,359 4 2	2,699 10 9	.....	Ditto.
Kullianjee Soonderjee (Soonderjee Walljee & Co.).	12,444 6 0	2,363 11 3	6,936 8 0	3,144 2 9	3,081 5 10	.....	62 12 11	Ditto.
Khetter Nath Chatterjee ...	2,371 8 9	420 10 9	1,282 2 8	668 11 4	668 11 4	.....	.....	Ditto.
Kelly, H. ...	6,800 9 3	4,090 4 11	2,136 11 5	573 8 11	495 2 4	.....	78 6 7	Ditto.
Kyser Mahomed Sahebzada ...	5,925 0 0	4,687 12 10	574 14 2	662 5 0	662 5 0	.....	.....	Ditto.
Kissory Mohun Chunder ...	3,300 0 0	2,025 2 4	269 4 2	1,005 9 6	590 11 9	414 13 9	.....	Ditto.

Kissen Chand Galeecha (Ockhoy Ram Kissen Chand).	2,43,271	1	11	1,38,446	8	4	96,486	11	0	8,337	14	7	5,641	11	10	.....			2,696	2	9		Ditto.
Koylash Chunder Sreemany ...	43,215	8	5	12,468	6	4	29,651	8	7	1,095	9	6	783	8	0	.....			312	1	6		Ditto.
Kally Churn Ghose ...	9,432	9	3	5,142	14	4	3,120	12	9	1,168	14	2	600	0	0	568	14	2	.....				Ditto.
King, Lorraine ...	8,268	1	11	6,728	6	3	777	3	6	762	8	2	596	6	11	.....			166	1	3		Ditto.
Kreig & Co. ...	4,858	9	2	2,190	2	9	1,186	9	8	1,481	12	9	308	5	7	1,173	7	2	.....				Ditto.
Kissory Chand Sheremull ...	5,756	10	5	2,136	0	10	2,180	1	7	1,440	8	0	1,090	5	0	.....			350	3	0		Ditto.
Kapp, F. ...	952	11	1	[illegible]			428	14	0	523	13	1	.....			523	13	1	.....				Ditto.
Kulada Prosanno Ghose ...	2,647	11	9	685	1	10	1,259	5	5	703	4	6	689	3	2	.....			14	1	4		Ditto.
Kashi Prosad Luchminarain ...	19,065	4	6	11,978	15	4	3,290	12	9	3,795	8	5	3,791	8	1	.....			4	0	4		Ditto
Kalooram Hirawat and others (Heera Lall Sohan Lall).	2,32,834	2	9	2,04,884	10	10	27,083	2	10	866	5	1	748	8	1	.....			117	13	0		Ditto.
Kalagurla Surjonaraiu ...	3,401	9	6	54	0	0	1,983	3	11	1,364	5	7	1,329	10	10	.....			34	10	9		Ditto.
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Kanjee Jessa and others ...	32,153	3	9	15,715	6	11	8,661	10	7	7,776	2	3	7,776	10	3	0	8	0	.....				Ditto.
Khoda Bux Mullick ...	8,311	10	0	3,615	11	9	3,727	8	7	968	5	8	424	13	10	543	7	10	.....				Ditto.
Kusum Kumar Mitter ...	3,794	7	3	2,028	15	0	286	14	5	1,478	9	10	1,366	11	11	.....			111	13	11		Ditto.
Kadermull Onkarmull ...	8,469	0	8	5,754	8	2	1,239	6	2	1,475	2	4	855	12	4	619	6	0	.....				Ditto.
Kalooram Hirawat (2nd) ...	814	6	0	.....			47	2	9	767	3	3	.....			767	3	3	.....				Ditto.
Kedar Nath Pal ...	573	1	6	.....			.....			573	1	6	.....			573	1	6	.....				Ditto.
Kristo Kissore Dutt ...	1,978	1	1	558	0	5	72	7	4	1,347	9	4	1,045	9	10	301	15	6	.....				Ditto.
Kassim Kurreem (2nd insolvency)	6,633	1	10	5,168	1	11	326	14	3	1,138	1	8	1,107	4	6	.....			30	13	2		Ditto.
Kally Prasanno Dey ...	1,473	2	0	.....			429	14	9	1,043	3	3	.....			1,043	3	3	.....				Ditto.
Lyall, Matheson & Co. ...	3,68,485	13	8	2,81,882	10	8	84,883	12	0	1,719	7	0	1,285	5	1	.....			434	1	11		Ditto.
Le Tourneaux, Labadie & Co. ...	7,483	10	3	1,098	13	8	5,463	14	7	920	14	0	538	7	3	.....			382	6	9		Ditto.
Latapie, E. D. (2nd) ...	3,982	6	1	12	0	2	3,079	2	10	891	3	1	795	10	4	.....			95	8	9		Ditto.
Luke, Hamill & Co. ...	6,527	12	4	595	0	8	2,343	0	4	3,589	11	4	3,244	15	2	.....			344	12	2		Ditto.
Landeman, J. V. ...	1,008	10	5	234	3	6	243	15	10	530	7	1	480	12	4	.....			49	10	9		Ditto.
Ledlie, A. H. (2nd) ...	1,654	8	7	180	6	6	658	12	11	815	5	2	52	8	2	.....			762	13	0		Ditto.
Lutchmi Narain Khettry ...	1,726	9	9	429	2	0	617	3	6	680	4	3	411	14	8	.....			268	5	7		Ditto.
Latapie & Co., E. D. ...	2,444	10	6	286	6	6	487	6	0	1,670	14	0	1,557	12	4	.....			113	1	8		Ditto.
Leisk, A. H. S. ...	885	8	11	143	0	0	69	0	4	673	8	7	200	0	0	.....			473	8	7		Ditto.
Loke Nath Shaw ...	8,323	8	6	5,175	6	2	2,494	13	6	653	4	10	653	4	10	.....			.....				Ditto.
Lyall, R. A., and another (Lyall, Rennı & Co.).	3,60,219	2	3	3,06,074	15	5	50,755	7	1	3,388	11	9	2,712	7	11	.....			676	3	10		Ditto.
Leatch, J. K. (Kerr, Leitch & Co.)	1,853	3	0	588	2	9	520	14	6	744	1	9	51	13	3	.....			692	4	6		Ditto.
Lehzen, E. F. W. (Marquardt, Lehzen & Co.).	17,282	10	0	12,483	10	5	3,369	13	3	1,429	2	4	312	10	3	.....			1,116	8	1		Ditto.
Leozander & Co. ...	37,331	4	11	30,200	7	9	5,639	10	3	1,491	2	11	905	15	4	.....			585	3	7		Ditto.
Lekram Buldeo Das ...	14,468	5	3	10,157	4	5	3,788	13	1	522	3	9	522	3	9	.....			.....				Ditto.
Linjeebhoy Dhunjeebhoy ...	4,781	8	5	2,836	15	7	992	9	8	951	15	2	951	15	2	.....			.....				Ditto.
LeFranc, E. A. (3rd) ...	960	0	0	254	14	6	91	3	2	613	14	4	613	14	4	.....			.....				Ditto.
Lolit Mohun Pal Chowdry ...	43,107	4	3	12,379	1	5	20,784	9	4	9,943	9	6	2,483	15	2	7,459	10	4	.....				Ditto.
Lakshmi Narain Dutt ...	58,141	3	6	50,699	8	3	3,582	10	8	3,859	0	7	3,262	14	3	596	2	4	.....				Ditto.
Lalljee Makhunjee ...	6,999	8	9	5,248	7	2	887	7	5	863	10	2	180	4	5	683	5	9	.....				Ditto.
Lumsden, R. S ...	875	13	9	32	6	10	44	13	1	798	9	10	601	7	3	.....			197	2	7		Ditto.
Mackintosh & Co. ...	2,28,494	11	11	1,24,788	3	2	77,432	6	5	26,274	2	4	24,413	1	2	.....			1,861	1	2		Ditto.

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Mohabharat Roy ...	10,914 8 0	.....	4,062 1 0	6,852 7 0	.....	6,852 7 0	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Macleod, Fagan & Co. ...	17,631 7 7	6,841 8 1	10,248 13 1	541 2 5	8 6 7	.....	532 11 10	Ditto.
Maclean, L. A. ...	885 4 9	18 8 8	342 2 8	524 9 5	430 15 10	.....	93 9 7	Ditto.
Melville, William ...	1,868 8 8	.....	359 4 6	1,509 4 2	1,339 13 7	.....	169 6 7	Ditto.
Murdock, Mackenzie & Co. ...	5,598 2 8	17 10 1	5,037 6 4	543 2 3	458 0 8	.....	85 1 7	Ditto.
Macdonald, Daniel ...	1,691 14 2	247 8 0	589 13 2	854 9 0	609 11 3	.....	244 13 9	Ditto.
Martin, William ...	2,106 11 8	75 0 0	552 6 2	1,479 5 6	1,425 0 0	.....	54 5 6	Ditto.
Michael, J. C. (3rd) ...	10,527 4 6	7,099 4 9	1,573 10 10	1,854 4 11	1,406 12 10	447 8 1	.....	Ditto.
Meddlecoat, J. H. P. ...	1,011 14 6	111 7 11	98 14 5	801 8 2	579 6 5	.....	222 1 9	Ditto.
Meer Dawood Ally ...	3,044 0 2	1,459 3 0	229 14 5	1,354 14 9	1,191 12 2	.....	163 2 7	Ditto.
Muddunjee Dhurrumsee ...	880 0 2	.....	68 9 6	811 6 8	472 10 8	.....	338 12 0	Ditto.
Morgan, C. ...	1,978 6 3	685 1 2	200 1 11	1,093 3 2	813 3 5	.....	279 15 9	Ditto.
Mugneeram ...	4,227 6 6	1,405 6 1	2,040 11 0	781 5 5	695 14 0	.....	85 7 5	Ditto.
Murray, James (Black and Murray)	14,162 15 2	9,637 3 3	2,598 4 3	1,927 7 8	1,927 7 8	.....	.....	Ditto.
Mamood Shaw Mahomed Sahebzada	16,074 5 7	10,017 10 7	1,496 13 0	4,559 14 0	712 8 0	.....	3,847 6 0	Ditto.
Martin, J. C. ...	2,327 4 4	840 6 5	159 13 4	1,327 0 7	1,239 1 1	.....	87 15 6	Ditto.
Modhoosoodun Dutt (No. 2) ...	8,150 7 5	6,026 15 11	1,226 14 3	896 9 3	896 9 3	.....	.....	Ditto.
Muddun Mohun Dey and another ...	40,990 4 2	34,781 7 11	5,687 12 8	520 15 7	437 6 4	.....	83 9 3	Ditto.
Mangos, C. D. ...	13,687 12 10	4,643 6 11	8,055 1 1	989 4 10	858 0 9	.....	131 4 1	Ditto.
Mahomed Baker Aga ...	2,098 2 9	1,032 11 3	432 2 10	633 4 8	534 8 1	.....	98 12 7	Ditto.
Marshall, F. H. (Marshall Bros.) ...	12,811 4 11	6,749 8 9	4,650 2 0	1,411 10 2	1,294 8 4	.....	117 1 10	Ditto.
Megraj Borah and Chogemull Kotary (Megraj Chogemull).	11,487 2 8	7,919 4 4	2,352 5 0	1,215 9 4	1,099 10 1	.....	115 15 3	Ditto.
McKay, W. R. ...	864 6 6	122 7 4	23 14 6	718 0 8	146 1 6	.....	571 15 2	Ditto.
McArthur, James ...	1,119 15 6	.....	62 14 8	1,057 0 10	965 14 3	.....	91 2 7	Ditto.
Moorally Dhur Bunsee Lall ...	10,977 9 11	5,984 10 2	4,453 11 6	639 4 3	529 9 4	.....	109 10 11	Ditto.
Mohendro Nath Bose ...	3,094 3 9	.....	2,421 8 5	672 11 4	.....	672 11 4	.....	Ditto.
Makhum Lall Sett ...	3,120 11 5	.....	1,681 10 7	1,439 0 10	.....	1,439 0 10	.....	Ditto.
Mohendro Nath Mullick ...	9,662 3 3	5,021 3 6	4,084 5 7	556 10 2	268 13 1	.....	287 13 1	Ditto.
Mahomed Bhoy ...	3,774 9 10	1,522 12 9	1,533 8 1	718 5 0	567 1 8	.....	151 3 4	Ditto.
Mool Chand and Jesraj ...	7,691 13 11	4,613 9 7	2,290 12 5	787 7 11	293 10 1	493 13 10	.....	Ditto.
Mahomed Moosajee Atia ...	3,432 14 7	198 4 1	2,638 9 4	596 1 2	365 6 7	.....	230 10 7	Ditto.
Muddun Mohun Khettry ...	1,740 0 3	.....	294 15 0	1,445 1 3	.....	1,445 1 3	.....	Ditto.
Mahaliram and Mudden Gopal ...	7,868 3 10	3,057 15 6	4,029 3 7	781 0 9	781 0 9	.....	.....	Ditto.
McJohn, J. ...	505 12 10	.....	.....	505 12 10	.....	505 12 10	.....	Ditto.
Merwan, K. P., and another ...	4,846 5 9	2,750 0 5	1,200 15 9	895 5 7	867 1 7	.....	28 4 0	Ditto
Mutty Ram Sett and Sons ...	4,676 9 3	1,942 7 8	1,048 15 1	1,685 2 6	1,287 14 4	397 4 2	.....	Ditto.
Mohendro Nath Sadkhan and another	4,534 0 0	2,040 1 4	866 4 1	1,627 10 7	891 10 10	735 15 9	.....	Ditto.

Madhubindro Roy Chowdry ...	15,004	3	9	774	12	9	3,685	0	3	3,577	6	9	2,786	0	2	791	6	7	.....		Ditto.
Mulji Jumna Das ...	8,876	9	11	.....			220	8	3	8,656	1	8	.....			8,656	1	8	.....		Ditto.
Miller, J. R. (John Miller & Co.)...	48,762	3	9	30,443	6	5	10,564	12	2	7,754	1	2	6,734	8	4	1,019	8	10	.....		Ditto.
Masson, Michael Peter ...	5,766	8	2	1,586	0	0	3,656	15	8	523	8	6	399	8	0	.....			124	0	6	Ditto.
Masson, Peter Petros	791	1	2	.....			.....			791	1	2	.....			791	1	2	.....		Ditto.
Manick Lall Shaw and others ...	1,812	9	6	.....			118	10	5	1,693	15	1	.....			1,693	15	1	.....		Ditto.
Nobin Chunder Daw and others ...	535	12	0	.....			20	0	0	515	12	0	.....			515	12	0	310	10	6	Ditto
Nilkanta Das Sil ...	623	0	0	.....			.....			623	0	0	.....			623	0	0	.....		Ditto.
Nemy Churn Bysack ..	1,210	13	0	.....			428	5	4	782	7	8	696	8	1	.....			85	15	7	Ditto.
Nobin Kristo Ghose ...	2,450	0	0	617	3	1	536	10	3	1,296	2	8	1,063	3	1	.....			232	15	7	Ditto.
Narain Sing & Co. ...	32,007	6	11	18,805	8	7	9,718	1	2	3,483	13	2	3,424	11	7	.....			59	1	7	Ditto.
Nicol, J. Dyce ...	23,409	1	11	9,527	9	10	5,556	0	4	8,325	7	9	1,549	5	8	.....			6,776	2	1	Ditto.
Nobin Chunder Dey ...	1,375	1	7	542	8	0	247	1	10	585	7	9	585	7	9	.....			.....			Ditto.
Nicholls and others (W. Nicholls & Co.).	18,841	1	4	13,331	1	10	4,261	1	2	1,248	14	4	912	15	7	.....			335	14	9	Ditto
Nicholas, J. D., and another (Kelly & Co.).	12,300	9	3	6,386	14	5	2,418	1	10	3,495	9	0	3,340	3	0	.....			155	6	0	Ditto.
Nobin Chunder Dutt and another ...	1,407	7	0	.....			800	0	0	607	7	0	.....			607	7	0	.....		Ditto.
Nuddia Chand Sannyasi and others	6,790	1	0	1,257	9	8	3,160	7	7	2,371	15	9	1,271	1	0	1,100	14	9	.....		Ditto.
Nogendro Narain Dutt (separate account).	7,364	8	9	2,826	4	4	2,530	0	5	2,008	4	0	1,977	13	8	.....			30	6	4	Ditto.
Nicachie, P ...	2,530	6	8	1,679	15	5	229	5	9	621	1	6	561	0	8	.....			60	0	10	Ditto.
Nogendro Nath Banerjee and another	947	1	6	.....			300	14	2	646	3	4	.....			646	3	4	.....		Ditto.
Owen, Allhusen & Co. ...	29,891	0	9	794	12	2	25,800	15	4	3,295	4	8	3,163	15	10	.....			131	4	10	Ditto.
Ord, William (Murdock & Co.) ...	3,515	2	3	.....			2,944	14	7	570	3	8	511	1	0	.....			59	2	8	Ditto.
Ord, W. K. ...	679	8	4	57	7	10	53	4	9	568	11	9	503	11	10	.....			64	15	11	Ditto.
Oneil, Thomas ...	1,510	13	8	.....			671	3	1	839	10	7	465	9	6	.....			374	1	1	Ditto.
Omrao Singh ...	2,747	15	11	1,845	11	8	391	9	2	510	11	1	352	14	1	.....			157	13	0	Ditto.
Obhoy Churn Dutt ...	1,127	0	6	487	9	9	137	0	0	502	6	9	.....			502	6	9	.....		Ditto.
Osman Hajee Ebrahim ...	3,994	4	2	952	9	7	375	1	8	2,666	8	11	2,272	11	11	393	13	0	.....		Ditto.
Palmer, John ...	7,707	7	11	6,152	6	4	1,013	0	10	542	0	9	542	0	9	.....			3,854	11	7	Ditto.
Pew, P. L. ...	52,965	13	1	34,068	0	5	12,875	1	11	6,022	10	9	2,167	15	2	.....			293	8	6	Ditto.
Penner, J. ...	7,075	8	6	2,972	1	0	3,003	4	3	1,100	3	3	806	10	9	.....			86	1	6	Ditto.
Parry, John ...	4,996	8	11	1,744	7	6	1,616	0	2	1,636	1	3	1,549	15	9	.....			77	9	10	Ditto.
Price, Henry ...	15,380	1	3	.....			14,642	1	8	737	15	7	660	5	9	.....			.....			Ditto.
Payne & Co. (Walter Newton & Co.) (Bombay firm).	8,025	0	0	6,125	3	10	1,367	15	6	531	12	8	531	12	8	.....			2,394	15	7	Ditto.
Phillips, John ...	4,156	0	0	10	11	8	248	10	5	3,896	9	11	1,501	10	4	.....			60	4	0	Ditto.
Phillipe, G. W. DeRhee ...	1,260	0	0	538	14	4	98	9	5	622	8	3	562	4	3	.....			.....			Ditto.
Protap Chunder Chatterjee ...	748	11	7	37	12	5	75	8	9	635	6	5	635	6	5	.....			.....			Ditto.
Poolin Chunder Mitter ...	672	9	7	.....			2	8	0	670	1	7	.....			670	1	7	.....			Ditto.
Prosun Chand Galeecha (Dhurrum Chand Poorum Chand).	96,847	4	1	42,486	15	0	33,592	7	0	20,767	14	1	19,827	8	11	.....			940	5	2	Ditto.
Punchanun Das Mungle Chand (Hattee Sing Soorajmull Mungle Chand).	6,183	14	3	.....			2,944	3	0	3,239	11	3	.....			3,239	11	3	.....		Ditto.

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Purmessur Khan and others (Purmessur Khan, Debendro Nath Khan, Purmessur Khan & Co.).	3,129 9 9	1,109 0 8	1,364 2 4	656 6 9	656 6 9	.....	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Palmer, R. G. & Co. ...	35,446 13 0	15,125 3 8	11,148 4 1	9,173 5 3	241 5 0	8,932 0 3	.....	Ditto.
Panna Lall Auddy ...	7,955 6 10	4,277 3 8	556 4 9	3,121 14 5	2,828 15 10	.....	292 14 7	Ditto.
Pran Nath Pal ...	3,223 10 11	1,409 7 3	1,299 1 6	515 2 2	515 2 2	.....	.....	Ditto.
Pasumarti Jagappa ...	9,184 7 10	4,123 0 1	3,727 13 7	1,333 10 2	177 13 1	1,155 13 1	.....	Ditto.
Pursuttum Lall ...	18,295 6 11	4,658 14 9	10,068 9 1	3,567 15 1	3,299 1 6	.....	268 13 7	Ditto.
Panch Cowrie Sen and another ...	5,128 2 11	2,700 8 0	589 3 2	1,838 7 9	1,637 3 2	201 4 7	.....	Ditto.
Purno Chunder Nundy ...	1,716 2 3	581 1 7	93 10 7	1,041 6 1	1,029 11 1	.....	11 11 0	Ditto.
Russel, C. D. ...	8,785 14 2	7,162 15 2	1,059 0 9	563 14 3	20 15 2	.....	542 15 1	Ditto.
Roghu Nath Bose ...	1,778 13 4	702 13 10	444 4 0	631 12 6	591 11 0	.....	40 1 6	Ditto.
Ram Dhone Mitter ...	838 5 4	52 4 5	217 8 2	568 8 9	453 1 6	.....	115 7 3	Ditto
Rustomjee Cowasjee & Co. ...	11,032 15 0	3,373 5 8	6,015 1 6	1,644 7 10	1,285 10 3	.....	358 13 7	Ditto.
Ramsabuck Misser and others (2nd)	1,23,206 9 4	76,538 6 6	29,912 4 9	16,755 14 1	16,382 14 4	.....	372 15 9	Ditto.
Ram Narain Sreemany ...	9,319 8 0	4,158 0 11	2,041 7 1	3,120 0 0	3,066 10 8	.....	53 5 4	Ditto.
Robinson, J. J. (Wallace & Co.) ...	3,052 8 8	282 0 0	2,027 4 6	743 4 2	309 14 9	.....	433 5 5	Ditto.
Ritz, Alfred ...	1,139 0 0	.....	208 7 6	930 8 6	690 13 5	.....	239 11 1	Ditto.
Rakhal Chunder Banerjee (Jr.) ...	5,562 0 0	138 2 6	2,869 1 9	2,554 11 9	62 13 6	2,491 14 3	.....	Ditto.
Ram Gopal Pal ...	8,141 12 6	4,427 4 5	2,408 6 8	1,306 1 5	1,107 12 11	.....	198 4 6	Ditto.
Rushton, H. P. (Rushton Brothers)	83,759 12 6	52,608 8 4	26,996 12 2	4,154 8 0	4,020 8 3	.....	133 15 9	Ditto.
Rustomjee Cowasjee ...	3,796 13 7	1,637 9 1	425 11 10	1,733 8 8	1,537 12 2	.....	195 12 6	Ditto.
Ram Saran Lall ...	57,280 1 1	31,982 11 9	21,011 11 2	4,285 10 2	4,128 9 5	.....	157 0 9	Ditto.
Ram Kissen Kotary ...	7,527 14 3	5,005 2 4	1,842 6 5	680 5 6	680 5 6	.....	.....	Ditto.
Rushton, Edward ...	2,784 3 9	1,418 6 4	708 1 11	657 11 6	657 11 6	.....	.....	Ditto.
Ramsamull and Punna Lall ...	1,933 2 9	668 12 9	720 0 5	544 5 7	334 9 2	.....	209 12 5	Ditto.
Robertson, C. A. (1st) ...	1,500 0 0	477 2 10	81 12 9	941 0 5	726 4 9	.....	214 11 8	Ditto.
Reinhold, Henry (Reinhold & Co.)	13,795 10 0	10,443 11 5	2,663 9 1	688 5 6	505 15 5	.....	182 6 1	Ditto.
Reinhold, H. C., and another (Reinhold Brothers).	5,998 10 10	185 7 9	1,717 6 5	4,145 12 8	233 14 0	.....	3,911 14 8	Ditto.
Rash Behary Roy and Jalladhur Roy.	35,265 14 4	5,084 2 6	23,327 14 0	6,853 13 10	1,013 14 5	5,839 15 5	.....	Ditto.
Ritz, Reinhold and Feilman ...	13,333 5 0	10,502 0 10	1,073 3 9	1,758 0 5	216 13 6	1,541 2 11	.....	Ditto.
Roghoo Nath Das and Mudden Gopal.	73,481 6 2	37,665 5 7	28,753 6 0	7,062 10 7	6,710 15 2	.....	351 11 5	Ditto.
Raj Chunder Pakhira ...	1,363 0 6	422 10 2	233 9 4	706 13 0	446 9 8	.....	260 3 4	Ditto

Ram Das Pal ...	1,545	8	3	506	2	6	475	10	9	563	11	0	421	3	0	.....	142	8	9	Ditto.
Ram Doyal Ghose (1st) ...	753	0	0	.....			45	8	3	707	7	9	647	14	2	.....	59	9	7	Ditto.
Runchore Das Dhunjee ...	26,104	7	3	12,813	6	1	10,408	6	2	2,882	11	0	2,882	11	0	.....	.....			Ditto.
Ram Rick Das and Nundram (Sirdarmull Ram Rick).	11,036	10	6	6,914	6	0	1,849	2	6	2,273	2	0	2,273	2	0	.....	.....			Ditto.
Rekhab Das Bagree and others ...	8,184	15	8	1,531	6	11	5,290	5	4	1,363	3	5	1,299	14	11	.....	63	4	6	Ditto.
Radha Kishen Memany (Radha Kissen Jetmull).	4,358	15	6	1,864	2	2	1,915	9	9	579	3	7	579	3	7	.....	.....			Ditto.
Ram Lall Bhutter ...	5,064	0	4	.....			4,364	9	6	699	6	10	.....			699	6	10	.....	Ditto.
Ram Rick Kerwa and another (Kissen Lall Jainarain).	1,371	5	3	496	11	0	142	10	3	732	0	0	732	0	0	.....	.....			Ditto.
Ram Doyal Chobay ...	1,764	2	3	.....			15	8	6	1,748	9	9	.....			1,748	9	9	.....	Ditto.
Ram Lall and others (Bhugwan Das Bunna Chand).	5,889	0	9	2,855	7	2	551	1	0	2,482	8	7	2,463	5	9	.....	19	2	10	Ditto.
Rajendro Nath Ghose and another (Ghose, Sinha & Co.).	84,181	7	1	66,773	3	8	15,981	6	4	1,426	13	1	1,426	13	1	.....	.....			Ditto.
Ramjee Das Khettry and another (Ramjee Das Gopal Das).	1,630	12	0	493	15	0	581	5	1	555	7	11	262	8	3	.....	292	15	8	Ditto.
Ram Protap and another (Joy Narain Ram Pertab).	6,371	12	6	1,636	9	5	1,709	11	11	3,025	7	2	2,678	6	2	.....	347	1	0	Ditto.
Rani Bibee and another ...	2,268	10	0	.....			17	5	7	2,251	4	5	.....			2,251	4	5	.....	Ditto.
Roghu Nath Rai Sureka ...	7,572	7	6	1,198	0	10	1,947	6	1	4,497	0	7	1,880	10	5	2,546	6	2	.....	Ditto.
Ram Gopal Soogun Chand ...	525	2	0	.....			.....			525	2	0	.....			525	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Robinson, J. H. (2nd Insolvency)...	830	0	0	.....			41	4	11	788	11	1	563	10	9	.....	225	0	4	Ditto.
Ram Rick Pal ...	613		3	.....			53	14	10	559	4	5	474	3	1	.....	85	1	4	Ditto.
Ram Coomar Chowdhury ...	16,994	15	10	9,234	10	0	6,113	1	7	1,647	4	3	919	14	6	727	5	9	.....	Ditto.
Stewart, W. C. & Co. ...	8,040	4	10	2,515	5	5	1,414	11	0	4,110	4	5	3,953	12	5	.....	156	8	0	Ditto.
Senais, W. DeMonti ...	2,514	11	7	.....			912	2	6	1,602	9	1	1,533	5	10	.....	69	3	3	Ditto.
Stocquelar, J. H. ...	7,138	0	0	210	6	5	5,537	0	7	1,390	9	0	1,122	12	7	.....	267	12	5	Ditto.
Schlatter, Michael ...	20,294	14	10	16,357	13	1	2,433	0	9	1,504	1	0	669	0	9	.....	835	0	3	Ditto
Smoult, W. H. ...	1,976	10	3	248	4	11	328	9	3	1,399	12	1	1,040	0	0	.....	359	12	1	Ditto.
Sheppard, G. A. ...	5,598	2	10	4,179	1	11	662	0	7	757	0	4	652	6	0	.....	104	10	4	Ditto.
Sarkies & Co., P. J. ...	52,610	10	9	6,473	9	2	45,380	2	2	756	15	5	602	12	10	.....	154	2	7	Ditto.
Sarkies, P. J. ...	10,227	7	7	6,170	7	7	3,097	5	4	959	10	8	787	6	3	.....	172	4	5	Ditto.
Sree Gopal Misser ...	1,951	0	0	55	14	4	678	6	8	1,216	11	0	1,093	0	11	.....	123	10	1	Ditto.
Stubb, W. V. G. ...	3,491	6	5	81	3	10	1,649	12	7	1,760	6	0	262	2	3	.....	1,498	3	9	Ditto.
Solomon, Moladina ...	64,041	6	10	43,579	4	11	17,498	10	0	2,963	7	11	2,682	12	0	.....	280	11	11	Ditto.
Shib Chunder Seal ...	13,555	3	9	3,239	6	10	9,479	3	3	836	9	8	836	9	8	.....	.....			Ditto.
Sew Nundun Panday ...	32,283	9	9	18,850	1	5	7,473	4	4	5,960	4	0	5,229	5	1	.....	730	14	11	Ditto.
Sreenath Mullick ...	17,782	7	7	13,851	5	6	3,389	12	10	541	5	3	431	12	6	.....	109	8	9	Ditto.
Smith, A. M. ...	2,800	10	7	244	1	6	801	15	7	1,754	9	6	1,371	10	8	.....	382	14	10	Ditto.
Solomon & Co., D. H. ...	16,053	12	9	9,548	4	5	4,711	4	9	1,794	3	7	1,606	0	1	.....	188	3	6	Ditto.
Schiller, F., and others (Borradaile, Schiller & Co.).	1,52,675	15	7	84,826	0	6	31,168	12	4	36,684	2	9	29,445	3	6	.....	7,238	15	3	Ditto.
Straw, F. T. ...	1,22,111	4	8	60,033	2	9	61,513	13	4	564	4	7	564	4	7	.....	.....			Ditto.
Smith, Thomas & Co. ...	66,941	4	3	8,918	11	0	56,288	9	2	1,734	0	1	1,078	12	0	.....	655	4	1	Ditto.

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Sham Lall Khettry (Dewky Nundun Lalljee Mull).	16,952 12 6	12,647 15 8	3,302 15 10	1,001 13 0	1,001 13 0	.....	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Soutendro Mohun Tagore ...	810 5 9	132 12 7	62 11 4	614 13 10	614 13 10	.....	.....	Ditto.
Stephen, A. J. (2nd Insolvency) ...	1,201 8 0	212 14 5	42 1 2	946 8 5	326 1 3	.....	620 7 2	Ditto.
Schiller, F. (separate account) ...	5,482 10 7	1,287 9 0	1,489 4 1	2,705 13 6	2,489 5 2	.....	216 8 4	Ditto.
Syed Ebrahim Hossen ...	7,910 1 3	.....	4,410 1 3	3,500 0 0	.....	3,500 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Sagoremull Setmull ...	1,151 1 0	.....	603 2 3	547 14 9	.....	547 14 9	.....	Ditto.
Siddessur Das (1st) ...	2,748 4 0	290 0 0	674 15 1	1,783 4 11	1,772 10 2	.....	10 10 9	Ditto.
Sew Narain Soorajmull and another (Gajanand Mohadeo).	5,248 6 6	1,851 9 4	680 2 9	2,716 10 5	1,950 0 5	766 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Sham Lall and others ...	1,947 3 11	.....	392 11 1	1,554 8 10	.....	1,554 8 10	.....	Ditto.
Sew Das Bissessur Das ...	1,794 9 5	.....	685 9 7	1,108 15 10	.....	1,108 15 10	.....	Ditto.
Sreedam Chunder Seal (2nd) ...	541 10 1	.....	.....	541 10 1	.....	541 10 1	.....	Ditto.
Santosh Lall Dutt ...	1,371 8 0	.....	.....	1,371 8 0	.....	1,371 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Surujmull (Udoyram Tansuk Das)	5,241 12 9	3,793 6 3	847 3 9	601 2 9	518 13 10	.....	82 4 11	Ditto.
Sheodanmull and another (Sheodanmull Chuggunmull).	8,847 1 4	7,292 5 6	876 10 3	678 1 7	678 1 7	.....	.....	Ditto.
Summers, A. (Watson and Summers).	12,397 8 8	5,529 15 0	5,901 15 9	965 9 11	358 9 7	.....	607 0 4	Ditto.
Soorjeemull Kadia (Sewnarain Soorjeemull).	2,442 15 10	931 13 4	990 15 11	520 2 7	520 2 7	.....	.....	Ditto.
Soogun Chand Gopeekissen ...	12,935 1 6	8,592 12 8	3,174 8 10	1,167 12 0	850 15 9	.....	316 12 3	Ditto.
Soondermull Sitaram ...	9,321 11 6	5,948 15 3	2,165 2 1	1,207 10 2	1,207 10 2	.....	.....	Ditto.
Sykes, G. S (Sykes & Co.) ...	22,408 15 9	16,189 4 0	4,609 14 6	1,609 13 3	1,587 3 3	.....	22 10 0	Ditto.
Sreekissen Das Champa Lall ...	27,054 6 3	8,026 0 11	10,977 4 11	8,049 0 5	8,007 9 9	.....	41 6 8	Ditto.
Shaik Ellahi Bux and another ...	3,255 6 9	1,965 14 10	550 11 2	738 12 9	738 12 9	.....	.....	Ditto.
Stewart, C. ...	60,695 15 8	41,866 6 7	17,736 14 6	1,092 10 7	1,092 10 7	.....	.....	Ditto.
Schollay & Co. ...	1,077 2 1	212 9 7	191 10 4	672 14 2	214 2 8	.....	458 11 6	Ditto.
Sarat Chunder Burman ...	5,465 14 9	.....	1,989 1 9	3,476 13 0	.....	3,476 13 0	.....	Ditto.
Soshee Bhusun Coondoo and others (Kala Chand Coondoo).	23,490 10 4	5,874 1 11	13,655 0 11	3,961 7 6	2,078 10 2	1,882 13 4	.....	Ditto.
Smith, E. A., and others (E. A. Smith & Co.).	9,567 12 2	6,062 5 11	2,965 14 10	539 7 5	403 8 7	.....	135 14 10	Ditto.
Shaik Omer Ally and another ...	10,213 2 0	4,943 10 8	1,329 14 8	3,939 8 8	2,212 5 6	1,727 3 2	.....	Ditto.
Sreenibash Patro ...	980 0 0	232 12 4	83 14 5	663 5 3	630 4 6	.....	33 0 9	Ditto.
Soshee Bhusan Mookerjee ...	2,273 2 0	1,333 4 10	91 11 0	848 2 2	238 0 6	610 1 8	.....	Ditto.
Sarat Chunder Gossain ...	1,200 0 0	593 10 0	69 2 11	537 3 1	527 8 6	.....	9 10 7	Ditto.
Smythe, C. V. ...	1,630 12 9	853 1 1	135 11 9	641 15 11	629 7 6	.....	12 8 5	Ditto.

Tallah & Co. (1st)	...	1,21,167	0	7	68,615	10	0	50,626	7	9	1,924	14	10	1,139	10	6	.....			785	4	4	Ditto.
Tallah & Co. (2nd)	...	19,223	10	2	8,961	4	4	9,684	15	7	577	6	3	411	1	3	.....			166	5	0	Ditto.
Thomas & Co.	...	4,55,276	15	3	3,98,103	6	2	50,239	15	2	6,933	9	11	1,314	1	0	.....			5,619	8	11	Ditto.
Turton, Sir T. E. M.	...	2,49,996	3	10	1,48,440	1	3	1,00,447	2	8	1,108	15	11	661	10	1	.....			447	5	10	Ditto.
Troylukho Nath Roy and another		26,576	11	0	18,630	12	6	7,142	7	5	803	7	1	712	2	11	.....			91	4	2	Ditto.
Thoradike, A. and another (Atkinson, Tilton & Co.).		48,581	15	8	19,772	1	0	25,210	0	8	3,599	14	0	2,681	9	4	.....			918	4	8	Ditto.
Tunsook Roy and Premsook Roy ...		27,590	9	11	10,023	12	8	10,889	8	2	6,677	5	1	5,653	1	7	.....			1,024	3	6	Ditto.
Templeton, A. N. (2nd)		2,000	0	0	56	10	0	710	4	4	1,231	1	8	1,231	1	8	.....			.....			Ditto.
Turnbull, R. A.	...	18,183	9	3	2,771	3	3	14,076	13	11	1,335	8	1	107	3	8	.....			1,228	4	5	Ditto.
Tincowry Das	...	6,741	8	4	4,295	4	9	1,163	2	7	1,283	1	0	1,283	1	0	.....			.....			Ditto.
Tirathram	...	1,445	3	9	519	12	6	226	0	7	699	6	8	207	4	5	.....			492	2	3	Ditto.
Tara Prosanno Sircar	...	1,62,699	9	6	76,532	15	6	83,524	15	4	2,641	10	8	2,569	7	4	.....			72	3	4	Ditto.
Tincowry Nundy	...	8,330	6	9	3,069	1	5	3,729	1	6	1,532	3	10	527	13	8	.....	1,004	6 2	.....			Ditto.
Tincowri Sadkhan	...	10,969	13	11	5,405	7	0	2,121	1	3	3,443	5	8	565	7	0	.....	2,877	14 8	.....			Ditto.
Tuski Das Pal	...	10,360	2	7	3,168	2	2	2,748	2	11	4,443	13	6	1,464	0	7	.....	2,979	12 11	.....			Ditto.
Tolaram and another (Tolaram Champaiall)		3,865	15	3	.....			3,212	10	9	653	4	6	.....			.....	653	4 6	.....			Ditto.
Wallis, Joseph	...	1,20,346	2	7	88,227	7	6	29,932	12	8	2,165	14	5	1,398	0	5	.....			767	14	0	Ditto.
Waring, E. S. S.	...	3,066	8	8	1,784	1	7	529	5	2	753	1	11	647	4	3	.....			105	13	8	Ditto.
William, Stephen	...	20,504	1	5	17,453	13	10	2,207	14	7	842	5	0	474	9	9	.....			367	11	3	Ditto.
Watson & Co. (Gibbon & Co.)	...	1,06,519	3	0	87,390	15	9	15,992	0	3	3,136	3	0	1,903	9	8	.....			1,232	9	4	Ditto.
Wood, H. W. J.	...	2,539	13	0	712	3	7	885	5	3	942	4	2	785	11	9	.....			156	8	5	Ditto.
Word, David	...	1,414	3	0	56	7	3	809	0	3	548	11	6	548	11	6	.....			.....			Ditto.
Webb, John	...	4,457	8	3	2,391	0	8	1,103	4	5	963	3	2	354	14	4	.....			608	4	10	Ditto.
Wallis, C. B.	...	8,520	11	5	6,592	2	1	1,403	4	3	525	5	2	120	11	5	.....			404	9	8	Ditto.
Woodin, W. (G. F Hodgekinson & Co.).		25,413	4	5	1,022	8	2	22,444	3	9	1,946	8	6	1,549	5	6	.....			397	3	0	Ditto.
Woomesh Chunder Banerjee	...	23,991	14	1	19,723	8	11	3,084	8	11	1,183	12	3	1,183	12	3	.....			.....			Ditto.
Woopendro Chunder Singhee and another.		9,243	6	3	3,473	13	2	2,635	2	1	3,134	7	0	1,732	15	1	.....			1,401	7	11	Ditto.
Woopendro Nath Dutt	...	2,148	11	8	.....			3	14	0	2,144	13	8	.....			.....	2,144	13 8	.....			Ditto.
Zunini, A.	...	4,860	2	9	1,062	1	3	2,984	10	3	873	7	3	534	6	9	.....			339	0	6	Ditto.

INSOLVENT ESTATES (NEW ACT.)

HALF-YEARLY STATEMENT MADE UP TO 31ST JANUARY 1915

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	WHOLE DISBURSEMENTS.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable	Net balance.	Transfers to unclaimed dividend account under Rule 175 of the P. T. I. Act of 1909.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	
Apear, Alexander A. (Jr.) ...	49,299 2 11	45,452 4 11	3,345 10 1	501 3 11	.....	466 15 9	34 4 2	Outstandings in course of recovery.
							No 2.	
Asharam ...	124 4 0	.....	23 10 4	100 9 8	.....	100 9 8	.....	Ditto.
Adya Nath Rakhit ...	2,202 11 9	1,097 13 0	676 11 6	428 3 3	.....	.....	224 0 1	Ditto.
							204 3 2	
							No. 2.	
*Adamji Dawdbhoy ...	19,184 8 4	10,800 7 0	1,090 9 6	7,293 7 10	1,971 2 1	298 0 2	5,001 9 7	Ditto.
				Dr. Balance—			No. 2. 22-12 D. C. of 1st D. A. transferred to E.	
Augier, Charles Roy ...	3,568 5 1	.....	3,673 10 3	105 5 2	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Adam Ahmed ...	50 0 0	.....	23 14 0	26 2 0	.....	26 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Abdul Latiff Ahmed ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Amulya Rattan Banerjee and Kantiudro Roy.	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto
Atulya Prosad Ghose ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Aghore Kumar Mookerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	29 4 0	20 12 0	.....	20 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Agacy, and another, A. J. ...	50 0 0	.....	29 2 6	20 13 6	.....	20 13 6	.....	Ditto.
Akhoy Kumar Mullick ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Ahmed Soomar ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Ashutosh Dey ...	50 0 0	.....	47 8 0	2 8 0	.....	2 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Aghore Chunder Nang ...	473 5 7	120 0 0	109 10 11	243 10 8	.....	243 10 8	.....	Ditto.
Anandi Lall ...	201 10 9	.....	14 5 7	187 5 2	.....	187 5 2	.....	Ditto.
Assaram and Balkissen ...	5,886 11 6	.....	2,378 3 1	3,508 8 5	.....	3,508 8 5	.....	Ditto.
Arun Chunder Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Akhil Chunder Chatterjee ...	50 0 0	.....	25 3 0	24 13 0	.....	24 13 0	.....	Ditto.
Anil Krishna Shome ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Aroon Chunder Sookul ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Akhil Chunder Dey ...	591 3 6	.....	54 2 10	537 0 8	.....	537 0 8	.....	Ditto.

Anath Chunder Banerjee ...	50	0	0	.....		24	12	0	25	4	0	.....	25	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Annada Prosad Banerjee ...	50	0	0	.....		22	11	6	27	4	0	.....	27	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Adamji Kadir Bhai ...	50	0	0	.....		5	11	6	44	4	0	.....	44	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Ananda Prosad Nag ...	2,819	15	9	.....		276	2	6	2,543	13	3	.....	2,543	13	3	.....	Ditto
Ashini Kumar Pramanick ...	50	0	0	.....		20	0	0	30	0	0	.....	30	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Anirudha Shaw ...	361	12	6	.....		166	5	4	195	7	2	.....	195	7	2	.....	Ditto.
Anando Mohan Dey ...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Abdul Par ...	50	0	0	.....		6	8	0	43	8	0	.....	43	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Amulya Natn hoy ...	50	0	0	.....		6	4	0	43	12	0	.....	43	12	0	.....	Ditto.
Atul Chunder Das ...	50	0	0	.....		5	12	0	44	4	0	.....	44	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Anukul Chandra Gupta ...	311	7	11	.....		77	4	0	234	3	11	.....	234	3	11	.....	Ditto.
									Dr. Balance—								
Ananto Churn Auddy ...	60	0	0	.....		228	0	0	168	0	0	.....	.....			.....	Ditto.
A. K. Ghose ...	410	14	9	.....		49	6	8	361	8	1	.....	361	8	1	.....	Ditto.
Abdul Mannan ...	50	0	0	.....		6	2	0	43	14	0	.....	43	14	0	.....	Ditto.
Akhoy Kumar Addya and Pulin Behary Addy.	3,698	0	1	.....		431	2	5	3,266	13	8	.....	3,266	13	8	.....	Ditto.
Abdul Hamed ...	2,150	0	0	1,089	9 4	595	10	1	464	12	7	.....	464	12	7	.....	Ditto.
Atul Krishna Sen ...	50	0	0	.....		10	6	0	39	10	0	.. ...	39	10	0	.....	Ditto.
Abdul Fazel Mahamed Azizul Huq (Effendic).	211	5	0	.....		100	7	6	110	13	6	.....	110	13	6	.....	Ditto.
Ashutosh Ghose	50	0	0	.....		5	14	0	44	2	0	.....	44	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Abden Joseph Robin... ...	50	0	0	.....		38	11	0	11	5	0	.....	11	5	0	.....	Ditto
Abden Cader Joseph	50	0	0	.....		37	14	6	12	1	6	.....	12	1	6	.....	Ditto.
Abinash Chunder Sircar and another.	548	0	9	.....		40	1	11	507	14	10	.....	507	14	10	.....	Ditto.
Ambica Churn Chuckerbutty and others.	6,730	13	6	.....		396	14	8	6,333	14	10	.....	6,333	14	10	.....	Ditto.
Aidan Johurmull (Johoory Mull Sujan Mull)	177	8	0	.....		10	4	0	167	4	0	.....	167	4	0	... ..	Ditto.
Amulya Churn Sircar ...	50	0	0	.....		8	8	0	41	8	0	.....	41	8	0	.... .	Ditto.
Agacy, Edward Joseph ...	50	0	0	.....		7	6	0	45	10	0	.....	42	10	0	.. ..	Ditto.
Ajoodhya Prosad	75	4	9	.....		8	2	2	67	2	7	.....	67	2	7	.....	Ditto.
Abraham Joseph	782	15	0	.....		42	7	10	740	7	2	.....	740	7	2	.....	Ditto.
Aminuddin Halder	205	8	9	.....		13	11	3	191	13	4	.....	191	13	6	.....	Ditto.
Abinash Chandra Sen ...	50	0	0	.....		6	4	0	43	12	0	.....	43	12	0	.....	Ditto.
Abinash Chandra Dutt ...	50	0	0	.....		6	4	0	43	12	0	.....	43	12	0	.....	Ditto.
Ajoodhya Prosad Sing ...	414	1	0	.....		6	0	0	408	1	0	.....	408	1	0	.....	Ditto.
Augier, Claude Charles ...	50	0	0	.....		15	3	0	34	13	0	.....	34	13	0	.....	Ditto.
Albini, Gustave	50	0	0	.....		6	6	0	43	10	0	.....	43	10	0	.....	Ditto.
Amar Nath Bose	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Abdulla Hajee Hamed ...	50	0	0	.....		3	10	0	46	6	0	.....	46	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Abdul Rosul	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Adaita Charan Khatoos and Gosto Behary Chuckerbutty.	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Azmat Ali	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Ahmuddin Saqul Mahamed Amin Saqul and Mahamed Amin.	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.

Estates.	Whole amount of receipts.	Whole Disbursements.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Transfers to unclaimed dividend account under Rule 175 of the P. T. I. Act of 1909.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Bhujendro Nath Banerjee ...	655 0 0	87 0 0	150 13 6	407 2 6	46 0 0	.....	361 2 6	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Bijoy Kristo Dey ...	2,942 10 0	1,569 11 5	698 4 0	674 10 7	.....	86 6 1	588 4 6	Ditto.
							No. 2.	
Begraj Tularam ...	3,000 0 0	1,747 13 3	506 9 8	745 9 1	.....	745 9 1	.....	Ditto.
Balahi Chand ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Bhimraj Ram Pertab and Bunsidhur (Ram Doyal Bhimraj).	2,250 0 0	.....	396 10 6	1,853 5 6	.....	1,853 5 6	.....	Ditto.
Bullabh Das ...	50 0 0	.....	5 12 0	44 4 0	.....	44 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Basturam Acharjee ...	79 12 6	.....	53 4 9	26 7 9	.....	26 7 9	.....	Ditto.
Bunshidhur and others ...	350 0 0	.....	73 0 6	276 15 6	.....	276 15 6	.....	Ditto.
Benode Behary Sircar and others	1,497 2 3	.....	926 13 6	570 4 9	.....	570 4 9	.....	Ditto.
Boylette, W. R. D. ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Badri Das Khettry ...	50 0 0	.....	3 0 6	46 15 6	.....	46 15 6	.....	Ditto.
Balthasar, Carapiet ...	50 0 0	.....	3 8 0	46 8 0	.....	46 8 0	.....	Ditto
Bhobo Nath Ash ...	70 0 0	.....	60 14 3	9 1 9	.....	9 1 9	.....	Ditto.
Behary Lall Sen and Brindabun Sen (Doorga Churn Sen and Shama Churn Sen).	99,654 7 7 G. P. of G. P. N. & L.— 38,597-10-1	.....	95,844 11 8 P. of G. P. N.— 39,008-6-11	3,809 11 11	.....	3,809 11 11	.....	Ditto.
Brown, James	117 6 6	.....	62 9 5	54 13 1	.....	54 13 1	.....	Ditto.
Bhoot Nath Ghosal	53 10 6	.....	26 8 11	27 1 7	.....	27 1 7	.....	Ditto.
Bunkoo Behary Das ...	137 1 6	.....	64 7 2	72 10 4	.....	72 10 4	.....	Ditto.
				Dr. Balance—				
Bhog Sing Narain Sing Advani ...	1,846 6 6	.....	1,885 2 3	38 11 9	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Basanta Kumar Das ...	50 0 0	.....	29 7 6	20 8 6	.....	20 8 6	.....	Ditto.
Buldeo Das Periwal and others ...	29,474 6 9	.....	19,518 11 8 P. of G. P. N.— 14,419-7-0	9,955 11 1	.....	9,955 11 1 G. P. N.— 15,000-0-0 G P I — 1,020-1-4	.....	Ditto.
Bhola Nath Gangooly ...	5,153 0 2	2,521 1 2	1,765 14 0	866 1 0	.....	188 4 1	666 10 8	Ditto.
							No. 2. 11-2-3 D. C. of 1st D'n transferred to R.	
Bitul Das Purohit ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Burjorji Bijonji Talati ...	50 0 0	.....	7 3 6	42 12 6	.....	42 12 6	.....	Ditto.

Babu Lall Shaw	...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Behary Lall Dutt	...	52	11	6	.....		24	2	2	28	9	4	.....	28	9	4	.....	Ditto.
Babu Lall	...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Bemal Chunder Banerjee	...	50	0	0	.....		19	6	6	30	9	6	.....	30	9	6	.....	Ditto.
Behary Lall Ramessur	...	38,684	0	9	61	4	6	23,205	5	4	15,381	6	11	.....	15,381	6	11	Ditto.
								P. of G. P. N.— 19,380-4-9							G. P. N.— 30,000-0-0 G. P. I.— 1,870-9-9			
Binraj Brahman	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Babonau, Henry Patrick	...	300	0	0	.....			57	10	0	242	6	0	.....	242	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Bankim Chunder Ghose	...	50	0	0	.....			33	3	6	16	12	6	.....	16	12	6	.....	Ditto.
Bholanath and Kalyan Das	...	50	0	0	.....			9	7	0	40	9	0	.....	40	9	0	.....	Ditto
Bunkoo Behary Roy	...	50	0	0	.....			.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Belletty, George	...	50	0	0	.....			2	11	6	47	4	6	.....	47	4	6	.....	Ditto
Budri Nath Khettry	...	50	0	0	.....			22	11	6	27	4	6	.....	27	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Banku Behary Dey	...	50	0	0	.....			11	0	0	39	0	0	.....	39	0	0	.....	Ditto.
											Dr. Balance—								
Bhuramull and another	...	1,029	6	1	.....			1,032	6	1	3	0	0	.....	.....			.....	Ditto.
Baijnath	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto
Bibhuti Bhusan Bhattacharjee	...	50	0	0	.....			5	11	6	44	4	6	.....	44	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Bennet, F.	...	50	0	0	.....			5	8	0	44	8	0	.....	44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Bhagwan Das Bachoo Das	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Brojendro Kumar Das Gupta	...	922	8	9	.....			78	5	6	844	3	3	.....	844	3	3	.....	Ditto.
											Dr. Balance—								
Bhubun Chunder Pal and Srimati Motimoney Dasi.		108	4	6	.....			187	2	1	78	13	7	.....	.....			.....	Ditto
Benode Behary Pal	...	61	5	6	.....			4	5	6	57	0	0	.....	57	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Burke, Walter Charles	...	4,425	4	1	2,320	7	7	405	6	5	1,699	6	1	759 11 9	939	10	4	.....	Ditto
Brojendro Nath Shaw	...	98	0	0	.....			51	4	0	46	12	0	.....	46	12	0	.....	Ditto.
Bipro Das Daw	...	594	9	6	.....			121	15	3	472	10	3	.....	472	10	3	.....	Ditto.
Boghoni, Louise	...	572	6	6	71	3	7	450	3	3	50	15	8	.....	50	15	8	.....	Ditto.
Bretton, Frederick George Augustus		200	0	0	.....			39	7	0	160	9	0	.....	160	9	0	.....	Ditto.
Betts, C. C., and H. W. Betts	...	856	2	0	.....			133	3	10	722	14	2	.....	722	14	2	.....	Ditto.
Brijoo Lall Chowdry	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Basanta Kumar Gangooly	...	330	0	0	.....			296	12	0	33	4	0	.....	33	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Balkissen Soner	...	50	0	0	.....			9	10	0	40	6	0	.....	40	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Beepin Behary Mullick	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Behary Lall Dey, Surendro Nath Roy.		50	0	0	.....			6	12	0	43	4	0	.....	43	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Barclay, Charles	... ...	50	0	0	.....			5	12	0	44	4	0	.....	44	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Benoari Lall Nath	... ...	609	15	6	.....			51	3	6	558	12	0	.....	558	12	0	.....	Ditto.
Balkissen Jhawar and others (Balkissen Srikessen and Saligram, Gunga Sahai and Balkissen)		3,591	7	0	.....			1,658	4	5	1,933	2	7	.....	1,933	2	7	.....	Ditto.
Barber, Frederick	... ...	505	6	0	.....			122	3	1	383	2	11	.....	383	2	11	.....	Ditto.
Bissessur Lall and another	...	50	0	0	.....			28	2	6	21	13	6	.....	21	13	6	.....	Ditto.

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Benarasi Das ...	1,350 0 0	.....	182 12 6	1,167 3 6	.....	1,167 3 6	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Basanta Nath Nundy and Notobor Nundy.	50 0 0	.....	4 14 0	45 2 0	.....	45 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Beepin Behary Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Bissessur Sha ...	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	.....	43 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Brojo Lall Mookerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	30 0 0	20 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Bama Churn Marik ...	50 0 0	.....	5 12 0	44 4 0	.....	44 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Binraj Nahatta ...	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	.....	43 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Bholanath Khettry ...	50 0 0	.....	6 0 0	44 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Bruchio, John Charles ...	50 0 0	.....	24 12 0	25 4 0	.....	25 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Batuk Nath and another ...	13,087 14 3	.....	33 14 3	13,054 0 0	.....	13,054 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Bunsidhur ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Baburam *alias* Bal Chand ...	50 0 0	.....	6 10 0	43 6 0	.....	43 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Basanta Kumar Sah Chowdry and others.	50 0 0	.....	8 8 0	41 8 0	.....	41 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Bhagwan Das ...	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	.....	43 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Bhagbut Chunder Nundy ...	2,402 7 9	.....	239 12 3	2,16 11 6	.....	2,162 11 6	.....	Ditto.
Bundraj Mathoomull ...	2,567 3 6	.....	330 0 5	2,237 3 1	.....	2,237 3 1	.....	Ditto.
Benode Behary Ghose and Lall Behary *alias* Lall Mohun Ghose.	50 0 0	.....	9 6 0	40 10 0	.....	40 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Bithul Das Bias ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Bridhi Chand Mohun Lall ...	88 4 3	.....	8 6 7	79 13 8	.....	79 13 8	.....	Ditto
Baney Madhub Chobay ...	50 0 0	.....	29 9 6	20 6 6	.....	20 6 6	.....	Ditto.
Bernard, A.	50 0 3	.....	6 10 0	43 6 3	.....	43 6 3	.....	Ditto.
Boswell Rupert *alias* Rupert William Boswell.	50 0 0	.....	31 15 0	18 1 0	.....	18 1 0	.....	Ditto.
Burrow, Frederick	50 0 0	.....	8 10 0	41 6 0	.....	41 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Bejoy Kumar Mozumdar ...	50 0 0	.....	10 2 6	39 13 6	.....	39 13 6	.....	Ditto.
Butchraj Nowrungrai Mati Lall Dhunraj Ghasiram and Sewprasad.	200 0 0	.....	222 2 9	Dr. Balance— 22 2 9	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Butto Kristo Dutt and another ...	50 0 0	.....	9 12 0	40 4 0	.....	40 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Benoy Kristo Banerjee and Nogendro Nath Banerjee.	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Balaki Das Benani	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	.....	43 14 0	.....	Ditto.

Bhola Nath and Kanya Lall ...	50	0	0	.....		12	10	0	37	6	0	.....		37	6	0	.....	Ditto
Bankim Chunder Sen	50	0	0	.....		9	14	0	40	2	0	.....		40	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Brachio, J. S. W. ...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Bhuramull and Rich Bal	50	0	0	.....		6	12	0	43	4	0	.....		43	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Bhaniram ...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	8	47	8	0	.....		47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Beepin Behary Bose	50	0	0	.....		17	15	0	32	1	0	.....		32	1	0	.....	Ditto.
Brij Lall Tibrawalla and another...	1,211	13	6	.....		322	8	0	889	5	6	.....		889	5	6	.....	Ditto.
Brij Mohun Serowgie ...	1,373	6	3	.....		117	15	7	1,255	6	8	.....		1,255	6	8	.....	Ditto.
Bomanjee Rostamjee ...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Brojo Nath Dutt	331	4	0	.....		8	0	0	323	4	0	.....		323	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Bhoobun Mohun Ghosh ...	50	0	0	.....		6	0	0	44	0	0	.....		44	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Bansidhur Rathia ...	50	0	0	.....		6	10	0	43	6	0	.....		43	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Baker, Charles	87	14	0	.....		16	13	5	71	0	7	.....		71	0	7	.....	Ditto.
Bitchu Lall Bhuth	50	0	0	.....		6	14	0	43	2	0	.....		43	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Ban Behary Mookerjee ...	50	0	0	.....		2	14	0	41	2	0	.....		41	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Baboo Lall Chowdry ...	50	0	0	.....		8	0	0	42	0	0	.....		42	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Bhagirathmull and Lekharam ...	65	15	6	.....		7	8	0	58	7	6	.....		58	7	6	.....	Ditto.
Bhagwandin Kalwar ...	50	0	0	.....		3	12	0	46	4	0	.....		46	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Bissessur Lall ...	69	14	3	.....		4	7	0	65	7	3	.....		65	7	3	.....	Ditto.
Bandiden Bajpai ...	50	0	0	.....		3	12	0	46	4	0	.....		46	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Ban Behary Dutt ...	50	0	0	.....		3	0	0	47	0	0	.....		47	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Bux Ellahi ...	300	0	0	.....		18	13	8	281	2	4	.....		281	2	4	.....	Ditto
Birendra Kumar Sarkar and another	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....		50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Biddle, W. H.	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....		50	0	0	.....	Ditto
Balooram Mungi Lall ...	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	4	6	.....		50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Choni Lall Bothra ...	7,060	4	0	.....		876	14	10	6,183	5	2	.....		6,183	5	2	.....	Ditto.
Carapiet, C. M. ...	50	0	0	.....		30	5	6	19	10	6	.....		19	10	6	.....	Ditto.
Chabilla Lall Bora and Rung Lall Bora.	50	0	0	.....		26	6	0	23	10	0	.....		23	10	0	.....	Ditto.
Chuni Lall Banerjee ...	195	15	10	.....		35	4	4	160	11	6	.....		160	11	6	.....	Ditto
Chooramani De ...	8,281	4	3	.....		8,160	4	10	120	15	5	.....		120	15	5	.....	Ditto.
Chiranjib Chandra Chatterjee ...	50	0	0	.....		6	8	0	43	8	0	.....		43	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Casoobhoy, D. M. ...	62,750	3	9	17,148	7	9	34,982	9	3	10,599	2	9	4,860	8	3	Dr. Balance— 85	14	7	5,824	9	1	Ditto.
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Chun Wun, G., Mr. and Mrs. ...	182	12	9	.....		55	2	2	127	10	7	.....		127	10	7	.....				Ditto.
Chim Chong ...	278	1	3	.....		22	6	5	255	10	10	.....		255	10	10	.....				Ditto.
Chogemull Serowgee ...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....		47	8	0	.....				Ditto.
Chutturbhoje, Chandi Persad ...	50	0	0	.....		21	8	0	28	8	0	.....		28	8	0	.....				Ditto.
Clifton, W. R. ...	50	0	0	.....		3	12	0	46	4	0	.....		46	4	0	.....				Ditto.
Cunha, P. R. D.' ...	50	0	0	.....		24	15	6	25	0	6	.....		25	0	6	.....				Ditto.
Chundi Churn Mullick and Joseph Francis Pereira	1,890	4	9	70	2	3	1,687	12	1	132	6	5	.....			16	3	4	116	3	1	Ditto
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Chapman E. A. ...	50	0	0	.....		8	8	0	41	8	0	.....		41	8	0	.....				Ditto.
Carapiet, Gregory ...	2,541	1	4	.....		607	3	3	1,933	14	1	.....		1,933	14	1	.....				Ditto.

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Chandi Prasad Bose and Sital Prasad Bose.	82 12 0	.....	17 14 6	64 13 6	.....	64 13 6	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Chandi Charan Rukhit ...	50 0 0	.....	6 11 6	43 4 6	.....	43 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Chunder Coomar Das ...	56 13 6	.....	4 2 11	52 10 7	.....	52 10 7	.....	Ditto.
Chandi Prosanno Bose ...	50 0 0	.....	14 9 6	35 6 6	.....	35 6 6	.....	Ditto
Cohen, D. M. ...	50 0 0	.....	25 15 0	24 1 0	.....	24 1 0	.....	Ditto
Chundy Das Pal ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Chotay Lall Poddar ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Chimnyram and Bhairodan ...	78 4 0	.....	8 12 4	69 7 8	.....	69 7 8	.....	Ditto.
Chugunmull Sepany ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Clarke, Mrs. Josephine Margaret ...	50 0 0	.....	5 11 6	44 4 6	.....	44 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Charu Chunder Ghose ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Carter, Ernest Edward ...	3,389 5 0	1,261 11 6	586 4 6	1,542 5 0	1,137 7 10	404 13 2	.....	Ditto.
Coombs, G. A. ...	132 13 0	.....	38 10 9	94 2 3	.....	94 2 3	.....	Ditto.
Cheddi Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	8 12 0	41 4 0	.....	41 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Choona Pena Superunanian Pillay ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Chiranji Lall Narsing ...	202 0 0	.....	16 0 7	185 15 5	.....	185 15 5	.....	Ditto.
Chiranji Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	29 10 0	20 6 0	.....	20 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Cohen, Solomon Victor ...	50 0 0	.....	25 12 0	24 4 0	.....	24 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Cohen, Jacob Eustace ...	50 0 0	.....	25 12 0	24 4 0	.....	24 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Cutts, John Edward ...	50 0 0	.....	20 3 0	19 13 0	.....	19 13 0	.....	Ditto.
Chandra Sekhur Ghosh ...	50 0 0	.....	3 0 0	47 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Chajjuram Rambilas ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Charles Henry Robert ...	50 0 0	.....	28 5 0	21 11 0	.....	21 11 0	.....	Ditto.
Chogemull Serowgy Keshawal and Hemi Chand Serowgy Keshawal	50 0 0	.....	4 4 0	45 12 0	.....	45 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Chogemull Binjraj ...	8,797 13 6	.....	50 15 4	8,746 14 2	.....	8,746 14 2	.....	Ditto.
Collen, Phillip Edward ...	121 10 6	.....	23 4 0	98 6 6	.....	98 6 6	.....	Ditto.
Comeran, Charles Allan ..	50 0 0	.....	6 0 0	43 10 0	.....	43 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Curryan, J. A. ...	50 0 0	.....	6 1 0	43 15 0	.....	43 15 0	.....	Ditto.
Cassim Karim ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Christian Rioland ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Cherunjee Lall ..	50 0 0	.....	6 9 0	43 7 0	.....	43 7 0	.....	Ditto.
Curryan, W. J. ...	50 0 0	.....	3 2 0	46 14 0	.....	46 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Chugun Lall Mundra ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Debendra Nath Bysack ...	51 15 3	.....	3 9 6	48 5 9	.....	48 5 9	.....	Ditto.
Dedraj *alias* Dedraj Poddar ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Dalmull Agarwalla ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Dibish Chunder Mukerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.

Dwarki Das	...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Duncan, Alfred Gerard	...	50	0	0	.....		4	13	0	45	3	0	.....	45	3	0	.....	Ditto.
Dharanidhar Dutt and others	...	152	14	9	.....		43	6	4	109	8	5	.....	109	8	5	.....	Ditto
Desbrulais, F. A. and F. P	...	50	0	0	.....		36	14	0	13	2	0	.....	13	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Douglas, Percy Howard	...	50	0	0	.....		2	11	6	47	4	6	.....	47	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Deokinandan Harlalka	...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....	44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
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Doorga Prosad Sookul	...	4,600	0	0	.....		4,619	13	0	19	13	0	.....	.....			.....	Ditto.
Dobson, S. H	...	50	0	0	.....		15	0	0	35	0	0	.....	35	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Dooly Chand Sookul	...	50	0	0	.....		5	14	0	44	2	0	.....	44	2	0	.....	Ditto.
David E. H.	...	50	0	0	.....		22	11	6	27	4	6	.....	27	4	6	.....	Ditto.
DeCruz, C. J.	...	100	0	0	.....		27	2	6	72	13	6	.....	72	13	6	.....	Ditto.
DeCruz, F.	...	50	0	0	.....		28	7	6	21	8	6	.....	21	8	6	.....	Ditto.
DeCosta, Leonard Montgomery	...	50	0	0	.....		24	4	6	25	11	6	.....	25	11	6	.....	Ditto
DeSantos, Edgar John	...	50	0	0	.....		24	0	0	26	0	0	.....	26	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Doongursi Das and another (Choony Lall and Kanaya Lall).		747	10	11	164	8	6	540	15	8	42	2	9	.....	42	2	9	.....	Ditto
Dedraj	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	
Darkonann, Theo.	...	50	0	0	.....			5	11	6	44	4	6	.....	44	4	6	.....	Ditto
Dhirendro Nath Sircar	...	80	2	3	.....			14	11	4	71	6	11	.....	71	6	11	.....	Ditto
Dumaine, L. G.	...	50	0	0	.....			22	11	6	27	4	6	.....	27	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Daniel, William Reginald	...	50	0	0	.....			26	15	0	23	1	0	.....	23	1	0	.....	Ditto.
Daniel, H. S.	...	50	0	0	.....			25	11	6	24	4	6	.....	24	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Deo Chand Nahatta	...	50	0	0	.....			2	11	6	47	4	6	.....	47	4	6	.....	Ditto.
D'Costa, Henry	...	50	0	0	.....			26	9	6	23	6	6	.....	23	6	6	.....	Ditto.
Dhurni Dhur Coomar	...	4,075	14	0	2,176	15	7	852	10	5	1,046	4	0	1,026	10	6	19	9	6	.....	Ditto.
Dulu Sing	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto
Duli Chand Bania	...	50	15	3	.....			6	8	9	44	6	6	.....	44	6	6	.....	Ditto.
Domieux, Edwin Charles	...	157	7	0	.....			133	4	6	24	2	6	.....	24	2	6	.....	Ditto.
D'Cunha, Charles Osmond	...	50	0	0	.....			26	8	6	23	7	6	.....	23	7	6	.....	Ditto.
Debi Prosad	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	...	Ditto.
DeSilva, Walter Ambrose	...	50	0	0	.....			28	7	0	21	9	0	.....	21	9	0	.....	Ditto.
DeSantos, Archibald Charles	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Dale, A. S.	...	50	0	0	.....			12	2	0	37	14	0	.....	37	14	0	.....	Ditto.
Durga Churn Pal and others	...	1,162	2	3	.....			89	1	1	1,073	1	2	.....	1,073	1	2	.....	Ditto
Davis, Leopold	...	50	0	0	.....			8	14	0	41	2	0	.....	41	2	0	.....	Ditto.
David, Thomas	...	50	0	0	.....			7	2	0	42	14	0	.....	42	14	0	.....	Ditto.
Dover, Percival John	...	50	0	0	.....			6	8	0	43	8	0	.....	43	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Dawes Sydney O'Hara	...	50	0	0	.....			9	10	0	40	6	0	.....	40	6	0	.....	Ditto
Durga Charan Khettry and Nawal Kissore Khettry.		2,402	6	9	.....			750	1	3	1,652	5	6	.....	1,652	5	6	.....	Ditto
DeCruze, Edward Joseph	...	50	0	0	.....			24	12	0	25	4	0	.....	25	4	0	.....	Ditto
Delsook Roy	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Doongarmull Kanhiya Lal	...	2,149	9	6	.....			176	9	7	1,963	7	11	.....	1,963	7	11	.....	Ditto.
Deveraun, Osmond Nicholas	...	50	0	0	.....			9	14	0	40	2	0	.....	40	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Dulal Chandra Seal and Fanindra Nath Mookerjee		50	0	0	.....			9	14	0	40	2	0	.....	40	2	0	.....	Ditto

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De'Costa, Joseph James ...	73 0 0	.....	22 4 0	50 12 0	.....	50 12 0	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
DeCruz, Robert Alpim ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Dhanaputty Nag ...	248 7 3	.....	11 3 10	237 3 5	.....	237 3 5	.....	Ditto.
Dhirendro Chandra Bose ...	50 0 0	.....	7 10 0	42 6 0	.....	42 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Dwaraka Nath De and Behary Lal Das.	483 3 9	.....	196 2 9	287 1 0	.....	287 1 0	.....	Ditto.
DeCruz, Herbert Edward ...	50 0 0	.....	3 8 0	46 8 0	.....	46 8 0	.....	Ditto.
DeSilva, E. A. ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Davis, William Arthur ...	50 0 0	.....	3 4 0	46 12 0	.....	46 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Damzen, R. M. ...	50 0 0	.....	22 10 0	27 6 0	.....	27 6 0	.....	Ditto
Durga Das Kar ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Durga Churn Bukshit ...	2,212 1 6	.....	844 3 3	1,367 14 3	.....	1,367 14 3	.....	Ditto.
Elliott, Stella Beatrice ...	934 6 9	.....	723 10 3	210 12 6	.....	210 12 6	.....	Ditto.
Esaw, George Edward ...	50 0 0	.....	22 0 0	28 0 0	.....	28 0 0	.....	Ditto
Elloy, Anthony Patrick ...	50 0 0	.....	35 9 6	14 6 6	.....	14 6 6	.....	Ditto.
Eshan, Ellahi ...	102 15 0	.....	8 14 4	94 0 8	.....	94 0 8	.....	Ditto
Edwards, S. ...	74 12 6	.....	27 7 9	47 4 9	.....	47 4 9	.....	Ditto.
Evans, Hugh Frederick ...	452 4 0	.....	54 15 9	397 4 3	.....	397 4 3	.....	Ditto.
Ellias, Miss Rachel ...	50 0 0	.....	44 6 6	5 9 6	.....	5 9 6	.....	Ditto.
Edgar Charles Sydney ...	50 0 0	.....	3 8 0	46 8 0	.....	46 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Fanindro Nath Bhattacharjee. Patiram Banerjee and Amulya Kanto Rakshit.	2,800 10 0	487 13 10	1,519 3 5	793 8 9	.....	33 9 4	759 15 5	Ditto.
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Francis, Edwin ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Fuzzle Corim Saithu ...	50 0 0	.....	25 5 6	24 10 6	.....	24 10 6	.....	Ditto.
Fawls, P. J. ...	50 0 0	.....	6 12 0	43 4 0	.....	43 4 0	.....	Ditto
Fuzzul Karim Khoja Mehta Budiyal and another.	62 9 6	.....	3 2 0	59 7 6	.....	59 7 6	.....	Ditto.
Faville, Charles Edward ...	50 0 0	.....	18 11 6	31 4 6	.....	31 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Futeh Chand Makhun Lall ...	113 11 3	.....	37 12 4	75 14 11	.....	75 14 11	.....	Ditto.
Field, Albert William Robert ...	50 0 0	.....	24 10 0	25 6 0	.....	25 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Fanindro Nath Bose ...	50 0 0	.....	5 12 0	44 4 0	.....	44 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Fleming, Esmile Terance ...	50 0 0	.....	3 10 0	47 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Futeh Chand Hazarimull ...	11,310 6 0	.....	127 6 4	11,182 15 8	.....	11,182 15 8	.....	Ditto.
Golam Hossain ...	50 0 0	.....	13 3 6	36 12 6	.....	36 12 6	.....	Ditto.

Garland, W. E. G. (Ronald Garland)	3,576 9 3	2,484 6 5	496 15 9	595 3 1	......	283 4 4	306 12 0 No. 2. D C. of 1st D. A. transferred to R. account, 11-3-9.	Ditto.
Girish Chunder Brahmananda *alias* Bhai Brahmananda.	50 0 0	......	8 10 0	41 6 0	......	41 6 0	......	Ditto
Gopal Chunder Dutt ...	624 2 9	......	161 13 10	662 4 11	......	662 4 11	......	Ditto.
Grieber, P. K. ...	50 0 0	......	25 11 6	24 4 6	......	24 4 6	......	Ditto.
Gungessur Singh and Mohabir Singh	58 12 6	......	22 15 0	35 13 6	......	35 13 6	......	Ditto.
Gopal Das Khettry ...	579 13 0	......	55 12 10	524 0 2	......	524 0 2	......	Ditto.
Gonsalves, N. J. ...	50 0 0	......	26 11 0	23 5 0	......	23 5 0	......	Ditto.
Ganendro Dutt ...	60 8 0	......	140 13 7	Dr. Balance— 80 5 7	......	......	......	Ditto.
Girindro Chunder Gooyee and others.	24,069 11 4	7,315 3 7	4,893 9 8	11,860 14 1	93 5 2	8,784 8 10	2,983 0 1 No. 2. 31-3-6 D. C. of 1st D. A. transferred to R. account 31-7-15.	Ditto.
Golam Hossain and another ...	78 0 9	......	25 4 5	52 12 4	......	52 12 4	......	Ditto.
Ganesh Chand Ash ...	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto.
Guillot, Walter Fluist ...	50 0 0	......	10 4 0	39 12 0	......	39 12 0	......	Ditto.
*Gopal Chunder Pal and Audhur Chunder Pal.	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto.
Golam Chunder Nath ...	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto.
Gurmook Roy Kadia ...	12,114 12 0	1,118 7 3	8,469 10 9	2,535 10 0	1,395 13 8	1,139 12 4	......	Ditto.
Goolap Chand Lakhani ...	10,309 10 0	4,083 9 5	4,241 7 8	1,984 8 11	1,964 6 1	20 2 10	......	Ditto.
Gopi Lall Shah Chowdry and others.	9,362 0 0	......	9,209 5 9	122 10 3	......	152 10 3	......	Ditto.
Gopal Das Khettry (No. 188 of 1911).	50 0 0	......	3 8 6	46 7 6	......	46 7 6	......	Ditto.
Gobinda Chandra Rana ...	2,428 13 7	1,659 5 9	377 8 11	391 14 11	373 8 10	18 6 1	......	Ditto.
Ganga Prosad Har Prosad (Gopinath Gulzari Lall).	4,809 8 3	793 13 4	2,709 7 7	1,126 3 4	1,111 1 1	15 2 3	......	Ditto.
Gosto Behary Mullick ...	1,131 2 9	125 6 10	143 0 3	862 11 8	768 15 4	93 12 4	......	Ditto.
Grueber, Mrs. Caroline Maria ...	50 0 0	......	26 4 0	23 12 0	......	23 12 0	......	Ditto.
Gunpat Rai ...	4,175 0 0	......	231 8 0	3,943 8 0	......	3,943 8 0	......	Ditto.
Gunpatram and others (Bal Gobind Lall Mukund Lall).	5,603 0 7	......	2,698 5 0	2,904 11 7	......	2,904 11 7	......	Ditto.
Grocer, Charles Stewart ...	594 13 6	146 10 3	56 4 10	391 14 5	......	384 14 5	7 0 0	Ditto.
Gregory, L. ...	232 5 6	......	194 15 10	37 5 8	......	37 5 8	No. 2.	Ditto.
Gangadin ...	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto.
Goberdhun Seal ...	50 0 0	......	28 3 6	21 12 6	......	21 12 6	......	Ditto.
Greengrass, C. J. ...	107 3 6	......	33 3 9	73 15 9	......	73 15 9	......	Ditto.
Gojanund ...	50 0 0	......	2 11 6	47 4 6	......	47 4 6	......	Ditto.

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Gocool Nath Dutt ...	149 3 8	.....	136 13 8	12 6 0	.....	12 6 0	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Golap Roy Woodoyeeni ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Govindram Saroogi ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Gibbons, Frederick James ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Gubbay, Nissim Joseph ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Guru Das Sil ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Gunga Bissen Harus ...	475 7 6	.....	25 4 4	450 3 2	.....	450 3 2	.....	Ditto.
Gomes, Richard ...	50 0 0	.....	6 11 6	43 4 6	.....	43 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Gomes, A. R. ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto
Gobind Prosad Bankey Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	33 15 5	16 0 7	.....	16 0 7	.....	Ditto
Gopi Kissen Bagri ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Green, C. L. ...	50 0 0	.....	8 8 0	41 8 0	.....	41 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Gobordhone Das Bagri ...	56 0 0	.....	6 6 0	43 10 0	.....	43 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Gasper, Edmund Cecil ...	50 0 0	.....	35 12 0	14 4 0	.....	14 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Ganendro Nath Neogy ...	50 0 0	.....	7 2 0	42 14 0	.....	42 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Girindro Chandra Gooyee (separate estate.)	3,464 0 10	3,431 8 11	.....	32 7 11	.....	32 7 11	.....	Ditto.
Gibbon, P. ...	50 0 0	.....	26 10 0	23 6 0	.....	23 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Gill, A. B ...	50 0 0	.....	9 12 0	40 4 0	.....	40 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Ghanesham Das ...	63 7 0	.....	9 2 0	54 5 0	.....	54 5 0	.....	Ditto.
Girish Chandra Banerjee ...	68 14 4	.....	24 6 4	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Grindall, Percival Oscar Eales ...	50 0 0	.....	29 14 0	20 2 0	.....	20 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Ganga Shaw and another ...	50 0 0	.....	7 0 0	43 0 0	.....	43 0 0	.....	Ditto.
George Manuel Joseph ...	50 0 0	.....	24 14 0	25 2 0	.....	25 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Gobinda Lall Mookerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	19 0 6	30 15 6	.....	30 15 6	.....	Ditto.
Golam Mahamad ...	50 0 0	.....	6 4 0	43 12 0	.....	43 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Ganada Prosad Ghose, deceased (Hari Das Ghose, Khetter Mohon Ghose).	7,440 9 0	.....	735 3 7	6,705 5 5	.....	6,705 5 5	.....	Ditto.
Gaya Prasad ...	50 0 0	.....	5 12 0	44 4 0	.....	44 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Gour Chand Dey ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Grand Harry ...	710 10 3	.....	26 8 0	684 2 3	.....	684 2 3	.....	Ditto.
Gobin Das Bhatia ...	1,416 3 0	.....	51 7 10	1,364 11 2	.....	1,364 11 2	.....	Ditto.
Gasper, A. J. ...	50 0 0	.....	3 2 0	46 14 0	.....	46 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Ganga Bissen Sherani ...	50 0 0	.....	3 8 0	46 8 0	.....	46 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Gour Chunder Das and Kunja Pal	294 2 0	.....	116 2 0	178 0 0	.....	178 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Gobind Chunder Guin ...	50 0 0	.....	3 0 0	47 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	Ditto.

				Dr. Balance—				
Gibb, W. N. ...	142 5 0	......	143 0 0	0 11 0	......	......	......	Ditto.
Gangadhur Agarwalla ...	50 0 0	......	3 14 0	46 2 0	......	46 2 0	......	Ditto.
Gangaram and another ...	50 0 0	......	9 6 0	40 10 0	......	40 10 0	......	Ditto.
Gorudeb Singh ...	50 0 0	......	......	50 0 0	......	50 0 0	......	Ditto.
Hari Das Mandal and Mati Lall Sett.	7,998 10 0	6,615 3 0	262 4 4	1,121 2 8	......	600 13 11	520 4 9	Ditto.
							No. 2.	
Hari Lall Sinha ...	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto.
Herman Das Mehra *alias* Hanooman Das Punjabee.	50 0 0	......	17 14 6	32 1 6	......	32 1 6	......	Ditto.
Hari Dasee Dasee ...	35,876 5 0	4,749 15 7	27,242 9 10 P. of G. P. N.— 24,066 1-10	3,883 11 7	3,406 4 1	477 7 6 G. P. N.— 25,000-0-0 G. P. L.— 1,378-2-0	......	Ditto.
Hurruck Chand and Ram Lall ...	1,880 0 0	......	501 15 8	1,378 0 4	......	1,378 0 4	......	Ditto.
Hari Podo Rukshit ...	2,688 1 3	490 14 7	840 4 8	1 356 14 0	......	508 10 5	848 3 7	Ditto.
							No. 2.	
Hanooman Bux Seetaram ...	50 0 0	......	9 1 6	40 14 6	......	40 14 6	......	Ditto.
Hadjee Noor Mahomed Abu Taleb and others.	36,741 5 7	726 12 3	42,956 5 7 P. of G. P. N.— 19,729-1-9	6,941 12 3	36 4 3	Dr. Balance— 6,978 0 6 Cr. Balance— G. P. N.— 20,000-0-0 G. P. L.— 2,040-3-0	......	Ditto.
Hridoy Nath Saha and others ...	61 4 6	......	9 2 6	52 2 0	......	52 2 0	......	Ditto
Hari Charan Ghose ...	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto.
Hazareemull Todi ...	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto
Hara Mohun Das ...	50 0 0	......	5 11 6	44 4 6	......	44 4 6	......	Ditto.
Hanuman Buks Mundra	50 0 0	......	4 11 6	45 4 6	......	45 4 6	......	Ditto.
Hafiz Golam Kader and others ...	80 8 6	......	28 3 11	52 4 7	......	52 4 7	......	Ditto.
Hadjee Noor Mahomed (Hadjee Sookul Godiel).	50 0 0	......	6 15 6	43 0 6	......	43 0 6	......	Ditto.
Hanootram Mintra ...	941 15 9	......	63 13 7	878 2 2	......	878 2 2	......	Ditto.
Hazareeram and Balkissen ..	1,270 13 6	......	868 8 9	402 4 9	......	402 4 9	......	Ditto.
Hari Ram ...	50 0 0	......	8 2 0	41 14 0	......	41 14 0	......	Ditto
Herdaram and others ...	50 0 0	......	5 11 6	44 4 6	......	44 5 6	......	Ditto.
Haji Mahomed Hafiz ...	50 0 0	......	10 0 0	40 0 0	......	40 0 0	......	Ditto.
Haji Abdullah ...	87 7 6	......	8 5 11	79 1 7	......	79 1 7	......	Ditto.
Hanuman Das ...	50 0 0	......	10 14 0	39 2 0	......	39 2 0	......	Ditto.
Habib Isac ...	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto.
Hafiz Bux Elahizul Karim Nagmull Huq.	83 1 3	......	63 5 8	19 11 7	......	19 11 7	......	Ditto.
Henderson, G. F. ...	50 0 0	......	24 12 0	25 4 0	......	25 4 0	......	Ditto.
Hefferan, Albert Edward ...	17,976 8 4	14,322 5 4	1,049 7 0	2,604 12 0	508 6 6	2,096 5 6	......	Ditto.
Hendriks Frank St. A. ...	50 0 0	......	25 4 0	24 12 0	......	24 12 0	......	Ditto.
Hodge, C. E. ...	173 11 9	......	46 9 11	127 1 10	......	127 1 10	......	Ditto

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Hirdoy Nath Ghose ...	50 0 0	.....	8 14 0	41 2 0	.....	41 2 0	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Hira Lall Nag and Gagon Chunder Nag.	712 1 9	.....	61 10 7	650 7 2	.....	650 7 2	.....	Ditto.
Hill, Percy ...	50 0 0	.....	5 12 0	44 4 0	.....	44 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Harvey, Henry Fortesene ...	50 0 0	.....	25 0 0	25 0 0	.....	25 0 0	.....	Ditto
Hari Das Ghose and Lalit Mohan Ghose	302 0 10	.....	23 5 7	278 11 3	.....	278 11 3	.....	Ditto
Holt, H. C. ...	78 3 5	.....	53 11 5	24 8 0	.....	24 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Hurry Churn Sen, and Gour Churn Law.	45,321 10 10 Represents Sale of G. P. N.— 13,887-9-10 G. P. L.— 235-0-4	.....	44,950 10 11 P of G. P. N.— 14,640-11-2	370 15 11	.....	370 15 11	.....	Ditto.
Hari Ram and Sreenarain ...	22,296 4 9	.....	6 6 0	22,289 14 9	.....	22,289 14 9	.....	Ditto.
Hamiruddin Haldar ...	171 0 9	.....	19 12 10	151 3 11	.....	151 3 11	.....	Ditto.
Hera Lall Johurry ...	50 0 0	.....	10 4 0	39 12 0	.....	39 12 0	.....	Ditto
Hira Lall Baheti ...	50 0 0	.....	10 10 0	39 6 0	.....	39 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Haydn, W. ...	50 0 0	.....	24 8 0	25 8 0	.....	25 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Hari Har Mookerjee ...	1,151 12 0	.....	658 5 4	493 6 8	.....	493 3 8	.....	Ditto.
Hadji Latiff Hadji Tar Mahamed...	50 0 0	.....	6 10 0	43 6 0	.....	43 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Hill, William Gidder ...	50 0 0	.....	25 0 0	25 0 0	.....	25 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Hari Das Pal ...	693 14 6	.....	40 14 7	652 15 11	.....	652 15 11	.....	Ditto
Hardinge, William Osmond ...	90 1 6	.....	23 12 0	66 5 6	.....	66 5 6	.....	Ditto.
Hill, Mrs. Mary ...	50 0 0	.....	7 0 0	43 0 0	.....	43 0 0	.....	Ditto
Hazarimull ...	50 0 0	.....	10 0 0	40 0 0	.....	40 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Hoppen, Samuel ...	7,290 4 3	4,208 13 4	1,332 7 3	1,748 15 8	980 9 0	768 6 8	.....	Ditto
Hart, Osmand Ignatio ...	50 0 0	.....	29 15 0	20 1 0	.....	20 1 0	.....	Ditto.
Hari Das Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	6 0 0	44 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Hogan, Charles Hendry Cecil ...	50 0 0	.....	26 9 0	23 7 0	.....	23 7 0	.....	Ditto.
Hara Gouri Sunkur Singh ...	50 0 0	.....	3 2 0	46 14 0	.....	46 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Hur Kissen and Deo Kissen ...	50 0 0	.....	4 0 0	46 0 0	.....	46 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Hem Chunder Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	19 12 0	30 4 0	.....	30 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Henderson, W. S. ...	158 13 6	.....	26 3 7	132 9 11	.....	132 9 11	.....	Ditto.
Hira Lall, Mungi Lall, Gunput Rai, Sagurmull and Radha Kissen.	50 0 0	.....	29 14 0	20 2 0	.....	20 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Hemanta Kumar Ghose ...	50 0 0	.....	3 8 0	46 8 0	.....	46 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Hains, H. G. ...	50 0 0	.....	22 14 0	27 2 0	.....	27 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Hanuman Bux Bhudermull ...	50 0 0	.....	3 10 0	46 6 0	.....	46 6 0	.....	Ditto.

Hurry Pado Chuckerbutty ...	50 0 0	.....	3 0 0	47 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Hayes, John Hill Mcballay ...	50 0 0	.....	19 0 0	31 0 0	.....	31 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Haradhone Kundoo and Ram Lall Kundoo.	300 0 0	.....	15 4 0	284 12 0	.....	284 12 0	.....	Ditto.
				Dr. Balance—				
Issur Chunder Shaw and another ...	50 0 0	.....	99 8 0	49 8 0	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Ijad Bux	597 11 3	.....	109 11 7	487 15 8	.....	487 15 8	.....	Ditto.
Issur Das Agarwala ...	50 0 0	.....	7 8 3	42 7 9	.....	42 7 9	.....	Ditto.
Inglis, Frederick Dunbar ...	50 0 0	.....	29 5 0	20 11 0	.....	20 11 0	.....	Ditto.
Indu Bhusun Lahiri ...	50 0 0	.....	9 4 0	40 12 0	.....	40 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Inder Chand Serowgi ...	630 9 9	.....	74 7 9	556 2 0	.....	556 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Ignatio, Ernest Vivian ...	50 0 0	.....	25 12 0	24 4 0	.....	24 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Indu Bhusun Nag ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Ishan Chunder Sarkar, Gobinda Chunder Sarkar and Kherode Chunder Sarkar.	50 0 0	.....	10 0 0	40 0 0	.....	40 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Jogendro Nath Mookerjee 70 of 1910.	5,987 10 10	4,292 15 9	1,012 4 7	682 6 6	.....	323 15 10	358 6 8	Ditto.
							No. 2. 77-3-10 D. C. of D. transferred to E.	
Jnanendro Nath Chowdry ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Jnanendro Nath Banerjee ...	115 11 0	.....	13 15 11	101 11 1	.....	101 11 1	.....	Ditto.
Jones, C. M. ...	538 4 0	.....	76 14 1	461 5 11	.....	461 5 11	.....	Ditto.
Jagat Chand Bural ...	50 0 0	.....	16 14 6	33 1 6	.....	33 1 6	.....	Ditto.
Jugrup Sing ...	50 0 0	.....	3 8 0	46 8 0	.....	46 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Jelowitz and others, Frederick Charles.	2,469 0 3	1,552 9 11	321 7 2	594 15 2	.....	477 14 11	117 0 3	Ditto.
							No. 2.	
Jewan Das Jhawar ...	43,448 11 9	1,475 5 6	47,959 12 2 P. of G. P. N.— 19,234-8-1	5,986 5 11	20 0 0	Dr. Balance— 6,025 5 2 G. P. N.— 20,000-0-0 G. P. I.— 680-1-2.	55 15 3	Ditto.
							No. 2. 3 D. C. of S. W. transferred to R. account.	
						Cr. Balance.		
Jones, C. ...	50 0 0	.....	26 4 6	23 11 6	.....	23 11 6	.....	Ditto.
Johur Sing Punjabee ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Jotindro Mohun Pal ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Johur Lall Sen ...	50 0 0	.....	9 8 6	40 7 6	.....	40 7 6	.....	Ditto
Jogendro Nath Banerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	8 5 6	41 10 0	.....	41 10 6	.....	Ditto.
Joydeo Churiwala ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Jogendro Nath Mookerjee (166 of 1912).	50 0 0	.....	8 13 6	41 2 6	.....	41 2 6	.....	Ditto.
Jotindro Nath Coondu ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Jogesh Chunder Goan and others	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Jesraj Sikhanee ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.

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		Dividends paid.	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Juggeswar Chatterjee *alias* Juggeswar Sarkhel, Nafar Chunder Chatterjee *alias* Nafar Chunder Sarkhel, and Abinash Chunder Chatterjee *alias* Abinash Chunder Sarkhel (Ram Chunder Chatterjee and Sons).	590 8 0	.....	140 7 5	450 0 7	.....	450 0 7	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Jasada Lall Pal ...	50 0 0	.....	3 12 0	46 4 0	.....	46 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Joharmull Agarwalla ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Jotindro Nath Ghose ...	50 0 0	.....	25 15 0	24 1 0	.....	24 1 0	.....	Ditto.
Juggernath Saboo ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Judhistir Lall Shaw ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Jeebun Krishna Banerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	9 12 0	40 4 0	.....	40 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Jolly, Raymono William ...	2,712 11 0	1,061 14 2	1,219 1 1	431 11 9	334 1 1	97 10 8	.....	Ditto.
Jogendra Nath Mukherjee (II) 73 of 1913.	50 0 0	.....	12 13 3	37 2 6	.....	37 2 6	.....	Ditto.
Jones, John Richard ...	50 0 0	.....	11 5 0	38 11 0	.....	38 11 0	.....	Ditto.
Jagar Deo Shaw ...	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	...	43 14 0	.....	Ditto
Jotindro Nath Banerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	6 0 0	44 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Joyram Das Kagriwalla ...	50 0 0	.....	27 2 0	22 14 0	.....	22 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Jagannath Prasad and Gaur Brahman.	50 0 0	.....	8 12 0	41 4 0	.....	41 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Jatharam ...	50 0 0	.....	18 7 0	31 9 0	.....	31 9 0	.....	Ditto.
Jumna Das ...	118 12 0	.....	9 15 0	108 13 0	.....	108 13 0	.....	Ditto.
Jacob Saul ...	51 10 6	.....	9 15 3	41 11 3	.....	41 11 3	.....	Ditto.
Jogendra Nath Ghosh ...	50 0 0	.....	6 6 0	43 10 0	.....	43 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Jumna Das and another ...	50 10 6	.....	10 6 0	40 4 6	.....	40 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Joy Gobinda Shaha ...	50 0 0	.....	9 6 0	40 10 0	.....	40 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Jollodhur Shaw and Hollodhur Shaw.	50 0 0	.....	23 15 6	26 0 6	.....	26 0 6	.....	Ditto.
Jetmull Indra Chand ...	2,181 15 6	.....	208 8 1	1,973 7 5	.....	1,973 7 5	.....	Ditto.
Jawala Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	6 0 0	44 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Jitendra Mohun Chuckerbutty ...	50 0 0	.....	6 10 0	43 6 0	.....	43 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Jaskaran Sanaot ...	50 0 0	.....	6 10 0	43 6 0	.....	43 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Jotindro Nath Gupta ...	50 0 0	.....	37 10 0	12 6 0	.....	12 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Jogendra Nath Bose ...	50 0 0	.....	9 4 0	40 12 0	.....	40 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Joy Chand (Joy Chand Lilladhur)	50 0 0	.....	5 14 0	44 2 0	.....	44 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Jadu Lall Mullik ...	50 0 0	.....	6 0 0	44 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	Ditto.

Jotindro Nath De ...	50 0 0	.....	3 4 0	46 12 0	.....	46 12 0	.....	Ditto
Jeeraj Bridhi Chand (Bridhi Chand Protapmull.)	8,128 6 9	.....	122 5 9	006 1 0	.....	8,006 1 0	.....	Ditto.
Jitmull Barana Hungshraj Barana, Puran Chand Barana.	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Jhen Chand Jewunmull ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Jones, C. ...	50 0 0	.....	19 0 0	31 0 0	.....	31 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Jackson, St. John Harvey ...	50 0 0	.....	3 0 0	47 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Jogendra Nath Bondopadhyay ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Krishna Chunder Saha and others	150 0 0	.....	20 2 0	129 14 0	.....	129 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Khalilur Rohaman ...	50 0 0	.....	24 8 0	25 8 0	.....	25 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Kedar Nath Sen ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Keshab Lal Sikdar ...	50 0 0	.....	25 1 0	24 15 0	.....	24 15 0	.....	Ditto.
Khirode Chandra Mullick ...	50 0 0	.....	21 10 0	28 6 0	.....	28 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Khetsee Das ...	60 3 3	.....	10 0 1	50 3 2	.....	50 3 2	.....	Ditto.
Kedar Nath Acharjee, Seo Karan Acharjee and Sitaram Jalan	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Kasi Nath Banerjee and others ...	8,394 4 11	5,720 2 3	1,195 13 5	1,478 5 8	.....	524 7 7	953 13 8	Ditto.
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Kanhai Lall and others ...	50 0 0	.....	20 6 0	29 10 0	.....	29 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Kally Nath Mookerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	9 0 0	41 0 0	.....	41 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Kedar Nath ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
				Dr. Balance—				
Kanai Lall Sinha ...	50 0 0	.....	123 2 0	73 2 0	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Khagendro Nath Banerjee ...	803 15 9	.....	741 3 2	62 12 7	.....	62 12 7	.....	Ditto.
Kunjo Behary Sen and Ram Chunder Sen	12,753 2 0	.....	757 13 8	11,995 4 9	.....	11,995 4 9	.....	Ditto.
Kissory Mohun Roy (Shah) ...	50,310 6 9	.....	9,462 14 11	40,847 7 10	.....	40,847 7 10	.....	Ditto.
Kanya Lall Ghunesham Das ...	74 7 4	.....	32 8 6	41 14 10	.....	41 14 10	.....	Ditto.
Kristo Kissore Audhicari and others (M. L. Laik and Banerjee).	8,27,409 14 1	4,12,898 8 9	4,01,991 2 6 P. of G. P. N.— 3,20,163-16-4	12,520 2 10	.....	12,520 2 10 G. P. N.— 1,00,000-0-0 G. P. I.— 3 400 5-4.	.....	Ditto.
				Dr. Balance—				
Kalluram ...	156 13 0	.....	264 2 11	107 5 11	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Kaluram Hira Lall (Choitram Moti Lall).	50 0 0	.....	9 4 6	40 11 6	.....	40 11 6	.....	Ditto.
				Dr. Balance—				
Khedairam Bedairam ...	50 0 0	.....	90 9 0	40 9 0	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Khetish Chunder Deb Roy ...	50 0 0	.....	44 6 6	5 9 6	.....	5 9 6	.....	Ditto.
Kanai Lall Shaha and others ...	50 0 0	.....	3 8 0	46 8 0	.....	46 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Kanhya Lall Ram Charan ...	95 15 0	.....	6 10 9	89 4 3	.....	89 4 3	.....	Ditto.
Kedar Nath and others ...	50 0 0	.....	9 14 6	40 1 6	.....	40 1 6	.....	Ditto.
Ketokey Charan Banerjee and others (A. C. Chatterjee & Co.).	19,105 2 8	.....	3,946 3 3	15,158 15 0	.....	15,158 15 0	.....	Ditto.
Kanya Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Kumudini Dasi ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Karim Bux ...	134 10 3	.....	7 13 8	126 12 7	.....	126 12 7	.....	Ditto.

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		Dividends paid.	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Kumud Nath Mookerjee ...	994 9 5	.....	72 15 1	921 10 4	.....	921 10 4	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Kerwan, William David ...	50 0 0	.....	2 11 6	47 4 6	.....	47 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Kristo Dhone Mukerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Kum Karan Dharwa ...	50 0 0	.....	3 8 0	46 8 0	.....	46 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Kartick Prosad Khettry ...	50 0 0	.....	6 11 6	43 4 6	.....	43 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Khemkurn Deo Khemka ...	50 0 0	.....	6 10 0	43 6 0	.....	43 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Kedar Nath Roy Chowdry ...	155 12 0	.....	131 14 0	23 14 0	.....	23 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Kali Das Biswas ...	9,589 5 4	.....	581 0 11	9,008 4 5	.....	9,008 4 5	.....	Ditto.
Kailas Chunder Das ...	50 0 0	.....	6 10 0	43 6 0	.....	43 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Kali Charan Dutta ...	487 3 6	.....	21 2 4	466 1 2	.....	466 1 2	.....	Ditto.
Khetter Mohan Neogy ...	157 5 3	.....	11 5 10	145 15 5	.....	145 15 5	.....	Ditto.
Kanayha Lall Provu Doyal and Madho Prasad.	50 0 0	.....	21 6 0	28 10 0	.....	28 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Kendrick, C. ...	50 0 0	.....	26 0 0	24 0 0	.....	24 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Kalica Prosad and another ...	50 0 0	.....	6 4 0	43 12 0	.....	43 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Kanaiya Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	9 12 0	40 4 0	.....	40 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Kiran Nath Biswas and others ...	50 0 0	.....	6 13 6	43 2 6	.....	43 2 6	.....	Ditto.
Khoda Bux ...	370 4 6	.....	26 0 2	344 4 4	.....	344 4 4	.....	Ditto.
Kader Bux ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Kissenlall Lundhiya ...	50 0 0	.....	13 7 0	36 9 0	.....	36 9 0	.....	Ditto.
King, Horace Templeton ...	50 0 0	.....	25 8 0	24 8 0	.....	24 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Kramer, Wana ...	50 0 0	.....	6 4 0	43 12 0	.....	43 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Kanhya Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	2 11 6	47 4 6	.....	47 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Kagel, H. E. ...	52 0 0	.....	26 13 1	25 2 11	.....	1 2 11	24 0 0	Ditto.
Kiran Kumar Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	5 14 0	44 2 0	.....	44 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Kanairam Harlalka, Dilsook Roy Harlalka (Mohunlal Rung Lal).	85 9 6	.....	7 11 7	77 13 11	.....	77 13 11	.....	Ditto.
Kustoon Chand ...	50 0 0	.....	3 12 0	46 4 0	.....	46 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Krishna Nath Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	3 2 0	46 14 0	.....	46 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Kedar Nath Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	3 2 0	46 14 0	.....	46 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Karim Moosa ...	28,529 1 6	.....	741 15 2	27,787 2 4	.....	27,787 2 4	.....	Ditto.
Kaluram and another ...	50 0 0	.....	4 4 0	45 12 0	.....	45 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Kartick Chundra Chatterjee ...	50 0 0	.....	4 2 0	45 14 0	.....	45 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Kanahia Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	3 0 0	47 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Lall Mohun Saha, Satya Palin Saha and Monohur Lall Saha.	50 0 0	.....	23 0 0	27 0 0	.....	27 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Lobh Chand Mahata ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.

Lachman Das ...	350 0 0	.....	205 11 6	144 4 6	.....	144 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Lucas, James Michoo, and Charles John Lucas.	44,890 10 9 (18,490-2-6 Represents sale of G. P. Notes and G. P. L.— 390-1-3)	773 11 6	42,631 0 0 P. of G. P. N.— 19,290-0-0	1,485 15 3	.....	1,170 14 3	315 1 0 No 2.	Ditto.
Levi, Joseph Victor ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Lalljeemull Chobay ...	50 0 0	.....	5 11 6	44 4 6	.....	44 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Littlewood, T. W. ...	50 0 0	.....	21 8 0	28 8 0	.....	28 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Lakmi Chand ...	234 0 9	.....	189 12 3	44 4 6	.....	44 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Lab Chand Benani ...	101 11 0	.....	10 10 7	91 0 5	.....	91 0 5	.....	Ditto.
Lewis, Joseph Andrew Hamil Farfau	50 0 0	.....	22 5 6	27 10 6	.....	27 10 6	.....	Ditto.
Loonkurn Kaluram ...	50 0 0	.....	6 4 0	43 12 0	.....	43 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Luchmi Narain Muroo, Ram Bilas Muroo and Sagoremull.	50 0 0	.....	6 12 0	43 4 0	.....	43 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Lancaster, L. E ...	50 0 0	.....	9 4 0	40 12 0	.....	40 12 0	.....	Ditto
				Dr. Balance—				
Lakhi Kanto Sen ...	728 2 9	.....	736 13 2	8 10 5	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Lalit Mohan Pal ...	158 0 0	.....	84 12 9	73 3 3	.....	73 3 3	.....	Ditto.
Lee, George Thomas Hutteman ...	50 0 0	.....	15 7 6	34 8 6	.....	34 8 6	.....	Ditto
Langley, Frederick Liddle ...	431 5 3	.....	49 13 0	381 8 3	.....	381 8 3	.....	Ditto.
Lall Behary Shaha and others ...	54 6 0	.....	25 0 0	29 6 0	.....	29 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Luchminarain Mundra ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Lakshminarain Roy ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Moses, Elias ..	50 0 0	.....	24 14 0	25 2 0	.....	25 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Mool Chand, Gridhur Das and Gool Das.	205 15 6	.....	121 8 5	84 7 1	.....	84 7 1	.....	Ditto.
Madan Chand Deep Chand ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Merwan, K. P., and another ...	507 2 3	.....	159 7 0	347 11 3	.....	347 11 3	.....	Ditto.
Moogi Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Magnum Osmond James ...	50 0 0	.....	23 7 0	26 9 0	.....	26 9 0	.....	Ditto.
Manmotho Nath Dey and others (No. 75 of 1911).	50 0 0	.....	8 11 6	41 4 6	.....	41 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Misri Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Mool Chand Serangee ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
				Dr. Balance—				
Manmatha Nath Dey (No. 156 of 1911).	57 8 0	.....	64 11 6	7 3 6	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Mahomed Amin and others (Gulam Kadir and Soudaiddin) (No. 146 of 1911).	676 1 9	.....	73 10 10	602 6 11	.....	602 6 11	.....	Ditto.
Mohadeb Prosad Poddar ...	1,228 11 3	.....	258 6 1	1,030 5 2	.....	1,030 5 2	.....	Ditto.
Madhoo Soodun Shaw Chowdry and Durga Churn Shaw Chowdry.	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Muller, A. R. C. ...	85 4 6	.....	27 12 8	57 7 10	.....	57 7 10	.....	Ditto.
Mutty Lall Kundu and Mukunda Lall Kundu.	82,789 5 0	46,222 3 0	24,205 0 8 P. of G. P. N.— 19,351-10-7	12,362 1 4	1,916 15 0	10,445 2 4 G. P. N.— 90,000. G. P. L.— 1,880-2-4	.....	Ditto.

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		Dividends paid.	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Mahadeo Lall ..	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Mooraliram Khandya and Topan Ram Khandya (Moorali Topan).	455 12 6	.....	66 10 7	389 1 11	.....	389 1 11	.....	Ditto.
Mason ...	154 3 9	.....	8 10 10	145 8 11	.....	145 8 11	.....	Ditto.
Muilholland, William Henry ...	50 0 0	.....	2 12 0	47 4 0	.....	47 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Mirmull Kapur and others ...	50 0 0	.....	6 14 6	43 1 6	.....	43 1 6	.....	Ditto.
Mahatap Chand Boid ...	50 0 0	.....	22 8 0	27 8 0	.....	27 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Mungtu Ram ...	50 0 0	.....	5 11 6	44 4 6	.....	44 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Mahomed Abdul Ghoffoor ...	50 0 0	.....	26 15 6	23 0 6	.....	23 0 6	.....	Ditto.
Mutty Lall Barooah ...	50 0 0	.....	2 11 6	47 4 6	.....	47 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Mahadeo Khemka and Ram Bilas Khemka.	50 0 0	.....	34 10 0	15 6 0	.....	15 6 0	.....	Ditto
Mutty Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	2 11 6	47 4 6	.....	47 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Manley, William David Hitchins ...	50 0 0	.....	6 11 6	43 4 6	.....	43 4 6	.....	Ditto
Mahomed Shaw ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Madhojee Purshotom ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Mushiah, Issac Hyam ...	50 0 0	.....	9 4 6	40 11 6	.....	40 11 6	.....	Ditto.
Maklum Lall Coondoo ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Manmatha Nath Moitro ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto
Mirza Ahamed Ispahany ...	50 0 0	.....	5 11 6	44 4 6	.....	44 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Mitchell, George Greig ...	60,429 8 8	5,5 91 2 2	42,397 15 9 P. of G. P. N.— 28,752-6-0	12,440 6 9	10,467 5 5	1,973 1 4	.....	Ditto.
Mahomed Abbas Mahomed Farook and others.	60 13 9	...	5 2 2	55 11 7	.....	55 11 7	...	Ditto.
Megraj and others ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto
Moxon, Herbert Hamlin ...	50 0 0	.....	5 11 6	44 4 6	.....	44 4 6	.....	Ditto
Mal Chand Karum Chand ...	53 10 0	.....	19 15 10	33 10 2	.....	33 10 2	.....	Ditto.
Madhub Prosad Agarwalla ...	84 0 9	.....	31 11 2	52 5 7	.....	52 5 7	.....	Ditto.
Mugunmull and Mohadeb ...	50 0 0	.....	3 4 0	46 12 0	.....	46 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Mulam Chand Bora ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Murlidhar and three others (Badur Mull Hunnuthram, Sew Dutt Roy, Bansidhur Juggernath).	50 0 0	.....	132 1 0	Dr. Balance— 82 1 0	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Mull Chand Jhawar ...	50 0 0	.....	4 13 6	45 2 6	.....	45 2 6	.....	Ditto.
Mohini Mohan Kar ...	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	.....	43 14 0	.....	Ditto.

Mahadeo *alias* Mahadeo Marwari...	50	0	0	.....	5	12	0	44	4	0	.....	44	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Mohun Lall Agarwalla ...	50	0	0	.....	28	9	0	21	7	0	.....	21	7	0	.....	Ditto
Megraj and another ...	50	0	0	.....	6	14	0	43	2	0	.....	43	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Meik, Mrs. Elizabeth Alexander Edith.	50	0	0	.....	28	15	6	21	0	6	.....	21	0	6	.....	Ditto.
Manick Lal Mullick ...	50	0	0	.....	6	4	0	43	12	0	.....	43	12	0	.....	Ditto.
McMurray, R. J. ...	51	0	6	.....	27	8	6	23	8	0	.....	23	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Madan Lall Mohemi ...	50	0	0	.....	9	8	0	40	8	0	.....	40	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Mahomed Taki ...	50	0	0	.....	9	8	0	40	8	0	.....	40	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Mal Chand Kunamull, Chautmull Bora and Mungul Chand Hirawat	99	2	9	.....	21	1	4	78	1	5	.....	78	1	5	.....	Ditto.
McLean, George ...	50	0	0	.....	29	9	6	20	6	6	.....	20	6	6	.....	Ditto.
Mussai Kahar ...	50	0	0	.....	6	4	0	43	12	0	.....	43	12	0	.....	Ditto
Mathura Sha ...	62	6	9	.....	10	7	10	51	14	11	.....	51	14	11	.....	Ditto.
Manna Lall Goenka ...	50	0	0	.....	6	4	0	43	12	0	.....	43	12	0	.....	Ditto.
Monnier, Charles Sinclair ...	50	0	0	.....	25	14	0	24	2	0	.....	24	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Milcham, Charles Edward ...	55	0	0	.....	29	5	0	25	11	0	.....	25	11	0	.....	Ditto.
M. K. A. I. Mahamed Shaik Abdul Kader.	50	0	0	.....	6	0	0	44	0	0	.....	44	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Marshall, William Newbold ...	2,170	8	0	.....	231	11	5	1,938	12	7	.....	1,938	12	7	.....	Ditto.
Manmatha Nath Bysack ..	50	0	0	.....	9	8	0	40	8	0	.....	40	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Miron Saoo ...	613	0	6	.....	34	2	5	578	14	1	.....	578	14	1	.....	Ditto.
Moore, E. A. ...	50	0	0	.....	30	13	0	19	3	0	.....	19	3	0	.....	Ditto.
Manindro Chunder Seal ...	50	0	0	.....	9	6	0	40	10	0	.....	40	10	0	.....	Ditto.
Madhusoodan, Bhaba Tarun and Bhut Nath Naudi	2,327	14	3	.....	55	13	10	2,272	0	5	.....	2,272	0	5	.....	Ditto
Mohabir Singh	50	0	0	.....	6	8	0	43	8	0	.....	43	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Mati Lall Jajoo	50	0	0	.....	6	10	0	43	6	0	.....	43	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Monvier, George Alwin Monvier ...	50	0	0	.....	25	0	0	25	0	0	.....	25	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Mitchell, Frank	50	0	0	.....	8	14	0	41	2	0	.....	41	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Mulholland, William Henry ...	50	0	0	.....	5	12	0	44	4	0	.....	44	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Mohabook Khan	50	0	0	.....	10	8	0	39	8	0	.....	39	8	0	.....	Ditto
Mohadeo Khemka	50	0	0	.....	5	8	0	44	8	0	.....	44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Mookram Serangi	50	0	0	.....	29	5	2	20	10	10	.....	20	10	10	.....	Ditto
Mohim Chunder Johur and others	696	6	0	.....	191	4	6	505	0	6	.....	505	0	6	.....	Ditto.
Manmatha Nath Dey and Brojo Durlav Bose.	777	15	0	.....	59	5	6	718	9	6	.....	718	9	6	.....	Ditto.
Megraj Settia	50	0	0	.....	6	8	0	43	8	0	.....	43	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Mookaram Serowgy, Brij Mohan Serowgy.	359	10	0	.....	.....			359	10	0	.....	359	10	0	.....	Ditto.
Mercado, Geral Wilford ...	50	0	0	.....	6	2	0	43	14	0	.....	43	14	0	.....	Ditto.
Maganmull	50	0	0	.....	3	14	0	46	2	0	.....	46	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Memraj Muralidhar	100	0	0	.....	.....			100	0	0	.....	100	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Mahabir Prosad and Hanuman Prosad.	50	0	0	.....	.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
McCready, William Cecil ...	50	0	0	.....	6	8	0	43	8	0	.....	43	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Madan Chobay	50	0	0	.....	6	14	0	43	2	0	.....	43	2	0	.....	Ditto.

Estates	Whole amount of receipts	Whole Disbursements. Dividends paid.	Whole Disbursements. Other payments	Balance	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable	Net balance.	Transfers to unclaimed dividend account under Rule 175 of the P T. I. Act of 1909.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
	Rs. A. P	Rs A P	Rs. A. P	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	
Megraj Boid	50 0 0	.....	3 12 0	46 4 0	.....	46 4 0	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Mahadeb Lall Sew Narain ...	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Moti Lall Soorana	50 0 0	.....	3 14 0	46 2 0	.....	46 2 0	.....	Ditto
Mohun Lall Khannah ...	822 9 3	.....	4 3 0	818 6 3	.....	818 6 3	.....	Ditto
Meredith, Henry	50 0 0	.....	.....	50 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Mohadeo and Chotay Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	3 14 0	46 2 0	.....	46 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Mohamed Goul Muhamed Syed ...	50 0 0	.....	3 14 0	46 2 0	.....	46 2 0	.....	Ditto
Mohim Chunder Roy ...	50 0 0	.....	3 10 0	46 6 0	.....	46 6 0	.....	Ditto
Mohan Lall and others (Nanuk Ram Hursook Rai).	850 0 0	.....	10 15 0	839 1 0	.....	839 1 0	.....	Ditto
Munna Lall Mundra, Chuggun Lall Moondra and Luchminarain Mundra.	100 0 0	.....	.....	100 0 0	.....	100 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Manuel, A. S.	50 0 0	.....	21 14 0	28 2 0	.....	28 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Mahomed Isaak	50 0 0	.....	3 10 0	46 6 0	.....	46 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Mangobind Panda Lokenath Panda and Bimbadhar Panda.	50 0 0	.....	0 2 0	49 14 0	.....	49 14 0	.....	Ditto.
							24 3 2	
Narain Das Doyal (2nd) ...	4,557 4 9	2,111 12 4	1,403 9 10	1,041 14 7	.....	.....	1,017 11 5	Ditto.
							No. 2.	
Nishi Kanto Banerjee ...	812 8 0	.....	240 2 6	572 5 6	.....	572 5 6	.....	Ditto
Nahapiet, M. M. ...	4,552 6 10	.....	2,416 1 4	2,136 5 6	.....	2,136 5 6	.....	Ditto.
Nemy Churn Sen ...	401 15 8	.....	31 11 1	370 4 7	.....	370 4 7	.....	Ditto.
Nundo Lall Saha ...	1,653 11 0	.....	383 0 7	1,270 10 5	.....	1,270 10 5	.....	Ditto.
Nerode Nath Mookerjee ...	10,125 0 0	.....	1,963 12 6	8,161 3 6	.....	8,161 3 6	.....	Ditto
Nritya Gopal Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	11 4 0	38 12 0	.....	38 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Nritya Gopal Mitter ...	107 4 9	.....	25 5 4	81 15 5	.....	81 15 5	.....	Ditto.
Nreepal Chunder Banerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	2 11 6	47 4 6	.....	47 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Narain Chunder Mookerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
				Dr. Balance—				
Nogendro Nath Pramanick (N. N. Pramanick & Co.).	50 0 0	.....	101 11 6	51 11 6	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Nepal Chunder Sanyal ...	50 0 0	.....	31 1 0	18 15 0	.....	18 15 0	.....	Ditto.
Nogendro Nath Sen ...	233 4 6	.....	32 13 10	200 6 8	.....	200 6 8	.....	Ditto.
Narayan Chunder Bose ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Norendro Nath Gupta ...	50 0 0	.....	10 2 6	39 13 6	.....	39 13 6	.....	Ditto.
Nundo Lall Shaw ...	50 0 0	.....	9 10 0	40 6 0	.....	40 6 0	.....	Ditto.

Narendra Nath Sirkar	...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Nakul Chunder Bose	...	52	1	0	.....		8	6	1	43	10	11	.....	43	10	11	.....	Ditto.
N. C. and A. T. Mazumdar	...	375	0	0	.....		25	12	0	349	4	0	.....	349	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Norendro Kumar Dutt	...	421	1	4	.....		80	3	10	340	13	6	.....	340	13	6	.....	Ditto.
										Dr. Balance—								
Nahapiet, Gregory	...	4,706	8	4	.....		5,034	0	5	527	8	1	.....	.....			.....	Ditto.
Norman, Charles Montague	...	725	11	9	.....		139	5	10	586	5	11	.....	586	5	11	.....	Ditto.
Nani Lall Dutt	...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Narendro Nath Pal	...	50	0	0	.....		6	8	0	43	8	0	.....	43	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Netai Chunn Ghose	...	50	0	0	.....		10	6	0	39	10	0	.....	39	10	0	.....	Ditto.
Nogendro Nath Chatterjee	...	50	0	0	.....		13	8	0	36	8	0	.....	36	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Nripendro Natu Sen	...	50	0	0	.....		2	11	6	27	4	6	.....	27	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Netai Churn Sen	...	300	0	0	.....		15	0	0	285	0	0	.....	285	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Nahapiet Seth Nahapiet and another (Nahapiet Arshacooney & Co.).	...	1,352	8	7	208	8	0	779	13	8	364	2	11	.....	364	2	11	.....	Ditto.
Nursing Prasad Pitty	...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....	44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
N Ghose & Co.	...	350	0	3	.....		24	10	0	325	6	3	.....	325	6	3	.....	Ditto.
Natimaull	...	50	0	0	.....		6	10	0	43	6	0	.....	43	6	0	.....	Ditto
Niranjun Ghose and another	...	475	5	10	.....		423	0	11	52	4	11	.....	52	4	11	.....	Ditto.
Nibaran Chunder Pal	...	172	1	11	.....		46	6	9	125	11	2	.....	125	11	2	.....	Ditto.
Nim Chand Surana *alias* Nemai Chand Surana.	...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....	44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Nogendro Nath Dawn	...	50	0	0	.....		3	8	9	46	8	0	.....	46	8	0	.....	Ditto
Nazmul Huq	...	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Nand Chand	...	382	0	9	.....		12	1	1	369	15	8	.....	369	15	8	.....	Ditto.
Narain Das Agarwalla	...	222	10	0	.....		0	11	0	221	15	0	.....	221	15	0	.....	Ditto.
Nathasmull Khettry	...	50	0	0	.....		6	10	0	43	6	0	.....	43	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Nandi, Charles	...	50	0	0	.....		3	0	0	47	0	0	.....	47	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Narain Chandra Roy	...	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Nund Kissore Shyam Kissore	...	50	0	0	.....		.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Overitt, Edward George	...	50	0	0	.....		6	4	0	43	12	0	.....	43	12	0	.....	Ditto
Osman Hajee Joomas	...	50	0	0	.....		6	8	0	43	8	0	.....	43	8	0	.....	Ditto.
O'Brien, Herbert Rutledge	...	50	0	0	.....		18	11	6	31	4	6	.....	31	4	6	.....	Ditto
Onker Das	...	50	0	0	.....		3	8	0	46	8	0	.....	46	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Odyers L. L.	...	50	8	0	.....		14	12	0	35	12	0	.....	35	12	0	.....	Ditto
Onkarmull Chutoorbhooj	...	50	0	0	.....		6	10	0	43	6	0	.....	43	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Owen, John Charles	...	50	0	0	.....		24	10	0	25	6	0	.....	25	6	0	.....	Ditto
Omer Din Mustafa Musri	...	50	0	0	.....		9	8	0	40	8	0	.....	40	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Panna Lall Kundoo	...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Pybus, Joseph George	...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Priya Lall Mullick	...	203	5	0	.....		32	2	7	171	2	5	.....	171	2	5	.....	Ditto.
Prosonno Bagchi	...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Premsook Das Dalmia and Hari Ram Dalmia.	...	790	0	0	.....		84	8	0	705	8	0	.....	705	8	0	.....	Ditto
Purno Chunder Dey	...	50	0	0	.....		5	11	6	44	4	6	.....	44	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Prasonno Kumar Roy	...	107	9	0	.....		29	10	0	77	15	0	.....	77	15	0	.....	Ditto.
Panna Lall Mookerjee	...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts	Whole Disbursements.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Transfers to unclaimed dividend account under Rule 175 of the P. T. I. Act of 1909.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Priyo Nath Guho ...	68 0 0	.....	27 2 4	40 13 8	.....	40 13 8	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Parmanauda Shah ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Prasad Chunder Das ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Prankristo Bhur ...	1,291 8 9	.....	80 2 2	1,211 6 7	.....	1,211 6 7	.....	Ditto.
Purendro Nath Sen ...	933 4 1	.....	189 7 7	743 12 6	.....	743 12 6	.....	Ditto.
Punna Lall Nundo Lall ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Punchoo Shaw ...	50 0 0	.....	10 14 6	39 1 6	.....	39 1 6	.....	Ditto.
Paul, Wilfred Vincent ...	50 0 0	.....	5 11 6	44 4 6	.....	44 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Pogose, Fabian D. ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Panch Kari Banerjee (D. N. Banerjee & Co.).	50 0 0	.....	3 9 6	46 6 6	.....	46 6 6	.....	Ditto.
Protap Chunder Banerjee and others	50 0 0	.....	5 11 6	44 4 6	.....	44 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Power, Mrs. M. E. ...	50 0 0	.....	22 11 6	27 4 6	.....	27 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Probodh Krishna Ghose ...	6,621 3 10	4,731 1 6	1 576 1 4	315 1 0	.....	315 1 0	.....	Ditto.
Panchu Gopal Das ...	50 0 0	.....	10 11 6	39 4 6	.....	39 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Pranob Kumar Tagore ...	50 0 0	.....	47 15 4	2 0 8	.....	2 0 8	.....	Ditto.
Pascal, C. A. ...	50 0 0	.....	26 0 6	23 15 6	.....	23 15 6	.....	Ditto.
Puddo Lochun Mohanty ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Pree Lall Dutt ...	487 8 0	.....	448 4 0	39 4 0	.....	39 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Panna Lall Jhoomjhoonwalla ...	64 8 0	.....	9 5 7	55 2 5	.....	55 2 5	.....	Ditto.
Panchanan Pal ...	50 0 0	.....	6 4 0	43 12 0	.....	43 12 0	.....	Ditto.
Purno Chunder Ghose ...	151 8 0	.....	14 5 2	137 2 10	.....	137 2 10	.....	Ditto.
Panchanan Chatterjee ...	50 0 0	.....	8 8 0	41 8 0	.....	41 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Pimm, J. ...	913 0 0	54 3 0	529 9 5	329 3 7	2 4 0	326 15 7	.....	Ditto.
Phillips, Herbert Oswal ...	50 0 0	.....	10 2 0	39 14 0	.....	39 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Pereira, B. A. ...	50 0 0	.....	25 10 0	24 6 0	.....	24 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Panchoo Gopal Sen and Purno Chunder Sen, Hurry Churn Sen, Gour Churn Law.	1,339 14 9	.....	1,364 0 3	Dr. Balance— 24 1 6	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Partridge, Thomas William and Charlotte Augusta Partridge (Partridge & Co.).	5,084 5 0	3,677 12 6	1,049 12 3	356 12 3	245 9 6	111 2 9	.....	Ditto.
Priddy, Arthur ...	529 8 6	.....	529 12 6	Dr. Balance— 0 4 0	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Prahlad Chunder Saunyasi ...	50 0 0	.....	10 8 0	39 8 0	.....	39 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Prosanno Kumar Bagchi ...	50 0 0	.....	6 0 0	44 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	Ditto.

Palmer, Mrs. Marquarite Emilia *alias* Stuart *alias* Dixon.	50	0	0	.....		8	14	0	41	2	0	.....	41	2	0	.....		Ditto.
Perat, A. W. ..	8,997	7	4	706	7	3	370	5	11	7,920	10	2	.....	7,920	10	2	.....	Ditto.
Purno Chunder Barrick ...	50	0	0	.....			.....			50	0	0	.....	50	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Purbutty Churn Ash and Johor Lal Ash.	50	0	0	.....			9	6	0	40	10	0	.....	40	10	0	.....	Ditto.
Ruse Emeill ...	121	11	0	.....			34	15	10	86	11	2	.....	86	11	2	.....	Ditto.
Ram Pado Coondoo ...	2,905	11	0	.....			2,168	12	10	741	14	2	.....	741	14	2	.....	Ditto.
Rozario, Frederick ...	200	0	0	.....			30	0	0	170	0	0	.....	170	0	0	.....	Ditto.
Radhica Prasad Lahury ...	50	0	0	.....			25	7	0	24	9	0	.....	24	9	0	.....	Ditto.
Rajendra Nath Pal and others ...	5,238	10	3	.....			2,203	9	2	3,035	1	1	.....	3,035	1	1	.....	Ditto.
Rash Behary Sen and another ...	5,531	13	3	.....			276	9	4	5,255	3	11	.....	5,255	3	11	.....	Ditto.
Ram Protap Baijnath ...	50	0	0	.....			18	8	0	31	8	0	.....	31	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Rung Lall Shaha and others ...	799	4	3	.....			362	9	7	436	10	8	.....	436	10	8	.....	Ditto.
Roshun Lall Ram Sing .	3,507	11	0	3,012	14	2	363	14	11	130	13	11	.....	86	1	4	44 12 7 No. 2.	Ditto.
Ramjan Ally Shaik ...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....	47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Ram Chand ...	50	0	0	.....			15	15	6	34	0	6	.....	34	0	6	.....	Ditto.
Rorey, J. B. ...	50	0	0	.....			26	1	6	23	14	6	.....	23	14	6	.....	Ditto.
Rama Nath Mitter ...	202	0	6	.....			136	12	2	65	4	4	.....	65	4	4	.....	Ditto.
Rai Mohun Shaw and others ...	182,100	12	2	.....			1,84,439	5	3	Dr. Balance— 2,329	9	1	.....	.....			.....	Ditto.
							P. of G. P. N.— 1,48,618-3-2			Cr. Balance— G P. N.— 1,50,000 0 0								
										G. P. I.— 4,808 7 0								
Robinson, Morrison & Co. ...	49,019	9	5	30,086	9	9	11,318	8	6	7,614	7	2	763 9 9	6,275	0	10	549 8 6 No. 2. 26-4-1 D. C. of 1st D. account transferred to E. account.	Ditto.
Ram Persad Khettry and others ...	3,198	11	0	.....			3,176	15	2	21	11	10	.....	21	11	10	.....	Ditto.
Ram Lall Pal ...	50	0	0	.....			23	10	0	26	6	0	.....	26	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Roop Narain Shaw ...	54	15	3	.....			7	13	5	47	1	10	.....	47	1	10	.....	Ditto.
Rohim Bux	509	14	6	.....			129	9	9	380	4	9	.....	380	4	9	.....	Ditto.
Roog Lall Hirawat ...	50	0	0	.....			6	8	0	43	8	0	.....	43	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Ram Gopal Sen and others ...	50	0	0	.....			9	8	0	40	8	0	.....	40	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Romani Mohun Ghose and Kamal Kumar Mookerjee (Kamal Brothers).	50	0	0	.....			55	4	0	Dr. Balance— 5	4	0	.....	.....			.....	Ditto.
Rodrigues, W. A. ...	70	0	0	.....			27	2	0	42	14	0	.....	42	14	0	.....	Ditto.
Remfry, John Edward ...	161	0	0	.....			35	13	0	125	3	0	.....	125	3	0	.....	Ditto.
Robinson, A. M. ...	4,366	13	9	2,670	11	11	930	15	9	765	2	1	.....	490	15	5	270 13 1 No 2. 3 5 7 D. C. of 1st D account transferred to E. account.	Ditto.

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		Dividends paid.	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Ramji Das Khettry ...	454 10 3	.....	243 4 11	211 5 4	.....	211 5 4	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Radha Shyam Das ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Ram Lall Narain Ram and Gopal Ram.	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Radha Raman Mullick ...	50 0 0	.....	9 15 0	40 1 0	.....	40 1 0	.....	Ditto
Rameesur ..	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Ram Deo (16th of 1914) (Del sook Roy Behari Lall).	384 11 0	.....	38 14 3	345 12 9	.....	345 12 9	.....	Ditto
Rakhal Das Mazumdar ...	50 0 0	.....	6 12 6	43 3 6	.....	43 3 6	.....	Ditto
Robindro Krishna Deb ...	50 0 0	.....	6 6 6	43 9 6	.....	43 9 6	.....	Ditto.
Reid, Ernest ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto
Rash Behary Haldar ...	111 0 0	.....	26 12 9	84 3 3	.....	84 3 3	.....	Ditto.
Ruttun Moni Chunder ...	50 0 0	.....	6 11 6	43 4 6	.....	43 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Ramkissen Das and Soorajmull ...	179 15 1	.....	35 14 9	144 0 4	.....	144 0 4	.....	Ditto.
Ram Protap ...	50 0 0	.....	11 5 0	38 11 0	.....	38 11 0	.....	Ditto,
Ram Sundur, Sam Sundur, Madan Mohun Das, Budree Prasad, Kedar Nath.	167 13 6	.....	15 2 3	152 11 3	.....	152 11 3	.....	Ditto
Ram Protap Chowdry ...	50 0 0	.....	27 7 0	22 9 0	.....	22 9 0	.....	Ditto.
Rakhal Das Sarkar ...	252 13 9	.....	64 7 6	188 6 3	.....	188 6 3	.....	Ditto
Ram Charan Kar & Co. ...	50 0 0	.....	16 10 0	33 6 0	.....	33 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Rebati Mohan Mookerjee ...	50 0 0	.....	10 1 0	39 15 0	.....	39 15 0	.....	Ditto.
Rung Lal Poddar ...	50 0 0	.....	13 11 6	36 4 6	.....	36 4 6	.....	Ditto.
Russick Lall Sircar ...	50 0 0	.....	9 8 0	40 8 0	.....	40 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Radha Bulluv Shaha ...	50 0 0	.....	5 12 0	44 4 0	.....	44 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Rothoff, von A. L. C. ...	241 10 9	.....	125 8 6	116 2 3	.....	116 2 3	.....	Ditto.
Rash Behary Roy ...	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	.....	43 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Ram Narain Serowgee ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Rawootmull Jetmull ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Rayfield, James Henry ...	50 0 0	.....	24 14 0	25 2 0	.....	25 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Rodricks, George ...	50 0 0	.....	30 3 6	19 12 6	.....	19 12 6	.....	Ditto.
Raj Kissore Bysack ...	50 0 0	.....	5 14 0	44 2 0	.....	44 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Rojoni Kanto Dutt ...	71 15 9	.....	11 12 1	60 3 8	.....	60 3 8	.....	Ditto.
Ram Chunder Rathee ...	50 0 0	.....	6 0 0	44 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Ram Narain Khettry ...	3,536 0 9	.....	1,316 13 7	2,219 3 2	.....	2,219 3 2	.....	Ditto.
Ram Jattan ...	50 0 0	.....	9 2 0	40 14 0	.....	40 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Roger, R. V. ...	50 0 0	.....	8 10 0	41 6 0	.....	41 6 0	.....	Ditto.

Ram Bilas Khemka *alias* Bilas Roy Khemka.	50	0	0	.....			5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....			Ditto.	
Rama Nath Mitter (132 of 1914)	50	0	0	.....			8	12	0	41	4	0	.....		41	4	0	.....			Ditto.	
Rajendra Mohan, Jogendra Mohan, Radha Ballav Karmokar.	50	0	0	.....			7	10	0	42	6	0	.....		42	6	0	.....			Ditto.	
Rameswaroop, Durga Dutt ...	2,103	14	0	.....			8	15	0	2,094	15	0	.....		2,094	15	0	.....			Ditto.	
Rajendra Lall Das Gupta ...	50	0	0	.....			24	12	0	25	4	0	.....		25	4	0	.....			Ditto.	
Radha Krishna Bunshidhur ...	281	3	3	.....			7	2	0	274	1	3	.....		274	1	3	.....			Ditto.	
Ram Deo Sorekar ...	50	0	0	.....			3	12	0	46	4	0	.....		46	4	0	.....			Ditto.	
Ram Deo Jajedia (154 of 1912) ...	50	0	0	.....			6	8	0	43	8	0	.....		43	8	0	.....			Ditto	
Robertson, Alexander Lindsay ...	50	0	0	.....			3	4	0	46	12	0	.....		46	12	0	.....			Ditto.	
Ramvakat Chapardia ...	50	0	0	.....			3	0	0	47	0	0	.....		47	0	0	.....			Ditto.	
Ram Nath Bogla ...	50	0	0	.....			7	6	0	42	10	0	.....		42	10	0	.....			Ditto.	
Ram Lall Sookul ...	50	0	0	.....			6	8	0	43	8	0	.....		43	8	0	.....			Ditto.	
Ram Kissen Das Sreenibash ...	3,587	14	0	.....			59	4	7	3,528	9	5	.....		3,528	9	5	.....			Ditto.	
Radha Kissore Jah ...	2,203	12	6	.....			29	0	9	2,174	11	9	.....		2,174	11	9	.....			Ditto.	
Robertson, Hugh John ...	50	0	0	.....			7	2	0	42	14	0	.....		42	14	0	.....			Ditto.	
Raghunath Prosad ...	50	14	0	.....			4	6	0	46	8	0	.....		46	8	0	.....			Ditto.	
Ram Protap ...	50	0	0	.....			.....			50	0	0	.....		50	0	0	.....			Ditto.	
Roop Chand Keswi Chand ...	50	0	0	.....			.....			50	0	0	.....		50	0	0	.....			Ditto.	
Roberts, Samuel Erie George ...	50	0	0	.....			.....			50	0	0	.....		50	0	0	....			Ditto.	
Satya Churn Chatterjee ...	50	0	0	.....			26	2	0	23	14	0	.....		23	14	0	.....			Ditto.	
Simpson, Frederick ...	710	0	3	.....			85	4	0	624	12	3	.....		624	12	3	.....			Ditto.	
Shaw, Edgar Rockingham ...	50	0	0	.....			20	13	0	29	3	0	.....		29	3	0	.....			Ditto.	
Surendra Nath Gossain ...	944	7	9	620	12	3	214	9	11	109	2	7	55	4	2	53	14	5	.....		Ditto.	
Sree Chand Deoghur ...	50	0	0	.....			3	8	0	46	8	0	.....			46	8	0	.....		Ditto.	
Subal Chunder Das ...	134	11	6	.....			43	5	0	91	6	6	.....			91	6	6	.....		Ditto.	
Sew Churn Singh ...	1,081	12	9	578	6	9	83	8	5	419	13	7	.....			158	4	7	261	9	0	Ditto.
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Surujmull and others ...	50	0	0	.....			6	12	0	43	4	0	.....			43	4	0	.....		Ditto.	
Shaik Azizuddin ...	1,041	7	3	.....			402	7	9	638	15	6	.....			638	15	6	.....		Ditto.	
Sarat Chandra Das ...	50	0	0	.....			6	8	0	43	8	0	.....			43	8	0	.....		Ditto.	
Sew Prosad and Kalooram ...	50	0	0	.....			7	4	0	42	12	0	.....			42	12	0	.....		Ditto.	
Saiduddin ...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....			47	8	0	.....		Ditto	
Seetul Chand (Mahtab Chand Gobin Chand).	50	0	0	.....			25	1	0	24	15	0	.....			24	15	0	.....		Ditto.	
Soorajdin *alias* Soorajdin Bania ...	72	4	3	.....			3	9	9	68	10	6	.....			68	10	6	.....		Ditto.	
Suttya Kumar Shah ...	50	0	0	.....			28	2	6	21	13	6	.....			21	13	6	.....		Ditto	
Sarkies, S. J. ...	17,641	5	8	.....			1,557	15	2	16,083	6	6	.....		16,083	6	6		.....		Ditto	
Surendra Nath Chatterjee ...	56	0	0	.....			24	3	3	31	2	9	.....			31	2	9	... .		Ditto.	
Saphianopoulos, J. G. ...	838	12	0	.....			66	7	0	772	5	0	.....			772	5	0	.....		Ditto.	
Swaries, Arthur McDonald ...	375	0	0	99	8	0	31	13	6	43	10	6	.....			.....			No. 1 8-11-2 10-18-4 No. 2.		Ditto.	
Shaik Tahir Ali ...	50	0	0	.....			8	12	0	41	4	0	.....			41	4	0	.....		Ditto.	
Schipper, F. ...	50	0	0	.....			5	12	0	44	4	0	.....			44	4	0	.....		Ditto	

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Shaik Khairat Ally ...	404 10 9	.....	363 7 1	41 3 8	.....	41 3 8	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Sujanmull Banthia and Budhmull Banthia.	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Sew Prosad Joburmull Khettromull	18,323 11 3	.....	5,569 5 2	12,754 6 1	.....	12,754 6 1	.....	Ditto.
Shyam Sunder Khettry ...	50 0 0	.....	5 12 0	44 4 0	.....	44 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Saroda Prasad Palit ...	50 0 0	.....	5 15 0	44 1 0	.....	44 1 0	.....	Ditto.
Satis Chunder Gangooly ...	67 4 0	.....	7 9 9	59 10 3	.....	59 10 3	.....	Ditto
Sitaram Agarwalla ...	50 0 0	.....	3 9 6	46 6 6	.....	46 6 6	.....	Ditto.
Soler, Henry Eustace ...	402 8 9	.....	108 1 0	294 7 9	.....	294 7 9	.....	Ditto.
Sarat Chunder Banerjee ...	350 0 0	.....	2 8 0	347 8 0	.....	347 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Saroje Ranjan Mookerjee ...	600 0 0	.....	127 0 0	473 0 0	.....	473 0 0	.....	Ditto
Shaik Nur Mahomed ...	794 9 0	.....	229 1 0	565 8 0	.....	565 8 0	.....	Ditto
Seo Saran and others ...	616 2 6	.....	244 4 2	371 14 4	.....	371 14 4	.....	Ditto.
Sew Nundun Shaw, Joy Nundun Shaw, and Har Nundun Shaw.	50 0 0	.....	6 0 6	43 15 6	.....	43 15 6	.....	Ditto.
Sew Narain Byas and another ...	50 0 0	.....	5 8 0	44 8 0	.....	44 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Satya Persad Mitter	50 0 0	.....	13 15 0	36 1 0	.....	36 1 0	.....	Ditto
Santo Lall Nagoremull and Luchmi Narain.	898 3 9	.....	587 6 7	310 13 2	.....	310 13 2	.....	Ditto.
Satish Chunder Deb Roy ...	50 0 0	.....	37 9 0	12 7 0	.....	12 7 0	.....	Ditto.
Sarat Chunder Bose ...	528 4 5	.....	36 3 1	492 1 4	.....	492 1 4	.....	Ditto.
Soogunmull Bachwat and others (Jeetmull Bachawat, Mugunlall Bachawat and Inder Chand Doogur).	7,508 13 9	.....	691 4 7	6,817 9 2	.....	6,817 9 2	.....	Ditto.
Syed Bux	767 9 3	.....	401 12 9	365 12 6	.....	365 12 6	.....	Ditto.
Sital Prosad Raj Kumar ...	422 6 9	.....	171 8 1	250 14 8	.....	250 14 8	.....	Ditto.
				Dr. Balance—				
Sital Prosad	50 0 0	.....	88 12 11	38 12 11	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.
Shaik Samiuddin Ahmed ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Surendra Nath Dey and Norendro Nath Dey.	60 4 0	.....	3 12 1	56 7 11	.....	56 7 11	.....	Ditto.
Sarat Chunder Roy Chowdry ...	50 0 0	.....	32 7 0	17 9 0	.....	17 9 0	.....	Ditto.
Satur, A.	50 0 0	.....	7 14 0	42 2 0	.....	42 2 0	.....	Ditto
Sarat Chunder Roy and Haris Chunder Roy.	50 0 0	.....	2 15 6	47 0 6	.....	47 0 6	.....	Ditto.

Santosh Lall Dutt ...	50	0	0	.....		26	3	6	23	12	6	.....		23	12	6	.....	Ditto.
Suresh Chunder Sirkar ...	50	0	0	.....		2	11	6	47	4	6	.....		47	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Surendra Coomar Deb Roy ...	50	0	0	.....		8	9	6	41	6	6	.....		41	6	6	.....	Ditto.
Sri Krishna Chatterjee ...	50	0	0	.....		3	8	0	46	8	0	.....		46	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Sandys, Edwin Francis ...	261	2	0	.....		82	8	10	178	9	2	.....		178	9	2	.....	Ditto.
									Dr. Balance—									
Satyendra Nath Das ...	50	0	0	.....		50	0	2	0	0	2	.....		.....			.....	Ditto.
Shiva Dutt Roy and others ...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....	Ditto
Sonairam Poddar ...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Stateabury, Herbert Charles Wood	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....		47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Satish Chandra Bose ...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....	Ditto
Sugan Chand Mundra and others (Jesroop Juggernath).	4,363	1	3	.....		568	6	2	3,794	11	1	.....		3,794	11	1	.....	Ditto.
Sewkissen and Sewnath ...	50	0	0	.....		2	11	6	47	4	6	.....		47	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Surendra Nath Pal ...	610	0	0	.....		61	11	0	548	5	0	.....		548	5	0	.....	Ditto.
Syed Bux, Rohim Bux, Ijad Bux...	36	0	0	.....		1	12	9	34	3	3	.....		34	3	3	.....	Ditto.
Satcowrie Coondu ...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Satya Jeebun Chuckerbutty ...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....		47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Surendra Narayan Bose ...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....		47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Sibokally Mannah ...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....		47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Sooresh Chunder Gooyee and others (Moonee Lall Gooyee, Joges Chunder Gooyee).	2,155	14	6	.....		194	7	4	1,961	7	2	.....		1,961	7	2	.....	Ditto.
Soojunmull Soorana ...	50	0	0	.....		26	12	0	23	4	0	.....		23	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Satya Churn Seal ...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Shib Chunder Pal ...	412	13	6	.....		31	11	9	381	1	9	.....		381	1	9	.....	Ditto.
Shaw, Ellen Florence ...	50	0	0	.....		25	15	0	24	1	0	.....		24	1	0	.....	Ditto.
Sree Das Pyne ...	50	0	0	.....		2	11	6	47	4	6	.....		47	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Seetal Chunder Dutt ...	52	9	0	.....		7	0	7	44	15	5	.....		44	15	5	.....	Ditto.
Surendro Nath Dey ...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....		47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Sew Narain Laddha ...	58	6	0	.....		18	15	6	39	6	6	.....		39	6	6	.....	Ditto.
Shaik Yaroo and another ...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Suresh Krishna Bose ...	50	0	0	.....		5	8	0	44	8	0	.....		44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Sova Chand Talaram and others ...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....		47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Sirish Chunder Banerjee ...	52	0	0	.....		20	4	6	31	11	6	.....		31	11	6	.....	Ditto.
Sagoremull Batia ...	50	0	0	.....		3	8	0	46	8	0	.....		46	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Shiawak Shaw Sorabjee Dhandy ...	50	0	0	.....		2	8	0	47	8	0	.....		47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Stuart, H. A., otherwise called J. H. Stuart.	50	0	0	.....		18	11	6	31	4	6	.....		31	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Surajmull Dharawa ...	50	0	0	.....		10	12	0	39	4	0	.....		39	4	0	.....	Ditto.
Shelverton, C. A. ...	50	0	0	.....		33	5	6	16	10	6	.....		16	10	6	.....	Ditto.
Shaik Shamuzdin and another ...	50	0	0	.....		2	11	6	47	4	6	.....		47	4	6	.....	Ditto.
Shaik Mahomed Ahmed and Abdul Ghoffar.	22,936	10	5	.....		21,135	4	4	1,801	6	1	.....		1,801	6	1	.....	Ditto.
						P. of G. P. N.— 19,447-11-11								G. P. N.— 20,000 G. P. I.— 1,020-1-6				
Sarup Chand Gunoomull Ram Gopal and Nathuram	128	8	9	.....		25	15	10	102	8	11	.....		102	8	11	.....	Ditto.
Syed Velayet Ali	3,587	4	6	1,573	4	7	587	4	3	1,426	11	8	1,413	1	9	13	9	11	.....	Ditto

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Starling, F.	50 0 0	.....	25 10 0	24 6 0	.....	24 6 0	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Semington, Mary Ann Elizabeth ...	50 0 0	.....	8 10 0	41 6 0	.....	41 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Surendro Nath Roy ...	50 0 0	.....	18 14 0	31 2 0	.....	31 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Shew Das Bhutter ...	50 0 0	.....	25 0 0	25 0 0	.....	25 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Saligram ...	50 0 0	.....	6 4 0	43 12 0	.....	43 12 0	.....	Ditto
Shew Narain Sonar ...	50 0 0	.....	10 1 0	39 15 0	.....	39 15 0	.....	Ditto.
Shelverton, J. W. ...	50 0 0	.....	25 10 0	24 6 0	.....	24 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Satya Proo Mitter ...	50 0 0	.....	5 14 0	44 2 0	.....	44 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Soleyman Mulla Durji ...	50 0 0	.....	8 10 0	41 6 0	.....	41 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Sorapjee Tewary	951 12 3	.....	924 6 1	27 6 2	.....	27 6 2	.....	Ditto.
Soroje Kumar Maitra ...	50 0 0	.....	9 8 0	40 8 0	.....	40 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Sital Chandra Sen ...	50 0 0	.....	22 3 6	27 12 6	.....	27 12 6	.....	Ditto.
Shew Das ...	50 0 0	.....	5 12 0	44 4 0	.....	44 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Scott, Arthur Adam ...	50 0 0	.....	9 14 0	40 2 0	.....	40 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Sadhu Charan, Pada Charan Mahanti, Rishikesh and Ranga Dhur Jana.	50 0 0	.....	7 0 0	43 0 0	.....	43 0 0	.....	Ditto.
Sambhuram Protapmull, Santok Chand.	50 0 0	.....	35 13 6	14 2 6	.....	14 2 6	.....	Ditto.
Sew Das Kawaria ...	50 0 0	.....	8 14 0	41 2 0	.....	41 2 0	.....	Ditto.
Sosti Charn Dutt ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Surendra Nath Roy ...	334 15 0	.....	19 11 11	315 3 1	.....	315 3 1	.....	Ditto.
Sitaram and another ...	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	.....	43 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Saroda Prasad Sen ...	50 0 0	.....	9 10 0	40 6 0	.....	40 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Sailendro Nath Das ...	150 0 0	.....	116 12 0	33 4 0	.....	33 4 0	.....	Ditto
Saint, R. R ...	50 0 0	.....	32 0 6	17 15 6	.....	17 15 6	.....	Ditto.
Sailesur & Co. ...	1,204 14 2	.....	155 13 8	1,049 0 6	.....	1,049 0 6	.....	Ditto
Sohan Lall Christian ...	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	.....	43 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Sew Narain and Joy Narain ...	50 0 0	.....	7 2 6	42 14 0	.....	42 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Saroda Prosad Daw ...	1,667 14 0	.....	198 11 5	1,469 2 7	.....	1,469 2 7	.....	Ditto.
Sushil Kumar Mookerjee ...	64 13 6	.....	16 15 3	47 14 3	.....	47 14 3	.....	Ditto.
Shama Churn Bhur and others ...	50 0 0	.....	9 2 0	40 14 0	.....	40 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Shib Chunder Ghose ...	50 0 0	.....	6 6 0	43 10 0	.....	43 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Salt, Ralph Wilberforce ...	2,050 0 0	.....	996 13 0	1,053 3 0	.....	1,053 3 0	.....	Ditto.
Soshee Bhusun Pal ...	50 0 0	.....	9 2 0	40 14 0	.....	40 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Shamsuddin Khoja Mehta Mamma	188 11 0	.....	13 4 11	175 6 1	.....	175 6 1	.....	Ditto.
Snuggs, Joseph Charles ...	50 0 0	.....	8 10 0	41 6 0	.....	41 6 0	.....	Ditto.

Soonder Prosad Kalwar ...	280 7 9	......	297 4 2	Dr. Balance— 16 12 5	......	......	......	Ditto.
Salijan Shaik, Soleman Shaik ...	50 0 0	......	8 4 0	41 12 0	......	41 12 0	......	Ditto.
Sew Narain Mahata and others ...	262 13 3	......	92 2 9	170 10 6	......	170 10 6	......	Ditto.
Sejaur Rohoman and others ...	4,666 13 11	......	326 1 3	4,340 12 8	......	4,340 12 8	......	Ditto.
Sultan Mahomed ...	50 0 0	......	16 0 6	33 15 6	......	33 15 6	......	Ditto.
Smith, Charles Osmond ...	50 0 0	......	24 14 0	25 2 0	......	25 2 0	......	Ditto.
Smyth, Hazel ...	50 0 0	......	25 0 0	25 0 0	......	25 0 0	......	Ditto.
Saifuddin ...	50 0 0	......	10 11 0	39 5 0	......	39 5 0	......	Ditto.
Shaik Pahary ...	50 0 0	......	29 5 6	20 10 6	......	20 10 6	......	Ditto.
Shrager, Adele ...	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto.
Sreenath Mandal ...	50 0 0	......	22 4 0	27 12 0	......	27 12 0	......	Ditto.
Srish Chunder Bose ...	50 0 0	......	5 14 0	44 2 0	......	44 2 0	......	Ditto.
Shib Nath Banerjee ...	50 0 0	......	9 2 0	40 14 0	......	40 14 0	......	Ditto.
Satis Chunder Roy Chowdry ...	50 0 0	......	6 6 0	43 10 0	......	43 10 0	......	Ditto.
Shaik Azizuddin ...	50 0 0	......	2 8 0	47 8 0	......	47 8 0	......	Ditto.
Shaik Ijat Ally ...	50 0 0	......	7 6 0	42 10 0	......	42 10 0	......	Ditto.
Syed Mahamed and Nasirulla ...	266 9 0	......	4 4 0	262 5 0	......	262 5 0	......	Ditto.
Sham Sundar Agarwalla ...	2,785 3 6	......	54 14 6	2,730 5 0	......	2,730 5 0	......	Ditto.
Suaik Robiel Hossain ...	50 0 0	......	3 12 0	46 4 0	......	46 4 0	......	Ditto.
Sobha Chand, Chajee Singh, Maru Singh and Parmanand.	50 0 0	......	15 2 0	34 14 0	......	34 14 0	......	Ditto.
Seth, Rowland Bertram ...	50 0 0	......	23 0 0	27 0 0	......	27 0 0	......	Ditto.
Scott, Henry Wishart ...	50 0 0	......	22 4 0	27 12 0	......	27 12 0	......	Ditto.
Soleman Casim Ariff ...	50 0 0	......	......	50 0 0	......	50 0 0	......	Ditto.
Sutto Churn Roy ...	50 0 0	......	6 14 0	43 2 0	......	43 2 0	......	Ditto.
Sidheswar Dey ...	701 9 6	......	37 15 0	663 9 7	......	663 9 7	......	Ditto.
Surujmull Bazaz ...	50 0 0	......	......	50 0 0	......	50 0 0	......	Ditto.
Surendra Nath Halder ...	50 0 0	......	6 14 0	43 2 0	......	43 2 0	......	Ditto.
Shaik Muhamad Baquar ...	60 0 0	......	12 9 6	47 6 6	......	47 6 6	......	Ditto.
Shib Lall Agarwalla ...	50 0 0	......	6 12 0	43 4 0	......	43 4 0	......	Ditto.
Surendra Nath Basu ...	50 0 0	......	3 13 6	46 2 6	......	46 2 6	......	Ditto.
Surendra Nath Dey ...	50 0 0	......	6 6 0	43 10 0	......	43 10 0	......	Ditto.
Shamsudin Khoja Sagul ...	50 0 0	......	2 14 0	47 2 0	......	47 2 0	......	Ditto.
Sosi Bhusan Nag and another ...	50 0 0	......	6 14 0	43 2 0	......	43 2 0	......	Ditto.
Sobha Chand Parack ...	350 0 0	......	58 1 0	291 15 0	......	291 15 0	......	Ditto.
Shaik Mahamed Khalil ...	344 2 0	......	3 14 0	340 4 0	......	340 4 0	......	Ditto.
Sarat Chandra Roy, Jotindro Nath Ray and Akshoy Kumar Bose.	50 0 0	......	2 10 6	47 5 6	......	47 5 6	......	Ditto.
Sarju Prosad and another ...	50 0 0	......	0 8 0	49 8 0	......	49 8 0	......	Ditto.
Sew Lall Ram Ballav ...	50 0 0	......	......	50 0 0	......	50 0 0	......	Ditto.
Tolaram and Ramsukh Das ...	50 0 0	......	7 13 0	42 3 0	......	42 3 0	......	Ditto.
Thurston, Robert William C. ...	290 7 2	167 0 3	83 15 6	39 7 5	......	4 8 3	34 8 0	Ditto.

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Troyluckho Mohun Shah ...	2,909 10 9	385 14 1	2,016 14 2	506 14 6	.....	506 14 6	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Tolaram Megraj ...	421 11 3	.....	369 1 9	52 9 6	.....	52 9 6	.....	Ditto.
Ticcum Chand and another ...	50 0 0	.....	10 8 0	39 8 0	.....	39 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Tincowry Roja ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Toolai Ram Jalan ...	9,700 0 3	3,461 12 1	910 11 6	5,327 8 8	.....	2,332 8 11	2,992 7 9	Ditto.
							No. 2 D. C. of 1st D. A. transferred to E. 2-8-0.	
Taruck Bandhu Bhuttacharjee ...	8,117 6 0	1,712 0 1	4,041 2 3	2,364 3 8	1,443 8 7	920 11 1	.....	Ditto.
Tejpal ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Taruck Das Dhur ...	9,308 1 6	.....	3,878 9 11	5,429 7 7	.....	5,429 7 7	.....	Ditto.
Tara Chand Kapur ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Tatam, Arthur Cecil ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Taruck Nath Pal ...	50 0 0	.....	6 8 0	43 8 0	.....	43 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Tunsook Das Khatlail ...	50 0 0	.....	2 8 0	47 8 0	.....	47 8 0	.....	Ditto.
Thakur Lall Sen ...	451 9 0	.....	71 11 10	379 13 2	.....	379 13 2	.....	Ditto.
Tara Chand Deb and Kissory Mohan Deb.	1,578 9 9	.....	113 10 10	1,464 14 11	.....	1,464 14 11	.....	Ditto.
Templeton, A. G. ...	50 0 0	.....	31 12 0	18 4 0	.....	18 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Taboni, W. E. ...	50 0 0	.....	6 2 0	43 14 0	.....	43 14 0	.....	Ditto.
Taresh Chunder Ghosh ...	2,020 8 9	.....	482 11 4	1,537 13 5	.....	1,537 13 5	.....	Ditto.
Tunsook Roy ...	50 0 0	.....	6 6 0	43 10 0	.....	43 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Tappissier Eugene and H. A. Tappissier.	474 10 6	.....	95 8 8	379 1 10	.....	379 1 10	.....	Ditto.
Tara Chand Bal and Narain Chand Bal.	582 11 6	.....	47 2 8	535 8 10	.....	535 8 10	.....	Ditto.
Teasdale, T. W. ...	50 0 0	.....	11 12 0	38 4 0	.....	38 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Thomas, James Alexander ...	50 0 0	.....	29 10 6	20 5 6	.....	20 5 6	.....	Ditto.
Tin Cowry Dutt ...	57 8 0	.....	6 9 5	50 14 6	.....	50 14 6	.....	Ditto.
Toolaram Settia ...	50 0 0	.....	9 6 0	40 10 0	.....	40 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Taf Faze Hossain ...	50 0 0	.....	5 12 0	44 4 0	.....	44 4 0	.....	Ditto.
Tarini Charan Ghose ...	50 0 0	.....	5 10 0	44 6 0	.....	44 6 0	.....	Ditto.
Tosh, John Charles ...	716 1 11	.....	107 3 7	608 14 4	.....	608 14 4	.....	Ditto.
Thorpe, Herbert Mcleod ...	50 0 0	.....	22 6 0	27 10 0	.....	27 10 0	.....	Ditto.
Troyluckho Nath Laha ...	50 0 0	.....	4 0 0	46 0 0	.....	46 0 0	.....	Ditto.

Upendro Chunder Sing (2nd)	...	14,627	10	3	9,073	8	0	4,079	15	5	1,474	2	10	42	12	3	1,431	6	7	.....	Ditto.
Unkermull	...	50	0	0	.....			5	8	0	44	8	0	.....			44	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Upendro Krishna Biswas	...	50	0	0	.....			11	1	0	38	15	0	.....			38	15	0	.....	Ditto.
Upendro Nath Dey	...	50	0	0	.....			11	5	6	38	10	6	.....			38	10	6	.....	Ditto.
Upendro Nath Pal	...	50	0	0	.....			6	4	0	43	12	0	.....			43	12	0	.....	Ditto.
Upendro Nath Mookerjee	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....			47	8	0	.....	Ditto.
Upendro Nath Mitra	...	50	0	0	.....			5	14	0	44	2	0	.....			44	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Udai Narain Srimani	...	50	0	0	.....			6	2	0	43	14	0	.....			43	14	0	.....	Ditto.
Upendra Nath Dutt	...	50	0	0	.....			5	14	0	44	2	0	.....			44	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Upendra Nath Roy	...	50	0	0	.....			10	2	0	39	14	0	.....			39	14	0	.....	Ditto.
Vandenberg, J. B. (2nd)	...	5,740	4	3	4,036	0	7	468	7	9	1,235	11	11	1,235	11	11	.....			.....	Nothing further recoverable.
Vauck, A. M. L	...	50	0	0	.....			6	14	0	43	2	0	.....			43	2	0	.....	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Wootum Chunder Laha	...	297	1	3	.....			15	13	7	281	3	8	.....			281	3	8	.....	Ditto.
Wise, R. F.	...	298	7	0	.....			37	14	9	260	8	3	.....			260	8	3	.....	Ditto.
Wood, T. H., and another	...	50	0	0	.....			10	13	6	39	2	6	.....			39	2	6	.....	Ditto.
											Dr. Balance—										
Wolfe, Robert	...	50	0	0	.....			55	8	0	5	8	0	.....			.....			.....	Ditto.
Woopen Chunder Paul	...	350	0	0	.....			26	7	3	323	8	9	.....			323	8	9	.....	Ditto.
Williamson, Claude Henry	...	50	0	0	.....			8	13	6	41	2	6	.....			41	2	6	.....	Ditto.
White, Robert Henry	...	50	0	0	.....			21	14	0	28	2	0	.....			28	2	0	.....	Ditto
Wegwermer, H. A.	...	50	0	0	.....			30	10	0	19	6	0	.....			19	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Watson, A. H.	...	50	0	0	.....			25	14	0	24	2	0	.....			24	2	0	.....	Ditto.
Woomesh Chunder Chowdry	...	50	0	0	.....			47	13	0	2	3	0	.....			2	13	0	.....	Ditto.
Wakefield, J. E. C.	...	50	0	0	.....			30	7	0	19	9	0	.....			19	9	0	.....	Ditto.
Winter, Charles Alfred	...	50	0	0	.....			5	14	0	44	2	0	.....			44	2	0	.....	Ditto.
White, Charles E.	...	50	0	0	.....			21	10	0	28	6	0	.....			28	6	0	.....	Ditto.
Woodhub Churn Sadkhan and another.		50	0	0	.....			6	4	0	43	12	0	.....			43	12	0	.....	Ditto.
Worman & Co.	...	93,241	12	7	.....			42,729	14	9	50,511	13	10	.....			50,511	13	10	.....	Ditto.
								P. of G. P. N.— 36,540-8-9									G. P. N.— 40,000-0-0				
Young, Henry Horatio	...	290	0	0	.....			21	13	11	268	2	1	202	9	8	65	8	5	.....	Ditto.
Zemin, Joseph Samuel	...	50	0	0	.....			25	13	6	24	2	6	.....			24	2	6	.....	Ditto.
Zemin, J. J.	...	50	0	0	.....			2	8	0	47	8	0	.....			47	8	0	.....	Ditto.

In addition to the above there are 629 estates with balances under Rs. 500, aggregating Rs. 1,10,143-4-10, the particulars of which may be learnt at this office. The Official Assignee has received for remuneration for the half-year ending 31st January 1915 Rs. 35,089.

G. M. FALKNER,
Official Assignee, Calcutta.

Certified to be correct.
R. C. D. CALDER,
Chief Accountant in Charge, Outside Audit Department, Calcutta.

CALCUTTA,
The 7th August 1916.
Prepared by
M. N. CHATTERJEE,
Accountant.

A. J. CRAIG,
Auditor.

(2372—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal, on the 30th September 1916.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 per cent. Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	Grand Total
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.		
Balance of 15th September 1916	29,28,700	96,89,200	4,80,24,900	1,53,17,000	66,46,000	23,95,300	8,21,72,400	45,000	8,51,46,100
ADD—									
Amount of loan certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto at Calcutta between 16th and 30th September 1916.	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	100	500	20,00,000	20,00,500
	29,28,700	96,89,200	4,80,24,900	1,53,17,400	66,46,000	23,95,400	8,21,72,900	20,45,000	8,71,46,600
DEDUCT—									
Amount written off in the London Registers.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 30th September 1916	29,28,700	96,89,200	4,80,24,900	1,53,17,400	66,46,000	23,95,400	8,21,72,900	20,45,000	8,71,46,600

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st July 1916—Enfaced from India, 12,363 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,848 lakhs.
" 1st August 1916 to 15th August " " " " ... " " " ...
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " 1 lakh " " " ...
" 1st September " to 15th Sept. " " " " ... " " " 3 lakhs.
" 16th " " to 30th " " " " " 20 lakhs " " " ...
12,384 lakhs. 12,851 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 2nd October 1916.*

P. A. SELFE, *Superintendent.*

N. H. MATHESON, for *Secretary & Treasurer.*

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 7th October 1916

LIABILITIES	Rs.	A	P.	ASSETS	Rs	A	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	6,52,66,682	12	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,08,00,000 0 0				Other authorised Investments	1,12,22,160	0	0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... " 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0	Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	3,10,46,338	4	1
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	50,00,000	0	0	Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	5,68,30,609	6	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 1,18,35,071 5 3				Bills discounted and purchased	2,96,42,858	6	0
Ditto ditto at Branches " 1,24,90,248 9 1	2,43,25,319	14	4	Balances with other Banks	42,37,872	10	6
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	19,71,48,115	0	1	Bullion	.....		
Bank Post Bills, etc	10,80,338	2	5	Dead Stock	29,29,798	14	2
Sundries	10,33,406	8	5	Stamps	12,556	15	2
				Sundries	4,70,462	7	8
					20,17,09,329	11	7
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs 2,28,72,659 0 5			
				Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 3,98,05,184 13 3	6,26,77,843	13	8
	26,43,87,178	9	3		26,43,87,173	9	3

* Includes Nova & ½ Nova.; value Rs 3,51,480 0 0
† Do. do. do " 8,65,837 8 0
Rs 12,17,317 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans. 7 per cent
Percentage, 28·03

By order of the Directors.

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, the 12th October 1916.

H. MITCHELL, Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

DISTRICT ROAD FUND.

Notification, dated 28th September 1916.—The subjoined abstract of the annual report and accounts of the District Road Committee of the Darjeeling district for the year 1915-16, together with the remarks of the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division thereon, is published for general information.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Extract from memo. No. $\frac{484P.W.}{XVI-9}$, *dated the 24th August 1916, from* H. F. SAMMAN, ESQ., I.C.S., *Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department.*

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2. The expenditure during the year has fallen far short of the income, and the closing balance has increased in consequence. It is most undesirable that the District Road Fund should have large outstandings of loans from Government and at the same time allow their closing balance to grow so large. This is not consistent with Government order No. 5106R.C., dated the 26th September 1892, which is quoted in the report.

3. The year's work calls for no special remarks.

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Abstract of the Report by the Chairman, District Road Committee of Darjeeling, on the operations of the District Road Fund of the district for the year 1915-16.

[*Vide* letter No. 82R.F., dated the 26th June 1916, from J. T. Rankin, Esq., I.C.S., Chairman of the District Road Committee, Darjeeling, to the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.]

1. *Working of Committees.*—(*a*) *District Road Committee.*—There were 18 members of the Committee—6 official and 12 non-official. Five meetings were held during the year. The average attendance was 10·6 or 58·88 per cent. at a meeting.

(*b*) *Kurseong Branch Committee.*—The total number of members of this Branch Committee was 10 — 3 official and 7 non-official. Three meetings were held during the year. The average attendance was 7·33 or 73·30 per cent. at a meeting.

(*c*) *Terai Branch Committee.*—Seventeen was the total number of members of this Branch Committee—4 official and 13 non-official. Altogether seven meetings were held during the year. The average attendance was 9·14 or 53·76 per cent. at a meeting.

2. The year opened with a cash balance of Rs. 32,145-15-2 and an outstanding advance of Rs. 11,096-10-2. The total amount of Rs. 1,14,771-2-4, including the outstanding advance of Rs. 11,096-10-2, was available for expenditure during the year. The actual expenditure during the year (1915-16) was Rs. 56,852-15-3, excluding the unadjusted advance of Rs. 16,724-10-1. The actual cash balance on the 31st March 1916 was Rs. 41,193-9. The closing balance of Rs. 57,918-3-1, which includes the unadjusted sum of Rs. 16,724-10-1, exceeds one quarter's kist. This accumulation, as a special case for this district, has been allowed by Government in its letter No. 5106R.C., dated 26th September 1892. It is, however, understood that a large sum out of this balance was spent by the Executive Engineer, Darjeeling Division, and other gentlemen in charge of roads and bridges, but no accounts having been received during the year it could not be adjusted. It is, however, hoped that the cash balance will be reduced to its normal proportion in 1916-17.

RECEIPTS.

3. *Provincial Rates.*—The road-cess was levied during the year 1915-16 in the district by the Committee at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee. The total collection under the head "Cesses on lands" during the year 1915-16 was Rs. 56,531-8-5 against Rs. 53,315-6-2 of the preceding year. The increase is due to revaluation.

4. *Miscellaneous.*—A sum of Rs. 36-15-5 was collected under this head on account of sale-proceeds of certain old materials and refund of excess payments.

5. *Contributions.*—(*a*) *Grant from Government.*—A sum of Rs. 7,850-1-2 was received from Government, including Rs. 5,389 on account of augmentation of resources of the Committee, against Rs. 8,515-11-10 of the preceding year. The decrease is due to the less amount granted for augmentation and the less credit of the amount on account of 1¼ per cent. collection from Government estates during the year.

(*b*) A contribution of Rs. 7,110 was received from the Darjeeling Improvement Fund towards communication and its share of the cost of the joint cess and tauji establishment.

EXPENDITURE.

COMMUNICATION.

6. *Original works.*—A sum of Rs. 2,351-11-10 only was adjusted under this head out of the advance for the estimated cost of Rs. 15,449 for two bridges. The bridges are practically completed, but no accounts having been received the expenditure could not be charged to the accounts of the year. A sum of Rs. 393 was credited by the Accountant-General, Bengal, against the cost already charged for dismantling the Chenga bridge and re-erecting it over the Bone river. The net amount of Rs. 1,958-11-10 has therefore been shewn under this head.

7. *Repairs.*—Rupees 31,826-3-7, as per details below, was spent under this head for repairs to roads and bridges, against Rs. 37,160-13-4 of the preceding year. The decrease is mainly due to the non-adjustment of certain amount actually spent during the year.

Details of repairs.

Name of Committee.	Particulars of expenditure.	Amount.			Total.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
District Road Committee, Darjeeling.	Roads	11,419	3	11	12,926	10	5
	Bridges ...	1,507	6	6			
Kurseong Branch Road Committee.	Roads and Bridges	4,101	3	0	4,101	3	0
Terai Branch Road Committee.	Roads and Bridges	14,519	9	5	14,519	9	5
	Total ...	31,547	6	10	31,547	6	10
Village Roads ...	.....	278	12	9	278	12	9
	Grand Total ...	31,826	3	7	31,826	3	7

8. The total length of 9 miles of metalled roads and 373 miles out of 398 miles of unmetalled roads and 6 miles out of 11 miles of village roads were actually repaired by the Committee during the year 1915-16 at a cost of Rs. 260 or 28·88 per mile, Rs. 33,507 or 89·83, and Rs. 279 or 46·5 per mile, respectively, including Rs. 1,507 spent for repairs to certain important bridges thereon.

9. *Sign-boards.*—A sum of Rs. 5-4 only was charged under this head during the year.

10. *Iron railings.*—Rupees 1,313-7 was spent in putting up iron railings on certain Darjeeling and Kurseong roads.

11. *Public Works Establishment.*—There was no District Engineer under this District Road Committee. The work in the hills and most of that in the Terai was, as usual, executed by the several members of the Committee and by the Managers of tea gardens and other private gentlemen. The thanks of the Committee are due to them for the valuable assistance rendered by them. The important road-cess bridges were repaired by the Public Works Department as heretofore at the cost of the Road Fund. A sum of Rs. 1,270-9-1 including contingencies, or 3·62 per cent. of the total outlay on works under the head "45—Civil Works (P. W. D.)," was spent for the entertainment of an overseer and a peon under the Terai Branch Road Committee. The pay of the overseer was Rs. 60 *plus* a fixed horse allowance of Rs. 20, and that of the peon Rs. 8 per mensem.

12. *Contribution.*—A sum of Rs. 8,398 was contributed to the Darjeeling Improvement Fund towards medical aid and water-supply.

13. *Loans.*—Rupees 5,939-15-6 as principal and Rs. 1,371-2-2 as interest were paid during the year 1915-16 under the terms of the loans granted by Government in 1900 and 1901 for repairs and reconstruction of bridges damaged and destroyed by the cyclone in September 1899. No fresh loan was taken during the year.

14. *Administration.*—There were two Branch Road Committees, viz., Kurseong and Terai, under the District Road Committee. Mr. J. T. Rankin, the Deputy Commissioner, was *ex-officio* Chairman of the District Road Committee and of the Terai Branch Road Committee, and Mr. F. G. E. Piffard, the Senior Deputy Collector of Darjeeling, was the Vice-Chairman of the District Road Committee throughout the year. Messrs. A. A. Paterson and H. G. Blomfield, the Subdivisional Officers of Kurseong, were the *ex-officio* Chairman of the Kurseong Branch Road Committee and Vice-Chairman of the Terai Branch Road Committee from 1st April to 18th November 1915 and 19th November 1915 to 31st March 1916, respectively. Dr. R. V. Dixon was the Vice-Chairman of the Kurseong Branch Road Committee for the whole year. The work of the District Committee as well as those of the Branch Committees was performed satisfactorily. The thanks of the Committee are due to the abovenamed gentlemen and other members of the District and Branch Committees for the care and interest taken by them in the discharge of their duties

15. *Audit of accounts.*—The members of the Audit Sub-Committee have audited the accounts for the whole year, and the Examiner of Local Accounts, Bengal, has audited up to December, 1915.

1915-16.

DARJEELING DISTRICT ROAD FUND.

Annual account of Income and Expenditure from 1st April 1915 to 31st March 1916.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
BALANCE ON 1ST APRIL 1915.	Cash in hand	32,149 15 2		EXPENDITURE.			
	Advances outstanding ...	11,093 10 2	43,243 9 6	8. PROVINCIAL RATES.	Establishment and contingencies of office of collection.	1,932 13 11	
							1,932 13 11
				14. INTEREST ON OTHER OBLIGATION.	Interest on Government loans.	1,371 2 2	
							1,371 2 2
	RECEIPTS.						
PROVINCIAL RATES	Cess on lands and P. W. Cess.	56,531 8 5	56,531 8 5	18. ADMINISTRATION.	Establishment and contingencies of Committee's office.	2,344 3 8	
							2,344 3 8
				30. STATIONERY AND PRINTING.	Stationery and Printing	340 10 6	
							340 10 6
XXV MISCELLANEOUS.	Miscellaneous	36 15 5	36 15 5	32. MISCELLANEOUS.	Provident Fund contribution.	25 7 0	
					Miscellaneous	136 8 0	161 15 0
				45. CIVIL WORKS. (PUBLIC WORKS.)	Original works	1,958 11 10	
					Repairs	31,836 3 7	
					Establishment and Contingencies, etc.	1,270 9 1	
					Sign-boards	5 4 0	
					Iron railings	1 318 7 9	36,374 3 6
CONTRIBUTIONS ...	Grant for augmenting resources	5,389 0 0					
	Grant from Government ...	2,481 1 2					
	Grant from Darjeeling Improvement Fund.	7,110 0 0	14,980 1 2	CONTRIBUTION ...	Contribution to Darjeeling Improvement Fund.	8,398 0 0	8,398 0 0
				LOAN	Repayment of Government loans	5,939 15 6	
							5,939 15 6
					Total Expenditure ...	.....	56,852 15 3
	Total Receipts ...	... ...	71,528 9 0	BALANCE ON 31ST MARCH 1916.	Advances outstanding ...	16,724 10 1	
					Cash	41,193 9 0	57,918 3 1
	GRAND TOTAL ...	.....	1,14,771 2 4		GRAND TOTAL ...	.....	1,14,771 2 4

HARILAL GOSWAMI,
Head Clerk and Accountant.

C. H. CROSSE,
Vice-Chairman.

J. T. RANKIN,
Chairman.

Examined and found correct.

C. W. O'B. ANSELL,
J. L. BAKER,
Members of the Audit Sub-Committee

DISTRICT ROAD FUND OFFICE, DARJEELING, *the 13th June 1916.*

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

SUIT No. 61 OF 1905.

Radha Raman Kar *versus* Radha Kissore Kar.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an order dated the 15th day of December 1915 and 8th day of May 1916, and made in suit No. 61 of 1905 in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction wherein Radha Raman Kar is the plaintiff decree-holder and Radha Kissore Kar is the defendant judgment-debtor, by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on the ground-floor of the Court-house by public auction on Friday, the 17th day of November 1916, at twelve o'clock noon, the undermentioned properties belonging to the defendant Radha Kissore Kar :—

1. The undivided one-eighth share of the defendant in all that partly two-storied and partly three-storied brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house together with the piece or parcel of revenue-free land belonging thereto, measuring about 14 cottahs, situate, lying at and being premises No. 107, Shambazar Street in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded on the north by a common passage known as Kaloopukur Lane, on the east by Shambazar Street, on the south by premises Nos. 108 and 109, Shambazar Street, and on the west by premises Nos. 1 and 2, Shain Square, East. So far as it appears from a search in the Calcutta Registry Office from 1865 to 1916 there are no incumbrances affecting the above property except the following :—

(1) Mortgage of one-fourth share in premises No. 107, Shambazar Street, executed by Radha Kissore Kar in favour of Nibaran Chandra Mukherjee of No. 18, Lukhy Naram Mukherjee's Lane, for Rs. 1,000, on interest at Rs. 18 per cent. per annum, payable monthly with quarterly rests and repayable on 7th July 1914, and dated the 7th January, 1914.

(2) Agreement for sale of one-fourth share in the premises No 107 Shambazar Street, executed by Radha Kissore Kar in favour of Srimati Pankajini Dabee, wife of Narendra Nath Gupta of No 35-7, Gulu Ostagar Lane, for Rs 2,750, and dated the 17th day of January 1914.

(3) Mortgage of one-fourth share in premises No. 107, Shambazar Street, executed by Radha Kissore Kar in favour of the said Pankajini Dabee for Rs. 500, on interest at Rs. 12 per cent. per annum by monthly instalments and repayable on 17th August 1914, and dated the 17th day of February 1914.

(4) Mortgage of one-fourth share in premises No. 107, Shambazar Street executed by Radha Kissore Kar in favour of Purna Chandra Ghose of No. 35, Bencharam Ocear's Lane, for Rs. 2,000, on interest at Rs. 18 per cent. per annum payable by equal monthly instalments and repayable on 30th June 1916, and dated 30th June 1915.

2. The right, title and interest of the defendant being the two-fifths share in the copyright of the Bengali Medical Book "Bhisak Bandhu."

3. The right, title and interest of the defendant being the one-fifth share in the copyright of the Bengali Medical Book "Bhaisajya Ratnabali."

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 6,012-14-3, besides the costs of execution.

The condition of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on the ground-floor of the High Court on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

N.B. By a decree made in suits Nos. 976 of 1913 and 566 of 1915, and dated the 3rd August 1915, the said Radha Kissore Kar is declared to be entitled to a two annas share in the said premises No. 107, Shambazar Street, and also the two-fifths and one-fifth shares respectively of the copyright of the medical books abovementioned. It also appears from a search in the Calcutta Registry Office that the following transactions relating to this property have been entered into :—

(a) Bengali Kobala or Deed of Sale from Radha Kissore Kar to Amulya Churn Mitter, dated 25th January 1898, conveying his undivided one-fourth share to him.

(b) Sale Certificate from the Registrar of this Honourable Court to Basanto Kumar Bose, dated 9th February 1898, evidencing a sale of the premises No. 107, Shambazar Street to Basanto Kumar Bose held on the 3rd of December 1896.

(c) Bengali Deed of Sale from Basanto Kumar Bose to Radha Gobindo Kar, Radha Madhab Kar, Radha Raman Kar and Radha Kissore Kar, dated 22nd August 1902, conveying to them his right, title and interest in the premises No. 107, Shambazar Street.

(d) Bengali Deed of Release and Declaration from Amulya Churn Mitter to Srimati Kirangasi Dasi, dated 28th February 1905, declaring that his purchase of the 25th January 1898 was made on her behalf.

(e) Bengali Deed of Ekrarnamah from Radha Kissore Kar to Srimati Kirangasi Dasi, dated 19th June 1907, declaring that the purchase of his share from Basanto Kumar Bose was made by her.

E. H. BRAY, Sheriff.

M. N. SEN, Attorney for the applicant.

Calcutta High Court, Sheriff's Office, the 28th day of September 1916. (2365—1)

Sheriff's Proclamation of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to the order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, dated the 27th of July 1916, and made in execution of the decree of the said Court, dated the 28th of April 1915, in suit No 37 of 1915 (wherein Prantosh Mukerji is the plaintiff and Sreemutty Rajeswari Debi and others are the defendants), by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room in the Court-house on Friday, the 17th day of November 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned property belonging to the defendants :—

All that the undivided $\frac{1}{2}$th share of the defendants Anadidhone Mukerjee and Santosidhone Mukerjee and their reversionary interest and the right, title and interest of the defendant Sreemutty Rajeswari Debi in another undivided $\frac{1}{4}$th share or whatever other the share and interest of the said other defendants, in all that the brick-built house No. 14, Fakir Chand Dey's Lane, together with the land thereunto belonging, measuring about 4$\frac{1}{2}$ cottahs and being premises No. 14, Fakir Chand Dey's Lane in the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by No. 15, Fakir Chand Dey's Lane, on the east by the dwelling-house of Suresh Chunder Dutt and others, on the south by Nos. 13, 13-1, 13-2, Fakir Chand Dey's Lane, and on the west by Fakir Chand Dey's Lane.

That a search in the office of the Registrar of Assurances at Calcutta discloses no encumbrances affecting the above share of the defendants.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been directed is Rs. 5,921-6 and portion of the costs of execution of the said decree.

The condition of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

E. H. BRAY, Sheriff.

B. N. Basu & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Sheriff's Office, the 28th September 1916. (2367—1)

POSTPONED

Sheriff's Proclamation of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to an order of the Calcutta High Court and bearing date the 15th day of February 1916 and made in suit No. 72 of 1912 (wherein Krishna Behary Sen is the plaintiff and Bepin Behary Sen is the defendant) and in execution of a decree made in the said suit and dated the 23rd day of January 1914 by the Sheriff of Calcutta by public auction in his sale room in the said High Court on Friday, the 17th day of November 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, the following property of the defendant abovenamed:—

All that piece or parcel of land containing by estimation 6 cottahs be the same a little more or less with the two-storied brick-built house standing on part thereof being No. 9, Baikanta Nath Sen's Lane in Sutanuti in the north division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by No. 8, Baikanta Nath Sen's Lane, belonging to Kristo Lall Mullick, on the East by Baikanta Nath Sen's Lane, on the south by No. 10, Baikanta Nath Sen's Lane, belonging to Kristo Behary Sen, and on the west by Joy Gopal Lane.

From a search of the records of the Registrar and Sub-Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, it appears that no encumbrances or charge have been created by the said defendant on the said premises.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs 1,488-12, being the amount of the taxed costs of the said suit payable by the said defendant to the said plaintiff under the said decree together with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 9th December 1914, being the date of taxation until realization, as also the costs of and incidental to the orders of the 11th June 1912 and the 17th June 1915, to wit, Rs. 93 and Rs. 71-6 and to the execution and proceedings.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on any day before the sale.

E. H. BRAY, Sheriff.

B. N. Basu & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Sheriff's Office, the 28th day of September 1916.

(2366—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an order dated the 9th day of April 1915, in execution of the decree dated the 2nd day of January 1914, made by the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in suit No. 1000 of 1911 (Nolin Chandra Bose and others *versus* Sreemutty Rajat Coomari Dossee and another), by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on the ground-floor of the Court-house by public auction on Friday, the 17th day of November 1916, at 12 noon, the undermentioned property belonging to the defendants abovenamed :—

All that the partly two-storied and partly three-storied brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house together with the land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation 3 cottahs and 3 chittacks be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being premises formerly No. 12-1, now No. 12-1A, Noyan Chund Dutt Street in Sutanaty in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded on the north by a common passage, on the east partly by a common passage and partly by 13, Noyan Chund Dutt Street and partly by 62-7, Beadon Street, on the south partly by 63, Beadon Street and partly by 64, Beadon Street, and on the west partly by 64, Beadon Street and partly by 11, Noyan Chund Dutt Street.

It appears from a search made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, that the following documents were registered in respect of the said premises No. 12-1A, Noyan Chund Dutt Street, Calcutta :—

(*a*) A Bengali Deed of Charge dated the 9th day of Bhadra 1273B.S one Khettra Mohun Ghose in consideration of the sum of Rs. 1,500 lent and advanced to him by one Nogendro Chundro Ghose charged the eastern portion of premises No. 28, Noyan Chund Dutt Street with the payment of the said principal sum of Rs. 1,500 with interest thereon at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum within two years from the date thereof.

(*b*) By a Bengali Deed of Partition dated the 20th day of September 1866 between one Mohesh Chundro Ghose and Prosanto Chundro Ghose the portion to the west of the line of demarcation of the said house and premises No. 28, Noyan Chund Dutt Street, Calcutta, measuring 9 cottahs 3 chittacks and 9 gandas 2 karas 1 kranti of land and pond with the buildings thereon of the total value of Rs. 9,000 was awarded to the said Mohesh Chundro Ghose and the portion to the east of the said line of demarcation of the said premises measuring 18 cottahs 8 chittacks 18 gandas 3 karas of land and pond with the buildings thereon of the total value of Rs. 9,000 was awarded to the said Prosanto Chundro Ghose.

(*c*) By a Deed of Sale registered a portion of premises No. 28, Noyan Chund Dutt Street was acquired by Government to open the new road in continuance of the Nimtolla Ghat Street, Calcutta.

(*d*) By a Conveyance dated the 15th day of December 1898 one Dwarkanath Ghose in consideration of the sum of Rs. 1,000 sold about 7 chittacks of land, being the southern portion of premises No. 12-1, Noyan Chund Dutt Street to one Ram Prosad Mitter.

(*e*) By a Conveyance dated the 22nd December 1911 Sreemutty Rajat Coomari Dossee in consideration of the sum of Rs. 1,995 absolutely sold to one Romesh Chundro Rokhit the undivided half share of the portion of the house and premises No. 12-1, Noyan Chund Dutt Street, being block No. 25, holding No. 349, north division, paying rupee 1 annas 11 and pies 7 as Government revenue allotted to Dwarka Nath Ghose, deceased, as his separate and absolute property by the decree of the High Court in suit No. 311 of 1895, and measuring 2 cottahs 8 chittacks and 24 square feet and also the undivided one-sixth share in the portion of the said house and premises allotted under the decree in the said suit to Sreemutty Goramoni Dossee, deceased, as her entire share measuring 2 cottahs 12 chittacks and 32 square feet.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 2,950 and costs of the suit including the arbitration proceedings which have been taxed by the Taxing Officer of this Honorable Court who allowed the sum of Rs. 2,199-9-6 as against the defendants besides the costs of execution proceedings.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on ground-floor of the High Court on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

E. H. BRAY, Sheriff.

K. K. Chowdhury, Attorney for Nolin Chandra Bose and others.

High Court, Original Side, Sheriff's Office, Calcutta, dated the 28th day of September 1916.

(2368—1)

JNANADA PRASAD MUKHERJEE, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(2348—4)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following revised charges for the removal and storage of duty-paid goods in the Fairlie and Dock Warehouses, framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta under section 105 of Act III (B.C.) of 1890, and approved by the Local Government with effect from 1st November 1916, are published for general information under the provisions of section 107 of the said Act, in supersession of all previous notifications :—

Fairlie Warehouse.

	Per	Removal charges.		Rent per month or part thereof.	
		As.	P.	As.	P.
Piece-goods ...	Package ...	2	0	6	6
Cement ...	Cask ...	1	0	2	0
Copper and yellow metal ...	Cwt. or part thereof ...	0	6	0	6
Corrugated iron ...					
Unenumerated goods chargeable by—					
(a) Weight ...					
(b) Measurement	Cubic foot or part thereof	0	3	0	4

Dock Warehouse.

Removal charges.—The same as for Fairlie Warehouse, except that when consignments landed at the jetties are removed to the Dock Warehouse double rates will be charged.

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Rent will be charged at the Fairlie and Dock Warehouses for all consignments entering these warehouses from the date the vessel from which the goods are landed leaves the berth after completing her discharge.

Removal charges will be recovered at the same time as the first month's rent, and rent charges will be payable monthly in advance.

J. McGLASHAN, Offg. Secretary.

The 16th October 1916. (2373—1)

MEDICAL STORE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

SEALED tenders, in duplicate, will be received by the Medical Store-keeper to Government, Calcutta, up to 12 noon on the 1st November 1916 for the supply of local Medical Stores to the Medical Store Department, Calcutta, from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1918.

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3. The Medical Store-keeper to Government reserves the right, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, to accept the whole or part of any tender or to reject the whole without assigning any reason.

4. Tenders must be accompanied by a bank receipt or Government Promissory Note for 2 per cent. of their total value as earnest-money, which will be returned if the tender should be rejected : but in case of the Medical Store-keeper to Government accepting, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, part of any tender only and the tenderer failing to take up the contract, the whole earnest-money deposit will be confiscated.

5. Tenders received after the time fixed or not complying with these conditions will be rejected.

6. Rates are required for delivery at the Government Medical Store Depôt, Calcutta, but in the case of tenderers from a distance sending their supplies by rail and having no agents at Calcutta, the Medical Store-keeper to Government will take delivery at the railway station.

A. G. BROWN, LIEUT., I.S.M.D.,

In charge Government Medical Store Depôt.

Calcutta, 28th September 1916.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and o Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

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BISWAMBHAR RAY (RAI BAHADUR),

Vice-Chairman, District Board, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 27th September 1916. (2345—3)

In the matter of Stein Forbes & Co., Ld.

AT an Extraordinary Meeting of the abovenamed Company, duly convened and held at No. 12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on the 15th day of September 1916, the following resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 30th day of September 1916, the same resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution, viz.: That it is desirable to wind up the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that A. F. C. Forbes be and is hereby appointed liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.

A. FORBES, Chairman.

Calcutta, the 30th September 1916. (2369—1—2248)

In the matter of Stein Forbes & Co., Ld., in Liquidation.

PURSUANT to section 209 (1) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company, which is being voluntarily wound up, will be held at No. 12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Monday, the 23rd day of October 1916, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

A. F. C. FORBES, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 6th October 1916. (2370—1—12247)

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

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Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 9th October 1916.*

CHINA, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Chi'u (Yentai) Inner Harbour—Alterations in Buoyage; Caution.

No. 306 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 889 of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 449 of 1916. (*This Office No. 179 of 1916.*)

Position.—Tower hill, lat. 37° 33′ N., long. 121° 23½′ E.

Alterations.—(*a*) The light-buoy formerly marking the northern end of the breakwater under construction has been moved about $1\frac{3}{10}$ cables south-eastward, and is now situated at a distance of 5¼ cables, 3° (*N. 8° E. Mag.*), from Tower hill lighthouse.

The above light-buoy, which is painted black, now exhibits a *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :

Flash.	eclipse.
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

(*b*) The eastern end of the mole under construction is now marked by a light-buoy painted red, exhibiting an *occulting red* light *every eight seconds*, thus :—

Light.	eclipse.
4 secs.	4 secs.

Caution.—Vessels entering or leaving the inner harbour must pass between the above light-buoys; the entrance between the southern end of the breakwater and Tower hill is closed until further Notice, and the note "*Entrance temporarily closed (1916)*" is to be inserted on the plan on the undermentioned chart.

Variation.—5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1260, Ching tsu shan to Chifu bluff, with plan.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, pages 465, 466.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 622 of 31st May 1916. (*H. 4522/16.*)

CELEBES—Gulf of Tomini.

Walea Strait—Light established.

No. 307 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 892 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On the north-western edge of the drying reef on the south-eastern side of Walea strait, in the position of the white ball beacon which has been removed.

Lat. 0° 25′ S., long. 122° 26′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 3 sec., 64 ft., vis. 13 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.
1 sec.	2 secs.

Elevation.—64 feet.
Visibility.—13 miles.
Structure.—White iron standard.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 942*a*, Eastern archipelago, sheet III.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1045*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 501.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 849 of 1916. (*H. 3968/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—New South Wales.

Port Kembla—Leading Lights established.

No. 308 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 908 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—At a distance of $3\frac{1}{10}$ cables, 273° (*S. 83° W. Mag.*), from the flagstaff on the 46-foot mound, situated south-westward from the inner end of the Eastern breakwater.

Lat. 34° 28¾′ S., long. 150° 55¼′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F. *Red, 25 ft., vis. 4 m.*
Character.—A *fixed red* light.
Elevation.—25 feet.
Visibility.—4 miles.
Structure.—White wooden tower.

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—At a distance of 223 yards, 206° (*S. 16° W. Mag.*) from front light.

Abridged description.—Lt. F. *Red, 48 ft., vis. 4 m.*

Details:

Character.—A *fixed red* light.

Elevation.—48 feet.

Visibility.—4 miles.

Structure.—White iron tower.

Remarks.—These lights in line bearing 206° (*S. 16° W. Mag.*) lead in to Port Kembla between the breakwaters.

Variation.—10° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1020, Beecroft head to Port Jackson, with plan.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, Nos. 2521, 2521*a*.

Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 791; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 4672/16.*)

NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH ISLAND—FRENCH PASS, SOUTH-WESTERN APPROACH.

Okure Point—Light established

No. 302 (first publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 911 of 1916), are republished:—

Position (approximate).—On the western side of Okure point.

Lat. 40° 58′ 30″ S., long. 173° 45′ 56″ E., on chart No. 1096.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl. *W.R. ev. 3¾ sec., abt. 80 ft., vis. 6 m. (posn. approx.)*

Details:

Character.—A *flashing white* light with *red* sector *every three and three quarter seconds*, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse.
¾ sec.	3 secs.

Elevation.—About 80 feet.

Visibility.—6 miles.

Sectors.—*Red* from 176° (*S. 20° E. Mag.*) through south to 203° (*S. 7° W. Mag.*), over Piège (Beef Barrel) rocks; *White* elsewhere except where obscured by land.

Structure.—Not stated.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Variation.—16° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1096, Admiralty bay and Current basin.
„ 2684, Cook strait anchorages, sheet I.
„ 2685, Cook strait anchorages, sheet II.
„ 2054, Cook strait and the coast to Cape Egmont.
„ 2616, Cape Foulwind to D'Urville island.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2994A.

New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 184.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 49 of 1916. (*H. 4663/16.*)

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—HAURAKI GULF.

Tiri-Tiri Matangi—Rock south-eastward of.

No. 310 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 912 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 12¼ cables eastward of Tiri-Tiri Matangi light, in the position of the eastern and outer ten-fathom patch south-eastward of Shearer rock.
Lat. 36° 36¼′ S., long. 174° 55¼′ E.

Depth.—4 fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 1998, Omaha bay to Tiri-Tiri Matangi.
„ 3565, Bream head to Tepaki point.
„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour, and Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 34.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 45 of 1916. (*H. 4660/16.*)

The 2nd October 1916.

MADAGASCAR—NORTH-EAST COAST.

Diego-Suarez Bay Approach—Non-existence of Shoal.

No. 300 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 860 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2¾ miles, north-eastward, from the extremity of Ambodi Vahibé point, in the southern approach to Diego-Suarez bay.
Lat. 12° 21′ S., long. 49° 34¼′ E.

Description.—A one-fathom shoal.

Remarks.—The shoal is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 758, Cape St. Andrew to Antongil bay.
„ 2899, Chagos archipelago to Madagascar.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 248.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 950 of 1916. (*H. 4120/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—QUEENSLAND.

Cairns Harbour—Alterations in Lighting of Dredged Channel.

No. 301 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 868 of 1916), are republished :—

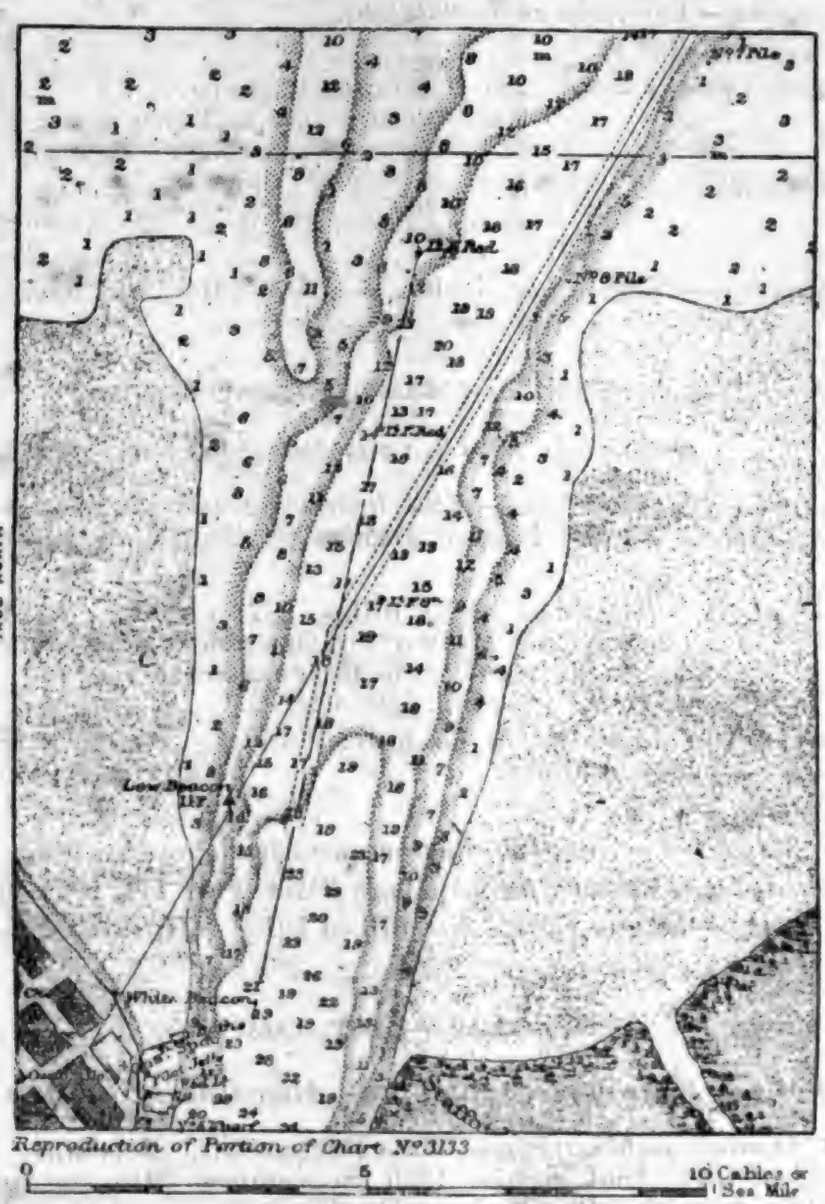
Position.—Cairns, lat. 16° 55½′ S., long. 145° 46¾′ E.

Details.—The positions of two *fixed red* leading lights marking a recent extension of the dredged channel to Cairns, together with the new position of the *fixed green* light near the turn into the new channel, are shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 3133.

Remarks.—No. 9 pile beacon, from which the fixed green light was formerly exhibited, has been removed, and is therefore not shown on the reproduction.

Charts affected.—No. 3133, Cairns harbour.
„ 2924, Cape Grafton to Hope islands.
„ 2350, Double point to Cape Grafton.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, page 363.
Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 339; Revised Supplement, 1913.
Authority.—Marine Department, Brisbane. (*H. 3348/16.*)



NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND.

Tauranga Harbour—Light established.

No. 302 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc. relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 871 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On stony beacon, situated near the extremity of the reef at the southern end of Mounga nui.

Lat. 37° 38¼′ S., long. 176° 10¼′ E.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *W.R., ev. 3 sec. 14 ft., vis. 5 m.*

Details :—

Character.—A *flashing* light, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.
½ sec.	2⅔ secs.

Elevation.—14 feet.

Visibility.—5 miles.

Sectors.—*White* from 259° (*S. 64° W. Mag.*), through west, to 79° (*N. 64° E. Mag.*);
Red elsewhere.

Structure.—Black and white beacon with rectangular topmark.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Variation.—15° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2521, Tauranga harbour.
„ 3332, Mercury bay to Town point.
„ 2527, Mayor island to Poverty bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2003*a*.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 108; Supplement No. 2, 1915.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 37 of 1916. (*H. 447/16.*)

NEW GUINEA—CERAM, BANDA ISLANDS.

Rozengain Reef—Amended Position.

No. 303 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 882 of 1916), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of 3¾ miles, 297° (*N. 67° W. Mag.*), from the position shown on the chart, and about 2¼ miles, south-eastward, from Rozengain island.
Lat. 4° 36½′ S., long. 130° 02½′ E.

Remarks.—The reef is to be moved on the chart to the position given above.

Variation.—4° E.

Chart affected.—No. 942*b*, Eastern archipelago, sheet 4.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 157.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 973 of 1916. (*H. 4478/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

South Channel, Fitzroy river entrance—Alteration of leading lights.

No. 304 (second publication).—The Portmaster, Brisbane, has given Notice (No. 11 of 1916) that on the 18th September 1916, the front leading lights of the two corresponding leads on Cardigan Point and Casuarina Island, South Channel, Entrance to Fitzroy River, will be changed from red to white, and both leads will thereafter consist of two white lights.

Charts affected.—Nos. 345 and 363; Australia Directory, Volume II.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Nga Yot bay—Existence of a wreck.

No. 305 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Steamer "Zoroastrian" is a total wreck in Nga Yot bay about 40 miles north of the entrance to Bassein river.

Caution.—Mariners are hereby warned.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.
„ 3772, Calventuras to Bassein river.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, telegram dated 29th September 1916.

The 25th September 1916.

NEW GUINEA—CERAM ISLAND, NORTH COAST.

Hatiling Bay—Existence of a Reef.

No. 295 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 835 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 13¾ cables, 69° (*N. 66° E. Mag.*), from Wahai flagstaff and about 3¾ cables eastward from Tanjong Aentopra.
Lat. 2° 47¼′ S., long. 129° 29¼′ E.
Description.—A 2-fathom reef of small extent.
Remarks.—Vessels are advised to pass to the westward of the 3-foot shoal situated westward of the 2-fathom reef, as the former is conspicuously marked by discoloured water, whereas the discolouration over the 2-fathom reef is scarcely distinguishable.
Variation.—3° E.
Chart affected.—No. 930, Plan of Wahai bay and Hatiling bay.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 128.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 918 of 1916. (*H. 4246/16*).

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—COOK STRAIT, PORT NICHOLSON APPROACH.

Karori Rock Light—Correction to certain Charts.

No. 296 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 844 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 41° 21′ S., long. 174° 40¼′ E.
Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl. *W.R., ev. 4 sec., 65 ft, vis. 13 m.*
Details.—This light is incorrectly shown on some copies of the charts as a flashing white light; it is a *flashing white* light with *red* sectors, showing thus :—
Red from 291° (*N. 85° W. Mag.*) to 327° (*N. 49° W. Mag.*);
White thence through north to 134° (*S. 62° E. Mag.*);
Red thence to 153° (*S. 43° E. Mag.*);
White elsewhere but obscured by land.
Variation.—16° E.
Charts affected.—No. 695, Cook strait.
„ 2054, Cook strait and the coast to Cape Egmont.
„ 3629, Hokitika to Otago harbour.
„ 1212, New Zealand.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 150.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4411/16.*)

CELEBES—EAST COAST.

Tomori Bay Approach—Existence of a Reef.

No. 297 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 854 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—In the northern approach to Tomori bay.
Lat. 1° 51′ 50″ S., long. 121° 49′ 40″ E.
Depth—Awash at low water.
Charts affected.—No. 2549, Tomori gulf.
„ 3616, Tomori gulf to Salayar strait.
„ 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago; sheet III.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 491.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 967 of 1916. (*H. 4405/16.*)

PERSIAN GULF—HENJAM ISLAND ANCHORAGE APPROACH.

Amendment to depth reported on shoal North-westward of Ras-al-Mashia.

No. 298 (third publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 143M. of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 78M. of 1914. (*This office No. 202 of 1914.*)

Position—At a distance of 10 cables 299° (N. 63° W. Mag.) from Ras-al-Mashia.

Lat. 26° 41½′ N., long. 55° 53¼′ E. (Approximate on Chart No. 753.)

Least depth—5½ fathoms, sand, instead of 3½ fathoms reported previously.

Variation—2° E.

Charts affected—No. 3599, Henjam Island Anchorage.

„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet with plan.

„ 753, Persian Gulf Entrance.

Publication—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, page 209.

Authority—The Director, Royal Indian Marine.

PERSIAN GULF—HENJAM ISLAND ANCHORAGE.

Partial existence of Ras-al-Mashia Beacon; Caution with regard to Eastern approach.

No. 299 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 146M. of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Ras-al-Mashia, lat. 26° 41′ N., long. 55° 54′ E.

(1) *Particulars.*—The beacon, which was reported to have been destroyed in 1915, near the end of the spit, extending north-eastward from Ras-al-Mashia, and about 2½ cables northward from White Mosque, still has a few feet showing at the highest tides and can be used for anchoring.

Description.—Cement base with staff stayed and a small white flag on top.

(2) *Caution.*—The eastern approach to Henjam anchorage should be used with great caution by ships of 20 feet draught and over.

Remarks.—It is recommended to keep well to southward of 3½ fathoms patch 1¼ miles south-east from Cairn on Ras-Khargu and then to enter on a line of bearing Cable House on Kishm Island 336° (N. 26° W. Mag.), altering course to anchorage when 5 feet Cairn on Henjam Island 13¼ cables from the Ras-al-Mashia Beacon, bears about 242° (S. 60° W. Mag.), not later.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3599, Plan of Henjam Anchorage.

„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

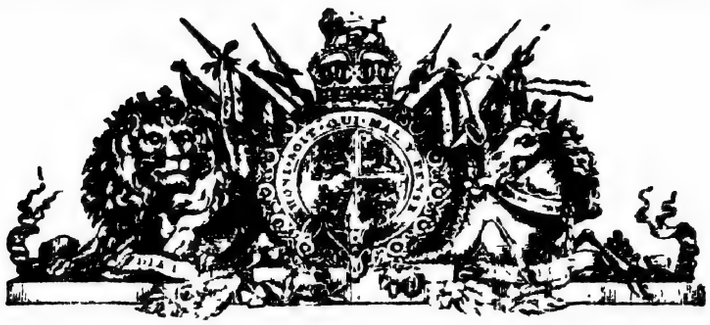
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, pages 209 and 210.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding, H. M. S. "Philomel", dated 23rd August 1916.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

REGISTERED No. C 207. **No. 42 of 1916.**



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RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CHITTAGONG FOR THE YEAR 1915-16.

No. 2363Marine.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 17th October 1916.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The Administration Report of the Commissioners for the Port of Chittagong for the year 1915-16.

Receipts.—The ordinary receipts of the Port during the year 1915-16 amounted to Rs. 2,85,290 as against Rs. 1,98,437, the income of the preceding

year. The estimate for the year was put at a low figure, viz., Rs. 2,17,297, on account of the anticipated fall of revenue in consequence of the war. The estimate was, however, a little higher than that of the year 1914-15 owing to the decision to enhance the rate of river dues from two to four annas per ton, and the mooring and unmooring charges by twenty-five per cent. as a war surtax. The enhanced rates were introduced from the 1st April 1915. The improvement of revenue was due mainly to the abnormal importation of Burma rice, the newly introduced license fees on flats and the increased number of country brigs that visited the Port. The total receipts including the annual assignment of Rs. 20,208 from the Burma Coast Light Dues Fund and the Government grant of Rs. 1,50,000 amounted to Rs. 4,55,498 as against Rs. 3,69,121 in the previous year.

Expenditure.—The ordinary expenditure of the Port Fund amounted to Rs. 4,62.184 as against Rs. 3,90,550 during the previous year, and Rs. 6,12,280 the estimate for the year. The difference between the estimate and the actual expenditure was due to economy under establishment, maintenance and repairs and works. Under the last head there was a saving of over Rs. 96,000 owing to a very small portion of the work of building a new hull for the Commissioners' S. T. "Gekko" having been done by the contractors during the year. There was a deficit on the year's working of Rs. 6,686 which was met from the opening balance.

The expenditure on capital works amounted to Rs. 1,49,169, of which the following were the principal items :—

	Rs.
(1) Acquisition of land connected with scheme to facilitate landing from coasting steamers ...	76,935
(2) Construction of steel pontoons with grabs ...	39,053
(3) Construction of a new hull for the S. T. "Gekko"	18,950

Assets and liabilities.—The assets of the Trust on the 31st March 1916 were estimated at Rs. 35,43,774 and the liabilities, excluding the Government loans for revetment work, at Rs. 1,07,258.

Dredging.—The dredger "Karnafuli I" was continuously at work during the year from the beginning of May 1915 to the end of January 1916. During the rest of the year she was laid up for repairs.

Outer bar.

An average least depth of 8′-10″ was maintained throughout the year over the main track, but for navigation purpose there was an average of 10′-0″ least water on the "D on drum" line.

Inner bar.

Dredging was confined to this bar as far as possible and was in operation during 127 days. A depth of 10′ at low water was maintained till the end of June. By the end of July the depth dropped to 7′-0″, the lowest since September 1914, when it was 6′-9″. A depth of 11′-0″ was obtained in November.

The necessity for the provision of a second dredger for the Port has been admitted, but the question of ways and means and of the most suitable type of dredger is under the consideration of the Government of India. Meanwhile at the request of that Government the Port Commissioners are collecting further data and making experiments on the lines suggested by Sir G. Buchanan.

Two small grab dredgers mounted on pontoons, the construction of which was sanctioned by Government in 1913, were completed and brought into use during the year. These dredgers are required to deal effectually with silt which accumulates against the piles of the railway jetties. Six

inward-bound vessels and one outward-bound vessel were detained during the year for want of sufficient depth on the bars. The maximum number of days' delay was 9.

River survey.—A survey of the main river was completed during the year and new charts prepared.

Revetment.—Erosion was slight against the revetted portion of the river bank and was chiefly confined to the slope between khals 5 and 6. The area round about the by-channel has continued to silt up. The stone and earthen bunds are in good order.

Light houses.—The light houses at Kutubdia and Norman's Point were maintained in good order.

Light vessel.—There was no complaint regarding the exhibition of the lights. The total cost of maintaining the vessel during the year amounted to Rs. 23,881.

Shipping.—The total number of steamers and native craft that visited the Port during the year was 1,219 or 505 more than in the previous year. There was one shipping casualty, the sinking of the inland steam vessel "Hatiya". A special Court of Enquiry was appointed under section 31 of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, VI of 1884, to investigate the circumstances attending the casualty. The Court found the serang guilty of negligence, and his certificate was suspended for 12 months.

Trade.—The total value of sea-borne trade of the Port, both foreign and coasting, amounting to Rs. 863·86 lakhs, as against Rs. 740·66 lakhs in the previous year.

Sanitation.—The general health of the Port was good throughout the year.

Mr. J. Lang, Officiating Commissioner of the Chittagong Division, held the office of Chairman of the Commissioners from the beginning of the year under review up to end of June 1915. Mr. A. H. Clayton acted from then up to the 29th December 1915, when Mr. E. Geake took over the office and held it to the end of the year.

The thanks of Government are due to these officers and to the Commissioners for their efficient administration of the Trust.

The Governor in Council also desires to acknowledge the good services rendered to the Commissioners during the past 8½ years by Mr. W. H. Neilson who resigned the post of Port Engineer during the year.

By order of the Governor in Council,

C. P. WALSH,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT ON THE NADIA RIVERS, 1915, BY MAJOR F. C. HIRST, I.A.

No. 373T.—*I.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Dated Darjeeling, the 9th October 1916.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

1 Paragraphs 139, 140 and 184, sub-paragraph 27 of the Report of the Committee appointed to enquire into the existing facilities and present and future requirements of the Port of Calcutta.

2 A note, dated the 2nd September 1914, by the Hon'ble Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, I.C.S., Chairman to the Commissioners of the Port of Calcutta.

3 Report on the Nadia Rivers, 1915, by Major F. C. Hirst, I.A., Director of Surveys, Bengal and Assam

By Bengal Government Notification No. 1360T.—R., dated the 2nd November 1914, Major Hirst was placed on special duty for a period which was subsequently extended to six months to carry out the first stage of an enquiry relating to the condition of the Upper Hooghly river and its feeders. Major Hirst's report is now before Government.

2. The Governor in Council desires to accord his appreciation of the careful and detailed manner in which Major Hirst has investigated the history and present condition of the rivers and to thank him for his interesting report.

3. The Governor in Council has resolved to proceed with the second stage of the enquiry and with this object in view to appoint a committee of practical men to advise Government upon the steps which should be taken to carry out systematic observations of the changes in these rivers, and also if possible to improve their condition as navigable channels and as feeders for the lower Hooghly.

Order—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and that a copy thereof with copies of the report and maps be submitted to the Government of India, and supplied to Departments of Government and to public bodies interested in the question,

By order of the Governor in Council,

C. P. WALSH,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR SEPTEMBER 1916.

I. *Character of the season.*—The rainfall during the month was in excess of the normal throughout the Province excepting in Bogra and Mymensingh. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Harvesting of autumn rice was over but that of jute was still going on in places. Transplanting of winter rice was almost finished; weeding was in progress everywhere, but the operation had to be suspended in certain tracts owing to heavy rains during the third week of the month. The preparation of lands for *rabi* crops commenced in a few districts only.

III. *State of standing crops.*—The condition of the standing crops was reported to be fairly satisfactory excepting in the flood-affected areas of Birbhum, Burdwan, Murshidabad, Midnapore and Dacca.

IV. *Prospects and probable outturn.*—The prospects of the winter rice crop were generally satisfactory, although the transplanting was commenced a little late this year; but they have been to some extent affected during the latter part of the month by the cyclone, excessive rainfall and floods.

V. *Damage to standing crops.*—Heavy rainfall early in the month injuriously affected the standing autumn paddy in parts of the 24-Parganas and Jessore. The cyclonic weather during the latter part of the third week damaged the standing crops in almost all the Western Bengal districts as well as in certain parts of the district of Bakarganj. Considerable damage is reported to have been done in the districts of Birbhum and Burdwan owing to the Adjai and Dámodár being in flood. Some damage by floods was also reported from Dacca and Murshidabad.

VI. *Condition of agricultural stock.*—The condition of agricultural stock was satisfactory. The number of districts from which cattle-disease was reported during the month varied from 2 to 5.

VII. *Failure of pasturage and fodder.*—Fodder was scarce in parts of Jessore and Tippera.

VIII. *Prices of food-grains.*—During the second fortnight of the month under review the prices of common rice rose in seven districts, fell in two and remained stationary in the rest. It varied from 10 seers per rupee in the Chittagong Hill Tracts to 6 seers 14 chitaks in Tippera.

IX. *Condition of agricultural people.*—The condition of agricultural people in Bankura has greatly improved, as a good crop of autumn paddy has been harvested in the district. The conditions have improved in Tippera also with the harvesting of the jute crop. Relief measures had to be taken for the distressed people in the flood-affected areas of Birbhum.

D. N. MOOKHERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 17th October 1916.*

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during September 1916.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of September.	Actual district rainfall for the month of September 1916.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	10·31	12·84	+ 2·53
	Calcutta ...	10·35	17·90	+ 7·55
	Nadia ...	8·80	11·24	+ 2·44
	Murshidabad ...	9·35	11·40	+ 2·05
	Jessore ...	8·76	11·89	+ 3·13
	Khulna ...	10·86	12·69	+ 1·83
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	8·44	13·92	+ 5·48
	Birbhum ...	9·85	10·99	+ 1·14
	Bankura ...	8·63	11·92	+ 3·29
	Midnapore ...	9·58	12·13	+ 2·55
	Hooghly ...	8·98	11·21	+ 2·23
	Howrah ...	8·76	11·53	+ 2·77
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	8·71	14·66	+ 5·92
	Dinajpur ...	11·85	12·33	+ 0·48
	Jalpaiguri ...	21·05	21·85	+ 0·80
	Darjeeling ...	18·47	28·78	+10·31
	Rangpur ...	13·40	15·31	+ 1·91
	Bogra ...	11·23	10·17	− 1·06
	Pabna ...	9·40	12·04	+ 2·64
	Malda ...	9·09	17·47	+ 8·38
Dacca ...	Dacca ...	9·63	13·26	+ 3·63
	Mymensingh ...	13·04	11·81	− 1·23
	Faridpur ...	8·62	9·99	+ 1·37
	Bakarganj ...	11·97	13·31	+ 1·34
Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	13·06	14·33	+ 1·27
	Tippera ...	10·03	14·98	+ 4·95
	Noakhali ...	15·42	21·23	+ 5·80
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	13·03	17·44	+ 4·41
	Cooch Behar ...	21·27	29·03	+ 7·76

REPORT ON FAMINE IN BANKURA DISTRICT FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 7th OCTOBER 1916.

In **Bankura district** the condition of the affected areas is improving Harvesting of *aus* paddy and other *bhadoi* crops is almost finished. The prospects of winter paddy are good. The condition of people on the relief works is good. The relief measures are adequate. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 8¾ seers per rupee. The number of persons on the relief works was 8,160 and in receipt of gratuitous relief being weavers 1,221, total 9,381. One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one persons were relieved on private works. The decrease in the number of persons on the relief works is due to the gradual closing of relief works on account of harvest.

L. Birley,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Darjeeling, *the 12th October 1916.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 16th October 1916.

Summary.—During the week under review light-to-moderate rain fell almost throughout the Province. Some damage has been done to paddy by heavy rain at Chittagong and by floods in parts of the Tippera and Noakhali districts. The condition and prospects of the winter rice crop are good excepting in these tracts and the flood-affected areas of Murshidabad, Burdwan, Birbhum and Bakarganj. Harvesting of autumn paddy is practically finished. Steeping and washing of jute still continue. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Sowing of pulses has commenced. Cattle-disease is reported from five districts. The average price of common rice for the Province remained almost stationary, as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	2·46	8	8	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	1·53	7⅛	7⅛	
	Barrackpore	1·54	6¾	6¾	
	Barasat ...	0·40	7¼	7¼	
	Basirhat ...	0·90	7¼	7¼	
2	Nadia ...	0·23	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute is nearly over. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	0·98	7⅛	7⅛	
	Meherpur ...	1·93	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	0·31	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	1·16	6¾	6¾	
3	Murshidabad	2·16	7⅛	7	Weather seasonable with occasional showers. The prospects of winter paddy are fair. Harvesting of *aus* paddy is almost finished. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Some damage has been caused by flood to winter rice and sugarcane in Kandi subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import.
	Lalbagh ...	2·46	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	1·01	8¼	8	
	Kandi ...	0·17	8¼	7⅛	
4	Jessore ...	0·20	8	8	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute are going on. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is scarce in many places.
	Jhenidah ...	0·07	8	(*n*)	
	Magura ...	2·71	7⅛	7⅛	
	Narail ...	1·32	7¾	(*n*)	
	Bangaon ...	0·64	7⅜	7⅜	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
5	KHULNA ...	0·33	8	7½	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Price of rice is stationary but gradually increasing in the Satkhira subdivision. Transplanting of winter rice and harvesting of jute are finished. Cattle-disease is reported from the Satkhira police-station. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Satkhira ...	0·22	6½	7	
	Bagerhat ...	0·58	7	7	
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7½	7	Weather bright and seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy, steeping and washing of jute and sowing of pulses are going on. Winter padddy and other standing crops are doing very well excepting in the flooded areas. No cattle-disease is reported, but cattle are dying from exposure in certain flooded villages in thana Ketugram. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Gratuitous relief in the flooded-affected areas is being given; the actual amount paid during the week has not been known yet.
	Asansol ...	0·59	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	0·95	7½	7½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7½	7½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	0·70	8	8	Weather hot and cloudy. The prospects of standing crops in non-flooded areas are good. Gratuitous relief is being given to the distressed people in the flooded areas by Gazetted Officers under the supervision of the District Officer. Arrangements are being made for the distribution of agricultural loans. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	1·10	7½	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	0·74	9	8¾	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *aus* rice is still going on. Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	0·20	7½	7½	
9	MIDNAPORE	0·44	8 1/16	7¾	Weather seasonable. The prospects of the winter rice crop are good save in a fairly large area in Ghatal and a small area in Contai where the crop has been damaged by the recent flood. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	8	8½	
	Contai ...	0·20	8½	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	1·90	8	7	Weather seasonable. Weeding of winter rice continues. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	0·85	6½	6½	
	Arambagh ...	0·50	7½	7½	
11	HOWRAH ...	3·48	7	7	The weather has been cloudy with occasional showers almost daily. Both *aus* and *aman* paddy, sugarcane and the vegetable crops have suffered to some extent from flood in Singty thana. The condition of standing crops is good elsewhere. Jute is being harvested. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Price of common rice is stationary.
	Uluberia ...	1·00	7½	7½	

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	0·94	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Nator ...	0·91	7	7	
13	DINAJPUR ...	0·45	7 3/16	7 3/16	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute and *bhadoi* paddy continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	0·49	8	8½	
	Balurghat ...	1·85	8 7/16	8 7/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	0·05	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute are nearly completed. Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are available. Foot-and-mouth disease of cattle is reported from Alipur town and rinderpest is suspected in Kumargram.
	Alipur ...	Nil	6½	6½	
15	DARJEELING	1·46	8	(*n*)	Weather seasonable. *Marua* and cardamom are being harvested. Winter rice is progressing. Harvesting of jute continues in the Terai. Cattle-disease is reported from Kalimpong.
	Kurseong ...	2·14	7½	(*n*)	
	Siliguri ...	2·90	7	(*n*)	
	Kalimpong...	0·10	7½	(*n*)	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is nearly finished. Lands are under preparation for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	0·03	7½	8	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7½	
	Gaibandha ...	1·01	7½	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Cutting and steeping of jute is still going on in places. Condition of winter rice is good. Preparation of lands for the *rabi* crops continues. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
18	PABNA ...	0·12	7⅞	7⅞	Rainfall at Sara 0·40. Weather clear. Steeping of jute still continues. Condition of standing crops is good. Stocks of food-grains are adequate and fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	0·01	7	(*n*)	
19	MALDA ...	0·15	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy is completed. Steeping and washing of jute and sowing of *kalai* continue. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Manikchak thana.

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
20	COOCH BEHAR	0·20	$7\frac{9}{16}$	$7\frac{9}{16}$	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute are going on briskly. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	0·77	$6\frac{3}{4}$ / $7\frac{1}{4}$†	7 / $7\frac{1}{2}$†	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. The recent rain has been very beneficial for them. Harvesting of jute is over. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj ...	0·96	7	7	
	Narayanganj	0·82	$6\frac{3}{4}$ / $7\frac{9}{16}$†	7 / $7\frac{9}{16}$†	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	7	7	
22	MYMENSINGH	0·09	$6\frac{5}{16}$	$6\frac{5}{16}$	Weather hot. Harvesting of jute and transplantation of paddy are finished. Sowing of *mung* and *mash kalai* has commenced. The weather is favourable for standing crops. Stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	0·32	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$	
	Tangail ...	0·69	$6\frac{3}{4}$	(*n*)	
	Netrakona ...	0·03	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{9}{16}$	
	Kishorganj...	2·69	$6\frac{5}{16}$	$6\frac{5}{16}$	
23	FARIDPUR ...	0·66	7	$6\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of rice are sufficient. There has been no large import or export.
	Goalundo ...	2·09	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$	
	Madaripur ...	0·79	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Gopalganj‡	1·64	8	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL)	1·09	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$ / $8\frac{1}{2}$‖	Weather fair. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient. Some damage has been done to the standing crops by the recent floods.
	Pirojpur ...	0·88	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$	
	Patuakhali ...	1·61	7	7	
	Dakshin Shahbazpur (Bhola).	4·52	7	(*n*)	
25	CHITTAGONG	3·06	7	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are generally good. Paddy plants in the low-lying land have however been partly damaged by the recent heavy rains. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	0·29	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(*n*) Not reported. ‖ *Aus* rice.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	7	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good excepting in Kotwali and the southern part of Kasba in the Brahmanbaria subdivision where some damage has been done by the floods. Transplantation of *aman* paddy has been retarded at Sadar and Brahmanbaria by excessive rain and flood. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	0·32	6½	6½	
	Chandpur ..	1·80	7½	7½	
27	Noakhali ..	0·69	7½	8	Weather seasonable. About 60 square miles in the Feni subdivision have been flooded and paddy has been damaged to an extent not yet ascertainable. Prospects of standing crops are good, except in the flooded tracts. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Feni ...	1·97	7½	7½	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	0·72	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati.

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for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Calcutta, *the 17th October 1916.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 14th October 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	8	0	5	12	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
„ medium ...	6	0	0	6	2	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5	5	0	5	12	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	14	0	6	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	15	0	0	2	3	0	2	7½
„ medium ...	6	4	0	6	9	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6	2	0	6	4	0	0	3	0	.....		
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	4	12	0	5	6	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
(vi) Kajla	4	6	0	4	13	0	.....			.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	5	0	4	6	0	.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	0	0	4	1	0	.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	12	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	3
4. „ dal	4	12	0	5	4	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5	14	0	6	11	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	10	0	5	14	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
6. Arhar „	4	8	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
7. Masur „ (split) ...	5	4	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5	14	0	6	14	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
8. Kalai „	5	4	0	5	10	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
9. Salt (Liverpool) ...	2	9	0	2	10	0	0	1	3	0	1	6
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13	1	0	13	2	0	0	5	3	0	5	6
11. Gur (Bheli)	6	0	0	8	0	0	0	3	6	0	4	0
„ (Bhursut) ...	7	12	0	8	12	0	0	2	6	.....		
12. Milk	10	0	0	12	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0
13. Mustard oil	14	4	0	15	0	0	0	6	0	0	8	0
14. Flour (country) ...	5	10	0	6	3	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
15. Ata No. 3	4	10	0	.....			0	2	6	0	3	0
„ „ 2½	4	14	0	.....								
„ „ B	6	4	0	.....								
16. Suji	6	0	0	6	12	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	59	0	0	60	0	0	1	10	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	56	0	0	57	0	0	1	8	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	49	0	0	50	0	0	1	5	0	1	6	0
18. Maize	3	4	0	3	8	0	.....			.....		
19. Potato	5	8	0	6	4	0	0	2	0	0	3	3
20. Patal	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	6	0
21. Brinjal	.....			.....			0	2	6	0	4	0
22. Onion	2	8	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	6
23. Fish, Rahu	28	0	0	30	0	0	0	8	0	.....		
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	2	6	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices daily recorded at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hát, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hát, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 16th October 1916.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1916.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present returns.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding returns.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding returns of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present returns.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding returns.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding returns of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present returns.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding returns.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding returns of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present returns.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding returns.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding returns of last year.	Salt. Present returns.	Salt. Next preceding returns.	Salt. Corresponding returns of last year.
		24-Parganas	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency	1	Ohetla Hát ..	6 8	6 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	11 8	11 8	16 0
	2	Magra Hát ..	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 10	7 10	7 9	7 5	7 5	8 0	6 10	6 2	6 0	13 7	13 7	17 0
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata	5 14	6 0	5 10	5 12	5 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 1	7 1	6 2	11 0	11 0	16 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	6 10	6 10	6 4	8 0	7 4	6 8	5 11	5 12	5 5	6 2	5 10	5 5	14 8	15 0	16 0
	5	Ranaghat	6 0	6 0	6 4	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 8	10 8	14 0
		Murshidabad															
	6	Berhampur	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	6 8	14 0	14 0	16 0
	7	Kandi	8 0	8 0	7 10	8 4	8 4	7 12	5 4	5 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	13 0	13 0	16 0
	8	Jangipur	7 8	7 8	6 8	8 4	8 0	6 12	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	8 8	6 8	15 0	15 0	17 8
		Jessore															
	9	Sadar	7 8	7 8	7 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	10 0	12 0	12 0	15 8
	10	Bangaon	7 3	7 2	6 11	7 10	7 10	7 0	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 6	6 6	6 6	12 13	12 12	16 0
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	7 8	7 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 10	6 0	6 0	5 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	10 8	10 8	13 0
	12	Bagerhat	7 0	7 0	5 8	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 6	10 0	10 0	13 0
		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 0	8 0	7 4	7 0	6 8	6 4	6 8	7 0	6 8	16 0	16 0	19 0
	14	Kalna	7 4	7 8	6 10	7 8	7 12	6 14	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 4	5 4	6 4	13 0	13 0	16 0
		Birbhum															
	15	Suri	7 8	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 4	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	11 0	10 8	16 0
	16	Rampur Hát ...	8 0	8 0	6 0	8 8	8 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	6 0	7 0	6 0	7 0	14 0	13 0	18 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 12	8 12	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	13 0	13 0	16 0
	18	Vishnupur	7 8	7 0	6 4	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	6 0	11 0	10 8	14 0
Burdwan		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	7 11	7 9	6 8	8 1	8 4	6 14	5 8	6 6	8 0	6 8	6 6	5 12	10 12	11 0	15 0
	20	Contai ...	8 8	7 8	6 0	8 12	8 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 0	8 0	6 0	13 0	13 0	16 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	6 4	6 8	5 8	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 8½	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	11 0	11 0	13 8½
	22	Arambagh(a) ...	7 8	.	6 8	8 6	...	6 15	6 2	...	6 4	5 8	...	5 8	12 12	...	16 0
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar ...	7 4	7 4	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 2	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	13 0	13 8	16 0
	24	Uluberia ...	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	7 4	7 4	6 8	6 0	13 12	13 4	16 0

† Karkatch. | (a) Return not received.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1916—*contd.*

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice.						Kalai Dal (*Pharseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Dinajpur.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rajshahi.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 2	7 2	6 8	7 5	7 5	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 0	9 12	9 12	12 0
	26	Nator	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 0	8 0	7 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	12 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hát.	7 13	7 13	6 14	8 6	8 2	7 3	6 0	6 10	6 0	6 10	7 3	6 10	12 0	12 0	13 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar	7 4	7 8	6 0	8 4	8 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	11 0	11 0	13 0
		Darjeeling.															
	29	Sadar ...	6 8	6 4	5 0	7 8	7 12	6 8	5 0	5 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 8	10 8
	30	Siliguri . .	6 0	6 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	6 0	6 0	5 8	10 0	10 0	12 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar ..	6 12	6 12	5 12	7 0	7 0	7 14	5 4	5 4	6 8	5 4	5 4	6 0	9 8	9 8	13 0
	32	Nilphamari ...	7 0	7 0	5 8	7 8	7 8	6 4	5 0	5 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	11 8	10 8	12 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar	7 12	7 12	5 0	8 4	8 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	15 0
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	7 2	7 2	6 0	7 8	7 12	7 2	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	9 12	9 12	12 0
	35	Sirajganj ...	7 0	7 0	5 0	7 8	7 8	5 8	5 12	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 0	12 8	12 8	13 0
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar .. .	6 8	7 0	6 8	7 8	7 12	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	13 0
	37	Gaur—Nawabganj	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 4	7 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	6 4	12 0	12 0	14 0
		Dacca.															
Dacca.	38	Sadar	6 12	6 12	5 12	8 0	8 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 4	6 8	5 4	5 0	11 0	11 0	13 8
	39	Munshir Hát ...	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	5 4	10 0	10 0	13 8
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad ...	6 14	6 14	5 12	7 2	7 2	5 13	5 0	5 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 4	11 12	11 12	13 8
	41	Netrakona ...	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 8	7 8	6 8	10 0	10 0	8 0	5 10	5 10	6 0	10 0	10 0	12 8
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	7 0	6 8	6 4	7 8	7 8	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 0	11 4	11 0	13 0
	43	Goalundo	7 6	7 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	6 10	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 6	6 6	5 8	10 15	10 15	12 0
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	7 4	7 4	5 12	8 0	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 4	12 0	12 0	13 8
	45	Pirojpur	7 0	7 0	...	7 0	7 0	5 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	11 0	11 0	13 0

† Karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1916 —concld.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

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		Tippera.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Chittagong	46	Comilla	6 6	6 5	5 8	6 14	6 14	5 11	4 9	4 9	4 9	5 5	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	16 0
	47	Chandpur ...	6 7	6 6	5 5	5 4	3 3	6 12	10 0	10 0	5 10	5 0	5 0	5 8	12 8	12 8	15 0
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	7 8	7 12	5 4	7 12	8 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	10 8	10 8	16 0
	49	Feni Hat ...	6 7	6 10	5 9	5 5	2 5	7 12	6 8	9 2	8 0	*	*		12 0	12 13	16 0
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar	7 8	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 8	7 8	6 0	5 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 4	14 0	13 0	16 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ..	7 8	7 8	6 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 8	13 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 8	8 8	6 8	10 0	10 0	7 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	13 0

* This article is not at present sold here. † Crushed.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA.
The 16th October 1916.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 8 0	3 6 0	3 14 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	7 14 0	7 12 0	8 0 0	6 3 0	6 0 0	7 4 0
Cheela Hat	.....	.....		.....		.....	.....	.....	....	.....	... .	...
Burdwan	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 4 0	3 6 0	3 8 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0
Kalna	.....	...	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....		
Raniganj		...	.....	.....	.....		.. ..	....	.....	...	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 13 0	3 0 0	3 14 0	2 11 0	2 14 0	3 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	6 4 0
Chittagong	.....[a]	.....	... ..	.. ...	....	.....	9 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 8 0
Chandpur		.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....		.....	
Dacca	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 6 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 12 0
Narayanganj		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	. ...	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.. .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	...		.....		.....	.....	.....			.....	.....	.....
Pabna	3 4 0	3 6 0	3 7 0	3 0 0	3 3 0	3 1 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 14 0
Sirajganj	.....		. ...	.....	.....	. ....	....	...			.....	.....
Rangpur	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	7 10 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	7 0 0

MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	5 13 0	5 10 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	13 0 0	13 0 0	14 0 0
Cheela Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	7 4 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	22 0 0	22 0 0	18 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.. ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	...		.. .	.....	.....		.....	.....
Midnapore	5 4 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 8 0	5 0 0 to 5 8 0	7 8 0 to 8 0 0	9 0 0	28 0 0	28 0 0	14 0 0
Chittagong	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	9 8 0	9 8 0	8 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	.....
Chandpur	....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Dacca	6 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	11 12 0	11 0 0	12 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.. ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 10 0	6 0 0	6 2 0	6 4 0	8 11 0	9 5 0	11 4 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	... ..	. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...
Rangpur	.. ...	.....	.....	5 8 0	5 10 0	6 0 0	11 8 0	12 0 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....

[a] No sale.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1916.

WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4 5 0	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cheria Hat.
5 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 6 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	4 8 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Katua.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Raniganj.
4 10 0 to 4 12 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0	5 14 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 0 0 to 4 4 0	4 0 0 to 4 4 0	4 12 8	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	6 12 0	Midnapore.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		5 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
.....	.....	4 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	7 8 0	8 11 0	Pabna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	Rangpur.

JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.	
8 0 0	8 0 0	7 4 0	52 0 0	52 0 0	48 0 0	375 0 0	375 0 0	370 0 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cheria Hat.
7 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	54 0 0	54 0 0	48 0 0	48 0 0	Per maund. 48 0 0	48 0 0	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Katua.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Raniganj.
6 8 0	6 8 0	7 4 0	55 0 0 to 58 0 0	55 0 0 to 56 0 0	50 0 0 to 54 0 0	350 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100 325 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100. 300 0 0	400 0 0 375 0 0	Midnapore.
.....	.....	.....	53 0 0	53 0 0	58 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Chittagong.
7 8 0 to 10 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	6 0 0 to 7 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	60 0 0	60 0 0	57 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Dacca.
9 0 0 to 10 0 0	9 0 0 to 10 4 0	8 8 0 to 8 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
7 8 0 to 10 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	8 12 0 to 10 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
8 8 0 to 9 8 0	8 0 0 to 9 0 0	8 12 0 to 8 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
.....	.....	.....	58 0 0	58 0 0	50 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Pabna.
6 8 0 to 8 8 0	6 8 0 to 8 8 0	7 8 0 to 9 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
9 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	56 0 0	56 0 0	54 0 0	Per piece. 3 8 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	.....	Rangpur.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present returns.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	14 0 0	14 0 0	9 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 9 6	2 9 6	2 2 9(a)
Chatia Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	13 0 0	12 0 0	7 8 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 1 0	2 12 6	2 12 6	2 4 3(a)
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	2 0 0 to 8 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 10 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	2 3 6(a)
Chittagong	16 0 0	16 0 0	10 0 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 2 0‡	1 12 6	1 13 6	1 13 6(b)
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	13 0 0	16 0 0	6 0 0	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 0 0‡	2 12 3	2 12 6	2 5 0(a)
Narayanganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	13 0 0	13 0 0	11 0 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 0 0	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 5 0(a) 2 3 0(c)
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	13 0 0	13 0 0	9 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0‡	2 15 0	2 15 0	2 8 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | (c) Serpent brand | ‡ Patna. | ‡ Crushed

CALCUTTA,

The 16th October 1916.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1916—concld.

MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14 0 0	14 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 8 6	.....	.....	.....	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 4 3	Chetla Hat.
14 0 0	14 0 0	13 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 6	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 6	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 1 3	0 1 2	0 1 0	Raniganj.
15 0 0 to 15 8 0	15 8 0	14 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	.....	.....	.....	Midnapore.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
17 0 0	17 0 0	17 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
16 0 0	15 4 0	16 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Pabna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rangpur.

D. N. MOOKERJI.

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Waterworks for the week ending the 30th September 1916.

Date.	Time when recorded.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height of water above mean sea-level.	Height above zero of gauge on the same date last year.	Remarks.
24th Sept. 1916	At low tide.	66·5	Not connected with mean sea-level.	68·3	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
25th „ „	Ditto	66·2		68·3	
26th „ „	Ditto	66·1		68·1	
27th „ „	Ditto	66·0		68·0	
28th „ „	Ditto	65·8		67·6	
29th „ „	Ditto	65·5		67·3	
30th „ „	Ditto	65·2		67·0	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th Sept.	1909	...	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	...	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	...	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	...	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	...	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	...	69·7	Ditto.
18th „	1916	...	68·1	Ditto.
23rd Feb.	1907	...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	...	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	...	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	...	50·6	Ditto.
22nd Feb.	1915	...	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	...	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 13th October 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement shewing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Waterworks for the week ending the 7th October 1916.

Date	Time.	Height of water above zero. of gauge.	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year	Remarks
1st Oct. 1916	At low tide.	65·2	Not connected with mean sea-level.	66·8	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
2nd „ „	Ditto	65·2		66·6	
3rd „ „	Ditto	65·0		66·1	
4th „ „	Ditto	64·8		65·7	
5th „ „	Ditto	64·9		65·3	
6th „ „	Ditto	64·4		65·0	
7th „ „	Ditto	64·4		64·6	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	...	67·86	Ditto
10th August	1910	...	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	...	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	...	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	...	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	...	69·7	Ditto.
18th „	1916	...	68·1	Ditto.
23rd February	1907	...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	...	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	...	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	...	50·6	Ditto.
22nd February	1915	...	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	...	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 12th October 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 7th October 1916.

Date	Hour	Height of surface above or below zero, minus sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 54·00	Height of surface above mean sea level	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year	Remarks
1st Oct. 1916	8 A.M.	8·50	62 50	59 40	R. L. of gauge post is 54·00.
2nd ,, ,,	8 ,,	7·80	61·80	59·00	B. M. on College step is 69·74.
3rd ,, ,,	8 ,,	7·30	61 30	58·50	
4th ,, ,,	8 ,,	6·80	60·80	58·00	
5th ,, ,,	8 ,,	6·60	60·60	57·70	
6th ,, ,,	8 ,,	6·20	60·20	57·30	
7th ,, ,,	8 ,,	6·00	60 00	56 80	

The previous year	...	...	Highest water-level	...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	...	...	Lowest ,,	..	41·90 on 4th May 1915
Record	...	...	Highest ,,	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do.	...	...	Ditto ,,	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885
Do.	...	...	Ditto ,,	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do	...	...	Ditto ,,	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do.	...	...	Lowest ,,	...	37·63 on 25th April 1984.
Dc	...	...	Ditto ,,	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Dc.	...	...	Ditto ,,	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897
Do.	...	...	Ditto ,,	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 7th October 1916.

MADHU SUDAN SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 7th October 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1st Oct. 1916	7 A.M.	22·1	22·1	22·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
2nd ,, ,,	,,	22·2	22·2	21 9	The bench-mark for the gauge is on
3rd ,, ,,	,,	21·9	21·9	21 5	a pucca pillar between the Passenger
4th ,, ,,	,,	21·6	21·6	21·2	ghat and Chandpore ghat.
5th ,, ,,	,,	21·4	21 4	20·8	Its reduced level is 22·41.
6th ,, ,,	,,	21·0	21·0	20·3	
7th ,, ,,	,,	20·8	20·8	19·9	

The previous year	...	Highest water level	...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	3·4 on 10th February 1915
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)		Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).		Ditto ,,	...	25 66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	... ...	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909

FARIDPUR,
The 7th October 1916.

NILMANI DE,
Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1916-17.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of August 1916.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under Irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.							RAINFALL, 1916-17.		RAINFALL, 1915-16.		Remarks.
								SEASON LEASES.											
								Long-term leases.	Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.	Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	699	627	77,100	67,263	64,133	12,991	...	...	...	12,991	77,124	12·60	41·43	10·07	32·18	
	Howrah	Pauchkura	522	39	31	7,806	7,051	6,667	1,514	...	...	...	1,514	8,181	10·01	37·96	10·08	35·86	
		Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18·29	42·43	11·79	36·76	
		Total Midnapore Canal ...	...	...	...	84,906	74,314	70,800	14,505	...	...	...	14,505	85,305	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	67,858	6,678	...	...	...	6,678	74,536	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	521	521	26,496	22,081	25,961	*924	97	7	...	928	26,879	13·56	23·83	4·45	30·03	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	23,835	669	...	7	...	669	24,507	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL ...	...	...	...	111,402	96,396	96,761	15,329	97	7	...	15,433	112,184	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	91,696	7,340	...	7	...	7,347	99,043	...	...	...	...	

* Of which 37 acres are "single watering."

CALCUTTA.

The 13th October 1916.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 30th September 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 30th September 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 2nd October 1915.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	163	28,908	325	279	52,985	579
Jute	227	116,224*	1,079	377	81,075†	1,285
Firewood	49	21,350	291	43	16,275	233
Other articles	733	138,241	1,503	717	132,137	1,553
Total ...	1,172	304,723	3,198	1,416	282,472	3,650
Empty boats and rafts ...	622	...	1,052	686	...	1,102
Grand Total ...	1,794	304,723	4,250	2,102	282,472	4,752

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 123,775
Ditto ditto 98,287½

CALCUTTA,
The 17th October 1916

B. B. RAY,
for *Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 7th October 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 7th October 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 9th October 1915		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	96	18,664	197	256	27,605	347
Jute	176	87,632*	895	387	77,827†	1,179
Firewood	16	11,200	173	53	38,175	588
Other articles	490	98,924	1,148	846	174,639	1,954
Total ...	778	216,420	2,413	1,542	318,246	4,068
Empty boats and rafts ...	489	...	570	893	...	964
Grand Total ...	1,267	216,420	2,983	2,435	318,246	5,032

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 97,200
† Ditto ditto 38,287½

CALCUTTA,
The 17th October 1916.

B. B. RAY.
for *Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 30th September 1916, on (a) 800 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 22 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	98,000	55,000 0 0	532,000 0	79,000 0 0	12,000 0 0	1,46,000 0 0	17,370	19,248	36,618
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	68·75	.....	96·10	14·59	179·44	.....	...	.....
For previous 25½ weeks of half-year	2,384,436	12,97,973 0 0	12,141,831 0	16,90,551 0 0	2,57,370 0 0	31,75,793 0 0	435,790	496,646	932,436
Total for 26½ weeks ...	2,482,436	13,52,973 0 0	12,673,831 0	16,99,551 0 0	2,69,370 0 0	33,21,793 0 0	453,160	515,894	969,054
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year:—									
Proportionate actuals ...	94,990	46,951 0 0	543,121 0	68,979 0 0	21,743 0 0	1,27,673 0 0	15,005	24,858	39,903
Per mile of railway (b) ...	.....	60·27	.....	74·75	27·56	162·58	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,407,191	13,33,214 0 0	12,451,019 0	16,94,585 0 0	3,31,458 0 0	33,49,257 0 0	404,346	547,614	951,960

(a) Excludes 44 miles from Harangajao to Maibang on the Hill Section under reconstruction.
(b) Calculated on 789 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 23rd September 1916 on 2,527·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	659,252	6,24,201 0 0	7,793,329 0	12,70,226 0 0	42,100 0 0	19,36,527 0 0	177,523	312,629	490,152
Or per mile of Railway ...	.....	246 15 7	.....	502 9 4	16 10 6	766 3 5	.....	.....	.....
	(a)	(a)	(b)	(b)	(c)				(d)
For previous 24) weeks of half-year.	17,958,284	1,45,86,765 0 0	235,167,040 0	3,57,53,689 0 0	8,70,369 0 0	5,11,80,823 0 0	4,161,307	7,946,471	12,107,778
Total from 1st April	18,617,536	1,51,90,966 0 0	238,960,369 0	3,70,23,925 0 0	9,12,469 0 0	5,31,17,350 0 0	4,338,830	8,259,100	12,597,930
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	694,603	5,57,636 0 0	8,573,156 0	13,38,191 0 0	57,534 0 0	19,53,361 0 0	181,827	282,227	464,054
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	220 11 0	.....	525 9 6	22 12 4	773 0 10	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	17,819,670	1,42,87,907 0 0	218,558,465 0	3,42,17,265 0 0	15,21,628 0 0	5,00,26,800 0 0	4,367,962	7,080,036	11,447,998

(a) Deducted number of passengers 767 and added Rs. 27,915
(b) Added Mds. 543,962 and deducted ,, 1,35,601 } On account of difference between the Approximate and Audited figures for the month
(c) Added ,, 80,392 } of July 1916.
(d) Audited figures up to July 1916.

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*2,527·42	Month of April	2,117,038	25,75,522	45,010,471	71,32,546	8,946	97,15,424	897	2,293,449	4 3 11
*2,527·42	,, of May	2,332,760	29,06,765	45,933,761	68,50,667	- 30,892	97,87,758	874	2,238,821	4 5 11
*2,527·42	,, of June	2,494,318	27,94,751	41,344,718	64,01,848	1,63,053	93,83,347	864	2,162,484	4 4 8
*2,527·42	,, of July	2,124,985	25,29,912	39,307,861	59,06,525	2,37,212	86,73,649	775	2,122 681	4 1 4
2,527·42	First 3 days of Aug. ...	469,848	3,81,049	5,900,726	9,27,951	32,050	13,41,050	...	334,340	4 0 9
2,527·42	Week ended 12th ,, ...	666,994	5,36,811	8,856 121	14,85,769	65,700	19,88,280	787	476,147	4 3 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	668,412	5,51,796	8,330,980	13,73,818	70,700	19,96,314	790	484,516	4 1 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	609,068	5,30,161	8,538,468	14,13,069	75,700	20,18,900	799	501,026	4 0 5
2,527·42	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	632,795	5,33,117	8,672,749	13,96,808	90,500	20,19,925	799	503,775	4 0 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	642,143	5,39,116	8,967,344	14,70,222	87,100	20,97,438	830	518,749	4 0 6
2,527·42	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	710,912	6,36,777	9,292 871	14,86,883	69,100	21,79,760	862	538,819	4 1 7
2,527·42	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	659,252	6,24,201	7,793,229	12,70,226	42,100	19,36,527	766	490,152	3 15 3
	Total up to date ...	18,617,536	1,51,90 966	235,960,369	3,70,23 925	9,12,469	5,31,17,360	836	12,597 930	4 3 6

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,525·63	Month of April	2,805,979	23,81,171	40,655,293	68,32,553	2,80,395	95,04,118	878	2,125,007	4 7 7
2,525·81	,, of May	2,534,237	23,01,041	43,770,005	70,03,488	2,59,236	1,00,63,745	899	2,157,702	4 10 8
2,526·81	,, of June	2,558,030	27,81,113	37,080,615	56,29,678	2,66,897	86,77,688	801	1,911,224	4 8 8
2,526·81	,, of July	3,223,176	26,25,464	36,357,968	56,17,870	2,69,538	84,12,862	752	1,934,303	4 5 11
2,526·81	Week ended 7th Aug. ...	512,300	5,00,634	7,822,800	11,78,826	50,980	17,35,420	643	432,804	3 15 9
2,526·81	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	573,266	4,65,343	7,576,714	11,56,197	45,639	16,66,169	650	432,408	3 15 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	606,540	4,80,122	7,275,953	11,35,668	62,686	16,78,476	664	431,923	3 14 2
2,526·81	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	631,392	4,76,838	7,735,819	11,48,453	58,290	16,81,581	665	430,132	3 14 7
2,526·81	,, ,, 4th Sept. ...	593,479	4,88,090	7,588,634	11,35,826	59,189	16,83,105	666	407,849	4 2 0
2,526·81	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	579,229	4,47,224	7,967,196	12,34,930	53,423	17,35 177	687	435,277	4 0 3
2,526·81	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	606,027	4,56,064	9,039,707	13,77,351	58,902	18,92,317	749	474,564	3 15 10
2,526·81	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	594,605	5,57,636	8,572,156	13,38,191	57,534	19,53,331	773	464,054	4 3 4
	Totals up to date ...	18,016,158	1,44,60,730	221,437,760	3,46,82,810	16,30,679	5,06,74,019	789	11,614,467	4 5 10

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 23rd September 1916 on 191·64 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	33 342	32,117 0 0	234.749 0	25,096 0 0	900 0 0	58,115 0 0	11,189	9,246	20,435
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	167 9 5	.....	130 15 5	4 11 2	303 4 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year.	1,175,723 (a)	8,73,950 0 0 (a)	11,678,967 0 (b)	7,36,698 0 0 (b)	10,057 0 0 (c)	16,20,735 0 0 (d)	275,018	203,625	478,643
Total from 1st April ...	1,214,064	9,06,067 0 0	11,913,716 0	7,61,796 0 0	10,957 0 0	16,78,850 0 0	286,207	212,871	499,078
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	41,907	26,851 0 0	439,034 0	35,339 0 0	996 0 0	63,186 0 0	11,841	7,898	19,739
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	140 1 10	.....	184 6 9	5 3 3	329 11 8	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	1,177,061	8,39,789 0 0	10,235,971 0	7,07,251 0 0	10,120 0 0	15,57,140 0 0	282,241	188,864	471,705

(a) Deducted number of passengers 9,684 and deducted Rs. 13,826
(b) Deducted mds. 8,980 and deducted ,, 903 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the month
(c) Added ,, 600 } of July 1916.
(d) Audited figures up to July 1916.

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*191·64	Month of April ...	202,081	1,63,956	2,833,969	1,41,217	1,184	3,06,357	372	85,803	3 8 11
*191·64	,, ,, May ...	230,962	1,84,087	2,066,058	1,41,880	1,162	3,08,829	361	86,309	3 9 2
*191·64	,, ,, June ...	233,117	1,49,686	2,403,641	1,43,840	2,411	2,95,717	360	85,607	3 7 3
*191·64	,, ,, July ...	203,161	1,52,715	1,591,080	1,00,389	1,880	2,54,984	300	85,064	3 0 0
191·64	First 5 days of Aug. ...	33,484	27,000	245,072	15,562	250	42,812	...	13,734	3 1 11
191·64	Week ended 13th ,, ...	47,304	35,995	365,340	23,559	300	59,854	312	20,116	2 15 7
191·64	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	48,038	36,737	366,431	25,018	300	64,055	334	19,788	3 3 10
191·64	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	43,162	33,609	334,133	33,921	300	67,830	354	19,648	3 7 3
191·64	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	49,656	38,735	423,170	35,472	300	74,797	390	20,365	3 9 0
191·64	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	44,860	36,262	452,925	38,384	900	75,746	395	20,834	3 10 2
191·64	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	41,907	37,068	495,948	34,986	900	72,954	381	21,263	3 6 10
191·64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	35,342	32,117	294,749	25,098	900	58,115	303	20,435	2 15 6
	Totals up to date ...	1,214,064	9,06,067	11,973,716	7,61,796	10,957	16,78,850	348	499,078	3 5 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Month of April ...	169,649	1,37,384	2,131,674	1,55,835	1,515	2,94,734	350	85,950	3 6 10
191·64	,, ,, May ...	195,090	1,46,520	2,702,188	1,15,962	1,107	2,63,608	313	84,347	3 2 5
191·64	,, ,, June ...	235,020	1,45,177	1,778,678	1,35,555	1,737	2,82,469	348	78,306	3 9 7
191·64	,, ,, July ...	233,940	1,56,734	1,674,980	1,16,696	1,179	2,74,602	334	79,367	3 7 4
191·64	Week ended 7th Aug. ...	49,962	35,630	263,726	17,938	373	53,890	381	17,327	3 1 9
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	42,997	34,459	306,742	21,220	272	56,030	392	17,270	3 3 11
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	49,135	37,235	339,941	21,660	272	59,170	309	17,506	3 6 1
191·64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	45,871	34,903	310,271	23,818	272	58,991	308	16,917	3 1 11
191·64	,, ,, 4th Sept. ...	43,765	31,648	287,524	22,168	632	54,448	284	18,548	2 15 0
191·64	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	41,746	31,312	314,026	25,580	996	57,888	303	18,831	3 1 8
191·64	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	40,824	25,684	368,822	28,631	996	55,311	289	20 602	2 10 9
191·64	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	41,907	26,851	439,034	35,339	996	63,186	330	19,739	3 3 3
	Totals up to date ...	1,189,896	9,48,806	10,429,505	7,90,449	10,339	18,79,594	334	477,690	3 4 11

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 30th September 1916 on 2,537·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			*
Total traffic for the week	684,662	6,63,038 0 0	8,498,043 0	14,22,460 0 0	37,100 0 0	21,22,598 0 0	179,413	299 218	478,631
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	262 5 5	.....	562 13 0	14 10 10	839 13 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25½ weeks of half-year ...	18,617,536	151,80,966 0 0	235,960,369 0	3,62,13,925 0 0 (c)	7,07,469 0 0 (d)	5,22,02,360 0 0	4,338,820	8,259,100	12,597,920
Total from 1st April ...	19,302,198	158,44,004 0 0	244,458,312 0	3,77,36,385 0 0	7,44,569 0 0	5,43,24,958 0 0	4,518,243	8,558,318	13,076,561
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	685,486	5,68,699 0 0	8,533,263 0	13,05,804 0 0	56,035 0 0	19,27,338 0 0	179,377	298,560	477,937
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	223 14 0	.....	516 10 7	22 2 10	762 11 5	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	18,505,156	148,51,418 4 11	227,116,728 0	3,49,27,575 3 11	13,03,961 4 4	5,10,82,954 13 2	4,347,239	7,578,696	11,945,935

(a) The increase is due to Doorga Poojah holidays.
(b) The increase is chiefly in coal.
(c) { Deducted Rs. 4,25,000 on account of rebate on exported coal, and raw materials to Kulti for the half-year ended 30th September 1916.
Deducted Rs. 2,50,000 reserved for payments to G. I. P. and B. B. & C. I. Rys. for coal carried *vid* Cawnpore and Agra respectively, but booked *vid* Jubbulpore (G. I. P.)
Deducted Rs. 35,000 reserved for payments to Foreign Railways on account of pooling traffic for the half-year ended 30th September 1916.
(d) { Deducted Rs. 1,20,000 on account of rents of joint stations and shunting charges creditable to expenditure for the half-year ended 30th September 1916.
Deducted Rs. 85,000 on account of hire of vehicles interchanged.

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs	Rs	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P
*2,537·42	Month of April ...	3,117,033	25,73,552	45,010,471	71,32,946	8,946	97,15,424	897	2,223,449	4 5 11
*2,537·42	,, ,, May ...	3,853,780	32,68,783	43,933,761	68,89,667	- 30,692	97,67,758	874	2,238,821	4 5 11
*2,537·42	,, ,, June ...	3,491,316	27,98,751	41,344,718	64,01,543	1,62,083	93,62,347	864	2,162,484	4 4 8
*2,537·42	,, ,, July ...	3,124,965	26,28,913	39,307,861	59,06,535	2,37,212	86,72,649	775	2,122,681	4 1 4
2,537·42	First 3 days of Aug. ...	469,848	3,81,029	5,900,736	9,27,951	22,050	13,41,030	...	331,350	4 0 2
2,537·42	Week ended 13th ,, ...	666,994	5,36,811	8,866,131	13,85,769	65,700	19,88,280	787	475,147	4 2 11
2,537·42	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	668,412	5,51,796	8,330,960	13,78,818	70,700	19,96,314	790	484,518	4 1 11
2,537·42	,, ,, 26th ,,	606,096	5,30,141	8,528,468	14,13,089	75,700	20,18,900	799	501,096	4 0 8
2,537·42	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	622,793	5,33,117	8,673,749	13,88,306	98,600	20,19,923	799	502,776	4 0 3
2,537·42	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	642,143	5,38,116	8,967,344	14,75,222	87,100	20,97,438	830	518,739	4 0 8
2,537·42	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	710,912	6,28,777	9,292,871	14,88,843	62,100	21 79,720	863	533,819	4 2 7
2,537·42	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	659,252	6,24,901	7,793,339	12,70,236	42 100	19,36,537	766	490,153	3 15 3
2,537·42	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	644,662	6,63,038	8,498,043	14,22,460	37,100	21,22,598	840	396,631	4 6 11
	Special Adjustments ...	.....	.....	.....	- 7,15,000	- 2,05,000	- 9,15,000	...	.....	...
	Totals up to date ...	19,302,198	1,58,44,004	244,458,312	3,77,36,385	7,44,569	5,43,24,958	832	12,996,561	4 2 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Per week. Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P
2,525·62	Month of April ...	2,806,979	23,81,171	40,662,793	68,32,852	2,90,336	95,04,118	878	2,125,007	4 7 7
2,526·81	,, ,, May ...	3,534,237	29,01,041	43,770,006	70,03,469	2,59,226	1,00,63,743	899	2,157,702	4 10 8
2,526·81	,, ,, June ...	3,555,030	27,81,113	37,040,615	56,29,678	2,66,887	86,77,683	801	1,911,234	4 5 8
2,526·81	,, ,, July ...	3,223,175	26,28,454	36,357,963	55,17,970	2,69,538	84,13,962	782	1,924,804	4 5 11
2,526·81	Week ended 7th Aug. ...	612,200	5,00,634	7,532,800	11,75,526	50,960	17,26,420	683	489,804	3 15 9
2,526·81	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	573,365	4,65,343	7,576,714	11,86,197	45,629	16,84,169	659	424,404	3 15 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	606,540	4,90,122	7,375,953	11,55,668	42,686	16,78,476	664	431,935	3 14 2
2,526·81	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	621,392	4,76,838	7,753,319	11,48,452	56,290	16,81,581	665	440,132	3 14 7
2,526·81	,, ,, 4th Sept. ...	593,479	4 88,090	7,589,884	11,35,826	59,189	16,83,105	666	407,849	4 2 0
2,526·81	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	578,229	4,47,224	7,967,196	12,34,630	53,423	17,35,177	687	439,377	4 0 3
2,526·81	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	606,027	4,66,064	9,039,707	13,77,351	58,902	18,93,317	749	474,584	3 15 10
2,526·81	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	694,605	5,57,636	8,572,184	13,3c,191	57,554	19,53,361	773	464,054	4 3 4
2,526·81	Last 5 days of ,, ...	588,998	3,99,878	5,678,964	8,40,159	46,984	13,80,019	...	331,468	3 13 9
	Special adjustments ...	.....	- 3,188	.....	- 5,95,191	- 2,73,701	- 8,71,083	...	.....	...
	Totals up to date ...	18,505,156	1,48,81,418	227,116,728	3,49,27,575	12,03,962	5,10,82,955	773	11,945,935	4 4 6

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 30th September 1916 on 191·64 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	36,883	31,312 0 0	2,85,309 0	36,298 0 0	900 0 0	60,440 0 0	11,431	7,931	19,362
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	173 13 3	.....	136 13 9	4 11 2	315 6 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 26½ weeks of half-year	1,214,064	9,06,067 0 0	11,473,716 0 (a)	(a)7,41,726 0 0	10,987 0 0	16,58,830 0 0	286,207	212,871	499,078
Total from 1st April ...	1,250,897	9,39,379 0 0	11,762,025 0	7,68,024 0 0	11,887 0 0	17,19,290 0 0	297,638	220,802	518,440
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	43,181	29,839 0 0	494,376 0	39,745 0 0	808 0 0	70 392 0 0	11,679	8,405	20,084
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	155 11 3	.....	207 6 4	4 3 5	367 5 0	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	1,290,242	8,69 854 0 11	9,969,587 20	7,23,649 14 10	10,939 5 1	16,04,147 4 10	294,530	197,269	491,799

(a) Deducted rasunds 500,000 and Rs. 20,000 on account of freight on Delhi-Umballa-Kalka Railway Revenue coal and stores for the half-year ended 30th September 1916.

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
* 191·64	Month of April	202,081	1,62,986	2,332,969	1,41,217	1,184	3,05,387	372	85,502	3 8 11
* 191·64	,, May	230,854	1,84,067	2,064,058	1,41,360	1,162	3 06 629	361	83,809	3 9 2
* 191·64	,, June	243,117	1,49,666	2,402,841	1,43,640	2,411	2,95,717	360	85,607	3 7 3
* 191·64	,, July	203,161	1,81,716	1,391,050	1,00,389	1,880	2,84,984	300	85,084	3 0 0
191·64	First 5 days of Aug. ...	32,484	27,000	245,072	15,562	250	42 812	...	13,724	3 1 11
191·64	Week ended 12th ,, ...	47,304	35,905	335,840	23 559	300	59,854	312	20,116	2 15 7
191·64	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	40,038	38,737	366,431	25,018	300	64,055	334	19,788	3 3 10
191·64	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	41,162	33,609	534,133	33.921	300	67,830	354	19.648	3 7 3
191·64	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	49,856	35,838	673,170	38,472	500	74,797	393	20,985	3 9 0
191·64	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	44,980	46,262	652,915	38,884	600	75,746	395	20,836	3 10 2
191·64	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	41,907	37,038	495,948	34,936	900	72,924	381	21,963	3 6 10
191·64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	38,342	32,117	394,749	25,998	900	58,115	303	20,435	2 13 6
191·64	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	36,833	33,312	388,309	26,228	900	60,441	315	19,262	3 1 11
	Special adjustments ...	.....	.....	- 500,000	- 30.000	...	- 30.000	...	.....	.....
	Totals up to date ...	1,250,897	9,39,379	11,762 025	7,68,024	11,887	17,19,290	343	518,440	3 5 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Month of April	169,619	1,37,384	2,121,674	1,35,823	1,815	2,94,724	359	83,950	3 6 10
191 64	,, May	195,090	1,48,539	2,293,188	1,18,962	1,107	2,68,608	313	84,247	3 3 5
191·64	,, June	233,080	1,64,177	1,778,578	1,38,555	1,737	2,85,469	348	79,306	3 9 7
191·64	,, July	235,940	1,56,734	1,574,980	1,16,696	1,172	2,74,602	324	79,387	3 7 4
191·64	Week ended 7th Aug. ...	49,962	36,690	263,725	17,938	273	53,890	281	17,317	3 1 9
191 64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	42,897	34,459	306,742	21,290	272	56,020	292	17,270	3 3 11
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	40,135	37,288	280,941	21,660	272	59,170	309	17,506	3 6 1
191·64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	46,871	34,903	310,271	23,816	272	58,991	308	18,017	3 1 11
191·64	,, ,, 4th Sept. ...	43,765	31,945	297,524	22,168	632	54,445	284	18,548	2 15 0
191·64	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	41,745	31,312	344,026	25,560	991	57,868	303	18,831	3 1 2
191·64	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	40,824	25,684	358,832	26,631	996	53,311	289	20,492	2 10 9
191·64	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	41,907	24,851	429,024	33,339	996	63,186	330	19,739	3 3 3
191·64	Last 5 days of ,, ...	35,847	20,992	300,742	26,647	609	48,248	...	14,099	3 6 9
	Special adjustments ...	.....	- 40	- 770,559	- 23,345	...	- 23,385	...	.....	.....
	Totals up to date ...	1,250,242	8,69,853	9,969,583	7,23,651	10,938	16,04,147	320	491,799	3 4 2

* Audited figures.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 30th September 1916, on 2,067 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,067 miles open ...	480,510	1,50,920	970,190	(a)1,44,360	(b)23,630	3,18,800	61,463	(c)37,542	99,045
Or per mile of railway ...	2C8·28	73·01	469·37	69·79	11·43	154·23	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25½ weeks of official half-year	(e)13,515,084	51,21,700	29,965,721	41,35,901	6,91,168	99,88,789	1,581,172	1,235,728	2,816,900
Total for the half-year	13,995,594	52,72,620	30,935,911	42,80,161	7,14,802	10,277,589	1,642,635	1,273,310	2,915,945
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,043 miles open	391,354	1,50,945	844,712	1,15 9 4	22,260	2,89 149	63 417	(d)38,252	101,669
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	191·56	73·88	413·47	56·76	10 89	141 53	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	12,771,744	45,81,296	26,696,690	37,49,410	6,61,920	89,93,626	1,667,697	1,214,334	2,882,031
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		2·46		3·84	·24	3·22			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		2·38		3·03	22	2·84			

(a) General increase chiefly under foreign inward with much increased load.
(b) General increase.
(c) Includes 2,604 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 3,097 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes audited figures up to 31st July 1916.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 30th September 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,732	13,674 0 0	23,592 0	14,301 0 0	1,110 0 0	29,085 0 0	2,696	2,245	4,941
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	268 0 0	.....	280 0 0	22 0 0	570 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of the half-year	1,16,970	3,17,772 0 0	786,189 0	3,31,907 0 0	4,014 0 0	6,52,693 0 0	64,806	96,248	161,054
Total traffic up to 30th September 1916 ...	1,22,702	3,31,446 0 0	819,781 0	3,46,208 0 0	5,124 0 0	6,82,778 0 0	67,502	99,493	166,995
(183 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	248 0 0	.....	260 0 0	4 0 0	512 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,914½	13,119 0 0	24 792 0	14,679 0 0	978 0 0	28,776 0 0	1,489	4,340	5,829
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	257 0 0	.....	288 0 0	19 0 0	564 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,09,116½	2,91,505 0 0	782,868 0	3,39,623 0 0	5,196 0 0	6,36,324 0 0	44,674	1,08,743	153,417
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	218 0 0	.....	255 0 0	4 0 0	477 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes :—Difference for the week...		+ 555		— 378	+ 132	+ 309			
Difference up to date ...		+ 30,941		+ 6,585	— 72	+ 46,454			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.

The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in rice, iron and salt. The potato traffic showed improvement.

The traffic during this month was good and it is expected that when the actual audited earnings are made up for this half-year they will amount to nearly Rs. 7,00,000 instead of Rs. 6,60,000 as estimated in the previous month and Rs. 6,36,000 of the previous corresponding half-year.

The increase during the half-year is mainly in coaching (Local and Foreign passengers), *i.e.*, about Rs. 50,000 in Passenger traffic, but there is a set off of about Rs. 10,000 in Parcel and Luggage traffic. The increase in goods is mainly in public coal, rice and potatoes. There is a decrease of Rs. 23,000 in building materials (iron, cement, &c.)

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 30th September 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,739	2,779 0 0	219,043 0	1,810 0 0	23 0 0	4,612 0 0	1,013	808	1,820
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	40 0 0	.....	26 0 0	.....	66 0	...	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of the half-year	1,49,149	51,354 0 0	353,871 0	28,886 0 0	606 0 0	80,846 0 0	22,973	26,124	49,097
Total traffic up to 30th September 1916	1,56,888	54,133 0 0	371,914 0	30,696 0 0	629 0 0	85,458 0 0	23 986	26,932	50,917
(183 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	20 0 0	.....	17 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	.....	1,653 0 0	.....	1,505 0 0	20 0 0	3,178 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	24 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year	.....	31,646 0 0	.....	14,682 0 0	368 0 0	46,696 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	18 0 0	.....	8 0 0	.....	26 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTE:—Difference for the week	+ 1,136		+ 805		+ 3	+ 1,434			
Difference up to date	+ 22,487		+ 16,014		+ 261	+ 38,762			

The traffic during this month was satisfactory and it is now expected that the earnings for the half-year on this Extension might reach Rs. 90,000 instead of Rs 80,000 as estimated in the previous month.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 30th September 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week*	245	209 0 0	501 0	64 0 0	1 0 0	274 0 0	98	84	182
Or per week per mile of railway	...	7 0 0	.....	2 0 0	.....	9 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of the half-year	12,612	10,998 0 0	187,175 0	34,239 0 0	232 0 0	45,469 0 0	5,346	9,543	14,889
Total traffic up to 30th September 1916	12,877	11,207 0 0	187,676 0	34,403 0 0	233 0 0	45,743 0 0	5,444	9,627	15,071
(183 days) Or per week per mile of Railway	...	14 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	58 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	...	132 0 0	.....	103 0 0	2 0 0	237 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	4 0 0	.....	4 0 0	.....	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year	.....	2,184 0 0	.....	2,285 0 0	55 0 0	4,524 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Or per week per mile of railway	...	3 0 0	.....	3 0 0	.....	6 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTE:—Difference for the week	+ 77		— 39		— 1	+ 37			
Difference up to date	+ 9,023		+ 32,118		+ 78	+ 41,219			

* NOTE:—On account of breaches the line has been closed for Traffic beyond Sevoke since 1st September and traffic earnings are therefore very low. It is expected that the audited earnings will probably reach Rs. 80,000 for this half-year.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th September 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train Miles run		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,243	1,845 0 0	67,809 0	11,969 0 0	(a)265 0 0	14,079 0 0	354	(d)865	1,219
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	50 0 0	.....	329 0 0	1 0 0	(c)380 0 0	...	.	...
For previous 25 weeks of half-year *	182,106	48,243 0 0	1,955,453 0	2,58,765 0 0	11,348 0 0	3,18,356 0 0	13,351	23,046	36,397
Total for 26 weeks ...	188,349	50,088 0 0	2,023,262 0	2,70,734 0 0	11,613 0 0	3 32,435 0 0	13,705	23,911	37,616
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	6,826	1,947 0 0	54,631 0	10,343 0 0	(b)799 0 0	13,088 0 0	605	(e)390	995
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	.	53 0 0	.....	284 0 0	15 0 0	(c)353 0 0		...	
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	187,606	44 091 0 0	1,399,031 0	2,16 717 0 0	13,191 0 0	3,73,999 0 0	11,548	18,861	30 409

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 235.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs 289
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train miles, 156.
(e) Ditto. 1915, 78.
* Includes Audited earnings for the month of July 1916.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th September 1916, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	14,221	4,166 0 0	115,633 0	18,935 0 0	80 0 0	23,181 0 0	1,961	(a)2,882	4,843
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	36 0 0	.....	162 0 0	... ..	198 0 0	.	...	..
For previous 25 weeks of half-year.*	359,018	1,10,997 0 0	2,642,859 0	4,00,439 0 0	5,190 0 0	5,16,626 0 0	46 895	82,739	129,634
Total for 26 weeks ...	373,239	1,15,163 0 0	2,758,292 0	4,19,394 0 0	5,270 0 0	5,39,777 0 0	48,856	85 621	134,477
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	13,916	4,340 0 0	95,084 0	14,884 0 0	1,141 0 0	20,515 0 0	2,157	(b)1,422	3 579
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	39 0 0	.....	127 0 0	9 0 0	175 0 0	...	.	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	333,263	1,04 533 0 0	2,195,173 0	3 20 881 0 0	3,321 0 0	4,33,635 0 0	47,466	66,837	113,303

(a) Ballast train miles, 509.
(b) Ballast train miles, 1915, 72.
* Includes Audited earnings for the month of July 1916.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL
during October and November 1916.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
1916.		H. M.		
Oct. 31st ...	Tuesday ...	12 30	Leave Darjeeling ...	By carriage.
			Arrive Badamtam.	
Nov. 1st ...	Wednesday	.....	Visit Namchi.	
„ 2nd ...	Thursday	.....	Visit Kewzing.	
„ 3rd ...	Friday ...	.....	Visit Pemionchi.	
„ 4th ...	Saturday...	.....	Visit Kewzing.	

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
1916.		H. M.		
Nov. 5th ...	Sunday ...	.....	Visit Temi.	
„ 6th ...	Monday ...	.....	Visit Rangpo.	
„ 7th ...	Tuesday ...	.....	Arrive Kalimpong.	
„ 8th ...	Wednesday	.....	Halt at Kalimpong.	
„ 9th ...	Thursday	14 30	Leave Kalimpong.	
		16 0	Leave Kalimpong Road.	By special train.
		19 30	Arrive Siliguri.	
		21 35	Leave Siliguri ...	By special train.
„ 10th ...	Friday ...	5 10	Arrive Rangpur ...	His Excellency will leave the special train at 7-30 A.M.
		22 55	Leave Rangpur.	
„ 11th ...	Saturday...	9 30	Arrive Nator.	
		15 45	Arrive Rampur Boalia.	By motor.
„ 12th ...	Sunday ...	.....	Halt at Rampur Boalia.	
„ 13th ...	Monday ...	15 0	Leave Rampur Boalia.	By motor.
		16 0	Arrive Sarda.	
„ 14th ...	Tuesday ...	15 0	Leave Sarda ...	By motor.
		17 15	Arrive Nator.	
		17 25	Leave Nator ...	By special train.
		22 0	Arrive Sealdah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Lady Carmichael (up to Siliguri).
The Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.I.E., I.C.S., Chief Secretary.*
Mr. H. F. Samman, I.C.S., Officiating Commissioner, Rajshahi Division.†
Mr. W. R. Gourlay, I.C.S., Private Secretary.‡
Captain the Hon'ble W. J. L. Palmer, A.-D.-C.

(2) All letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the addition of the name of any post-town.*

(3) His Excellency's departure from Darjeeling will be public. All other arrivals and departures will be private.

* Will join at Santahar. † From Rangpur to Sarda. ‡ Will join at Siliguri.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
DARJEELING,
The 20th October 1916.

H. G. VAUX, CAPTAIN,
Military Secretary to H. E.
the Governor of Bengal

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8188A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3497A.D.—The 17th October 1916.*—The orders of the 19th September 1916, transferring Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district, are cancelled.

Howrah.
Mymensingh.

No. 3512A.D.—The 18th October 1916.—The Hon'ble Mr. J. Lang, I.C.S., is appointed temporarily to be Magistrate and Collector of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

No. 3514A.D.—The 18th October 1916.—Mr. A. Cassells, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, Midnapore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Rajshahi.

Midnapore.
Rajshahi.

No. 3517A.D.—The 18th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Nawabzada Saiyid Ali Ashraf, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Midnapore, to be Additional District Magistrate of that district for a period not exceeding six months and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Midnapore.

No. 3588A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tippera and Chittagong.

Dacca.
Tippera.
Chittagong.

No. 3597A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—The orders of the 19th September 1916, posting Babu Girish Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to the Pirojpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district, are cancelled.

Bakarganj.

No. 3609A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Mr. J. Johnston, I.C.S., Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as District and Sessions Judge of that district during the absence, on leave, of Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 3683A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—The Probationary Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors and are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names :—

Hooghly.
24-Parganas.
Dacca.

Babu Phanindra Nath Mukharji (No. II), M.Sc.	...	Hooghly.
„ Hiran Lal Mukharji, M.A.	...	24-Parganas (temporarily).
„ Surendra Nath Ray, B.L.	...	Dacca.
„ Upendra Chandra Dutt, B.A.	...	Do.

No. 3687A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—Babu Jitendra Nath Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gopalganj, Faridpur, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Darjeeling district.

Faridpur.
Darjeeling.

No. 3690A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is appointed to have charge of the Gopalganj subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Darjeeling.
Faridpur.

No. 3695A.D.—The 24th October 1916.—Mr. A. J. Chotzner, I.C.S., Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly.

24-Parganas.
Hooghly.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3553A.D.—The 18th October 1916.*—The services of Lieutenant Henry Owen Weller of the Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab.

No. 3574A.D.—The 19th October 1916.—The orders, dated the 18th July 1916, placing the services of Captain Douglas Hugh Keelan of the Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, are cancelled.

No. 3628A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Mr. George Roberton is appointed to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, in the 2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, with effect from the 20th July 1916, *vice* Charles William Ives, V.D., transferred to the supernumerary list.

POLICE.—*No. 3615A.D.—The 20th October 1916.*—Mr. P. T. Monckton, Superintendent of Police, Jalpaiguri, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi.

Jalpaiguri.
Rajshahi.

No. 3617A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Mr. F. J. Lowman, Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Jalpaiguri.

Calcutta.
Jalpaiguri.

No. 3620A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Mr. J. A. M. J. Goldie, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, on special duty, is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

No. 3626A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Mr. R. E. A. Ray, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, and, under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Rajshahi.
Mymensingh.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3612A.D.—The 20th October 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Herbert Philip Duval, I.C.S., to be an Additional Member of the said Council.

Council.

PROMOTIONS.

POLICE.—*No. 3643A.D.—The 21st October 1916.*—The following confirmations, promotions and appointment are sanctioned in the Superior Police Service. The officers concerned will continue to act in higher grade or appointment, if any, until further orders:—

Confirmed in the fourth grade of Superintendents of Police.

Babu Tripura Charan Mukharji, with effect from the 18th September 1916, *vice* Mr. J. V. B. R. Bromage, resigned.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade of Superintendents of Police.*

Mr. J. C. Farmer, with effect from the 18th September 1916, *vice* Babu Tripura Charan Mukharji, confirmed.

Confirmed in the fifth grade of Superintendents of Police.

Mr. P. S. Quarry, with effect from the 18th September 1916, *vice* Babu Tripura Charan Mukharji, confirmed in the fourth grade.

Appointed substantively pro tempore *to the fifth grade of Superintendents of Police.*

Mr. T. Clear, with effect from the 18th September 1916, *vice* Mr. P. S. Quarry, confirmed.

Confirmed in the first grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police.

Mr. W. S. C. Macpherson, with effect from the 18th September 1916, *vice* Mr. P. S. Quarry, confirmed in the fifth grade of Superintendents of Police.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the first grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police.*

Mr. R. W. Bell, with effect from the 18th August 1916, *vice* Mr. M. J. Willmott, seconded.

„ G. C. Sturgis, with effect from the 18th September 1916, *vice* Mr. W. S. C. Macpherson, confirmed.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3501A.D.—The 17th October 1916.*—Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 22nd December 1916, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 11th September 1916.

Midnapore.

No. 3520A.D.—The 18th October 1916.—Nawabzada Saiyid Ali Ashraf, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Midnapore, is allowed leave for four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

No. 3593A D.—The 20th October 1916.—Babu Girish Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 9th September 1916.

Bankura.

No. 3604A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Maulvi Adiluzzaman Khan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months and six days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his present duties at Bankura.

Dacca.

No. 3606A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is allowed leave for one week, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 30th October 1916.

Calcutta.

No. 3659A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—The Hon'ble Mr. C. F. Payne, I.C.S., Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, is allowed combined leave for eleven months and thirteen days, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months with effect from the 8th November 1916, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308(*b*) of the Regulations.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3524A.D.—The 18th October 1916.—The following additions are made to rule 8 in Appendix V to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912:—

"All superior educational officers in Bengal other than the members of the Indian Educational Service, whose mother-tongue is not Bengali, such as, among others, Anglo-Indian or domiciled European Assistant Inspectresses, European or Anglo-Indian teachers of the Government Schools at Kurseong, and non-Bengali teachers of the Government Schools for Indian girls, are required to pass in Bengali by the standard specified in grade I above within two years of their appointment, during which they will be on probation.

"It will be within the discretion of the Local Government or the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, as the case may be, to withhold increments of pay or promotion in the case of any officer who has failed to pass the prescribed test within the required period."

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3532A.D.—The 18th October 1916.—The following is substituted for the note under clause 9 (*4*) in Appendix V to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912:—

"In the case of officers of the Public Works Department and of the Indian Educational Service and of the superior educational officers other than members of the Indian Educational Service referred to in rule 8 above, 'The judgment or other official document' will, if possible, relate to matters with which such officers are likely to have to deal."

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1816T.R.—The 21st October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*d*) of section 75 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rule to be substituted for rule 3 of the rules for the regulation of grazing in the reserved forests of Darjeeling, published by Notification No. 1557T.R., dated the 22nd September 1916, in Part I, page 1791, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem:—

Darjeeling.

"He shall not be obliged to allow grazing in more than 7,738 acres, nor to permit more than 515 head of cattle to be grazed during the summer or winter months. With the concurrence of the Deputy Commissioner, he may reduce the number of head of cattle to be admitted during the winter months."

No. 1772T.R.—The 18th October 1916.—With reference to rule 7 of the Rules issued by the Government of India with their Resolution No. 7552—7581-121, dated the 15th September 1913, for regulating the grant by Local Governments of licenses to prospect for minerals and the grant of mining leases in British India, it is hereby certified that Messrs. Tularam Nathuram of Puralia, in the district of Manbhum, are approved by the Government of Bengal as fit and proper persons to whom such licenses or leases can be granted in the Presidency of Bengal.

Certificate of approval.

2. Under rule 8 of the aforesaid rules this certificate will expire at midnight on the 31st of December 1916.

No. 1749T.R.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Alluvion and Diluvion Act, 1847 (IX of 1847), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in Notification No. 1899L.R., dated the 5th July 1911, published at page 1012 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th *idem*, namely :—

Midnapore.

(1) *For* clause (*a*) of the said notification of the 6th July 1911, *substitute* the following :—

"(*a*) that a new survey be made of the lands on the banks, and in the beds, of the said rivers, and of the lands on the shores of the said part of the Bay of Bengal, provided that, in the case of such of the said rivers as flow along the boundaries of the said district, the new survey shall not extend to the high banks across those rivers, situated in any other adjoining district," and

(2) *Delete* clause (*b*) and *renumber* clause (*c*) as clause (*b*).

No. 1773T.R.—The 18th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included in the following villages comprised in patni lot Gopinagar, appertaining to estate bearing tauzi No. 163 on the revenue-roll of the district of Midnapore but situated in thana Haripal in the district of Hooghly :—

Hooghly.

(1) Gopinagar.	(3) Raghubati.	(5) Raghunathpur.
(2) Aminpore.	(4) Chautara.	

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise ;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well, or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and if so entitled, under what authority ;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private land as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 8414L.R.—The 18th October 1916.—Maulvi Muzammil Haq, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Rajshahi, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months with effect from the 12th October 1916.

Rajshahi.

No. 8459L.R.—The 20th October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3(17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the district of Mymensingh as well as in those revenue survey mauzas which are comprised within the administrative boundaries of the districts of Rangpur, Bogra, Pabna and Tippera, but which fall, wholly or partly, within five miles from the main stream of any river which forms the administrative boundary of the district of Mymensingh, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Mymensingh.
Rangpur.
Bogra
Pabna.
Tippera.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

Babu Rajendra Narayan Rakshit ... Sub-Deputy Collector.
„ Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta ... Ditto.

No. 8461L.R.—The 20th October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the district of Dacca, as well as in those revenue-survey mauzas which are comprised within the administrative boundaries of the district of Tippera or Pabna, but which fall, wholly or partly, within five miles from the main stream of any river which forms the administrative boundary of the district of Dacca, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Dacca.
Tippera.
Pabna.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

Babu Upendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector.
„ Chinta Haran Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 8463L.R.—The 20th October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3(17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Rajshahi, as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda which lie in mauzas falling, wholly or partly, within 5 miles of the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi.
Pabna.
Murshidabad.
Nadia.
Malda.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 8505L.R.—The 21st October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Noakhali.
Tippera.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Part I, Chapter VI, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

1. Khan Sahib Abdul Khair Kabiruddin Ahmad, Deputy Collector.
2. Mr. J. R. Johnson, Deputy Collector.
3. Maulvi Ali Azam, Sub-Deputy Collector.
4. Babu Sati Prasad Gangali, Sub-Deputy Collector.

Malda.

No. 8524L.R.—The 23rd October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., is appointed to discharge, in the areas in the district of Malda, comprised within the external boundaries of villages falling, entirely or partly, within 5 miles from the main stream of the river Ganges, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Part I, Chapter VI, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid area

Howrah.

No. 8526L.R.—The 23rd October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands situated in the following villages, in the district of Howrah, and appertaining to the estates noted against them :—

	Name of village.		Thana		Revenue Survey number	Tauzi Number.
1.	Rajapur	...	Uluberia	...	2283	32 of Hooghly Collectorate.
2.	Jagadishpur	...	Ditto	...	2287	Ditto.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise ;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well, or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*i*) the special condition and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and if so entitled, under what authority ;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Mymensingh.

No. 8539L.A.—The 23rd October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the land measuring, more or less, 5·240 acres as detailed below, which was required by the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway in mile No. 55 of Bhairab-Bazar-Gouripur section, in the villages of Charnikla and Dattapara, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh, and was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 7218L.A., dated the 20th July 1915, published at pages 1293-98, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, as modified by Erratum No. 11448L.A., dated the 20th November 1915, published at pages 1923-29, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem:—

Mile No. 55.—Village Charnikla; pargana Mymensingh.

BLOCK "A."

North—By the land already acquired for Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.
East—By the jote land of Alim and Naju Sheik.
South—By the jote land of Alim Sheik.
West—By the jote land of Manirjan Bewa, Sundijan Bewa, Naju Sheik and Alim Sheik.

Chain 288500'—288600'. Area 1·010 acres.

BLOCK "B."

North and East—By the land already acquired for Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.
South—By the jote land of Eyasin, Safarali and Idris Sarker.
West—By the jote land of Eyasin and Mamruj Bepari.

Chain 289200'—289800'. Area 1·255 acres.

BLOCK "C."

North—By the jote land of Naimuddin, Sakirmamud, Afsar Ali, Mnjardi, Basir and Samir Sheikh.
East and South—By the land acquired for Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.
West—By the jote land of Naimuddin and Mamruj Khan.

Chain 289200'—289800'. Area 2·970 acres.
Village Dattapara, Pargana Myménsingh.

BLOCK "D."

North and West—By the jote land of Karim Bepari.
South and East—By the land already acquired for Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Chain 290375'—290400'. Area ·005 acres
Grand Total—5·240 acres.

No. 8494Agri.—The 21st October 1916.—Babu Surendra Krishna Mitra, Deputy Superintendent, third grade, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal, ranking as Lecturer, Bengal Veterinary College, is promoted to the second grade, with effect from the 6th September 1916, *vice* Babu Satyendra Nath Mitra, deceased.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Rajshahi.

No. 8442L.A.—The 19th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a police investigating centre at Raninagar, to be located in the village of Baloobhara, pargana Kasimpur, zilla Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for

the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bighas 11 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Dasarath Shaha and Chhanimulla's lands,
East—By Kalibari Hât and Inraj Pesakar's and Khiroda Pesakar's houses,
South—By Biraj Sardar, Dasarath Shaha, Anu Shaha and Jamir Shaha's lands,
West—By Madhab Shaha's land.

is required within the aforesaid village of Baloobhara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Naogaon.

L. BIRLEY.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 8496L.A.—The 21st October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the approach road from Diamond Harbour Road to Barisa station of the Kalighat-Falta Railway, in the village of Barisa, pargana Khaspur, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 13 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·22 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the Diamond Harbour Road and lands of Ashkaran Shettya,
East—By the lands of Ashkaran Shettya and Manilal Bandopadhyaya, and the land already declared for Kalighat-Falta Railway under Declaration No. 323L.A., dated the 10th January 1916,
South—By the lands of Ashkaran Shettya and Manilal Bandopadhyaya, the Oxford Mission ground and the land already declared for Kalighat-Falta Railway under Declaration No 323L.A , dated the 10th January 1916,
West—By the lands of Ashkaran Shettya and Manilal Bandopadhyaya, Oxford Mission ground and the Diamond Harbour Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Barisa.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Kalighat-Falta Railway.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Midnapore.

No. 8499L.A.—The 21st October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Ghatal Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of the sanitary condition of the locality at Konnagar, in the village of Konnagar, pargana Barada, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring altogether, more or less, 3 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·058 of an acre, bounded on the—

BLOCK NO. 1.

North—By municipal road and Amulya Kumar's land.
East—By Amulya Kumar's land,
South and West—By municipal land,

BLOCK No. 11.

North and West—By municipal land,
South—By municipal lane,
East—By Hari Napit's land.

are required within the aforesaid village of Konnagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Collector of Ghatal.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore

No. 8502L.A.—The 21st October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway Company, Limited, for a gang-hut for the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway, in the village of Kharikhali, pargana Mahammadshahi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs 7 chitaks and 5 square feet of standard measurement, or 0·09 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By land of Chandra Bhusan Maulik,
East—By Jessore-Jhenidah Road,
South—By land of Mati Lal Maulik,
West—By land of Kanti Bhushan Banerjee,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kharikhali.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Jhenidah.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 8559L.A.—The 24th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta for a public purpose, viz., for a petroleum depôt at Budge-Budge, in the village of Bahirgar, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas 10 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the land belonging to the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta,
East—By the drain of Grand Trunk Road,
South—By the land belonging to Kedar Nath Paramanik, Provash Chandra Paramanik and Nibaran Chandra Paramanik and by the drain of Grand Trunk Road, and
West—By the land belonging to the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, Kedar Nath Paramanik, Nibaran Chandra Paramanik, and Provash Chandra Paramanik.

is required within the aforesaid village of Bahirgar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

Bakarganj. *No. 8484L.A.—The 20th October 1916.*—In lines 15, 16 and 17 of the Declaration No. 7153L.A., dated the 1st September 1916, published at pages 1589-90, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem, regarding the acquisition of land required for the excavation of a tank and the construction of rest-houses for pilgrims in village Mundapasha, pargana Bangorora, zilla Bakarganj, *for* "Nibaran Chandra Chakrabarty, Narayan Chandra Gupta and three others, Ramnath and Kailash Chandra Chakrabarty and Govinda Rari" *read* "Nibaran Chandra Gupta, Narayan Chandra Gupta and three others, Rajani Nath and Sarat Chandra Chakrabarty and Gobinda Rari."

Pabna. *No. 8536L.A.—The 23rd October 1916.*—In Declaration No. 4044M.R., dated the 29th November 1913, published at page 1825, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd December 1913 in respect of the acquisition of land required for the construction of the Sara-Serajganj Railway in the district of Pabna as amended by Notification No. 4216L.A., dated the 14th April 1914, published at page 730, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th April 1914, *for* the words beginning with "in the villages of Patilakhali" in line 5 and ending with the words "Kantapashar (Kantamahal), pargana Sonabaju" in lines 17-18, *read* "in the villages of Fateh Mahmudpur, Mowbaria, Abidpur, pargana Bajurash Nazirpur; Mowbaria, Parganas Bajurash Nazirpur and Taraf Dakhinjoar; Makarimpur, pargana Islampur; Patirajpur, pargana Tappe Chapila; Abdullapur, Nikarihat Daripara, Faridpur Muladooli, pargana Bajurash Mahabatpur; Atgharia Nandanpur, pargana Bhaturia, (Tappe Chapila); Darbeshpur, Kochirampur, pargana Shayestanagar (Tappe Chapila); Rokanpur *alias* Loganpur, pargana Bajurash Mahabatpur; Dayarampur, Usat Kamalpur, pargana Bhaturia; Dhanbila, pargana Sonabaju; Bamangaon, Hogalbaria, pargana Bhaturia (Tappe Chapila); Daita Kayrapara, Majgaon, Amritakundu, Maharamkhali, Jagtala, Bejpara, Prabha Karpara, Khord Guakhara, Bara Guakhara, Mahela, Mallikchak, Gunaigacha, Mandotosh (Sujapara), Sarutia, Patalipara, Menda, Chowbaria, Bhangura, pargana Sonabaju; Kaidanga, pargana Khatta Paidabamanjan, Chaknandanpur, Magura, pargana Sonabaju; Dilpashar, pargana Katarmahal; Bankirat, pargana Sonabaju and Katarmahal; Kantapur *alias* Bahar Kantapur, pargana Bajurash Nazirpur" and *for* "6,083 bighas 5 kattas and 8 chitaks of standard measurement equivalent to 2,011 acres" in lines 31-32, *read* "3,490 bighas 16 kattas and 14 chitaks of standard measurement equivalent to 1,153·992 acres.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Dacca. *No. 8448Regn.—The 19th October 1916.*—Khan Sahib Abul Muzaffar 'Abdul 'Ali Khan, District Sub-Registrar of Dacca, is granted combined leave for six months, with effect from the 12th October 1916, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for one month and ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations.

Bogra. *No. 8543Regn.—The 24th October 1916.*—Maulvi Muhammad Maniruddin, Probationer of Malda, while officiating as Sub-Registrar of Adamdighi, in the district of Bogra, was granted leave, on medical certificate, under rule 1 to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-one days, with effect from the 4th September 1916.

Bogra. *No. 8545Regn.—The 24th October 1916.*—Maulvi Makhlesar Rahaman, an outsider, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Adamdighi, in the district of Bogra, from the 4th to the 8th September 1916, both days inclusive.

No. 8547 Regn.—The 24th October 1916.—Maulvi Saiyid Ibrahim Ali, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Adamdighi, in the district of Bogra, with effect from the 9th September 1916, until further orders.

Bogra.

No. 8550 Regn.—The 24th October 1916.—Maulvi Reazuddin Ahmad, Probationer of Mymensingh, is granted leave, on medical certificate, under rule 1 to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and eleven days, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th July 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 8552 Regn.—The 24th October 1916.—Babu Nripendra Kumar Ghosh, an outsider, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Madhupur, in the district of Mymensingh, from the afternoon of the 18th July 1916 to the 30th August 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 8554 Regn.—The 24th October 1916.—Babu Sanjib Chandra Ghosh, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Madhupur, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 31st August 1916, until further orders.

Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 601 T.G.—The 17th October 1916.—Miss A. L. Janau, who has been appointed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to the Indian Educational Service, is appointed to be Lady Principal, Bethune College, with effect from the 1st November 1916, or any subsequent date on which she may join the post.

Calcutta.

No. 633 T.G.—The 21st October 1916.—Mr. E. E. Biss, Principal, Dacca Training College, is placed on special duty under the Government of Bengal, in the General Department, with effect from the 15th October 1916.

Dacca.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

DECLARATION.

No. 4006 Com.—The 19th October 1916.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government, under the provisions of Act I of 1891 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz., for such portion of the No. 8 Sanctoria siding of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway as lies between chain 4·05 and chain 30·75, such land being edged with pink on the plan L.A.M.A. No. 269, and whereas coal-mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Bengal Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seam known as the Hatnoi seam, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with

Burdwan.

the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working, and whereas the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, and the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company, Limited, have, by an indenture, dated 17th March 1916, agreed that such restricted working shall be imposed under the area edged with green on the plan, and that the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, shall give to the said Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company six months' notice of any intention to remove the pillars of coal under the said area edged with green, including the acquired land, and that the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, shall be permitted to remove such pillars at the expiration of such notice, and that the said Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company will, on receipt of such notice, divert the said siding, provided the cost is defrayed by the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, and provided such diversion is considered practicable and safe by the Chief Engineer of the said Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company and by the Chief Inspector of Mines in India:

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz., under the area edged with green on the plan—

(*a*) Galleries may be driven not exceeding 16 feet in width by 10 feet in height at distances apart not less than 66 feet centre to centre, leaving pillars not less than 50 feet square, to be left unworked for the support of the acquired land,

(*b*) Manholes not exceeding 6 feet in height by 3 feet in width by 4 feet in depth may be made where required by any rule made under the Indian Mines Act, 1901,

(*c*) Any inrush of water, quicksand or soft material shall be reported to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India without delay,

(*d*) These restrictions apply to the Hatnol seam only and to the area edged with green upon the plan and Messrs. The Bengal Coal Company, Limited, shall give notice under section 4 of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of their intention to work any other seam under this area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land,

and that in all the above cases except to comply with the above conditions no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L.A.M.A. No. 269 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8189A,

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3479A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 11 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Rai Sahib Makhan Lal Ghosh the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Barasat Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3540A.D.—The 18th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas. for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct that the said Magistrates, or any two or more of them, shall sit together as a Bench at Garden Reach in the said district,

(*c*) to invest the said Bench with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, and

(*d*) to direct the said Bench to exercise the said powers in respect of offences under the enactments noted in the margin occurring within the limits of the Garden Reach Municipality :—

1. The Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and the Bye-laws framed thereunder.
2. Section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861)
3. The Bengal Cruelty to Animals Act, 1869 (Bengal Act I of 1869).
4. The Bengal Vaccination Act, 1880 (Bengal Act V of 1880).
5. The Bengal Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1873 (Bengal Act IV of 1873).
6. The Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, 1894 (Bengal Act II of 1894).
7. The Bengal Public Gambling Act, 1867 (Bengal Act II of 1867).

Mr. John Dixon.
„ W. F. Davie.
„ F. W. Hockly.
Prince Dilawarjah Mirza Muhammad Naqi Ali Bahadur.
Mr. Unsuddowlah.
Babu Adya Nath Chatarji.

II. The Governor in Council is also pleased to empower the said Bench to take cognizance, under clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 190 of the said Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, of offences under the enactments noted against clause (*d*) of paragraph 1 and to vest it with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 261 of that Code.

III. The Governor in Council is further pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 357 of the said Code, to direct Mr. Unsuddowlah to take down evidence in the English language.

RESIGNATION.

No. 3477A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Kshetra Mohan Chatarji of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Barasat Bench in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 2412A.D.—The 30th August 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Halim Chaudhuri, Probationary Deputy Magistrate, Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Noakhali.

No. 3623A.D.—The 21st October 1916.—Mr. J. A. M. J. Goldie, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed to act as a Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is appointed, under the provisions of section 23 of Act V of 1898, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the limits of the town of Calcutta.

Calcutta.

No. 3657A.D.—The 21st October 1916.—Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (2), section 8, of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Governor in Council is pleased to invest Mr. A. P. Peters, Deputy Magistrate, Howrah, with the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of the said section.

Howrah.

No. 3664A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—Maulvi Kalimuddin Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate, Nator, Rajshahi, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Rajshahi.

No. 3666A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—The officers, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class :—

Darjeeling.

Mr. Tamding Wangyal, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Darjeeling.

Babu Kul Bahadur Pradhan, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Kalimpong, Darjeeling.

No. 3668A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—Babu Purna Chandra Singh, an Honorary Magistrate of the Raiganj Bench in the district of Dinajpur, is authorised, under section 190 (1) (*a*) and (*b*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take cognizance of cases under section 34 of Act V of 1861, occurring within the town of Raiganj in the said district.

Dinajpur.

No. 3670A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—Babu Hara Kali Sen, an Honorary Magistrate of the Raiganj Bench in the district of Dinajpur, is authorised, under section 190(1) (*a*) and (*b*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take cognizance of cases under section 34 of Act V of 1861 occurring within the town of Raiganj in the said district, and is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of such cases.

Dinajpur.

No. 3683A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—Babu Hiran Lal Mukharji, Probationary Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

24-Parganas.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

LEAVE.

No. 3309J.—The 13th October 1916.—Babu Basanta Kumar Pal, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Bankura, is allowed leave for thirty days, viz., four days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 17th July 1916, in modification of the leave granted to him on the 5th July 1916.

Bankura.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 23rd October 1916.

No. 113.—Mr. W. M. Halloran, Honorary Assistant Engineer and Sub-Engineer, 1st grade, 2nd Calcutta Division, is granted privilege leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave previously granted.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Fifth Publication.]

The 25th September 1916.

No. 15.—Notification.—The following draft of a rule which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to add to the Rules for Tolly's Nala, published with notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904 (published at pages 744-46, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 8th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Draft Rule.

28. Whenever it is decided to close Tolly's Nala temporarily under section 3 of the Canals Act, 1864, for doing any act necessary for the improvement of the Nala, one month's notice of the intention to close it shall be given.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 18th October 1916.

No. 104Marine.—The following draft of an amendment which the Governor in Council of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal intends to make in the rules under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum within that Presidency (published under Bengal Government Notification No. 143Marine, dated the 30th November 1914), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 25th November 1916, and any objections or suggestions with regard thereto, which are received by the undersigned before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft amendment.

For the figure "500" after the words "not more than" in rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules, the figure "2000" shall be *substituted*.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 20th October 1916.

No. 111.—Public Works Department Notification No. 109, dated the 13th October 1916, regarding the transfer of Babu Bhupati Banerji, Overseer is hereby cancelled.

The 23rd October 1916.

No. 112.—In supersession of Bengal Government Notification No. 70, dated the 25th July 1916, Sergeant F. E. Chapman, Supervisor, First Calcutta Division, is granted combined leave for six months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for two months and nineteen days, under article 260, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 25th July 1916.

H. H. GREEN,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8190A.

No. 3550A.D.—The 18th October 1916.—Babu Atul Chandra Bagchi, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Tippera, is allowed leave for two months and nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 14th September 1916.

Tippera.

No. 3580A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—The orders of the 2nd October 1916, transferring Babu Rebati Raman Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bankura, to the Rajshahi Division and vesting him with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, are cancelled.

Bankura. Rajshahi Divn.

No. 3583A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Babu Rebati Raman Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his present duties at Bankura.

Bankura.

No. 3601A.D.—The 20th October 1916.—Maulvi Azizur Rahman (No. II), substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to Sandip, in the district of Noakhali, on being relieved of his appointment as khas Tahsildar of Hatiya in that district. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Noakhali.

No. 3662A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—Babu Narendra Narayan Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 10th August 1916.

No. 3672A.D.—The 23rd October 1916.—The orders of the 23rd September 1916, granting Babu Debendra Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Birbhum, privilege leave for two weeks with effect from the 12th October 1916, are cancelled.

Birbhum.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 10303, dated Calcutta, the 17th October 1916.—Mr. C. H. Crosse, Superintendent of the Darjeeling Jail, made over charge to Mr. L. B. Burrows on the afternoon of the 10th October 1916.

J. MULVANY, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1524D., dated Darjeeling, the 20th October 1916.—Third grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Ghosh, II, of the Netrakona subdivision, Mymensingh district, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th November 1916 or any subsequent date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 1526D., dated Darjeeling, the 20th October 1916.—Temporary Civil Assistant Surgeon Bama Charan Munshi, Officiating Instructor in First-aid to the Injured and Ambulance Work, Calcutta Police, is appointed to act at the Netrakona subdivision, Mymensingh district, during the absence on leave of third grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Ghosh, II, or until further orders.

No. 1536-D., dated Darjeeling, the 20th October 1916.—Second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Bepin Chandra Das Gupta of the Jalpaiguri Dispensary is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

No. 1538-D., dated Darjeeling, the 20th October 1916.—First grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Tarak Nath Deb of the Madaripur Subdivision and Dispensary, Faridpur district, is allowed privilege leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

W. R. EDWARDS, M.D., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU SATYENDRA NATH DATTA, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is placed in executive charge of the Jalpaiguri Treasury from the afternoon of the 18th October 1916, *vice* Babu Bhabesh Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, transferred to Howrah, and is authorized to sign bills on other treasuries.

J. C. FRENCH, *Deputy Commissioner,*

JALPAIGURI, *the 18th October 1916.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU ASUTOSH DUTT has been placed in charge of the Pabna Sadar Treasury from the forenoon of the 12th October 1916, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

G. C. CHATTERJEE, *Collector.*

PABNA, *the 12th October 1916.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1916 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

E. H. BRAY,
Sheriff.

সরিক আফিস, সন ১৯১৬ সাল, তারিখ ২৭শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে যুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৬ সালের ২৯শে নভেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 13th October 1916.

No. 75P.—Babu Benoy Kumar Sen, Professor of History, Chittagong College (class VII of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Professor of History in the Presidency College, on the pay of his own grade, with effect from the 2nd November 1916, *vice* Dr. P. C. Roy, about to be transferred to service under the Calcutta University.

No. 76P.—Babu Hem Chandra Rai Chowdhury, Officiating Professor of History, Presidency College, is appointed to act as Professor of History, Chittagong College, and in the Provincial Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 200 a month, in the vacancy arising from Dr. P. C. Roy's acting promotion to the Indian Educational Service (for one day) and later his transfer to service under the Calcutta University, with effect from the 1st November 1916, on which date the Chittagong College reopens after the present Puja vacation.

No. 77P.—Mr. Kiran Sankar Roy is appointed to act as a Professor of History at the Presidency College and in the Provincial Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 200 a month, with effect from the 2nd November 1916, *vice* Mr. J. N. Das Gupta, on deputation.

The 16th October 1916.

No. 78P.—Babu Kumud Nath Choudhury, Demonstrator in Chemistry at the Dacca College (class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is declared to have acted as a Professor in that College and in the Provincial Educational Service from 5th July to 18th July 1916 and from 9th August to 7th September 1916, *vice* Rai Bhupati Nath Das Bahadur, on deputation.

The 17th October 1916.

No. 79P.—Maulvi A. S. H. Hossain, an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Burdwan Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is granted, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, medical leave for three months in extension of the leave already granted to him under this office Notification No. 63P., dated the 9th September 1916.

The 19th October 1916.

No. 80P.—The following promotion and confirmation are sanctioned in the Provincial Educational Service :—

Confirmed in class VII.

Babu Kshitish Chandra Ray, with effect from 16th April 1916, *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Chakravarti, confirmed in class VI.

Promoted to class VII.

Babu Nihmani Chakravarti, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from 16th April 1916, *vice* Babu Kshitish Chandra Ray, confirmed.

W. W. HORNELL
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 593oG.—Maulvi Elamuddin Khan, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, who has been posted to the Chittagong Division, under Government Notification No. 3161A.D., dated 2nd October 1916, is posted to the headquarters station of the district of Chittagong.

A. R. BOSE, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 14th October 1916*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that 16th December 1916 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. IV of the Utterpara Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, in the place of Babu Upendra Nath Chatterjee, removed under section 20, clause (*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 13th October 1916*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 30M.—It is hereby notified for general information that, at the by-election held on the 27th September 1916, in Ward No. I of the Chakdah Municipality, in the district of Nadia, Babu Jajnapati Mukharji has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward, in the place of Kazi Muhammad Mutlub, deceased.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 15 of the revised Election Rules, the next general election of the Commissioners of the Chandpur Municipality, in the district of Tippera, will be held on the 2nd December (Saturday) 1916.

K. C. DE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 19th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 29(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the election by the members of the Serampore Local Board, in the district of Hooghly, of Mr. A. C. Todd, I.C.S., Subdivisional Officer, Serampore, as their Chairman is approved.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 17th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following by-law framed by the District Board of Midnapore under section 139 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, has been confirmed under rule 5 (1) of the rules issued under Government Notification No. 761T.M., dated the 7th September 1910 :—

Clause (2) of By-law No. 1.

"Reserved tank or well" means a tank or well which the District Board has set apart, under section 90 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, by public notice, for the supply of water for drinking and for culinary purposes and includes any reservoir, or part of any river, khal or other channel, so set apart, and a notice-board on the edge of a reserved tank or well containing the words "Reserved tank" or "Reserved well" or words to that effect shall be deemed to be sufficient notice for the purpose of this definition.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 18th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 23 of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries, Babu Krishna Das Salui is appointed to be a member of the Managing Committee of the Kuchiakole Dispensary, in the district of Bankura, *vice* Babu Keshab Chandra Banerjee, removed.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 14th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Dispensaries, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Managing Committee for the Khatra Charitable Dispensary, in the district of Bankura :—

1. The Civil Surgeon, Bankura ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Munsif of Khatra ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. The Sub-Registrar of Khatra ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. Babu Harish Chandra Dhabal.
5. „ Surja Narayan Chowdhuri.
6. „ Kumud Behari Ghosh.
7. „ Ram Bishnu Sanmigrihi.
8. „ Jasada Nandan De.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 17th October 1916.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under section 43 of Bengal Act V of 1911.

THE Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta hereby give notice that a Street Scheme described as Scheme No. VIIE (Central Avenue—Prinsep Street to Chowringhee) has been framed for the area bounded as follows :—

On the North—From a point on the north-west corner of premises No. 17, Khairu Lane, in a straight line to the point of intersection of the southern edge of Prinsep Street with the eastern edge of Chandni Chak Street.

On the East—From this point southward along the eastern edge of Chandni Chak Street and thence produced to meet the centre line of Dhurrumtolla Street. Thence westward 260 feet along the centre line of Dhurumtolla Street. Thence south-westward to a point on the northern boundary of premises No. 7, Chowringhee Road (Whiteaway Laidlaw and Company's building), 227 feet east of its north-west corner (on the Chowringhee Road).

On the South—The line joining the last point and a point on the western boundary of premises No. 7, Chowringhee Road, 33 feet south of its north-west corner and produced in a straight line to a point 193 feet from the eastern edge of Chowringhee Road.

On the West—From this point northwards in a straight line to a point on the southern boundary of premises No. 8, Esplanade Row (East), 35 feet of its south-west corner and thence running northwards in a straight line to the starting point on the north-west corner of premises No. 17, Khairu Lane.

Particulars of the Scheme, a map of the area comprised in the Scheme, and a statement of properties which it is proposed to acquire may be seen at the offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week-days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 1 P.M. (on Saturdays between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

Copies of the above documents will also be delivered to applicants on payment of the following fees :—

	Rs.	A.
Particulars of the Scheme	9	4
Map of the area	1	0
Statement of properties	0	4

Objections to the Scheme will be received up to the 31st January 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 20th October 1916.*

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (2) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

PLAN OF PROPOSED PUBLIC STREET No. XIX.

(Munshi Alimuddin Street to Dharamtala Street.) (Diagonal.)

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a Proposed Public Street in Wards Nos. XIII and XIV, running northward from Munshi Alimuddin Street (opposite Komedan Bagan Square), through Aga Muhammad Mehdi Street, Nawab Abdul Latif Lane, Komedan Bagan Lane, European Asylum Lane, Gardner Lane, Taltala Bazar Street, Ram Sankar Roy Lane, Taltala Lane, Blochmann Street, entering Wellesley Street at its junction with Corporation Street and terminating at Dharamtala Street.

The plan provides for a road 84 feet wide throughout and for the widening of the junction of several smaller streets through which the Proposed Public Street will pass.

The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following Municipal Holdings:—

Name of Street.	No. of Municipal Holdings.
Munshi Alimuddin Street ...	33-2, 34, 35, 36.
Aga Muhammad Mehdi Street	14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35.
Komedan Bagan Lane ...	5, 7, 8, 27, 28, 29, 30.
Nawab Abdul Latif Lane ...	1, 2, 9.
European Asylum Lane ...	8, 9, 11, 26, 27, 28, 29, 29-1, 29-2, 30.
Gardner Lane	57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67.
Taltala Bazar Street ...	6, 7, 8, 9, 9-1, 10, 10-1, 11, 12, 13, 21, 22, 23, 28.
Ram Sankar Roy Lane ...	4, 5, 5-1, 5-2, 6, 7, 15, 15-1, 16, 17, 17-1, 17-2, 18, 18-1.
Taltala Lane	2, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 13-1, 14, 70-1, 71, 72, 72-1, 72-2, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 86, 87, 88, 89-1, 89-2, 90, 97, 97-1, 98, 98-1, 98-2, 98-3, 99, 100.
Hara Kumar Tagore Square ...	2-1A.
Blochmann Street ...	11, 12, 12-1A, 12-1B, 13, 14, 15, 16, 16A.
Corporation Street ...	33-14, 37C, 37D, 38, 42, 107, 107-1.
Wellesley Street ...	1, 2, 3, 85-3, 86-21, 86-22, 86-23, 86-24, 86-25, 86-26, 86-27, 86-28, 86-29, 86-30, 86-31, 86-32, 86-33, 86-34, 86-36, 86-37, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93.
Indian Mirror Street ...	2.
Mott Lane	2.
Dharamtala Street	49, 49-1, 50, 50-1, 50-2, 50-3.

The plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the Offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 and 4, Saturdays 11 and 2.

Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy, and of the plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 30th December 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS,
Chairman.

25th October 1916.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (5) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911, AS AMENDED BY BENGAL ACT III OF 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plan of a Proposed Public Street No. XIV (North and South Road, Ward No. V.), which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 10th May 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST, 5, CLIVE STREET, *the 16th October 1916*

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of October 1916, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th October 1916.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH OCTOBER 1916 INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	597,467	...	597,467	74,400	97,944	5,000	43,740
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	629,528	...	629,528	22,750	2,060	400	16,578
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	254,642	60,070	314,712	9,650	...	...	29,250
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	661,429	...	661,429	43,700	112,973	13,500	59 950
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mussawah salt ...	163,104	...	163,104	31,225	7,009	12,425	25,420
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat and Lingah rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	858	...
Cocoanada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	2,306,170	60,070	2 366,240	181,725	219,986	31,683	174,938

Written off during the half month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	1,521
Abandoned and destroyed	14
In transit—	
Port Said salt	3,300

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,
Assistant Collector for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 20th October 1916.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 30th September 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

Simla, the 28th September 1916.

No. 858.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel the Home Department Notification No. 1504, dated the 24th September 1915.

S. R. HIGNELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 21st October 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th October 1916.

No. 53.—The following Statute is published for general information :—

SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS (DARDANELLES AND MESOPOTAMIA) ACT, 1916.

[6 & 7 GEO. 5, CH. 34.]

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS.

Section.

1. Appointment of Commissioners.
2. Powers of Commissioners.
3. Discretion to hold proceedings either in public or in private.
4. Indemnity to witnesses.
5. Sittings outside the United Kingdom.
6. Reports.
7. Short title.

CHAPTER 34.

AN ACT TO CONSTITUTE SPECIAL COMMISSIONS TO INQUIRE INTO THE ORIGIN, INCEPTION, AND CONDUCT OF OPERATIONS OF WAR IN THE DARDANELLES AND GALLIPOLI, AND INTO THE ORIGIN, INCEPTION, AND CONDUCT OF OPERATIONS OF WAR IN MESOPOTAMIA.

[17th August, 1916.]

BE it enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows :—

Appointment of Commissioners.

1.—(1) The following persons, namely,

The Right Honourable the Earl of Cromer, G.C.B., O.M., G.C.M.G., K.C.S.I., C.I.E.,

The Right Honourable Andrew Fisher,

The Honourable Sir Thomas Mackenzie, K.C.M.G.,

Sir Frederick Cawley, Baronet, Member of Parliament,

James Avon Clyde, Esquire, King's Counsel, Member of Parliament,

Captain Stephen Lucius Gwynn, Member of Parliament,

Walter Francis Roch, Esquire, Member of Parliament,

Admiral of the Fleet Sir William Henry May, G.C.B., G.C.V.O.,

Field-Marshal Lord Nicholson, G.C.B., and

The Right Honourable Sir William Pickford, Knight, one of the Lords Justices of Appeal,

are hereby appointed Commissioners for the purpose of inquiring into the origin, inception, and conduct of operations of war in the Dardanelles and Gallipoli, including the supply of drafts, reinforcements, ammunition, and equipment to the troops and fleet, the provision for the sick and wounded, and the responsibility of those departments of Government whose duty it has been to minister to the wants of the forces employed in that theatre of war.

(2) The following persons, namely,

The Right Honourable Lord George Francis Hamilton, G.C.S.I.,

The Right Honourable the Earl of Donoughmore, K.P.,

Lord Hugh Cecil, Member of Parliament,

Sir Archibald Williamson, Baronet, Member of Parliament,

John Hodge, Esquire, Member of Parliament,

Commander Josiah C. Wedgwood, Member of Parliament,

Admiral Sir Cyprian Arthur George Bridge, G.C.B., and

General the Right Honourable Sir Neville Gerald Lyttelton, G.C.B., G.C.V.O.,

are hereby appointed Commissioners for the purpose of inquiring into the origin, inception, and conduct of operations of war in Mesopotamia, including the supply of drafts, reinforcements, ammunition, and equipment to the troops and fleet, the provision for the sick and wounded, and the responsibility of those departments of Government whose duty it has been to minister to the wants of the forces employed in that theatre of war.

Powers of Commissioners.

2.—(1) The Commissioners appointed under this Act (in this Act referred to as the Commissioners) shall have all such powers, rights, and privileges as are vested in the High Court or in any judge thereof, on the occasion of any action, in respect of the following matters :—

(*a*) The enforcing the attendance of witnesses and examining them on oath, affirmation, or otherwise, and the issue of a commission or a request to examine witnesses abroad ; and

(*b*) The compelling the production of documents ; and

(*c*) The punishing persons guilty of contempt ;

and a summons signed by one or more of the Commissioners may be substituted for and shall be equivalent to any formal process capable of being issued in any action for enforcing the attendance of witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

(2) A warrant of committal to prison issued for the purpose of enforcing the powers conferred by this section shall be signed by one or more of the Commissioners, and shall specify the prison to which the offender is to be committed, but shall not authorise the imprisonment of an offender for a period exceeding three months.

(3) The Commissioners may authorise the representation before them of any person appearing to them to be interested by counsel, or solicitor, or otherwise, if they consider that any injustice would ensue if that person were not so represented.

(4) The Commissioners may act notwithstanding any vacancy in their number, and three shall be a quorum, but the Commissioners may delegate to any two or more of their number their powers of holding sittings for the purpose of making inquiries and taking evidence abroad and any powers in relation thereto.

Discretion to hold proceedings either in public or in private.

3.—(1) The Commissioners shall, having regard to the interests of the public and to naval, military, and diplomatic considerations, allow or refuse to allow the public or any portion of the public to be present during any proceedings of the Commissioners: Provided that a full and complete record in shorthand shall be kept of all evidence taken whether in public or in private.

(2) If any person who is present at any proceedings of the Commissioners at which the public or any portion thereof are not allowed to be present discloses, without the authority of the Commissioners, or without proper authority given on behalf of His Majesty, either directly or indirectly, anything that has taken place at those proceedings, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanour, and the Official Secrets Act, 1911, shall apply as it applies to misdemeanours under section two of that Act. 1 & 2 Geo. 5, c. 28.

Indemnity to witnesses.

4.—(1) A person examined as a witness by the Commissioners shall not be excused from producing any document or giving any information on the ground that such document or information is secret or confidential, or is entitled to be withheld under section two of the Official Secrets Act, 1911, or from answering any question put to him, or from producing any document, on the ground that the answer thereto or production thereof may criminate or tend to criminate him, but any answer so given shall not be evidence against that person in any criminal proceeding (including a proceeding by court martial) at any time thereafter instituted against him, and any document so produced shall not be evidence against him in any such proceeding unless the production of that document could be enforced in those proceedings or evidence of that document could be otherwise obtained in any such proceedings.

(2) Nothing in this section shall apply to the case of proceedings for having given false evidence before the Commissioners, or of having procured, or attempted or conspired to procure, the giving of such evidence.

Sittings outside the United Kingdom.

5. The Commissioners may hold sittings outside the United Kingdom, and for the purpose of any such sittings in India, or of anything required to be done in India by or on behalf of the Commissioners, this Act shall have effect as if a High Court or Chief Court in British India were substituted for the High Court.

Reports.

6. Any report of the Commissioners and any minority report shall be laid as soon as may be before both Houses of Parliament and the Commissioners may, if they think fit, make interim reports: Provided that the Commissioners appointed to inquire into the Mesopotamia campaign shall proceed with all possible expedition to inquire with regard to the provision for the sick and wounded, and shall report the result of their inquiries on this matter as soon as they are completed.

Short title.

7. This Act may be cited as the Special Commissions (Dardanelles and Mesopotamia) Act, 1916.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 21st October 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 21st October 1916.

No. 10244W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916 (V of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7765-W.-II., dated the 26th August 1916, *viz.*—

For "Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company carried on by Messrs. Breul and Company."

For "Albinga Fire Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Albinga Fire Insurance Company carried on by Messrs. Volkart Brothers."

For "Allianz Insurance Company, Limited, of Berlin" *read* "Agency for the Allianz Insurance Company, Limited, of Berlin carried on by Gaddum and Company."

For "Assurance Union of Hamburg" *read* "Agency for the Assurance Union of Hamburg carried on by Phiroze C. Sethna."

For "Continental Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Continental Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company."

For "German Marine Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the German Marine Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company."

For "General Insurance Company of Trieste" *read* "Agency for the General Insurance Company of Trieste carried on by Volkart Brothers."

For "General Marine Insurance Company of Dresden" *read* "Agency for the General Marine Insurance Company of Dresden carried on by Turner Morrison and Company."

For "Hamburg Assurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Hamburg Assurance Company carried on by Phiroze C. Sethna."

For "Hamburg Bremen Fire Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Hamburg Bremen Fire Insurance Company carried on by Volkart Brothers."

For "Hansiatic Insurance Company of 1877" *read* "Agency for the Hansiatic Insurance Company of 1877 carried on by Volkart Brothers."

For "Lloyd of Cologne General Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Lloyd of Cologne General Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company."

For "Magdeburg Fire Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Magdeburg Fire Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company."

For "Nord Deutsche Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Nord Deutsche Insurance Company of Hamburg carried on by Volkart Brothers."

For "Prussian National Insurance Company (Fire)" *read* "Agency for the Prussian National Insurance Company (Fire) of Stettin carried on by C. Macdonald and Company and Chinoy Sons and Company."

For "Rhenania Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for Rhenania Marine Insurance Company, Limited, of Cologne carried on by Holland-Bombay Trading Company, Limited."

For "Transatlantic Marine Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Transatlantic Marine Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company."

For "Upper Rhine Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Upper Rhine Insurance Company carried on by Lidbetter and Company."

No. 10257-W-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the hostile firms mentioned in the annexed schedule from carrying on business in British India except subject to the conditions specified below:—

(1) Each of the said hostile firms shall at all times at the request of the officer for the time being appointed by Government to exercise in the Presidency of Bengal the duties of the appointment of Custodian of Enemy Property or any other person nominated for the purpose by the Government of Bengal, give all such information and explanations with regard to the affairs of their business as the said Custodian or nominee may from time to time require and shall preserve and whenever required submit to the said Custodian or nominee for his inspection all books, letters, invoices, receipts, memoranda or other papers and documents relating to their business and allow him to take copies thereof or extracts therefrom.

(2) No one of the said hostile firms shall without the previous sanction of the Government of Bengal transfer to any other person, firm or company the capital or good will of its business or any part thereof or (save in the ordinary course of trade) any of its assets or the benefit of any existing or future contract.

SCHEDULE.

1. The British Mannesmann Tube Company, Limited.
2. Messrs. Moll, Schutte and Company.
3. The Linde British Refrigeration Company, Limited
4. Messrs. Cohn Brothers and Fuchs.
5. Messrs. Siemens Brothers' Dynamo Works, Limited.
6. Messrs. A. Preyer and Company.
7. Messrs. Wutow Guttmann and Company.
8. Messrs. Stein Forbes and Company.
9. The East India Cigarette Manufacturing Company, Limited.
10. Abdulla Solomon.
11. Messrs. Thomson Lehzen and Company, Limited.
12. M. Frensdorf.
13. Messrs. George Sulser and Company, Calcutta.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 21st October 1916.

No. 10156.—Mr. A. E. McKenna, Head Accountant in the Calcutta Custom House, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service at Calcutta from the 16th October 1916 to the 3rd November 1916, both days inclusive.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 21st October 1916.

No. 10194-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9003-W.II., dated the 23rd September 1916, viz. :—

Additions.

Tai King and Company	...	... Canton.
Yee Lung and Company	..	... Canton.

POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 21st October 1916.

No. 10168.—Mr. H. S. Styan, Chief Engineer, Telegraphs, Indian Telegraph Department, is permitted to retire from the service of Government with effect from the afternoon of the 15th December 1916.

The following postings are sanctioned with effect from the 16th December 1916, consequent on the retirement of Mr. H. S. Styan :—

Mr. R. Meredith, C.I.E., will relieve Mr. Styan at Chief Engineer, Telegraphs.

Mr. W. Sutherland, V.D., will relieve Mr. Meredith, C.I.E., as Deputy Director General, Telegraph Traffic.

Mr. G. W. Talbot, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, will relieve Mr. Sutherland, as Postmaster-General, Burma Circle, and will be placed on special duty for six weeks before he takes over charge of the Circle.

C. E. LOW,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 613T.-M.—The 14th October 1916.—The following draft of by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Kandi Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of that Act is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Murshidabad.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1916, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

DRAFT BY-LAWS OF THE KANDI MUNICIPALITY.

DEFINITION.

Definition.

1. In these by-laws—

"cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTION.

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force, no act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under by-law 16, 34 or 44.

PENALTIES.

Fines.

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

Youthful drivers

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving more than one carriage or cart

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts, the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Rule of the road

6. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lights

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows :—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side ;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light ;

(*c*) every elephant, camel or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light ;

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front :

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon or on the four nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Signals on cycles

8. No person shall ride any tricycle or bicycle on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Cart laden with girders, etc

9. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, bullas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with bricks, stones, etc

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Animal laden with bamboos or timber

11. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Taking an elephant over a bridge

12. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving bullock-cart in centre of road

13. No person shall drive a bullock-cart on the centre of any road on which cart tracks are provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sitting or sleeping

14. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

Abandoning or letting loose cattle

15. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing articles

16. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Planting trees

17. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Excavations and enclosures

18. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road, or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Removing turf or cutting grass

19. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Discharge of water

20. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other things intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road or into any drain in or near a road, except through a down-pipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Breaking in horses

21. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10: on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Flying kites.

22. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way as it may fall on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Playing games

23. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Throwing stones or missiles

24. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving across a drain.

25. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Barbed wire

26. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Dust-bins

27. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road; or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Conveying sewage or offensive matter

28. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely-covered receptacle, of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Privies and urinals.

29. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *latti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Killing poultry

30. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill any poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Closed roads

31. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

Letting off firearms, etc

32. No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except—

(*i*) with the general and special permission of the Commissioners, and

(*ii*) on payment of such fee as may be fixed by the Commissioners at a meeting.

Fine, Rs. 10.

This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs or crackers.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

Setting up obstruction

33. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in a *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing-traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Easing oneself

34. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cleanliness of banks, and access for conservancy.

35. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply shall—

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorized in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Weeds

36. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Masonry platforms and drains for wells

37. The owner of any well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Fine Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Bathing or washing near well.

38. No person shall bathe, or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other articles within a distance of ten feet from the lowest platform of any public well.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Use of standpipes and fountains

39. Except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and under such conditions as they may from time to time prescribe, no person shall use any standpipe or fountain, belonging to the Commissioners, for any purpose other than drawing water—

(*a*) for drinking on the spot, or

(*b*) for carrying away for domestic purposes.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Steeping jute, hemp, etc

40. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Washing infected articles

41. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course, or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes, any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Bathing by infected persons

42. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Bathing places reserved for females

43. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

Depositing nightsoil

44. No person shall deposit nightsoil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Manure

45. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Access to municipal servants.

46. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises, from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Removal of offensive matter from markets.

47. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

Disposal of carcasses

48. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the conservancy overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

Latrines reserved for females

49. No male person above twelve years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

Obstruction to drains

50. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain, any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Constructing stalls, platforms over a drain

51. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

Covering of corpse.

52. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing corpse on or near road

53. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Burial or burning obligatory

54. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lines for graves.

55. When lines for graves in any burial place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial place except in such a line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of coffin or corpse in masonry grave

56. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of non-masonry graves.

57. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves

58. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening graves.

59. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Complete cremation.

60. Any person burning or causing to be burnt any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

61. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land

62. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, nightsoil and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter ; and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Sanitation of public places of charity or worship

63. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawalli or person entrusted with the daily supervision, or in charge, of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cleanliness of shops, markets and slaughter-houses

64. Every owner or occupier of any meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Sale of prepared articles of food.

65. Every baker or confectioner, who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Easing oneself in the market.

66. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Infected clothing

67. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Disinfection of carriages.

68. Every owner or driver of a carriage, which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Picketing animals, collecting carts or forming encampments.

69. No person shall, without the general and special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Diseased or worn-out cattle

70. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Nocturnal noise.

71. No person shall, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, beat a drum or tom-tom or blow any high-sounding instrument after 10 P.M. or before 6 A.M.

Fine, Rs. 10.

72. The by-laws which were confirmed by the Local Government in their No. 2801M., dated the 25th May 1897, are hereby cancelled.

No. 619T.-M.—The 14th October 1916.—The following draft of by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Jalpaiguri Municipality, in the district of Jalpaiguri, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of that Act, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Jalpaiguri.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1916, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

DRAFT BY-LAWS.

DEFINITIONS.

Definitions.

1. In these by-laws—

(1) "carriage" includes also a motor-car; and

(2) "cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTION.

Police Act, 1861, section 34.

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force, no Act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under by-laws 21, 37 and 47.

PENALTIES.

Fines.

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

Youthful drivers.

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving more than one carriage or cart.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Charge of vehicles.

6. No driver of a cart shall sleep when engaged on driving the same.

Fine, Rs. 5.

Rule of the road.

7. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lights

8. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road, between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows :—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side ;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light ;

(*c*) every elephant, camel or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light ;

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front :

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon, or on the four nights before or after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Signals on motors and cycles

9. No person shall drive any motor-car, or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle, on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Maximum load for carts.

10. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of twenty maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with girders, etc.

11. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, bullas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 5.

Cart laden with bricks, stones, etc.

12. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Animal laden with bamboos or timber.

13. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Taking elephants or camel along a road.

14. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, take any elephant or camel along any road.

Fine, Rs. 20.

Taking elephant over a bridge.

15. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Loaded pack-animals.

16. No person shall drive upon a road at the same time more than two loaded pack-animals.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving bullock-cart in the centre of road.

17. No person shall drive a bullock-cart on the centre of any road on which cart-tracks are provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sitting or sleeping.

18. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON FOOT-PATHS.

Driving or riding on foot-path

19. No person shall wilfully drive or ride any cart, carriage, bicycle, horse or cattle on any foot-path set apart for the use of foot-passengers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

Abandoning or letting loose cattle

20. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing articles.

21. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose: provided that, during the months of April, May and June, between the hours of 10 P.M. and 5 A.M., *khatias* may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to persons using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Planting trees

22. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Excavations and enclosures.

23. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine. Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Removing turf or cutting grass

24. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Discharge of water.

25. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other things intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road or into any drain in or near a road, except through a downpipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine. Rs. 2.

Breaking in horses.

26. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Playing games.

27. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Throwing stones or missiles.

28. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving across a drain

29. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Barbed wire.

30. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Dust-bins.

31. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road.

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Conveying sewage or offensive matter.

32. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely-covered receptacle, of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Privies and urinals

33. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *tatti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Killing cattle or cleaning poultry

34. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill, or clean any poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Closed roads.

35. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

Letting off of fire arms, etc.

36. No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except—

(*i*) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and

(*ii*) on payment of the following fees :—

	Rs.
(*a*) for fire arms only	1
(*b*) for any two or more of the following together— firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons, bombs ...	2

This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs or crackers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

37. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, streams, channels, tank or well which is used by the public.

Easing oneself.

Fine, Rs. 10.

38. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Weeds.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

39. The owner of every well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Masonry platforms and drains for wells.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

40. No person shall bathe or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other article, within a distance of ten feet from the lowest platform of any public well or of any filtered water stand-pipe which is used by the public.

Bathing or washing near well or stand-pipe.

Fine, Rs. 10.

41. Except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and under such conditions as they may from time to time prescribe, no person shall use any stand-pipe or fountain, belonging to the Commissioners, for any purpose other than drawing water—

Use of stand-pipes and fountains.

(*a*) for drinking on the spot, or

(*b*) for carrying away for domestic purposes

Fine, Rs. 10.

42. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Steeping jute, hemp, etc.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

43. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course, or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Washing infected articles.

Fine, Rs. 50.

44. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Bathing by infected persons.

Fine, Rs. 10.

45. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Bathing places reserved for females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

46. No person shall use for any other purpose any drinking trough which is intended for watering cattle.

Cattle troughs.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

47. No person shall deposit nightsoil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Depositing nightsoil

Fine, Rs. 10; on a subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

48. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Manure.

Fine, Rs. 50.

49. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises, from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Access to municipal servants.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

50. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Removal of offensive matter from markets.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Disposal of carcasses.

51. Every owner or occupier, within whose premises any animal dies, shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the Conservancy Overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Disposal of carcasses.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

52. No male person above twelve years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Latrines reserved for females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

53. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain, any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain, nor shall remove any earth or cause any excavation from or in any such drain.

Obstruction to drains.

Fine, Rs. 10.

54. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Constructing stalls, platforms, etc., over a drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS, AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

55. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Covering of corpse.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing corpse on or near road.

56. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Burial or burning obligatory.

57. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lines for graves.

58. When lines for graves in any burial-place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial place except in such a line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of coffin or corpse in masonry grave.

59. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of non-masonry graves.

60. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves.

61. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening graves.

62. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Complete cremation.

63. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

64. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to and burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land.

65. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, nightsoil and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Sanitation of public places of charity or worship.

66. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawalli, or person entrusted with the daily supervision, or in charge, of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cleanliness of shops, markets and slaughter-houses

67. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or market, bazar or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Sale of fish in market.

68. No person shall sell fish or expose fish for sale in any part of the municipal market, except on the paved floor specially set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sale of prepared articles of food.

69. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Easing oneself in market.

70. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Aerated water and ice.

71. No person shall make any aerated water or ice for the purpose of sale without first boiling the water.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Infected clothing.

72. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50

Disinfection of carriage.

73. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Picketing animals, collecting carts or forming encampments.

74. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Diseased or worn-out cattle.

75. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Report of disfigurement, etc., of ticket.

76. When a ticket showing the number of the holding on the register and the circle within which the holding is situated has been affixed to a holding by the municipal authorities and the same is disfigured, obliterated or removed, the owner or occupier of the holding shall, within two weeks from the time at which he becomes aware of the fact, report the matter to the Vice-Chairman.

Fine, Rs. 10.

77. No person shall loiter on any bridge on a public road.

Fine Rs. 10.

78. The by-laws, which were confirmed by Notification No. 86M., dated the 12th January 1897, are hereby cancelled.

Midnapore.

No. 623T.M.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Kharar Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, under section 23 (2) of that Act, electing Babu Rajani Kanta Chaudhuri to be the Chairman of that Municipality.

Mymensingh.

No. 625T.M.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Tangail Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, under section 23 (*2*) of that Act, electing Babu Jadab Chandra Maitra, B.L., to be the Chairman of that Municipality.

Hooghly.

No. 627T.M.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Arambagh Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 23 (*2*) of that Act, electing Babu Sital Chandra Banerjee to be the Chairman of that Municipality.

Mymensingh.

No. 629T.M.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Netrakona Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, under section 23 (2) of that Act, electing Babu Hem Chandra Routh to be the Chairman of that Municipality.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 631T.M.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Jalpaiguri Municipality, in the district of Jalpaiguri, under section 23(*2*) of that Act, electing Babu Anukul Chandra Mukharji to be the Chairman of that Municipality.

Jessore.

No. 633T.M.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Kotchandpur Municipality, in the district of Jessore, under section 23 (*2*) of that Act, electing Babu Hem Chandra Mukharji to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Nadia.

No. 655T.M.—The 20th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Aswini Kumar Guha to be a Commissioner of the Kushtia Municipality, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Rai Sahib Jogesh Chandra Bhaumik, resigned.

24-Parganas.

No. 662T.M.—The 20th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the North Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

Mr. F. S. Grimston, M.I.C.E.
Maulvi Golam Rasul.
Babu Surendra Nath Mukharji.
Munshi Mukbul.
Babu Purna Chandra Dey.

Dacca.

No. 611T.-L.S.-G.—The 14th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (i.e., revenue mauzas), which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Sabhar ...	Tetuljhora	9	Baruigaon ... 708 Bardhanpara ... 712 Panpara ... 713 Baijuri ... 714 Dattapara ... 717 Ramchandrapur 718 Gopalpur ... 719 Rajaghat ... 720 Khidragati ... 721 Sobhapur ... 722 Fulbari ... 716 Salpa Bhararia ... 715 Jamur ... 724 Nagarchar ... 723 Jamur Khidragati 725 Bhararia ... 728 Nandakhuli ... 727 Jamur Muchipara 730 Kulasur ... 731 Harindhara ... 733 Dighamatia ... 734 Bila Malia ... 741 Chandulia ... 744 Goalbari ... 711 Natarpara ... 709 Tetuljhora ... 726 Kandi Bailerpur 729	*North.* Serpur, Karnapara, Gordda, Genda, Sadhapur, Konda, Kandi-Baliarpur, Baliarpur. *East.* Kaundia, Bara Bardeshi. *South.* Turag, Bhakurta, Haruria, Chaira Musurikhola. *West.* Dhaleswari river.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the chaukidari panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

3. Notifications No. 910L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, and No. 1244L.S.-G. of the 31st idem are hereby cancelled.

No. 610T.-L.S.-G.—The 14th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Dacca.

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union with jurisdiction list numbers.		Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (South).	Keranigauj.	Mirpur...	9	Seupara Parbata	220	*North.*
					Paikpara ...	237	Marul, Chakuli, Sekerkalsi, Baunia.
					Chhota Sayek ...	235	
							East.
					Bara Sayek ...	236	
					Uttar Adalia ...	239	Joar Sahara, Dhamalkot, Ibrahimpur, Kafrul, Krishibagan, Sukrabad, Sarai Begumpur, Sarai Jafrabad, Sultanganj, Raj Musuri.
					Mirpur ...	234	
					Ramchandrapur	240	
					Adabachak ...	241	*South.*
					Dakshinadaha ...	259	Uttar Sona Tengal, Madnyerchar, Ghatachar.
					Waspur ...	353	
							West.
					Baraikhali ...	244	
					Srikhanda ...	243	Turag river up to the northern extremity of mauza Mirpur, thence Harirampur, Anandanagar, Basupara, Nandarbagh, Khojarbag, Purba Kandar, Bisil, Nawaberbag, Maharam Bari, Petrun, Duaripara.
					Katasur ...	242	
					Baraba ...	238	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the chaukidari panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

3. Notifications No. 903L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, and No. 1243L.S.-G., dated the 31st March 1916, are hereby cancelled.

No. 660T.-L.S.-G.—The 20th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (Act I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Raipur Union, in the district of Birbhum, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district under Chapters II and III of the same Act in respect of the pound within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Birbhum.

No. 609T.-L.S.-G.—The 14th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor

Dacca.

in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (i. e., revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Sabhar ...	Dhamrai	9	Domrau ... 264 Hajipur ... 258 Janardanpur ... 256 Ukaria ... 257 Dhamrai ... 244 Islampur ... 240 Purba Panchas... 239 Dakshinpara ... 246 Kazipur ... 245 Sialtara ... 242 Lakariapara ... 248 Kahetpara ... 243 Sauribhag ... 254 Asulia ... 253 Kumrail ... 241 Ikuria ... 255	*North.* Chandpara Dakshin Paichhal. *East.* Totulia, Kakran Bansai river. *South.* Chhaybaria, Bara Chandrail, Chhota Chandrail, Kharta. *West.* Kelia, Somebnog Kulia.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the chaukidari panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 33 of the said Act.

3. Notification No. 909L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

Birbhum.

No. 658T.-L.S.-G.—The 20th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Birbhum, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision	Thana.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Birbhum	Sadar ...	Bolpur.	Raipur ...	9	Raipur ... 522 Chandanpur ... 524 Radhanagar ... 525 Kalkuta ... 519 Purusottampur ... 515 Srikrisnapur ... 516 Radhanagar ... 517 Saldanga ... 518 Radhanagar ... 520 Arazi Saldanga ... 523	*North.* Krishnanagar or Surul 527, Mehdipur 511, Jahanabad 521, and Bhagabanpur 512 *East.* Chandipur 526, Sripur 765, Rasulganj Hat 766, Shibpurbazar 767, Bidyanarayanpur 768, and Ramchandrapur 770. *South.* The river Ajoy. *West.* Jhalpar or Chita 513, Arazi Ratanpur 514, and Mohdinagar 255

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Union Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Birbhum.

No. 6617-L.S.-G.—The 20th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (Act I of 1871) and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Raipur Union, in the district of Birbhum, shall be placed to the credit of the fund constituted for the said Union.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR, *the 9th March 1916.*

LIST OF THE MANAGING COMMITTEE FOR THE ANGLO-PERSIAN DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA MADRASAH.

1. A. H. Harley, Esq., M.A., *President*
2. Maulvi Muhammad Yusuf, M.A., *Vice-President and Secretary* (Head Master).
3. „ Nurul Alam, elected representative of the staff (Assistant Master).
4. Nawab A. F. M. Abdur Rahman, Khan Bahadur, Bar-at-Law, Non-official member and representative of the parents and guardians of the pupils.
5. The Hon'ble Nawab Syed Nawab Ali Chaudhry, Non-official member and representative of the parents and guardians of the pupils.
6. Khan Bahadur Aminul Islam, B.A., an official other than an educational officer.

A. H. HARLEY, *Principal.*

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 19th September 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

BABU PRAPHULLA CHANDRA GHOSH, M.A., is granted, with effect from 1st October 1916 or any later date on which he joins the College, a Post-Graduate Research Scholarship of the value of Rs. 100 a month for carrying on researches in Organic Chemistry (with special reference to Synthetic Dyes) at the Dacca College, Dacca, *vice* Babu Abinash Chandra Saha, resigned.

The scholarship is tenable until the 30th June 1917.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th October 1916.

NOTIFICATION.

IN continuation of this office notifications, dated the 22nd September 1916, the following supplementary list of text-books prescribed for Scholarship Examinations for 1918 in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions is published for general information :—

Middle Scholarship Examination Course for 1918.

ENGLISH.

New English Course for Indian Schools, Third Reader and Fourth Reader, published by Longmans, Green & Co., at As. 8 and As. 10, respectively,

or

Bengal Readers, Readers III and IV, written by E. Marsden and published by Macmillan & Co., at As. 8 and As. 12, respectively.

Upper Primary Scholarship Examination Course for 1918.

Vernacular Literary Reader—

Sahitya Pustak, Part IV (newly revised edition), written by Chandra Nath Basu and published by Brajendra Mohan Datta at As. 5 pies 6,

or

Sahitya O Niti, Part III, written by Upendra Nath Bhattacharyya and published by Minerva Library at As. 5.

HISTORY.

Prathamshiksha Bharatbarsher Itihas, written by Khagendra Nath Mitra and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta, at As. 8,

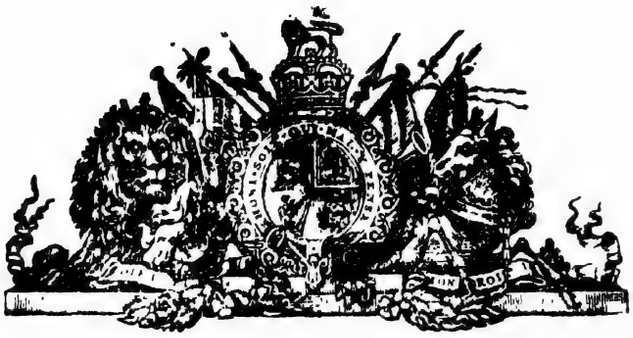
or

Bharatbarsher Saral Itihas (revised edition), written by Jogindra Nath Basu and published by Anukul Chandra Ghosh at As. 8.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1916.*



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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal State Railway, Dacca Section, in the district of Mymensingh, will be put up to sale, on 30th October 1916.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Mymensingh.	Pargana Alapsing, mauza Darikustia.	97-98	Original main line and 1st diversion.	22 14 9	7·514	Nil ...	Nil ...	Commencing from 420 feet west of mile No. 97 towards west up to the river Brahmaputra.	*West*—River Brahmaputra. *North, South* and *East*—Mauza Darikustia.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Alapsing, mauzas Pandapara and Kawnia.	98-99	1st diversion ...	16 13 0	5·504	Nil ...	Nil ...	From 420 feet east of mile No. 98 towards south up to the river Brahmaputra.	*North*—Mauza Kawnia. *South*—River Brahmaputra. *East* and *West*—Mauzas Kawnia and Pandapara.
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	98-99	Original main line.	13 2 6	4·336	Nil ...	Nil ...	From mile No. 99 towards east up to the river Brahmaputra.	*East*—River Brahmaputra. *West*—Mile No. 99. *North* and *South*—Mauzas Kawnia and Jadabdi Pandapara.
4	Ditto ...	Pargana Alapsing, mauza Kawnia.	99-100	Ditto ...	42 8 2	14·019	Nil ...	Nil ...	From mile No. 99 towards west up to 344 feet east of mile No. 100.	*East*—Mile No. 99. *North, South* and *West*—Mauza Kawnia.
				Total ...	94 18 1	31·373				

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 22nd August 1916.

S. KLINGENSTEIN, Additional Collector.

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal, on the 15th October 1916.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 per cent. Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	Grand Total.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.		
Balance of 30th September 1916	29,28,700	96,89,300	4,80,24,900	1,52,17,400	68,46,000	23,95,400	8,21,72,900	20,45,000	8,71,46,600
ADD—									
Amount of loan certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto at Calcutta between 1st and 15th October 1916.	.....	5,500	5,300	1,500	.....	5,000	17,300	.....	17,300
	29,28,700	96,94,700	4,80,30,200	1,52,18,900	68,46,000	24,00,400	8,21,90,200	20,45,000	8,71,63,900
DEDUCT—									
Amount written off in the London Registers.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 15th October 1916	29,28,700	96,94,700	4,80,30,200	1,52,18,900	68,46,000	24,00,400	8,21,90,200	20,45,000	8,71,63,900

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th August 1916—Enfaced from India, 12,363 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,858 lakhs.
,, 16th August 1916 to 31st ,, ,, ,, ,, 1 lakh ,, ,, ,, ...
,, 1st September ,, to 15th Sept. ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ,, 3 lakhs.
,, 16th ,, ,, to 30th ,, ,, ,, ,, 20 lakhs ,, ,, ,, ...
,, 1st October ,, to 15th Oct. ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ,, ...
12,384 lakhs. 12,861 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 18th October 1916.*
P. A. SELFE, *Superintendent.*
N. H. Y. WARREN, *Secretary & Treasurer*

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 17th October 1916

LIABILITIES

		Rs.	A	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,08,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	,, 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,16,22,081 12 2	2,32,71,804	4	8
Ditto ditto at Branches	,, 1,16,49,722 8 1			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		20,28,65,576	14	7
Bank Post Bills, etc.		22,89,793	6	1
Sundries		9,91,487	10	1
		27,01,68,662	8	0

ASSETS

		Rs	A	P
Government Securities		6,50,25,077	12	0
Other authorized Investments		1,10,88,885	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		3,18,52,952	9	6
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,71,29,006	0	0
Bills discounted and purchased		2,82,91,226	15	6
Balances with other Banks		46,14,742	8	8
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		29,28,886	11	9
Stamps		12,171	8	1
Sundries		3,70,780	15	8
		20,13,07,679	9	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 3,39,12,219 14 8	6,88,60,982	9	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs. 3,49,48,762 10 7			
		27,01,68,662	8	0

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs.; value Rs. 3,51,480 0 0
† Do. do do ,, 8,66,827 8 0
Rs 12,16,307 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 7 per cent.
Percentage, 30·02

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, the 19th October 1916.
H MITCHELL, Chief Accountant.
N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer.

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DISTRICT CHARITABLE SOCIETY.

Cash Account for the month of August, 1916.

Budget for 1916.	Income.	August 1916.	Total.	Total from January to August 1916.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	GRANT-IN-AID—			
14,400	Government of India	1,200 0 0	9,600 0 0	
3,000	,, ,, Bengal	250 0 0	2,000 0 0	
4,000	Sunday fees	.....	7,110 0 0	
699	Corporation to Alms House.	.....	91 7 0	
2,000	Royal Calcutta Turf Club.	.....	.....	
			1,450 0 0	
	PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTIONS—			
6,000	Recurring	622 0 0	4,243 0 0	
6,000	New Subscriptions and Donations.	1,088 4 6	6,702 12 6	
180	Contribution towards rent.	15 0 0	120 0 0	
600	Xmas Dinner collections.	.....	.....	
			1,825 4 6	
	DONATION TO INDIAN COMMITTEE—			
180	Received by the Central Office.	.....	.....	
			.....	
	INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS—			
600	General Fund ...	.....	390 0 0	
31,000	Trust Funds "A" ...	3,004 0 0	21,537 9 8	
19,000	,, ,, "B" ...	1,946 4 0	12,107 11 9	
			5,250 4 0	
	RELIEF FUNDS—			
1,500	Private orders ...	140 0 0	684 3 0	
2,400	Apcar's Charity ...	.....	200 0 0	
			140 0 0	
	ALMS HOUSE—			
8,500	Bakery account ...	499 5 9	3,926 15 9	
9,000	Oil-crushing account	542 2 6	4,634 10 6	
			1,031 11 3	
8,000	DeSouza Home ...	841 3 3	4,931 12 6	
	Deposit account ...	250 0 0	2,233 11 10	
			1,091 3 3	
			11,488 7 0	80,497 14 3
	Stock Account Ram Sebuk Chatterjee's Fund.	.....	.....	500 0 0
	Mrs. R. A. Claudius' Fund.	.....	.....	1,500 0 0
1,14,979	Total ...	.....	11,488 7 0	82,527 14 3

Budget for 1916.	Expenditure.	August 1916.	Total.	Total from January to August 1916.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	POOR RELIEF—			
25,565	Through Indian Committee, Pensions.	1,988 0 6		16,498 9 0
1,900	Through Indian Committee, Establishment.	150 5 6		1,238 7 0
22,000	Central Office, Pensions.	1,776 0 0		13,517 0 0
4,000	Central Office, Schooling.	231 8 0		1,900 0 0
8,800	Central Office, Casual Relief.	810 4 9		8,304 2 9
1,200	Central Office, Training and Outfit.	82 12 0		510 10 6
1,800	Central Office, Private Orders.	90 0 0		728 1 6
2,400	Central Office, A. G. Apcar's Charity.	.....		158 12 0
600	Central Office, Xmas Dinner account.	.....		4 2 0
720	Howrah Committee	.....		.....
			5,087 14 9	
	ALMS HOUSE—			
3,364	Establishment and Enquiry Officer.	332 0 0		2,696 0 0
15,000	Dieting	1,040 5 6		8,691 0 3
2,000	Contingencies ...	180 14 3		1,498 9 5
1,000	Clothing and Bedding.	.....		776 7 0
1,500	Repairs	389 12 0		999 0 0
5,500	Bakery account ...	527 7 9		3,416 8 0
8,000	Oil-crushing account	188 11 6		7,227 8 6
			2,659 3 0	
	ESTABLISHMENT—			
9,174	Central Office, Staff and Menials.	1,575 8 0		6,902 0 0
300	Auditing	.....		150 0 0
1,200	Rent	100 0 0		800 0 0
750	Contingencies ...	89 4 0		540 7 9
840	Printing and advertising.	63 7 0		738 9 0
			1,828 3 0	
	SUNDAY CHARGES—			
100	Bank of Bengal ...	13 6 0		65 6 3
			13 6 0	
8,000	DeSouza Home ...	885 15 9		4,932 2 6
3,000	Deposit account ...	122 2 4		4,367 9 4
			1,008 2 1	
			10,396 12 10	87,183 0 9
	Bank of Bengal Safe Custody Deposit Account.	.....		2,100 0 0
			.....	
1,38,628	Total ...	.....	10,396 12 10	89,283 0 9

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance	.....	17,236 11 10
Total Receipts from 1st January to 31st August 1916	.....	82,527 14 3
Total ...	.....	99,763 10 1

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Total payments from 1st January to 31st August 1916.	.....	89,283 0 9
Cash in hand	538 2 9	
Balance at Bank	9,941 6 7	
		10,479 9 4
Total ...	.....	99,763 10 1

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd September 1916.

S. K. BHUTTACHARJEE,
Accountant.

T. R. MILLETT,
for *Secretary.*

			Rs.	Rs.
1915	Donations and New Subscriptions,	January to July	... 12,257	
	,, ,, ,,	August ...	... 706	
				12,963
1916	,, ,, ,,	January to July	... 12,817	
	,, ,, ,,	August ...	... 1,088	
				13,905

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 239 OF 1916.

(1) Jadu Nath Karmakar, son of Jainaran Karmakar, deceased. (2) Behari Lal Karmakar *alias* Pandav Karmakar, son of Jadu Nath Karmakar, deceased, of Choab Jagulia, thana Baraset, 24-Parganas, applicants.

To (1) Asiraddin Mandal and others, creditors.

ON the 19th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2194—1—2301)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 243 OF 1916.

Bal Kristo Rout *alias* Bal Kristo Uria, son of Bhojan Rout, No. 14, Kolabagan, Ultadingi, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To (1) Umar Khan and Mora Khan and others, creditors.

ON the 23rd day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2195—1—2302)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 244 OF 1916.

Shaik Baboo, son of Shaik Budhun, 3-118, Beliaghata Main Road, thana Narkeldanga, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Rash Behary Dhur and others, creditors.

ON the 24th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2196—1—2303)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 245 OF 1916.

Swaraswati Dasi, daughter of Kunja Behary Bosu, of Bhowanipur, applicant.

To C. N. Halder Co. and others, creditors.

ON the 24th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2197—1—2304)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 246 OF 1916.

Hari Das Adhicary, 51, Garden Reach (Circular) Road, Kidderpur, applicant.

To Dublal and others, creditors.

ON the 26th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2198—1—2305)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 247 OF 1916.

Kali Charan Ghosh, son of late Prolhad Chandra Ghosh, of Bhaluka, thana Amdanga, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Jadu Nath Chakravarty and others, creditors.

ON the 26th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2199—1—2306)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 248 OF 1916.

Abdul Sukur Khan, son of late Abdul Gofur Khan, 24, Beniapukur Lane, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Shaik Fukuruddin and others, creditors.

ON the 26th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore the 12th September 1916. (2200—1—2295)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 249 OF 1916.

Nabin Chandra Biswas, son of late Biru Biswas, 1-1, Chatu Babu's Lane, thana Entally, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To P. Stevenson and others, creditors.

ON the 29th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2201—1—2296)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 252 OF 1916.

Ganga Prosad Shaha, son of late Chattu Shaha, No. 43, Kachibagan, thana Ultadingi, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Jhumuk Lal Shaha, creditor.

ON the 29th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2202—1—2297)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 253 OF 1916.

Durga Charan Mistri, of Alampur Dak Palarpur, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Jarat Sha Kabuli and Sab Sha Kabuli and others, creditors.

ON the 30th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2203—1—2298)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 254 OF 1916.

Shaik Akrem Ali, of Kidderpur, thana Watgunge, applicant.

To Abdul Hamid Minya and others, creditors.

ON the 30th day of August 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2204—1—2299)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 255 OF 1916.

Shaik Yeasin Langra, of Gobra, thana Benepukur, applicant.

To Miya Mahamad and others, creditors.

ON the 1st day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 30th day of October 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 12th September 1916. (2205—1—2300)

JNANADA PRASAD MUKHERJEE, M.A., B.L., tends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(2348—4)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

A REWARD of Rs. 50 is offered for the destruction of a rogue elephant which killed a cooly boy of 8 years of age and did considerable damag to the Joybirpara Tea Garden by trampling down the tea bushes and pulling down the coolie huts. The description of the animal is given below :—

A large elephant with 2 tusks, its footmarks 18 to 19 inches across It is sometimes found going about alone and enters the coolie lines of Joybirpara Tea Estate.

J. C. FRENCH, Deputy Commissioner.

Jalpaiguri, the 17th October 1916.

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S. FISHER RODRIGUES,
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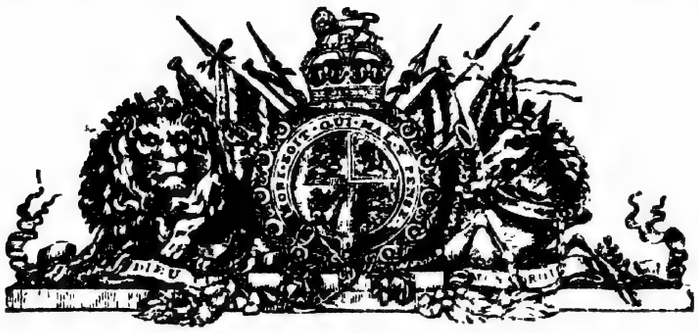

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READ—

The Administration Report on the Howrah Bridge for the year 1915-16.

THE income of the Bridge amounted to Rs. 1,95,365 and the expenditure to Rs. 2,98,685 against Rs. 1,77,275 and Rs. 2,17,280, respectively, in the

previous year. The deficit of Rs. 1,03,320 has been carried forward as a debit on Revenue Account, it being considered inexpedient to realize securities held by the Reserve Fund owing to the present unfavourable condition of the money market.

2. There was a marked increase in expenditure under the heads "Maintenance and Repairs of the Bridge", and "Miscellaneous Charges." The increase under the former head is attributable to the heavy expenditure on the repair of the Bridge Ferry-Landing Stage on the Howrah side and on the maintenance of the roadway surface and footpaths. The increased expenditure on "Miscellaneous Charges" was chiefly due to payment of interest on the funds advanced by the Port Commissioners to the Bridge.

3. The receipts from railway goods traffic, which form the bulk of the revenue of the Bridge, amounted to Rs. 1,72,042 against Rs. 1,57,384 in 1914-15, an increase of Rs. 14,658. This revenue showed a falling-off in the years 1913-14 and 1912-13.

4. Having regard to recurring deficits in the Bridge accounts and to the increased expenditure necessary under the head "Maintenance and Repairs", a Committee was appointed by Government, under the orders contained in Resolution No. 1349Marine of the 5th May 1916, to consider and report on the best manner of improving the finances of the Bridge. The Committee's report has been received and is under consideration.

5. The number of vessels that passed through the Bridge during the year 1915-16 and four preceding years is shown below :—

	1915-16.	1914-15.	1913-14.	1912-13.	1911-12.
Sea-going vessels ...	80	75	87	93	93
Inland steamers and flats ...	2,704	2,422	2,887	2,996	2,600
Steam-tugs and steam-launches	897	805	569	670	613
Port Commissioners' vessels	39	71	44	63	105
Government steamers and flats	9	...	20	15	13
Total ...	3,729	3,373	3,607	3,837	3,424

6. The number of accidents during the year was 11 against 21 in the preceding year. Of these 9 were to cargo and passenger boats against 4 in 1914-15. In four cases boats were lost, and in one case two men were drowned.

7. The Bridge was opened on 307 occasions, of which 40 were during the day and 267 at night.

8. Proposals for providing a new bridge are awaiting expert examination. Meanwhile, as delay will be inevitable, the existing bridge is being strengthened.

By order of the Governor in Council.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE LICENSED JUTE WAREHOUSE AND FIRE-BRIGADE ACT, 1915-16.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2504M.—The 24th October 1916.—The following is published for general information.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. $\frac{F B 49-15}{479}$, dated Calcutta, the 12th June 1916.

From—B. A. WESTBROOK, ESQ., Chief Officer, Fire Brigade, Calcutta,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department (through R. Clarke, Esq., Offg. Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.)

I HAVE the honour to present the following report on the working of the Fire Brigade for the financial year ended the 31st March 1916.

2. **Financial Statement.**—The statement of the receipts and expenditures, and payments made by the Municipalities within the jurisdiction of the Fire Brigade Act, I of 1893, is given in Appendix I.

3. **Fires, etc.**—The total number of fires, or supposed fires dealt with by the Fire Brigade during the year under review is 375, being an increase of 118 above the previous year, and resulting in :—

Fires 323 (244 in 1914-15), false alarms 42 (9 in 1914-15) and 10 calls for special service (3 in 1914-15).

Seventeen fires occurred in premises licensed under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act (I of 1893), as compared with 7 in the previous year. The nature of the trades requiring licenses under this Act are enumerated in Appendix XVII.

On one day	8	fires or supposed fires occurred		...	8
„ two days	6	ditto	ditto	...	12
„ six „	5	ditto	ditto	...	30
„ twelve „	4	ditto	ditto	...	48
„ twenty-five „	3	ditto	ditto	...	75
„ forty-three „	2	ditto	ditto	...	86
„ One hundred and sixteen days	1	ditto	ditto	...	116
			Total	...	375

Summaries are given in the Appendix showing the districts in which fires or supposed fires occurred (Appendix III.)

The number of fires or supposed fires on every day and month throughout the year (Appendix IV.)

Daily and hourly summary of fires or supposed fires (Appendix V.)

The actual number of calls received by the Brigade during the year 1915-16 is 527, which figure includes several instances where more than one call was received for the same fire. The means by which these calls have been transmitted to the Brigade are given in Appendix II, in connection with which it is satisfactory to note the number of calls received through Street Fire Alarms since January 1916 when the majority of these instruments were connected.

The increase in the number of False Alarms was anticipated, but now that the Street Fire Alarms which have been installed are in proper working order, and the public are accustomed to these alarms, false alarms are satisfactorily decreasing in number.

4. **Fire loss.**—I am pleased to be able to report that the damage caused by fire and water is the lowest on record, being Rs. 5,02,699, notwithstanding

the fact that the number of fires during this year has increased by 124 above the average for the past five years, the average loss per fire being Rs. 1,556 as compared with an average loss per fire of Rs. 5,999 for a similar period.

These satisfactory figures are attributable to the fact that few serious fires have occurred which in a great measure is due to the increase of promptness in giving information of fires to the Fire Brigade, and speedy arrival of the Brigade at the place of occurrence.

Summaries are given in the Appendix showing :—

Damage caused by fire, etc., in the various districts. (Appendix VI.)
Classification of fires and calls. (Appendix VII.)
Means by which fires were extinguished. (Appendix VIII.)
Causes of fires and buildings affected. (Appendix XV.)
Comparative statement for the past eight years. (Appendix XVIII.)

5. **Fire Reports.**—Short reports of all fires of Rs. 1,000 damage and upwards are given in Appendix IX.

6. **Appliances.**—Appendix X shows the present distribution of the principal appliances in use by the Brigade, and Appendix XI gives the number of times each appliance has been turned out in response to fire calls, with monthly figures, and the distance travelled.

It is estimated that motor appliances travelled 3,718 miles, and horse drawn appliances 489 miles during the year under review in responding to and returning from fire calls.

On the 25th December 1915 a 60 H. P. "Hatfield" Petrol Motor Fire Engine of 350 gallons per minute capacity was received and placed in commission, and has proved satisfactory.

Orders have been placed with Messrs. Leyland & Co., and Messrs. Merryweather & Sons, Ltd., for new motor Fire Engines, but owing to the war, delivery has not yet been effected.

Motor Fire Engine No. 3 has been sent to England for repairs and refitting, and owing to the above cause, has been absent the whole year. It is hoped that this machine will shortly be replaced in commission.

The remainder of the smaller appliances have been kept up to the required state of efficiency, and the usual boiler surveys have been made by the Government Inspectors, and certificates granted.

It is understood that an order has been placed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta with Messrs. Merryweather & Sons, Ltd., for an efficient fire-float, but owing to the war it has not yet been received.

This machine is badly needed, and it is hoped that it will soon arrive in Calcutta. The existing fire float "Hooghly" has done good work, but owing to insufficient power and pumping capacity, its capabilities are restricted. As mentioned in the Fire Brigade reports of 1913-14 and 1914-15, the fire float is not directly under the control of the Fire Brigade, therefore efficient working and co-operation cannot always be obtained, but during the past year valuable assistance has been rendered by the Port Commissioners both with the fire-float and the steam fire engine stationed at the Docks.

In the Budget for the year 1915-16 a sum was included for the provision of a Motor Lorry, but it was eventually decided that this amount should be augmented for the purpose of buying another Petrol Motor Fire Engine, that the Rotary pump on Motor Fire Engine No. 1 should be discarded, and this appliance converted into a lorry. This work has been carried out in the Fire Brigade Workshops and the lorry has proved to be of great use.

From experience gained at the numerous jute fires it is realised that the most effective method of dealing with this class of fire is by means of a large stream of water at high pressure, and therefore a Monitor with a 2-inch nozzle has been constructed, and used in conjunction with the lorry. It is capable of being rapidly shipped and unshipped and so does not interfere with the ordinary requirements for which the lorry was provided. It is anticipated that a powerful search-light will be fitted on this appliance which will undoubtedly be a great asset in promoting the efficient extinction of fires occurring at night.

7. **Fire Stations.**—Appendix XII gives the number of times each station has been turned out in response to fire calls, together with monthly figures.

The Fire Brigade headquarters are still situated in premises temporarily hired from the Samavaya Corporation, Limited, in Corporation Place, and I regret I am unable to record progress in the provision of permanent headquarters. A suitable site was selected in Wellington Street and plans were prepared, but this land was ultimately required by the Calcutta Improvement Trust for the purpose of making a main thoroughfare in this locality.

It was found necessary to extend these present temporary headquarters, and the adjoining shop measuring 48 feet by 36 feet was hired at a rental of Rs. 280 per month, making in all a total rental of Rs. 1,607 per month for the headquarters. It is hoped that permanent headquarters will soon be built on a suitable site as the interest on the capital necessary for this purpose will effect a considerable saving.

The extra premises hired are used chiefly for workshops, and reserve appliances. In this connection it should be noted that practically the whole of the Fire Brigade Staff, Appliances and Plant have now been removed from Lal Bazar. When the Fire Brigade Headquarters were situated there no rent was paid or debited to the Fire Brigade Fund.

Owing to lack of space and accommodation at the present headquarters difficulty is experienced in training firemen, delay occurs in turning out and getting away from the station as the locality is congested, and a larger percentage of married quarters is required.

Although the stations at Howrah and Chitpore require remodelling and extending no important alterations have been carried out pending sanction of Government to the reorganisation scheme.

Hired premises are still occupied in Halliday Street which now ranks as one of the most important out-stations as it is situated in a district full of very serious fire risks. It is understood that the premises are required by the Calcutta Improvement Trust, and consequently will have to be vacated. It is therefore necessary to provide permanent buildings in this locality.

Out-stations are urgently required in the north and central portions of the City, and accordingly were recommended in the reorganisation report. Owing to the congestion of traffic and very narrow thoroughfares delay must occur before it is possible for the Fire Brigade to arrive at the scene of a fire in these districts. Fortunately any really serious fire has been prevented during the year under review, but the danger of a conflagration is present and should be guarded against.

Owing to the land on which the Bhowanipore Station stood being required by the Calcutta Improvement Trust this station has been abandoned, and the staff distributed amongst the other stations.

8. **Staff.**—The total strength of the Brigade is 221 as compared with 216 at the commencement of the year.

Three Indian telephone operators have been employed to relieve the European officers and men of this duty, also one additional temporary clerk and one additional mechanic have been sanctioned.

The distribution of the Staff is given in Appendix XIII.

The general conduct and discipline has been good. Necessarily many changes have taken place owing to a large number of men proceeding on active service. These changes have thrown a considerable amount of extra work upon the remainder of the men which, for patriotic reasons, they have willingly carried out.

The months of February and March were exceptionally busy, and the strain was severely felt by many of the officers and men, but I am pleased to be able to report that their work was good during this somewhat trying period as it was during the whole year.

As recorded in my reports of 1913-14 and 1914-15 difficulty is experienced in recruiting a sufficiently good class of Indian on the low pay at present offered for the arduous duties of firemen. Although the cost of living has increased in Calcutta during recent years the pay remains the same. The same remarks apply to the European Staff.

It is hoped that the Fire Brigade reorganisation scheme will soon be sanctioned and a scale of pay commensurate with the work will be adopted.

Three men have been granted certificates to drive and take charge of Motor Fire Engines, and five men have passed examinations in proficiency in the management and care of Steam Fire Engines.

9. **Fatalities and Accidents.**—Short details of fires and calls involving loss of life or accidents are given in Appendix XIV.

I regret to report that Indian Firemen Hujabber Khan (service 3 years and 8 months), Mir Kalayan (service 1 year and 5 months) and Mathulla Khan (service 11 months) met their deaths at a fire which occurred at Chaulputty Road, Belliaghatta, on 23rd December, 1915.

These men in conjunction with nine others were ordered to turn over a hay stack in which a fire had been practically extinguished. At about 4-30 A.M. an alarm was raised that four of these men were unconscious, and they were immediately removed from the top of the stack and artificial respiration commenced. Under this treatment Indian Fireman Shaik Ismail, recovered, but in the above cases life was found to be extinct. At the inquest the cause of death was found to be carbon monoxide poisoning, and it was surmised that the men took the opportunity of resting, and were consequently overcome by the fumes. The remainder of the men working on this stack were not affected.

The total fatalities including the above are 10, being an increase of one as compared with the previous year. Of these two were cases of suicide by burning, and two were killed and two injured owing to the collapse of a building (no fire).

On the 15th August 1915 an Indian woman was severely burned and subsequently died in hospital. Her husband was charged with voluntarily causing grievous hurt to his wife, convicted, and sentenced to three years' rigorous imprisonment.

The practice of pouring kerosene oil on to a fire to make it burn up appears to be prevalent, and has been the cause of numerous fires, and one death.

Clothing in contact with cooking stoves is responsible for one death.

Two persons were severely burned whilst working in a garage. They were filling the petrol tank of a motor-car in the neighbourhood of a naked light.

Many minor injuries have been attended to by members of the Brigade, a large percentage of whom are qualified in Ambulance work.

First-aid materials are carried on all appliances, and on many occasions have been of great use.

10. **Horses.**—Sixteen horses were in service at the commencement of the year. Two have died and one has been cast as unfit for further work. Three horses have been treated at the Bengal Veterinary College, of which two were discharged fit for duty, and one cast as above.

Three horses have been purchased, leaving a total of 16 at the close of the year.

It was anticipated that this number could have been reduced, but owing to the delay caused by the war in the delivery of the motor appliances on order it has not been found possible to do so. However it is probable that this anticipation will be realised during the forthcoming year.

11. **Water-supply.**—In several instances difficulty has been experienced in obtaining water for fire-extinguishing purposes, and consequently some fires have obtained serious proportions which might otherwise have been prevented. These remarks particularly apply to Howrah, Chitpur, Garden Reach and Maniktala where unfiltered water mains are still unprovided, and the filtered water mains are not fitted with fire hydrants. For the protection of these areas reliance has been placed on the ponds and tanks, but as these are now being filled up on sanitary grounds a serious state of affairs is accentuated, and fears are entertained that disastrous fires may result.

The water used for fire extinguishing is principally obtained from the unfiltered water mains, but owing to the comparative low pressure fire pumps have to be used to augment this pressure in a large percentage of cases.

Improvement of the mains and upkeep of hydrants continues and the Water Department men attached to the Fire Brigade have been useful in assisting to obtain a sufficient quantity of water.

The provision of duplicate sets of pumps for the unfiltered water system needs consideration as when the existing machinery has to be overhauled, flues cleaned, etc., the water has to be shut off, thus leaving parts of the City unprotected.

I am pleased to take this opportunity of thanking the officers of the Water Department of the Calcutta Corporation for their endeavours to improve the supply, and for their prompt attention to any complaints which have been made.

12. **Street Fire Alarms, Telephones and Electrical Communications.**—Considerable progress has been made in providing means for the rapid communication of alarms of fire to the Fire Brigade. In the budget estimate for the year under review provision was made for thirty street fire alarms, and on 4th December 1915 sanction was received from the Government of Bengal for the erection of an additional one hundred street fire alarms. There are also nine alarms at the Kidderpore Docks, and five at the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.

The majority of these alarms are now fitted, and it is anticipated that the remainder will shortly be erected and connected.

Good results have been obtained and undoubtedly in several cases serious fires have been prevented, mainly owing to the rapidity with which the Fire Brigade has received the call.

Appendix II shows by what means calls for fires have been transmitted to the Fire Brigade.

To facilitate the rapid turn-out of the fire appliances, and to prevent the possibility of mistaking the address of a fire, maps electrically connected to the Street Fire Alarms are provided at Headquarters, and so arranged that when a fire call is received from this system a small lamp glows behind the map in the position corresponding to that of the fire alarm operated. This arrangement has proved to be of considerable use especially as it is difficult to rapidly and rightly understand some of the Indian names given to streets.

The provision of direct fire telephones from special fire risks proceeds satisfactorily, and it is hoped that more of the sprinkler installations and automatic fire alarm systems will be connected up to the Fire stations nearest to the premises in which they are installed.

It is satisfactory to note that instances of delay in giving the alarm of fire to the Fire Brigade are gradually decreasing, but there still remains much to be done in connection with this.

My thanks are again due to the Bengal Telephone Company for their continued keen interest and efficiency in all matters appertaining to Fire Brigade work.

Appendix XVI gives the positions of Street Fire Alarms erected, and about to be erected.

13. **Inspection Department. Theatres and Places of Public Amusement.**—A considerable amount of work has been carried out in endeavouring to safeguard the public in theatres and places of public amusement, but I regret to report that the result is not satisfactory. The following extract from the "Report on Municipal Administration of Calcutta for the year 1914-15," describes some of the difficulties encountered :—"Owing to the apathy of the public, the defects of the law which provide for the most inadequate control over the equipment and management of theatres, and the difficulty in securing adequate punishment for theatre-owners who entertain their patrons under conditions which would not be allowed for a single night in most countries, the inertia which has to be overcome before theatres are improved is immense, but at last something is being done. It is at any rate no longer possible to find uninsulated live wires attached by the most crude appliances to highly inflammable canvas, nor will occupants of zenana galleries have to descend in case of emergency by steep staircases, unprovided with hand rails, but nevertheless the theatres of northern Calcutta are still a disgrace to the City."

With one exception only the owners of the European Theatres and Cinemas have practically carried out the requisitions made by the Inspection Department, but I regret that this is not the case with the large majority of

Indian Theatres, and it is due only to strenuous exertions that the owners of such theatres have been induced to carry out minor and comparatively inexpensive improvements.

Unfortunately the bye-laws regulating places of public amusement are inadequate, both in the provision of safeguards from fire and panic, also the penalty clause, and many owners and lessees have no compunction whatever in infringing the same.

From a digest of the prosecutions and fines inflicted during the past two years it is found that during the year 1913-14, 293 prosecutions were instituted to enforce improvements and the fines amounted to an average of about two rupees thirteen annas (Rs. 2-13), and in the year 1914-15, 167 prosecutions were instituted and the fines averaged four rupees twelve annas (Rs. 4-12).

Notwithstanding the various difficulties in the way in enforcing improvements there certainly is a visible tendency to provide fire appliances, and carry out alterations as suggested for the purpose of preventing loss of life and injury and damage by fire.

It is hoped that the new bye-laws for the regulations of theatres and places of public amusement will shortly be approved and enforced, when no doubt adequate measures will be adopted and the various premises provided with safeguards commensurate with the risks involved.

14. **General.**—Much progress continues to be made in inspecting special fire risks, and as a result of such inspections which are regularly and systematically carried out the number of private appliances installed has considerably increased and many improvements effected in existing private fire plants.

On several occasions these precautions have enabled owners and employees to deal with fires without the assistance of the Fire Brigade, whilst in other cases, fires, which might otherwise have become serious, have been held in check until the arrival of the Fire Brigade.

It is hoped that any person desiring information or advice concerning the installation of fire preventative and protective devices will apply to the Fire Brigade for the same which is given gratis.

The work of the Inspection Department is rapidly increasing, and this department needs to be augmented, so that its beneficial effect will be more widely felt.

The inferior construction of many of the existing premises, and the lack of supervision of private fire appliances renders it imperative that more frequent inspections should be carried out, especially as this inferior type of building is not only liable to fire itself, but, being often situated in congested localities, constitutes a risk which may involve a whole district, particularly as many of the occupants of the premises entirely ignore their personal and moral responsibility.

Sprinkler systems continue to be found of particular value in jute godowns, and premises where highly inflammable goods are stored, and in many cases have averted serious fires, likewise fire-doors, party-walls and fire-resisting partitions have proved their efficiency. The desirability of direct telephonic communication to Fire Stations is urged, as in several cases of serious fires there has been considerable delay in calling the Fire Brigade.

During the year under review 4,728 inspections (exclusive of theatres and places of public amusement) have been carried out.

Three hundred and seventy-four applications for licenses (*see* Appendix XVII) and complaints referring to licenses have been investigated and reported upon.

Two hundred and twenty-one prosecutions have been instituted under sections 14 and 19 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act (I of 1893) and have resulted in 151 persons being fined, 48 warned and discharged, 22 cases withdrawn, and 20 remained pending at the end of the year.

The total number of licenses recommended during the year under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act (I of 1893) was 1,664, including 168 fresh licenses.

Sixty-eight licenses were cancelled for non-payment of tax.

16. **Fire-work licenses, etc.**—During the year under review no licenses were granted for letting off fireworks under section 36, Act I of 1893.

One person has been prosecuted, convicted and fined for selling fireworks without license.

17. **Jurisdiction.**—The Calcutta Fire Brigade protects the Municipalities of Calcutta, Cossipore-Chitpur, Howrah, Garden Reach and Maniktala, no charge being made for the attendance of the Brigade in these areas.

Under Government Notification No. 1850 T. M. of 25th August 1906, the Fire Brigade may, at the discretion of the Chief Officer, attend any fire beyond the limits of the aforesaid Municipalities, and within a radius of six miles from the Fire Brigade Headquarters, provided the individual who requires the services of the Brigade enters into an undertaking to pay, or immediately pays such fees as provided by Government, given that in both of the above cases no call has been already made within the jurisdiction for the assistance of the Fire Brigade. The actual area protected is just over 113 square miles, and the population included in the same is over 1½ millions.

The question of extending the jurisdiction of the Brigade has received consideration, and at the meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council of 27th March 1916, the Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray, asked :—

"(*a*) Has the attention of Government been drawn to a recent case of fire in the Khurda Jute Mills, and the inability of the Calcutta Fire Brigade to render any help on account of a rule which restricts its operation to a radius of six miles from the Central Fire Station?"

"(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of modifying the rules in order to bring the mills on both sides of the River Hooghly up to Naihati on the east and Telinipara on the west of that river within the scope of the Calcutta Fire Brigade?"

The Hon'ble Mr. De in reply said :—

"(*a*) Information was received by the Calcutta Fire Brigade on the evening of 3rd March 1916, that a fire had broken out at the Khurda Jute Mill. The Fire Brigade were unable to send appliances as the fire was a considerable distance beyond the radius of six miles within which they are authorised to attend, under Notification No. 1850 T. M., dated 25th August 1906. The Chief Officer, a Station Officer and twelve khallassies visited the scene of the fire during the night."

"(*b*) Government have under consideration the revision of the rules framed from time to time under section 31 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act and will be prepared to sanction the extension of the radius of the Calcutta Fire Brigade so far as is possible without disproportionate increase in capital and recurring expenditure. They are advised that with due regard to these considerations there is little chance of the radius being extended at present to the limits suggested by the Hon'ble Member. The outlying mills must look for protection against fire to the efficiency of their own fire drill and appliances."

The class of fire (*i. e.*, jute mills and godowns) which is likely to occur in the proposed extended radius is of a serious nature, and in practically every case would necessitate the attendance for many hours of two or more fire engines and a proportionate number of men. Having due regard to the efficient protection of the jurisdiction proper, these machines and men cannot be spared, however with a view to reducing the damage by fire in the outlying districts, advice will be given on every branch of fire prevention and protection, and where possible men will be trained in getting to work smartly with private fire appliances.

18. **Tournament and Exhibition.**—In the presence of His Excellency Lord Carmichael, Governor of Bengal, and a large company of distinguished visitors, on 27th November 1915, a Fire Brigade Exhibition and Tournament was held. It was decided to make a charge for admission, the proceeds to be given to "Lady Carmichael's War Relief Fund" and the Calcutta Fire Brigade had the pleasure of handing to this Fund a sum of Rs 3,106 (£207-1-4).

19. **Map.**—It is customary to append to this Annual Report a map showing where fires have taken place, and the positions of Fire Stations, Street Fire Alarms etc., but this year for the sake of economy it has been omitted.

A copy is available at the Fire Brigade Headquarters and can be seen at any time.

20. **Ambulance Service.**—I am pleased to be able to report that during the year under review a Motor Ambulance Service has been organised and is now doing efficient and useful work in Calcutta.

A 16 H. P. "Sunbeam" Motor Ambulance was purchased by the St. John Ambulance Association with contributions raised voluntarily, and presented to the Municipality of Calcutta. The cost of running and upkeep is paid by the Municipality and Government of Bengal in the proportions of two-thirds and one-third, respectively.

Two drivers have been permanently employed and pending the appointment of permanent attendants, the Indian Firemen do this duty, for which they receive a small monetary allowance.

The Motor Ambulance is available at all times free of charge whether engaged in removing patients to or from Hospitals, Nursing Homes, etc., or attending street accidents, the only restriction being that it must not be used for infectious cases. The first call was responded to on 26th January 1916, and 52 cases have been dealt with up to the end of the financial year (31st March 1916). The time occupied in attending calls and removing patients was 82 hours 17 minutes, and 257½ miles were travelled.

As the availability of this Ambulance is becoming more generally known, the calls are increasing in number, and provision is being made for the purchase of more machines, which will include one solely for the purpose of dealing with infectious cases, and it is hoped that by the prompt removal of such patients the results of epidemics may be minimised.

APPENDIX I.

Statement showing Receipts and Expenditure of the Fire Brigade for 1915-16.

THE year opened with a balance of Rs. 86,153-2, the receipts amounted to Rs. 2,47,098-12-3, and the total expenditure to Rs. 2,48,441-7-11, leaving a balance of Rs. 84,810-6-4 at the close of the year.

Receipts.

Fees under Petroleum Act show an increase of Rs. 171 over the estimate. No fees for letting off fireworks were credited during the year.

Expenditure.

Under head "Establishment" there was a decrease of Rs. 2,168-13-7 due mainly to leave vacancies.

The total expenditure under head "Contingencies" amounted to Rs. 1,53,968-5-6 against a budget grant of Rs. 2,22,186, showing a decrease of Rs. 68,217-10-6; the savings include the sum of Rs. 46,600 provided in the budget for the purchase of combined appliances, including fire escapes, first-aid cylinders and pumps, a motor tender, etc., which remained unexpended at the close of the year in consequence of the delay in manufacture of the machines in England owing to the war.

Under head "Other charges" there was a decrease of Rs. 1,735 due mainly to less expenditure under head "Water Pressure."

Abstract of Receipts and Disbursements of the Fire Brigade Fund for the year ending 31st March 1916.

Receipts	Budget Estimate for 1915-16.	Actual Receipts for 1915-16	Increase.	Decrease.	Payments.	Budget Estimate for 1915-16.	Actual charges for 1915-16.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.
Balance at the beginning of the year	...	86,153 2 4		...	Establishment	87,936	85,767 2 5	...	2,168 13 7
Proportionate cost payable by—									
Corporation of Calcutta	1,71,873	1,71,873 0 0	...	...	Contingencies	2,22,186	1,53,968 5 6	...	68,217 10 6
Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality ...	36,830	36,830 0 0	...	...	Other charges	10,441	8,706 0 0	...	1,735 0 0
Howrah Municipality	27,009	27,009 0 0	...	...					
Garden Reach Municipality	6,168	6,168 0 0	...	...					
Maniktollah Municipality	3,683	3,683 0 0	...	...	Total ...	3,20,563	2,48,441 7 11	...	72,121 8 1
Total ...	2,45,633	2,45,633 0 0	...	...					
Fees under Fire Works ...	30	...	...	30					
Fees under Petroleum Act	1,000	1,171 0 0	171 0 0	...					
Total ...	1,030	1,171 0 0	171 0 0	30					
Sale Proceeds of the unserviceable stores	500	160 0 0	...	340					
Miscellaneous	100	234 12 3	134 12 3	...					
Sale proceeds of horses ...	400	...	...	400	Closing balance on 31st March 1916		84,810 6 4	...	...
Total ...	1,000	394 12 3	134 12 3	740					
GRAND TOTAL ...	2,47,663	2,48,251 14 3	305 12 3	770	GRAND TOTAL		2,48,251 14 3	...	...

Payment by Municipalities.

	Per cent.	Rs.
Corporation of Calcutta	70	1,71,873
Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality	15	36,830
Howrah ditto	11	27,009
Garden Reach ditto	2½	6,168
Maniktollah ditto	1½	3,683
Total		2,45,563

APPENDIX II.

Summary showing means by which calls were transmitted to the Fire Brigade.

Month.		Total calls.*	Private telephone.	Street fire alarms.	Police telephones.	Messengers.	Look-out men at Fire Brigade stations.
April	1915 ...	45	33	3	5	3	1
May	„ ...	37	28	2	...	6	1
June	„ ...	20	11	1	5	1	2
July	„ ...	20	14	2	4	...	...
August	„ ...	18	9	3	3	2	1
September	„ ...	21	11	3	2	4	1
October	„ ...	17	10	1	4	2	...
November	„ ...	40	27	5	2	6	...
December	„ ...	54	34	4	10	5	1
January	1916 ...	47	24	9	7	6	1
February	„ ...	83	46	24	7	5	1
March	„ ...	125	54	31	19	11	10
Total	...	527	301	88	68	51	19

* In some cases more than one call was received for the same fire

APPENDIX III.

Statement showing the number of fires, or supposed fires, occurring in each district.

Month.		Calcutta.	Cossipore and Chitpur.	Howrah.	Manicktolla.	Garden Reach.	Rivers and Docks and canals.	Out of jurisdiction.	Total
April	1915	18	2	2	1	2	3	...	28
May	„	13	2	2	1	1	1	...	20
June	„	9	3	...	...	...	1	1	14
July	„	15	...	...	1	...	1	...	17
August	„	12	...	1	...	1	...	...	14
September	„	14	1	2	...	...	2	...	19
October	„	10	3	...	...	...	2	...	15
November	„	23	2	1	2	...	3	...	31
December	„	26	3	5	1	1	1	1	38
January	1916	28	2	3	1	...	1	2	37
February	„	50	3	4	1	...	2	1	61
March	„	49	12	5	7	3	2	3	81
Total	...	267	33	25	15	8	19	8	375

APPENDIX IV.

Statement showing the number of fires, or supposed fires, on every day and month throughout the year.

MONTH.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Total
1915.																																
April ...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	1	2	1	1	2	...	4	3	1	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	28
May ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	2	3	20
June ...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	14
July ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	2	...	1	1	1	17
August ...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	2	14
September ...	...	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	2	2	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	1	..	19
October ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	...	...	3	1	15
November ...	1	...	3	2	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	...	3	1	...	...	...	31
December 1	2	1	1	2	3	..	...	...	1	1	1	...	4	1	...	...	4	1	2	...	2	4	2	...	2	1	1	1	1	2	38
1916.																																
January 1	...	...	2	1	2	4	2	...	...	2	...	1	1	2	1	...	2	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	6	1	37
February 1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	4	5	2	2	2	...	2	2	...	...	1	4	4	2	1	1	5	...	...	61
March ... 1	1	2	2	1	4	2	1	4	2	5	5	4	3	2	3	4	8	5	3	6	1	1	2	...	...	2	1	...	...	2	61
Daily total 4	9	9	14	10	19	11	14	6	12	16	15	10	15	15	11	13	20	16	16	11	9	11	13	10	8	14	9	8	13	13	375

APPENDIX V.

Daily and hourly summary of fires, or supposed fires.

A. M.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	TOTAL	P. M.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	TOTAL
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Midnight to 1 A.M.	1	1	2	...	3	1	5	13	12 noon to 1 P.M.	4	4	6	3	1	3	2	23
1 A.M. to 2 ,,	1	3	1	2	4	...	1	12	1 P.M. to 2 ,,	2	3	3	1	1	1	5	16
2 ,, to 3 ,,	1	2	2	1	...	2	...	8	2 ,, to 3 ,,	1	4	6	2	1	5	9	28
3 ,, to 4 ,,	2	2	2	...	1	4	...	11	3 ,, to 4 ,,	3	...	3	...	4	1	6	17
4 ,, to 5 ,,	1	1	2	2	...	2	2	10	4 ,, to 5 ,,	4	1	...	3	6	4	3	21
5 ,, to 6 ,,	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	5	5 ,, to 6 ,,	5	5	2	...	1	3	2	18
6 ,, to 7 ,,	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	5	6 ,, to 7 ,,	6	1	3	1	2	4	5	22
7 ,, to 8 ,,	2	2	...	...	...	1	1	6	7 ,, to 8 ,,	6	4	4	5	4	6	4	33
8 ,, to 9 ,,	2	1	1	3	3	...	...	10	8 ,, to 9 ,,	2	3	5	...	3	3	3	19
9 ,, to 10 ,,	3	1	2	...	3	3	4	16	9 ,, to 10 ,,	6	...	4	...	2	2	3	17
10 ,, to 11 ,,	5	1	2	...	3	2	2	15	10 ,, to 11 ,,	2	4	4	3	2	2	2	19
11 ,, to 12 noon	4	1	4	3	1	3	3	19	11 ,, to midnight	1	1	...	4	2	...	4	12
Total ...	24	17	19	11	19	20	20	130	Total ...	42	30	40	22	29	34	48	245

Total ... **375.**

APPENDIX VI.

Statement showing damage caused by fire, etc., in the various districts.

Month.	Total.	Calcutta.	Cossipore and Chitpur.	Howrah.	Garden Reach.	Manicktolla.	Docks, rivers and canals.	Not included in the foregoing districts, but within a radius of 6 miles of the Fire Brigade head-quarters.
April 1915 ...	44,307	37,152	...	605	150	1,200	5,200	...
May ,, ...	66,328	4,293	2,005	...	20	60,000	10	...
June ,, ...	1,368	267	101	...	...	...	1 000	...
July ,, ...	3,185	3,125	...	...	...	10	50	...
August ,, ...	1,370	1,309	...	60	1	...	...	...
September ,, ...	10.579	179	350	10,030	...	...	20	...
October ,, ...	4,562	162	4,250	...	...	...	150	...
November ,, ...	31,247	11,185	2	5	...	5	20,050	...
December ,, ...	27,976	21,386	25	555	500	5,009	10	500
January 1916 ...	84,542	6,041	200	1,800	...	1	1,000	75,500
February ,, ...	16,162	11,493	19	1,170	...	250	3,150	80
March ,, ...	211,073	4,457	22,730	75,416	6,770	600	100	101,000
Total ...	502,699	1,01,049	29,682	89,641	7,441	67,066	30.740	177,080

APPENDIX VII.

Classification of fires and calls.

Damage under Rs. 100	224
,, from ,, 100 to Rs. 1,000	64
,, ,, ,, 1,000 ,, ,, 5,000	20
,, ,, ,, 5,000 ,, ,, 20,000	7
,, above ,, 20,000	8
Special service	10
False alarms (wilful)	16
,, ,, (accidental or with good intent)	26
Total ...	375

APPENDIX VIII.

Summary showing the means by which fires were extinguished.

By occupiers, neighbours, Police, or individual firemen not necessitating the use of Fire Brigade appliances	111
,, one or more jets from street hydrants	51
,, chemical machines or first-aid cylinders	39
,, one motor pump	31
,, sand	29
,, one motor pump and hydrants	18
,, two motor pumps	7
,, one steam fire-engine	6
,, one motor pump and one steam fire-engine	6
,, first-aid cylinders and hydrants	4
,, one motor pump, one steam fire-engine and hydrants	3
,, two motor pumps and hydrants	3
,, two motor pumps and one steam fire-engine	3
,, one motor pump and two steam fire-engines	2
,, manual fire-engines	1
,, one motor pump and first-aid cylinders	1
,, one motor pump and manual fire-engine	1
,, one motor pump and fire float	1
,, one motor pump one steam fire-engine and fire float	1
,, two motor pumps and two steam fire-engines	1
,, two motor pumps, two steam fire-engines and hydrants	1
,, two motor pumps, one steam fire-engine, fire float and hyrants ...	1
,, two motor pumps, three steam fire-engines, fire float and hydrants ...	1
,, three motor pumps, two steam fire-engines and fire float	1
,, calls for special service	10
,, false alarms (wilful)	16
,, false alarms (accidental or with good intent)	26
Total ...	375

APPENDIX IX.

Short reports of fires in 1915-16 of Rs. 1,000 damages and upwards.

Date	Time of call.	Address.	Trade	Extinguished by—	Remarks
1915.					
15th April ...	10-35 P.M.	Port Commissioners' godown, Hatkhola.	Jute warehouse	Two motor pumps, two steam fire-engines, fire float and hydrants.	A corrugated iron shed about 270' x 60' containing about 5 800 maunds of jute. Contents severly damaged by fire and water and building damaged A brick-built building communicating containing jute on the ground floor Contents slightly damaged by fire and water. Building not damaged. The communicating doors, through which the fire spread to the adjoining building, were left open, otherwise the fire would have been restricted to the building in which it originated
16th " ...	7-35 P M ...	No. 56, Gaurahere Road, Manik-tolla.	Ditto ...	One motor pump and hydrants.	A brick-built warehouse containing about 1,500 maunds of jute. Contents slightly damaged by fire and water Building not damaged. Contents of adjoining warehouse slightly damaged by fire and water
20th " ...	2-30 P M	No. 6 shed, Kidderpore Docks	Dock shed ...	One motor pump and hydrants	A brick-built dock shed about 300' x 150' completely filled with baled jute for export The fire was confined to the stack in which it originated, and about 5,000 bales of jute were damaged by fire and water
20th " ...	10-55 P M	19, Huro Chander Mullick's Street	Jute warehouse.	Two motor pumps, one steam fire-engine, fire float and hydrants	A brick-built warehouse containing about 350 maunds of jute in drums. Contents severely damaged by fire and water and adjoining warehouses slightly damaged
10th May ...	1-35 A M.	Narenldanga Jute Mill, Manik-tolla	Jute Mill ...	One motor pump and two steam fire-engines.	A corrugated iron warehouse 200 x 110' containing about 1,800 bales of cotton bagging Building and contents severely damaged by fire and water
28th " ...	7-43 P.M.	42, Strand Road	Shops ...	Two motor pumps	Two shops on the ground floor of a three-storied brick-built building used for the manufactory of mats and sola hats Contents damaged by fire and water.
30th " ...	9-45 A M.	21, Belgatchia Road	Jute warehouse	One motor pump and one steam fire-engine.	A brick-built warehouse about 55' x 20' containing about 1,000 drums of jute Contents partly damaged by fire and water and roof of warehouse slightly damaged
19th June ...	11 P.M	No. 4 shed, Kidderpore Docks	Dock shed ...	One motor pump and hydrants.	A stock of jute comprising about 109 bales for export in a brick-built dock shed about 300' x 150' filled with jute damaged by fire and water Fire confined to the stack of jute in which it originated
11th July ...	8 A M.	18, Chowringhee Road	Photographer's warehouse	One motor pump	A single-storied brick-built warehouse containing the stock of a photographer Contents damaged by fire and water
11th "	9-8 A.M.	Balupor bustee	Dwellings ...	One motor pump and hydrants.	Three kutcha-built dwellings. Contents and buildings severely damaged by fire and water
20th September	7-18 P. M.	Godown No 11 Central Jute Mills, Ghoosery	Jute warehouse.	Two motor pumps, one steam fire-engine, and private appliances	A brick-built godown about 200' square packed with jute cuttings and pucca and kutcha bales of jute Contents damaged by fire and water Building slightly damaged by cutting away portion of roof to get to the seat of the fire Only two doors were provided for the godown making an entry extremely difficult

Date	Time of call	Address	Trade	Extinguished by—	Remarks
1915.					
2nd October ...	9-48 P M	19, Dum-Dum Road	Tobacco factory	One motor pump and one steam fire-engine	A three-storied brick-built tobacco factory containing machinery and a large stock. Abont 30 bales of tobacco leaves and 12 boxes of cigarette papers damaged by fire and water Wooden floor damaged by fire
2nd November	10-40 P. M.	85, Chetla Road	General warehouse	One motor pump and hydrants	A brick-built and corrugated iron godown about 250' x 200' containing rice, gunnies, etc, and machinery Building and contents severely damaged by fire and water Machinery not injured
7th ,,	5-28 A. M.	S.S "Melnam"	Ship ...	One motor pump and fire float.	About 65 bales of jute and 30 bales of gunny bags damaged by fire and water The fire was noticed in the midship hatch over which 150 tons of coal were stacked, and which had to be removed before the hatch could be opened The two top tiers of cargo only were damaged
6th December ...	2-41 A M	Lime Street and South Sealdah Road	Warehouses ...	Two motor pumps, two steam fire-engines and hydrants	Ten small corrugated iron godowns containing lime, waste paper, cloth cuttings and cotton waste severely damaged by fire and water Considerable delay in giving call to Fire Brigade
11th ,, ...	10-43 A. M.	Tantibagan Bustee, Beniapooker	Dwellings ...	Two motor pumps and one steam fire-engine	Eight kutcha-built dwellings severely damaged by fire and water Delay in calling Fire Brigade
23rd ,, ...	11-50 P M.	Chaulputty Road, Belliaghatta	Hay and Straw stacks	Two motor pumps and two straw stacks.	Two straw stacks, two hay stacks, and three kutcha huts severely damaged by fire and water Three Indian fireman suffocated
1916.					
1st January ...	9-5 A M ...	No 50 shed, Port Commissioners' cooly lines.	Dwellings ...	One motor pump, and one steam fire-engine	A brick-built building about 60' x 20 feet with corrugated iron roof used as a dwelling for coolies severly damaged by fire and water
19th ,, ...	12-36 P.M.	Baranagore North Mill.	Jute mill ...	One motor pump, one steam fire-engine and private fire appliances	A brick-built godown with tiled and brick roof on wooden beams containing pucka and kutcha bales of jute Building about 50 years old, severely damaged, walls and roof partially collapsed, also portion of wall of adjoining godown. Contents damaged by fire and water
30th ,, ...	3-20 A.M.	Grand Trunk Road, Howrah.	Shops and dwellings	One motor pump and one manual fire-engine	Seven kutcha shops and dwelling houses and contents damaged by fire and water Delay in calling Fire Brigade
30th ,, ...	6-55 A.M.	11, Pollock Street	General warehouse.	One motor pump	A two-storied brick-built warehouse containing on the ground floor about 2,000 bales of paper, cloth, silk, etc. About 75 bales damaged by fire and water
6th February	3-55 A.M.	105-10, Karaya Road	Dwelling ...	Ditto	Contents of a bedroom and bathroom in a brick-built single-storied residence damaged by fire and water
12th ,, ...	9-41 P M.	S.S. "Karpul" at No. 4 jetty.	Ship ...	One motor pump, hydrants, ships hose and smoke helmets.	A quantity of ship's stores in the fore-peak damaged by fire and water

Date.	Time of call	Address.	Trade.	Extinguished by—	Remarks.
1916.					
13th February...	7-49 A.M.	18, Harrison Road	Printing press	Two motor pumps	A galvanized iron building about 120′ x 40′ used as a printing press. Building severely damaged and contents consisting of printing machinery, type, paper, etc., severely damaged by fire and water. Adjoining kutcha building slightly damaged.
17th ,, ...	9-58 A.M	Nasmyth Press, Howrah	Jute press ...	One motor pump, one steamer and private fire appliances.	A brick-built godown about 200′ x 20′ containing jute. Contents damaged by fire and water.
20th ,, ...	2-18 A.M	86, Corporation Street.	Shops and dwellings.	One motor pump and hydrants.	Five kutcha shops and eight kutcha dwellings and contents damaged by fire and water.
4th March ...	12-8 P.M.	Barnagore North Mill.	Jute Mill ...	One motor pump, one steam fire-engine and private fire appliances.	A brick built godown with corrugated iron roof, about 60 years old, containing about 10,000 pucca bales of jute. Building and contents severely damaged by fire and water.
10th ,, ...	7 A.M. ...	Kali Prasad Singha Road, Chitpur.	Jute Warehouse.	Private fire appliances.	A quantity of jute in the open damaged by fire and water.
11th ,, ...	12-14 A.M	The British India Ship-building Yard, Golabari.	Ship-builders' Yard.	Three motor pumps, two steam fire-engines and fire float.	A portion of a ship-builders' yard consisting of corrugated iron sheds containing timber, paint, oils, rope, cork, ship's stores, etc., severly damaged by fire and water; also a quantity of timber in timber yard adjoining slightly damaged by fire and water.
15th ,, ...	11-21 P.M.	3, Cotton Street	Shops ..	One motor pump and hydrants.	The contents of two shops on the ground floor of a brick-built building damaged by fire and water.
16th ,, ...	6-30 P.M.	Suraj Jute Press, Gun Foundry Road	Jute press ...	One motor pump and two steam fire engines.	A two-storied brick-built building with corrugated iron roof, about 220′ by 120′. Contents consisting of jute presses, baled and loose jute, electrical machinery severly damaged by fire and water. Building slightly damaged and wooden flooring partially burnt away. Delay in giving call to Brigade
17th ,, ...	4 30 P.M.	Garden Reach bustee, opposite Bengal Cotton Mill	Dwellings ...	One motor pump	A large number of kutcha huts damaged by fire and water. Delay in giving call to Brigade.
18th ,, ...	1-59 P.M	Bengali Bazar, Muttiabruz	Dwellings, etc.	One motor pump, one steam fire-engine and fire float.	A quantity of kutcha huts and shops damaged by fire and water. Delay in giving call to Brigade and difficulty with water.
21st ,, ...	8-41 P.M.	8, Prem Kissen Mukerjee Road.	Jute warehouse	One motor pump and one steam fire-engine	A brick-built godown containing about 1,000 drums of jute About 250 drums damaged by fire and water.

APPENDIX X.

Distribution of Appliances.

STATIONS.	Motor pumps.	Motor 85-feet mechanically operated turntable ladder.	Motor first-aid tender.	Motor lorry with monitor.	Motor-cars.	Steam fire-engines.	60 feet horse drawn turntable ladder.	Fire escapes.	Manual fire-engines.	Horse-drawn hose carts.	Hose carts and hose reels.	Hook ladders.	Scaling ladders.	Smoke helmets.	Canvas hose.	Horses.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Headquarters ...	4	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	8	12	3	19,750	4
Halliday Street	1 + 1*a*	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	3	9	1*a*	9,750	3
Chitpur ...	1*a*	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	2	6	1*a*	4,500	3
Howrah ...	1*a*	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	6	1*a*	2,800	3
Garden Reach ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	975	...
Palmer's Bridge	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,425	...
Watgunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	725	...
Sibpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	375	...
Lal Bazar ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	3	...	...	6	...	750	3
Hastings ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Victoria Terrace	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Park Street ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Sukea's Street ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Kumartolle ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Burtolla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Jorabagan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Muchipara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Taltolla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Ballygunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Alipore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Ekbalpore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	300	...
Total ...	8	1	1	1	1	7	1	2	5	5	18	15	39	6	44,650	16

APPENDIX XI.

Statement showing the number of times each Appliance has been turned out in response to fire calls and the distance travelled.

Appliance	Stationed at—	Distance in miles travelled.	1915.									1916.			Total.
			April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November	December	January.	February.	March.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
*Motor pump. "Commer," No. 1, 40 H. P. with rotary pump, 350 gallons capacity, and 30' telescopic ladder.	Halliday Street and Head-quarters.	156	9	3	...	6	4	10	1	9	10	4	...	3	59
Motor pump. "Leyland," No. 2. 75 H. P., with turbine pump, 550 gallons capacity.	Head-quarters	142	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	2	...	1	1	8
Motor pump. "Commer," No. 4, 60 H. P., with turbine pump. 350 gallons capacity, and 25 gallons first-aid cylinder	Head-quarters, and Halliday Street.	128	...	...	...	3	...	...	1	2	3	1	...	3	13
Motor pump "Hatfie'd," No. 5, 65 H P., with reciprocating pump, 350 gallons capacity, 50' fire escape, and 25 gallons first-aid cylinder.	Ditto ...	431	4	5	2	5	5	5	1	12	11	10	20	30	110
Motor pump "Hatfield" No 6, 65 H. P., with reciprocating pump. 350 gallons capacity, 55' fire escape, and 35 gallons first-aid cylinder.	Head-quarters	952	19	8	6	9	6	12	12	12	17	16	21	41	179
†Motor pump. "Hatfield," No. 7, 65 H. P., as above without fire escape.	Ditto ...	318	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	11	24	22	59
Motor tender, 14 H. P., fitted with 55 gallons first-aid cylinder, hook ladders, smoke helmets, etc.	Ditto ...	1,511	13	9	8	14	10	16	9	18	17	21	28	14	207
Turntable ladders, motor, 65 H. P., 85' ladder, and horse-drawn 65' ladder.	Head-quarters and Halliday Street	196	7	4	...	...	4	10	1	8	9	12	3	3	61
Steam Fire-engine No. 2 ...	Chitpur ...	90	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	3	1	...	1	10
Ditto No. 3 ...	Howrah ...	78	2	2	2	...	...	1	1	...	4	1	2	14	32
Ditto No. 4 ...	Head-quarters	51	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	2	2	3	1	11
Ditto No. 5 ...	Ditto ...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	4	6
Ditto No. 6 ...	Garden Reach	48	3	1	1	...	1	1	1	2	1	1	...	7	19
Ditto No. 7 ...	Palmer's Bridge	36	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	3	1*	2	2	12
Fire float	River ...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	3	7
Manual Fire-engines ...	Sibpur and Watgunge.	...	3	...	2	2	...	...	3	2	2	1	4	10	29
Hose reels, etc. ...	Outposts ...	...	3	3	...	...	2	...	1	10	8	5	6	8	46
Grand Total ...	.....	4,207	67	37	21	41	34	57	34	79	96	90	115	197	868

* Converted into a motor lorry in February.
† Commissioned, December 28th, 1915.

APPENDIX XII.

Statement showing the number of times each Station has been turned out in response to Fire calls.

Station.	1915									1916.			Total.
	April.	May.	June.	July	August.	September	October.	November.	December.	January.	February.	March.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Headquarters ...	24	13	9	17	11	17	13	24	31	30	53	66	308
Halliday Street ...	8	3	...	5	4	11	2	9	11	14	19	31	117
Chitpur	2	1	11	...	...	1	3	...	2	4	2	14	40
Howrah	2	2	...	...	1	1	...	1	4	3	3	3	20
Watgunge	4	...	2	2	...	...	3	2	1	...	2	7	23
Garden Reach ...	4	1	1	...	1	1	1	2	1	1	...	7	20
Sibpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	2	6
Palmer's Bridge ...	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	3	1	2	2	12
Lal Pazar (workshops and Reserve appliances).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2
Fire float	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	3	7
Hose reels, etc., from police-stations.	3	4	2	...	3	...	...	10	3	4	7	7	43
Total ...	49	25	25	26	21	31	22	49	59	58	91	142	698

APPENDIX XIII.

Disposition of the staff of the Calcutta Fire Brigade during the year 1915-16.

Stations.	Chief Officer.	Chief Engineer.	Inspector of Warehouses.	Engineers.	Assistant Engineers.	European Firemen.	European Drivers.	Tindals.	Khalasis.	Syces.	Bhistis.	Mehtars	Mechanics.	Farrier & fitter.	Telephone clerks.	Indian Drivers.	Clerks.	Peons.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Headquarters, Corporation Place	1	...	1	1	6	7	1	5	46	4	1	2	...	...	3	...	2	1	81
Lall Bazar Fire Station (including workshops) ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	..	2	10	4		...	1	2	...	1	1	...	22
Halliday Street Fire Station	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	21	4	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	24
Howrah ditto	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	10	3	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	18
Chitpur ditto	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	3	...	1	...	...	..	1	...	...	22
Garden Reach ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	11
Watgunge ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Palmer's Bridge ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Sibpur ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	11
Total ...	1	1	1	2	10	7	1	15	146	18	2	4	1	2	3	4	3	1	221

APPENDIX XIV.

Short reports of fires involving loss of life or serious accidents.

Date.	Address	Called at—	Lives lost	Persons injured	Nature of premises.	Remarks
1915						
11th April ...	9-3, Peary Mohun Soor's Lane.	3-11 P.M	1	...	Dwelling house	An Indian woman named Soila Bala Dassi committed suicide by saturating her clothing with kerosine oil and setting fire to it. First-aid was rendered and the injured woman was removed to the Medical College Hospital, but died at 8 P.M the same day.
15th June ...	8, Hare Street ...	8-25 P.M	2	2	Shop and dwelling house	Collapse of building Four Indians, Mahadeo Dusad Bamer, aged 38, Loti Singh, aged 40, Jotindra Nath Dutt, aged 36, and Ram Nariah Chowbay, aged 39, were buried under the *débris* and extricated by the Fire Brigade The two former were killed, and the latter two injured and conveyed to hospital
15th July ...	The Royal Engineering Works, 209, Lower Circular Road.	7-32 P.M	...	2	Garage ...	Two Indians named Satya Charan Dan, aged 23, and Jagadis Chundra Chukerbutty, aged 30, were severely burnt on the arms and legs. First aid was rendered and the injured men conveyed to the Shambhu Nath Pandit Hospital
23rd July ...	Munshiganj Road	4-27 A M.	1	...	Kerosine oil in barrels and tins in transit on a bullock cart.	An Indian named Shaik Jiruddin was asleep under the cart, and was severely burnt. First-aid was rendered and the injured man conveyed to the Shambhu Nath Pundit Hospital, where he subsequently died.
15th August	10, St James Lane.	7-24 P.M	1	...	Dwelling house	An Indian woman named Tulsi Munjri Dassi, aged 24, was severely burnt First-aid was rendered, and the injured woman was conveyed to hospital, where she died on 25th August 1915. The husband was charged with voluntarily causing grevious hurt to his wife, and sentenced to three years' rigorous imprisonment
15th September	38, Armenian Street	12 noon	1	...	Ditto ...	A Marwari woman, named Mithai Bai, aged 25, was cooking and poured some kerosine oil on to the fire to make it burn. The flames caught her clothing and first-aid was rendered, but she died before removal to hospital
4th November	7, Protab Chunder Ghose's Lane	8-35 A M	1	...	Ditto ...	A Hindoo woman named Bishaka was burnt to death owing to her clothing having caught fire from a cooking stove Died on arrival of brigade
23rd December.	Chaulputty Road, Beliaghatta.	10-50 P.M	3	1	Straw and hay stacks, etc.	Indian firemen Hojubber Khan Mir Kalayan and Madalla Khan were suffocated whilst on one of the stacks of hay. They were ordered on to the stack to turn over the hay, and it is assumed, in accordance with the verdict arrived at at the inquest, that they were overcome with carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide. Indian fireman Shaik Ismail was also rendered unconscious, but subsequently recovered in hospital (vide note in Report).
		Total ...	10	5		

APPENDIX XV.

Statement showing causes of fires and buildings, etc., affected.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35
	Cooking stoves and other fires left unprotected and unattended.	Smoking.	Oil lamps, etc., exploding and overturning.	Electric wires fusing.	Naked lights in contact.	Spontaneous Ignition.	Fireworks.	Sparks from furnaces and chimneys.	Matches thrown down.	Tar, Ether, etc., boiling over.	Children playing with matches.	Using kerosene oil to light fires.	Petrol vapour in contact with lights.	Gas escaping.	Defective construction.	Lime overheating.	Clothing in contact with fire.	Acid, phosphorous, etc., spilled.	Machinery overheating.	Short circuit.	Supposed Incendiarism.	Curtains in contact with naked light.	Burning rubbish.	Sulphide by burglar.	Sparks from locomotives.	Hot ashes from engines.	Backfiring in carburettor.	Husband charged with causing grievous hurt to wife.	Collapse of building.	Special service.	Causes not definitely ascertained.	False alarms (wilful).	False alarms { accidental or with ill intent.	Total.
Dwellings	31	10	12	6	5	7	5	3	4	3	4	6	5	5	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	26	16	26	118
Shops, offices, etc.	7	10	5	10	1	2	1	3	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	4	1	69
Warehouses, general	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	27
Jute Mills, warehouses, presses, etc.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	33
Straw, stacks of, etc.	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	15
Ships	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11
Workshops	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10
Outbuildings	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Motor-cars, cycles, etc.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Rubbish burning	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Manufactories	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Garages	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Jute, straw, etc., in transit.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Colleges, schools, etc.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Hotels and boarding-houses.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Bakeries	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Printing presses	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Coal (stacks of)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Railway tracks	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Shipbuilders' yards	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Cotton mills and warehouses.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Theatre	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Building materials	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Miscellaneous	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Collapse of house	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Special service	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
False alarms (wilful)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
False alarms (accidental, or with good intent).	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Total	49	28	27	24	13	12	11	11	10	9	9	6	5	5	4	2	3	3	3	3	3	5	2	5	3	1	1	1	1	10	61	16	26	375

APPENDIX XVI.

Positions of Street Fire-alarms.

*1.	Barrackpore Trunk Road and Kali Chand Ghose's Lane,	Chitpore.
*2.	Cossipore Road and Gopal Chunder Chatterjee Road,	do.
*3.	Barrackpore Trunk Road. (Armed Police Barracks),	do.
4.	Gun Foundry Road and River Bank,	do.
5.	Cossipore Road and Nawabputty Road,	do.
*6.	Dum-Dum Bridge (Railway).	
*7.	Belgatchia Road and Pikepara.	
8.	Chitpore Bridge.	
9.	Barrackpore Bridge.	
10.		
11.	Dum-Dum Bridge.	
12.	Chitpore Road near Bagh Bazar straw depôt.	
*13.	Bagh Bazar Street and Kantapuker Lane.	
14.	Sham Bazar and Circular Road.	
15.	Chitpore Road and Schalch Street.	
16.	Sham Bazar Street and Shampuker Street.	
17.	Ultadanga Bridge.	
18.	Sova Bazar Street and Durmahatta Street.	
19.	Chitpore Road and Sova Bazar Street.	
20.		
21.	Grey Street and Kali Prasad Dutt Street.	
22.	Cornwallis Street and Grey Street.	
23.	Upper Circular Road and Grey Street.	
24.	Ahiritolla Street and Durmahatta Street.	
*25.	Ditto and Nimoo Gossain Lane.	
*26.	Ratan Sircar's Garden Street and Sibtolla Lane.	
27.	Upper Circular Road and Hogulkuria Gullee.	
28.	Chitpore Road and Beadon Street.	
29.	Beadon Street (centre).	
30.		
31.	Cornwallis Street and Beadon Street.	
32.	Jorabagan Street and Durmahatta Street.	
*33.	Pathuriaghat Street and Prosanna Kumar Tagore Street.	
34.	Durmahatta Street and Darpanarain Tagore Street.	
35.	Amherst Steet and Maniktolla Street.	
36.	Upper Circular Road and Manicktolla Street.	
37.	Manicktolla Bridge.	
38.	Cornwallis Street and Sukea Street.	
39.	Amherst Street and Sukea Street.	
40.		
41.	Durmahatta Street and Nawab Lane.	
42.	Banstolla Street and Moirahatta Street.	
43.	Ditto and Juggoo Mohun Mullick Street.	
44.	Chitpore Road and Muktaram Babu's Street.	
45.		
46.	Strand Road and Meerbahar Ghât Street.	
47.	Burtolla Street (centre).	
48.	Cotton Street and Ram Kumer Rakhit's Lane.	
*49.	Halliday Street and Machua Bazar Street.	
50.		
51.	College Street and Machua Bazar Street.	
52.	Amherst Street and ditto.	
53.	Upper Circular Road and Machua Bazar Street.	
54.	Narkuldanga Bridge.	
55.		
56.	Cross Street and Puggiaputty.	
57.	Harrison Road and Clive Street.	
58.	Ditto and Mullick Street.	
59.	Ditto and Chitpore Road.	
60.		
61.	Harrison Road and College Street.	
62.	Howrah Bridge.	
*63.	Bonfield's Lane and Khangraputty.	
64.	Portuguese Church Street and Aga Karbala Mahommed Street.	
65.		
*66.	Armenian Street and Amratolla Street.	
*67.	Tara Chand Dutt Street (centre).	

* Orders placed, but not yet connected.

68. Canning Street and Old China Bazar Street
69. Ditto and Ezra Street.
70.
71. Chitpore Road and Colootolla Street.
72. College Street and Mirzapore Street.
73. Harrison Road and Mirzapore Street.
74. Clive Ghât Street and Clive Street.
75. Swallow Lane and Old China Bazar Street.
76. Pollock Street (North of Synagogue).
77. Lower Chitpore Road and Tiretta Bazar.
78. Chartered Bank.
79. Radha Bazar Street and Pollock Street.
80. Phears Lane and Eden Hospital Road.
81. Harrison Road, East.
82. College Street and Bow Bazar.
83. Amherst Street and Bow Bazar Street.
84. Circular Road and Bow Bazar Street (Sealdah).
85.
86. Belliaghatta Canal Bridge.
*87. Ultadanga Main Road.
*88. Canal East Road (centre).
*89. Manicktolla Main Road.
*90. Narculdanga Main Road.
*91. Chawlputty Road and Rash Moni Bazar Road, Belliaghatta.
*92. Ripon Street, near French Motor Car Company.
93. Hastings Street and Old Post Office Street.
94. Waterloo Street and Old Court House Street.
95. British Indian Street and Baretto Lane.
96. Mission Row and Mangoe Lane.
97. Bentinck Street and Weston Street.
98. Ditto Waterloo Street.
99. Chowringhee and Dhurumtolla.
*100. Chandney Chawk Street and Temple Street.
101. Weston Street and Khairoo Lane.
102. Dhurumtolla Street and Wellington Street.
*103. Nebutolla Lane and Sankaritolla Lane.
104. South Road and Convent Road, Entally.
*105. Belliaghatta Railway Bridge.
106. Convent Bridge.
107. Palmer's Bazar Road and Chingreehatta.
*108. Belliaghatta Canal and Sewerage Canal Junction.
109. Sir Stuart Hogg Market, North.
110. Ditto Centre.
111. Ditto West.
112. Ditto East.
113. Ditto South.
114. Chowringhee and Kyd Street.
115. Free School Street and Marquis Street.
*116. European Asylum Lane and Munshi Ulialli Lane.
*117. Railway Bridge No. 3, Gobra Road, North.
118. Free School Street and Park Street.
119. Wellesley Street and Ripon Street.
120. Lower Circular Road and Elliot Road.
121. Karaya Bazar and Jhautolla Road.
122. Chowringhee and Lower Circular Road.
123. Lower Circular Road and Ballygunge Circular Road.
124. Karaya Road and Beck Bagan Road.
*125. Hastings Bridge.
*126. Kidderpore Bridge.
*127. Shambunath Pandit Street (centre).
*128. Garden Reach Road and Bengal Police outpost.
129. Kidderpore Docks Tea Warehouse.
130. Ditto Shed No. 4.
131. Ditto ,, No. 10.
132. Ditto ,, No. 3.
133. Ditto ,, No. 9.
134. Ditto Sheds Nos. 24 and 25.
135. Ditto ,, Nos. 26 and 27.
136. Ditto ,, K and L.
137. Ditto Shed Delta.
138. Ekbalpore Road and Diamond Harbour Road.
139. Diamond Harbour Bridge.
140. Tollygunge Circular Road and Durgapore Road.
*141. Alipore Bridge.

* Orders placed, but not yet connected

142. Durgapore Bridge.
143. Chetla Hât Road and Gopalnagore Road.
144. Kalighat Bridge.
145. Harish Chunder Mukherjee Road and Chawlputty Road.
146. Russa Road and Hazra Road.
147. Lansdowne Road (near Municipal Market).
*148. Tollygunge Bridge.
149.

Howrah.

*1. Bandaghat and Haraganj Road.
*2. Haraganj Road and Benares Road.
*3. Grand Trunk Road and Panchanantolla.
*4. Ramkristopore near level-crossing.
*5. Kuroot Road and Grand Trunk Road.
*6. Grand Trunk Road, south, near Fort William Jute Mill.

* Orders placed, but not yet connected

APPENDIX XVII.

UNDER the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act (I of 1893), section 3, clause 8 any building or place used for the storage of the following inflammable substances shall be subject to the operation of the Act :—

Jute, cotton, resin, varnish, pitch, tar, straw, hay, rags, tallow, wool, ulu grass, goalpatta, waste paper, matches, hogla, shellac, cocoanut fibre, durma mats, packing boxes, bitumen, celluloid, rattan cane, empty barrels, gunny bags and hemp (Howrah only).

NOTE.—In certain cases this Act does not apply to buildings or places where small quantities of the above materials (as defined by the Act) are stored.

APPENDIX XVIII.

Comparative Statement for the past eight years.

YEAR.	Number of fires or supposed fires.	Number of lives lost.	Fire in warehouses, etc., licensed under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, I of 1893.	Damage	Average damage per fire.
				Rs.	Rs.
1908-09	170	13	22	20,76,151	12,212
1909-10	125	11	21	15,66,780	12,534
1910-11	130	2	14	13,52,621	10,405
1911-12	157	6	19	15,78,307	10,053
1912-13	194	1	8	5,80,796	2,994
1913-14	256	2	10	10,06.294	3,931
1914-15	256	9	7	6,68,904	2,613
1915-16	375	10	17	5,02,699	1,556

No. S. 1223, dated Calcutta, the 23rd June 1916.

From—THE HON'BLE MR. C. F. PAYNE, I.C.S., Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Dept.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report, under section 41 of Act I (B.C.) of 1893, for the year 1915-16, in accordance with the instructions contained in your office letter No. 387T.M. of the 27th May 1910

During the year under report the fees under sections 10 and 24 were levied at 10 per cent. on the annual valuation of warehouses, as in the preceding year.

The statement of receipts and disbursements of the Licensed Warehouse Fund and a list of Jute and other Licensed Warehouses for the year 1915-16 are appended.

LICENSED WAREHOUSE (FIRE-BRIGADE) FUND.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements during 1915-16.

Particulars.	Demand.			Collections.			Remissions.			Balance.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
(a) License fees levied under sections 10 and 24.	Nil	83,156 8	83,156 8	Nil	80,244 8	80,244 8 0	Nil	2,912	2,912	Nil	Nil	Nil
(b) Mutation fee levied under section 11.	.....	.....	.....	.....	50 0	50 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Rates levied under section 25 (1) (a).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(d) Rates levied under section 25 (1) (b).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(e) Rates levied under section 25 (1) (c).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(f) Fines and penalties under the Act.	.....	.....	.....	.....	671 0	671 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(g) Contribution from Government towards the cost of establishment.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(h) Contribution from Corporation from the General Fund.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90 746 9 3*	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,74,712 1 3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
					Less refund	2 0 0						
					* Net receipts	1,74,710 1 3						
					Add—Opening balance	162 14 9						
					Total ...	1,74,873 0 0						

DISBURSEMENTS.

	Rs.
(1) Establishment	3,000
(2) Contribution to Fire Brigade	1,71,873
(3) Any other special item as specified	.....
Total ...	1,74,873

Closing balance on 31st March 1916 Nil

* Rs. 85,336-8 represents the receipts under section 10 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act and Rs. 4,410-1-8 represents the amount to be met from the General Funds.

List of Warehouses other than Jute licensed during the year 1915-16.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 1.
1	49-1, Bosepara Lane.
2	17-2, Bagbazar Street.
3	74, ditto.
4	228-2-H, Circular Road, Upper.
5	39, Canal West Road.
6	39, ditto.
7	41-7-A, ditto.
8	42, ditto.
9	43-H-3, ditto.
10	43-H-2, ditto.
11	43-H-4, ditto.
12	43, ditto.
13	43, ditto.
14	43, ditto.
15	43, ditto.
16	¼ of 41-7-A, ditto.
17	161-H-18, Chitpur Road, Upper.
18	176-H-9, ditto.
19	199-1, ditto.
20	199-1-1 ditto.
21	199-1-1, ditto.
22	199-1-1, ditto.
23	199-1-1, ditto.
24	199-1-2, ditto.
25	199-6-H, ditto.
26	199-6, ditto.
27	199-1-7, ditto.
28	12-3, Kaliprosad Chackerbutty Street.
29	81, Cornwallis Street.
30	82, ditto.
31	96, ditto.
32	116, ditto.
33	124, ditto.
34	124, ditto.
35	137-H-5, ditto.
36	132-5, ditto.
37	137-1, ditto.
38	137, ditto.
39	138, ditto.
40	138, ditto.
41	138-2, ditto.
42	138-2, ditto.
43	82-2, ditto.
44	18-2, Galiffe Street.
45	18 & 18-2, ditto.
46	18 & 18-2, ditto.
47	18, ditto.
48	20, ditto.
49	21-H-1, ditto.
50	22-H-1, ditto.
51	22-H-3, ditto.
52	11, Rasick Mitra Lane.
53	5, Shambazar Bridge Road.
54	9, Ultadingi Road.
	WARD NO. 2.
55	61, Ahiritolla Street.
56	161, ditto.
57	153, Ahiritolla Street
58	122, ditto.
59	1-H-15, Bonomali Sircar Street.
60	35, Baloram Mazumdar Street.
61	19, Baniatolla Street.
62	16, ditto.
63	220 to 222, Chitpur Road, Upper.
64	262, ditto.
65	331-332, ditto.
66	316-317, ditto.
67	334, ditto.
68	72, Darmahatta Street.
69	73, ditto.
70	73, ditto.
71	180, ditto.
72	180, ditto.
73	72, ditto.
74	72, ditto.
75	72, ditto.
76	72, ditto.
77	72, ditto.
78	72, ditto.
79	72, ditto.
80	180, ditto.
81	71, ditto.
82	181, ditto.
83	180, ditto.
84	71-1, ditto.
85	181, ditto.
86	72, ditto.
87	72, ditto.
88	71, ditto.
89	32 & 33, Kasi Mitter Ghat Street.
90	14 & 15, Md. Romjan Lane.
91	5, ditto.
92	6, ditto.
93	11, ditto.
94	11, ditto.
95	4, Madan Mohan Dutt Lane.
96	6, ditto.
97	85, Nimtola Ghat Street.
98	86-1, ditto.
99	85, ditto.
100	85, ditto.
101	85, ditto.
102	85, ditto.
103	85, ditto.
104	85, ditto.
105	85, ditto.
106	84, ditto.
107	85, ditto.
108	86-1, ditto.
109	84, ditto.
110	71-1, ditto.
111	80, ditto.
112	6, Madan Mohan Dutt Lane.
113	33, Sovabazar Street.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 2—*contd.*
114	46-1 & 49, Sovabazar Street.
115	45, ditto.
116	67-10-11, Strand Road.
117	67-10, ditto.
118	67-10, ditto.
119	67, ditto.
	WARD NO. 3.
120	81, Beadon Street.
121	3-H-2, Brindaban Bose Lane.
122	139, Chitpur Road, Upper
123	140-H-1. ditto.
124	149, ditto.
125	66, Ultadingi Road.
126	76-1, Cornwallis Street.
127	148, ditto.
128	76-3, ditto.
129	254, Circular Road, Upper.
130	105-1, Durga Charan Mitter Street.
131	1, Hazi Jakaria Lane.
132	114-H-1, Manicktolla Road.
133	114, ditto.
134	167-H-9, Musjidbari Street.
135	17-1, ditto.
136	5, Hogulkuria Gully.
137	16, Munshipara Lane.
138	9-3, Pearymohan Sur Lane.
	WARD NO. 4.
139	15-H-1, Canal West Road.
140	15-H-1, ditto.
141	18-H-4, ditto.
142	18-H-2, ditto.
143	18-H-3, ditto.
144	18-H-3, ditto.
145	18-H-48, ditto.
146	17-H-26, ditto
147	17-H-36, ditto.
148	17-H-35, ditto.
149	17-H-30, ditto.
150	16, ditto.
151	16, ditto.
152	16-H-9, ditto.
153	17-H-8, ditto.
154	17-H, ditto.
155	16-H-17, ditto.
156	16-H-6, ditto.
157	15 H-1, ditto.
158	19-H, ditto.
159	19-H-41, ditto.
160	19-1, ditto.
161	19-H-8, ditto.
162	19 H-9, ditto.
163	19, ditto.
164	19-H-4, ditto.
165	19-H-3, ditto.
166	19, ditto.
167	19, ditto.
168	15-H-1, ditto.
169	15-H-1. ditto.
170	18-H-2. ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 4—*contd.*
171	19-H-6, Canal West Road.
172	18-H-2, ditto.
173	17-4-24, ditto.
174	121 Circular Road, Upper.
175	258-15 & 258-16. ditto.
176	258-17, ditto.
177	93-1-H, ditto.
178	3-H-3, Gas Street.
179	4-1 & 5-1, ditto.
180	5-3-H-1, ditto.
181	6-H-2, ditto.
182	7, Manicktolla Road.
183	13, ditto.
184	1, Bipradas Street.
185	83-1-1, Machuabazar Street.
186	14, Kalidas Singha Lane.
	WARD NO. 5.
187	1, Brajagobinda Shaw Lane.
188	16, Burtolla Street.
189	2, Banstolla Street.
190	56, ditto.
191	56, ditto.
192	2, ditto.
193	2, ditto.
194	64, ditto.
195	2, Bysack Street.
196	7, ditto.
197	13-5, Pathuriaghata Street.
198	13-12, ditto.
199	9, Raghunandan Lane.
200	14-1, Darponarain Tagore Street.
201	17, ditto.
202	28, ditto.
203	6, Shamabye Lane.
204	8, ditto.
205	391, Chitpur Road, Upper.
206	402, ditto.
207	402, ditto.
208	402, ditto.
209	402, ditto.
210	402, ditto.
211	402, ditto.
212	402, ditto.
213	402, ditto.
214	114-1, Cotton Street.
215	114-1, ditto.
216	115, ditto.
217	115, ditto.
218	115-1, ditto.
219	117 & 117-1, ditto.
220	117-1, ditto.
221	119, ditto.
222	123, ditto.
223	123, ditto.
224	130, ditto.
225	131, ditto.
226	131, ditto.
227	132, ditto.
228	133, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 5—*contd.*
229	133, Cotton Street.
230	133, ditto.
231	133, ditto.
232	168, ditto.
233	132 & 133, ditto.
234	34, Darmahatta Street.
235	34, ditto.
236	36-1, ditto.
237	37, ditto.
238	37, ditto.
239	37, ditto.
240	61, ditto.
241	61, ditto.
242	62, ditto.
243	63, ditto.
244	64, ditto.
245	64, ditto
246	64, ditto.
247	65, ditto.
248	65, ditto.
249	65, ditto.
250	65, d tto.
251	65, ditto.
252	65, ditto.
253	65, ditto.
254	65, ditto.
255	65, ditto.
256	65, ditto.
257	65-1, ditto.
258	65-1, ditto.
259	65-1, ditto.
260	65-1, ditto.
261	65-1, ditto.
262	65-1, ditto.
263	65-1, ditto.
264	65-1, ditto.
265	65-1, ditto.
266	65-1, ditto.
267	65-1, ditto.
268	65-1, ditto.
269	65-1, ditto.
270	65-1, ditto.
271	65-1, ditto.
272	65-1, ditto
273	65-1, ditto.
274	65-1, ditto.
275	65-1, ditto.
276	65-1, ditto.
277	65-1, ditto.
278	65-1, ditto
279	65-1, ditto
280	66, ditto.
281	67, ditto.
282	68, ditto.
283	68, ditto.
284	69, ditto.
285	184, ditto.
286	185, ditto.
287	185, ditto.
288	186, ditto.
289	187, ditto
290	187, ditto.
291	187, ditto.
292	187, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 5—*contd.*
293	187, Darmahatta Street.
294	187, ditto.
295	187, ditto.
296	187, ditto.
297	187, ditto.
298	187, ditto.
299	187, ditto.
300	187, ditto
301	187, ditto.
302	192, ditto.
303	202-3, ditto.
304	202-11, ditto.
305	20, ditto.
306	21, ditto.
307	20, ditto.
308	21-H-13, ditto
309	21, ditto.
310	21, ditto.
311	20, ditto.
312	21, ditto.
313	21, ditto.
314	21, ditto
315	21-H-12-23. ditto.
316	21, ditto.
317	48, ditto.
318	20, ditto.
319	52, ditto.
320	41, ditto.
321	41-3, ditto.
322	41-2, ditto.
323	202-12, ditto.
324	65-1, ditto.
325	25, Haralal Das Lane.
326	25-1, ditto.
327	215, Jorabagan Street.
328	25, ditto.
329	9-1, Kalakar Street.
330	9-14, ditto.
331	19-18, ditto.
332	11, ditto.
333	11, ditto.
334	3-1, Moydaputty Lane.
335	3-2, ditto.
336	4, ditto.
337	4, ditto.
338	6, ditto.
339	31, Moyrahatta Street.
340	31, ditto.
341	18-4, Mandal Street.
342	56, Ratan Sircar Garden Street.
343	56, ditto.
344	20-1, ditto.
345	9, Prasanna Kumar Tagore Street.
346	38 4, Shibtolla Street.
347	1, Sovaram Bysack Street.
348	14-1, ditto.
349	1, ditto.
350	1, ditto.
351	1-1, Nimtolla Ghat Street.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse
	WARD NO. 5—*contd.*
352	1-1, Nimtolla Ghat Street.
353	5-1, ditto.
354	5-1, ditto.
355	14-2, ditto.
356	20-1-1, ditto.
357	40, ditto.
358	62, ditto.
359	62, ditto.
360	62, ditto.
361	62, ditto.
362	67-16, ditto.
363	67-17, ditto.
364	67-18, ditto.
365	67-19, ditto
366	67-19, ditto.
367	67-19, ditto.
368	67-20, ditto.
369	67-21, ditto.
370	67-21, ditto.
371	67-21, ditto.
372	67-21, ditto.
373	67-23-24, ditto.
374	67-24, ditto.
375	67-26, ditto.
376	67-39, ditto.
377	67-42, ditto.
378	67-40, ditto.
379	P. 88, ditto.
380	51, ditto.
	WARD NO. 6.
381	16-2A, Beadon Street.
382	14, Baranoshi Ghose Street.
383	2-4, ditto.
384	135-1, Machuabazar Street.
385	135-1, ditto.
386	6-1, Mitter Lane.
387	19, ditto.
	WARD NO. 7.
388	20, Armenian Street.
389	11, Bonfields Lane.
390	9, Clive Row.
391	60, ditto.
392	60, ditto.
393	60, ditto.
394	60, ditto.
395	62, ditto.
396	63, ditto.
397	64, ditto.
398	65, ditto.
399	65, ditto.
400	66, ditto.
401	66, ditto.
402	66, ditto.
403	67, ditto.
404	67, ditto.
405	69-1, ditto.
406	70, ditto.
407	95, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse
	WARD NO. 7—*contd.*
408	94-1, Clive Row.
409	95, ditto.
410	99, ditto.
411	105, ditto.
412	48, ditto.
413	58, ditto.
414	71-2, ditto.
415	71-2, ditto.
416	59, ditto.
417	21, Canning Street.
418	94-2, ditto.
419	29, Clive Street.
420	40, ditto.
421	42, ditto.
422	40, ditto.
423	42-1-1, ditto.
424	42-1-1, ditto.
425	42-1-1, ditto.
426	42-1-1, ditto.
427	42-1, ditto.
428	42-1, ditto.
429	42-3, ditto.
430	42-3, ditto.
431	46-H, ditto.
432	57, ditto.
433	62, ditto.
434	62, ditto.
435	62, ditto.
436	70-4, ditto.
437	70-5, ditto.
438	70-6, ditto.
439	70-7, ditto.
440	72-2, ditto.
441	73, ditto.
442	73, ditto.
443	72-2, ditto.
444	72-2, ditto.
445	78-3, ditto.
446	82, ditto.
447	82, ditto.
448	52, Cotton Street.
449	52, ditto.
450	52, ditto.
451	68, ditto.
452	69 & 70, ditto.
453	71, ditto.
454	72, ditto.
455	73, ditto.
456	73, ditto.
457	75, ditto.
458	75, ditto.
459	76, ditto.
460	76, ditto.
461	77, ditto.
462	77, ditto.
463	75, ditto.
464	94, Cross Street.
465	94, ditto.
466	94, ditto.
467	94, ditto.
468	94, ditto.
469	94, ditto.
470	1, Manook Lane.
471	7, Lucas Lane.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD No. 7—*contd.*
472	3, David Joseph Lane.
473	6, ditto.
474	6, ditto.
475	16, ditto.
476	16, ditto
477	16, ditto.
478	4, ditto.
479	6, ditto.
480	9, Ezra Street.
481	9, ditto.
482	54, ditto.
483	4, Jackson Lane.
484	5, ditto.
485	18, ditto.
486	20, ditto.
487	4, Old Court House Lane.
488	5, ditto.
489	27, Pollock Street.
490	28, ditto.
491	24, ditto.
492	1-1, ditto.
493	14, ditto.
494	24, ditto.
495	87, Old China Bazar Street.
496	146-1, Chitpur Road, Lower.
497	146, ditto.
498	150, ditto.
499	94-7, ditto.
500	17, Mullick Street.
501	15, Chinabazar Lane.
502	26-1, Ramsebak Mullick Lane.
503	36, Strand Road.
504	42, ditto.
505	42, ditto.
506	42, ditto.
507	42, ditto.
508	42, ditto.
509	67, ditto.
510	5, Sukeas Lane.
511	5, ditto.
512	5, ditto.
513	11, ditto.
514	11, ditto.
515	11-1, ditto
516	19, ditto.
517	20, ditto.
518	17, ditto.
	WARD No. 8.
519	223, Bowbazar Street.
520	236, ditto.
521	269, ditto.
522	257, ditto.
523	296, ditto.
524	309, ditto.
525	33, Blackburn Lane.
526	26, Chattawalla Gully.
527	85, ditto.
528	87, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD No. 8—*contd.*
529	20, Giri Babu Lane.
530	7, Harinbari Lane.
531	11, Chitpore Road, Lower.
532	31, ditto.
533	31, ditto.
534	31, ditto.
535	31, ditto.
536	11-3, Kalutolla Street.
537	81, ditto.
538	81, ditto.
539	81, ditto.
540	81, ditto.
541	38, ditto.
542	37, ditto.
543	38, ditto.
544	83, ditto.
545	12, Machuabazar Street.
546	59, Phear Lane.
547	18, Ratu Sircar Lane.
548	219, Tirretta Bazar Street.
549	219, ditto.
	WARD No. 9.
550	4 & 7, Circular Road, Upper.
551	8, ditto.
552	302-1, ditto.
553	13-1, Siddeswar Chunder Lane.
554	13-2, ditto.
555	13-4, ditto.
556	19-4-5, Harrison Road.
557	31 & 40, ditto.
558	174-5-6, ditto.
559	133-H-1, Amherst Street.
560	133-H-1, ditto.
561	128, ditto.
562	128, ditto.
563	110, ditto.
564	136, ditto.
565	137-H-2, ditto
566	151, ditto.
567	149, ditto.
568	133, Belliaghata Road.
569	137, ditto.
570	32, Chunapuker Lane.
571	1-2-A, Joynarayan Chunder Lane.
572	1-2-A, ditto.
573	1-2-A, ditto.
574	1 & 2, Baitakhanna Road.
575	3, 4, 8, 9 & 10, ditto.
576	5-H-1, ditto.
577	41, ditto.
578	168, ditto.
579	18, College Street.
580	10, Chutarpara Lane.
581	167, Bowbazar Street.
582	167-H-3, ditto.
583	171-H-1, ditto.
584	167, ditto.
585	167, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD No. 9—*contd.*
586	167, Bowbazar Street.
587	167, ditto.
588	167, ditto.
589	167, ditto.
590	167, ditto.
591	167, ditto.
592	167, ditto.
593	167, ditto.
594	60-1, Machuabazar Street.
595	1, Canal West Road.
596	2, ditto.
597	5-A, Noor Mahammed Sircar Lane.
598	5-1-A, ditto.
599	2-1, Mirzapore Tank Lane.
600	27 & 27-1, Mirzapore Street.
601	27-5, ditto.
602	27-5, ditto.
603	28-1, ditto.
604	28-1, ditto.
605	29-2, ditto.
606	29-H-2, ditto.
607	29-1-1, ditto.
608	31-1, ditto
609	62, ditto.
610	63-1, ditto.
611	63-1, ditto.
612	63-2, ditto.
613	63-1, ditto.
614	64-1, ditto.
615	29-1-1, ditto.
616	1, Netai Babu Lane.
617	1 & 2, Ramkanta Mistry Lane.
618	37, Scott Lane.
619	34, ditto.
620	34-1, ditto.
621	34-1, ditto.
622	107, Patwarbagan Lane.
623	20, Patuatola Lane.
	WARD No. 10.
624	77 & 77-1, Bentinck Street.
625	48, ditto.
626	67-1, Bowbazar Street.
627	8-1, Bow Street.
628	21-1-3A, ditto.
629	50, Chandney Choke Street.
630	167, Dharamtolla Street.
631	167, ditto.
632	167-5, ditto.
633	167-3, ditto.
634	167-3, ditto.
635	167-3, ditto.
636	167, ditto.
637	167, ditto.
638	167, ditto.
639	167, ditto.
640	167, ditto.
641	167, ditto.
642	167, ditto.
643	167-1, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD No. 10—*contd.*
644	167, Dharamtolla Street.
645	13, Grants Lane.
646	3, Jebb Lane.
647	4, Metcalfe Street.
648	60, ditto.
649	5, Prinsep Street.
650	14 & 15, ditto.
651	38, ditto.
652	24, Howe Lane.
653	5, ditto.
654	12-1, Weston Street.
	WARD No. 11.
655	121, Bowbazar Street.
656	131, ditto.
657	129-1, ditto.
658	132-H-1, ditto.
659	137 to 144, ditto.
660	125, ditto.
661	126 & 127, ditto.
662	141, Dharamtolla Street.
663	40, Creek Row.
664	124, Lower Circular Road.
665	132, ditto.
666	11, Nebutolla Lane.
667	5, Huzurimall Lane.
668	67, Serpentine Lane.
	WARD No. 12.
669	2, Bentinck Street.
670	7, ditto.
671	27-2, ditto.
672	18, British Indian Street.
673	4, Fancy Lane.
674	1, Lallbazar Street.
675	1, ditto.
676	8, ditto.
677	1, ditto.
678	3, ditto.
679	2-1, Mission Row.
680	2-1, ditto.
681	8, ditto
682	5, ditto.
683	2-1, Mangoe Lane.
684	25, ditto.
685	7, ditto
686	6, Church Lane.
	WARD No. 13
687	10, Corporation Place.
688	12, ditto.
689	13, ditto.
690	15, ditto.
691	1, ditto.
692	122-1, Corporation Street.
693	129, ditto.
694	131, ditto.
695	141, ditto.
696	25, Collin Street.
697	32, Dharamtolla Street.
698	12, Lindsay Street.
699	1, Grants Street.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 13—*concld.*
700	3-9, Free School Street.
701	3-12, ditto.
702	59, ditto.
703	59, ditto.
704	59, ditto.
705	59, ditto.
706	59, ditto.
707	72, Free School Street.
708	72, ditto.
709	19, Karabardar Lane.
710	44, Mott Lane.
711	2, Matilal Seal Street.
712	43, ditto.
713	7-2, Marquis Street.
714	Marquis Lane.
715	2-H-1, Wellesley Street.
	WARD NO. 14.
716	88, Circular Road Lower.
717	93, ditto.
718	76, ditto.
719	49-1, Corporation Street.
720	106, ditto.
721	49, Dr. Durga Ch. Banerji Street.
722	61, ditto.
723	22, ditto.
724	21, Munshi Alimuddin Street.
725	37, ditto.
726	83, Wellesley Street.
727	80, ditto.
	WARD NO. 15.
728	28, Circular Roard Lower.
729	37, ditto.
	WARD NO. 19.
730	17 & 18, Anandagopal Palit Street.
731	41, ditto.
732	44, ditto.
733	68, ditto.
734	70, ditto.
735	16 & 17-3, Delhi Entally Road.
736	4-2, Beliaghata Road.
737	4-1, ditto.
738	4-1, ditto.
739	4-3, ditto.
740	4-4, ditto.
741	4-17 & 18, ditto.
742	4-5, 4-9, 4-10 & 4-31, ditto.
743	4-6, ditto.
744	4-7, ditto.
745	4-8 & 4-20, ditto.
746	4-13, ditto.
747	4-16, ditto.
748	4-24, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse
	WARD NO. 19—*contd.*
749	4-26, Beliaghata Road.
750	4-30, ditto.
751	4-23, ditto.
752	4-21, ditto.
753	4-22, ditto
754	4-25, ditto.
755	4-25, ditto.
756	4-27, ditto.
757	4-29, ditto.
758	10-1, ditto.
759	4-28, ditto.
760	1, Canal Road, South.
761	1, ditto.
762	1, ditto.
763	1-H-1 & 4, ditto.
764	2-H-1, ditto.
765	3-H-1, ditto.
766	4, ditto.
767	5, ditto.
768	6, ditto.
769	6, ditto.
770	6, ditto.
771	7, ditto.
772	7-H-1, ditto.
773	8, ditto.
774	9, ditto.
775	9, ditto.
776	9, ditto.
777	10-H-1, ditto.
778	12-1, ditto.
779	10-H-11, ditto.
780	11-H-1, ditto.
781	14, ditto.
782	14, ditto.
783	14, ditto.
784	15, ditto.
785	15, ditto.
786	15, ditto.
787	16, ditto.
788	17, ditto.
789	18, ditto.
790	19, ditto.
791	20, ditto.
792	21, ditto.
793	21, ditto.
794	22, ditto.
795	21, ditto.
796	23, ditto.
797	27, ditto.
798	27, ditto.
799	17, ditto.
800	17, ditto.
801	154, Circular Road. Lower.
802	154, ditto.
803	154-1, ditto.
804	156, ditto.
805	2, Kulia Tangra 2nd Lane.
806	3, Harimohan Roy Lane.
807	5, South Road, Entally.
808	9-2, ditto.
809	17, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 19—*concld.*
810	67-1, South Road, Entally.
811	68-1, ditto.
812	1-1 & 2-1, South Sealdah Road.
813	10 & 12, ditto.
814	19, ditto.
815	25, Tangra Road.
	WARD NO. 20.
816	2, Jannagore Road.
817	3, ditto.
818	41, ditto.
819	... Jhowtolla Road.
	WARD NO. 21.
820	223, Circular Road, Lower.
821	122-1-2, Russa Road, South.
822	133, ditto.
823	73, ditto.
824	112, Hazra Road.
825	21-G, Talligunge Road.
826	68, ditto.
827	69, ditto.
828	72, ditto.
829	72, ditto.
830	74, ditto.
831	76, ditto.
832	76, ditto.
833	76, ditto.
834	112-1, ditto.
835	114-1, ditto.
836	114-2, ditto.
837	115-2, ditto.
838	11, ditto.
839	15, ditto.
	WARD NO. 22.
840	4-H-1, Choulputty Road.
841	13, ditto.
842	13, ditto.
843	29, ditto.
844	50-1, ditto.
845	53, ditto.
846	61, ditto.
847	30, ditto.
848	8-8, Chackerbere Road, South.
849	44-1, ditto.
850	38, Gobinda Bose Lane.
851	1, Halderpara Road.
852	3, Hazra Road.
853	1-1, ditto.
854	7-1, ditto.
855	16, Harish Ch. Chatterji Street.
856	27-2, ditto.
857	29-1, ditto.
858	28-1, ditto.
859	29-H-1, ditto.
860	33, ditto.
861	34-1, ditto.
862	30-1, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 22—*concld.*
863	38, Harish Ch. Chatterji Street.
864	40-1, ditto.
865	44-3, ditto.
866	46, ditto.
867	56, Harish Ch. Mukherji Road.
868	23, Kalighat Road.
869	140, ditto.
870	20, ditto.
871	8-H-1, Katnakhoti Road.
872	9-H-3, ditto.
873	2, Puddopuker Lane.
874	67, Lansdowne Market.
875	4, 5 & 6, Madan Pal Lane.
876	36-H-1, ditto.
877	36-H-2, ditto.
878	15, ditto.
879	61-1, Russa Road, North.
880	12-1, Russa Road, South.
881	11, ditto.
882	13-1, ditto.
883	111, ditto.
884	151, ditto.
885	12, Sankaripara Road.
	WARD NO. 23.
886	811, Bridge Road.
887	17, ditto.
888	17-1, Chetla Road.
889	20-14, Chetla Hat Road.
890	20-14, ditto.
891	1-1, Durgapore Road.
892	3, Gopalnagore Road.
893	40, Judge's Court Road.
894	12, Moyerpore Road.
895	73, ditto.
896	86, Tollygunge Circular Road.
897	92, ditto.
	WARD NO. 24.
898	45-4, Mominpore Lane.
899	1, Mominpore Road.
990	2, Bhukailash Road.
901	1, ditto.
902	Kantapuker.
	WARD NO. 25.
903	11, Berapuker Road.
904	13, ditto.
905	18, ditto.
906	11, ditto.
907	27, Mansatolla Lane.
908	18, Circular Garden Reach Road.
909	18, ditto.
910	18, ditto.
911	116-H, ditto.
912	120-1, ditto.
913	10, Garden Reach Road.
914	98, ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 25—*contd.*
915	89, Diamond Harbour Road.
916	89, ditto.
917	89, ditto.
918	89, ditto.
919	89, ditto.
920	89, ditto.
921	90, ditto
922	90, ditto.
923	90-1, ditto.
924	90-1-3-H, ditto.
925	90-1-3-H, ditto.
926	98, Garden Reach Road.
927	98, ditto.
928	96, ditto.
929	86, ditto.
930	4, Nulapara Road.
931	35-2, Kutri Road
932	32, Munshigunge Road.
933	35, ditto.
934	36, ditto.
935	38, ditto.
936	3, ditto.
937	3-2, ditto.
938	9-18, ditto

Serial No.	Locality of warehouse
	WARD NO. 25—*concld.*
939	9-1, Munshigunge Road.
940	11, ditto.
941	11, ditto.
942	12, ditto.
943	12-1, ditto.
944	12-H-5, ditto.
945	27-2, ditto.
946	3, ditto.
947	37, ditto.
948	31, ditto.
949	29, ditto.
950	27, Metapuker Lane.
951	1-4, Puddopuker Street.
952	32, ditto.
953	43, ditto.
954	41, ditto.
955	41, ditto.
956	5, Puddopuker West Lane.
957	9, ditto.
958	36-1, ditto.
959	36-1, ditto.
960	28-1, Ramkamal Mukherji Street.
961	27-1, ditto.

List of Jute Warehouse licensed during the year 1915-16.

Serial No	Locality of Warehouse
	WARD NO. 1.
1	1, Baghbazar Street.
2	39-2, Canal West Road.
3	39-3, ditto.
4	39-3-A, ditto.
5	41 & 41-A, ditto.
6	46, ditto.
7	41-1, ditto.
8	37-1-4, ditto.
9	7-2, Dhaniabagan Road.
10	178, Chitpur Road, Upper.
11	199-3-2, ditto.
12	202, ditto.
13	204, ditto.
14	206, ditto.
15	P-2, ditto.
16	1, Chitpur Bridge, Approach.
17	21, Ramkrishna Lane.
18	9 to 11 & 13. ditto.
19	5, Durga Charan Mukherji Street.
20	14 & 15, ditto.
21	33, ditto.
22	7, ditto.
23	41 & 41-1, ditto.
24	42 & 43, ditto.
25	45, ditto.
26	32-1, ditto.
27	12, ditto.
28	1, Gopal Chandra Neogi Lane.

Serial No	Locality of Warehouse
	WARD NO. 1—*concld.*
29	5, Gopal Chandra Neogi Lane.
30	20, ditto.
31	10-1, Galliffe Street.
32	16, ditto.
33	22, ditto.
34	22, ditto.
35	26, ditto.
36	25-1, ditto.
37	5, Shambazar Bridge Road.
	WARD NO. 2.
38	1, Ahiritolla Street.
39	3, ditto.
40	4, ditto.
41	5, ditto.
42	6, ditto.
43	8, ditto.
44	10-3, ditto.
45	169, ditto.
46	170, ditto.
47	172, ditto.
48	9, Banomali Sircar Street.
49	2, Bipradas Dey Lane.
50	10, ditto.
51	244-248 &15, Kasi Mitter Ghat Street.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse
	WARD NO. 2—*contd.*
52	243, Chitpur Road, Upper.
53	210, ditto.
54	211, ditto.
55	75, Darmahatta Street.
56	77, ditto.
57	76-2, 80 & 80-1. ditto.
58	81, ditto.
59	85-1 & 86, ditto.
60	88, ditto.
61	87, ditto.
62	92 & 93, ditto.
63	96, ditto.
64	96-1 & 98, ditto.
65	97, ditto.
66	99, ditto.
67	101, ditto.
68	108, ditto.
69	124, ditto.
70	135, ditto.
71	134, ditto.
72	136 to 136-8. ditto.
73	140-1 to 140-5, ditto.
74	138-39, ditto.
75	140-8 to 140-14 except 140-13. ditto.
76	140, ditto.
77	141, ditto.
78	142, ditto.
79	143-2 to 5, ditto.
80	144, ditto.
81	85 & 84-2, ditto.
82	84-1, ditto.
83	82, ditto.
84	114, ditto.
85	24, Hara Chandra Mullick Lane.
86	16, ditto.
87	23, ditto.
88	14 & 15, Mohammed Romjan Lane.
89	3, Madan Mohan Dutt Lane.
90	2, Hara Chandra Mullick Street.
91	4, ditto.
92	5, ditto.
93	6, ditto.
94	7 & 7-1, ditto.
95	9, ditto.
96	10, ditto.
97	11, ditto.
98	12, ditto.
99	13, ditto.
100	13-4, ditto.
101	13-6, ditto.
102	16, ditto.
103	19, ditto.
104	20 & 21, ditto.
105	22, ditto.
106	23, Hara Chandra Mullick Street.
107	24-1, ditto.
108	25, ditto.
109	28, ditto.
110	27, ditto.
111	1, Manick Bose Ghat Street.
112	2, ditto.
113	3, ditto.
114	17-1, ditto.
115	33, ditto.
116	40, ditto.
117	43, ditto.
118	44 & 44-1, ditto.
119	46, ditto.
120	47, ditto.
121	48 & 50, ditto.
122	49, ditto.
123	36 & 36-1 to 36-7, ditto.
124	36-9, ditto.
125	20-1, ditto.
126	62-1 to 62-6, Nimtola Ghat Street.
127	1, Nayan Sur Lane.
128	7, ditto.
129	8, ditto.
130	9, ditto.
131	1A, ditto.
132	11-1, Natherbagan Street.
133	11, ditto.
134	6, ditto.
135	1, ditto.
136	23, ditto.
137	24, ditto.
138	25-1, ditto.
139	1, Sovabazar Street.
140	3-3-3, ditto.
141	12, ditto.
142	5, ditto.
143	6, ditto.
144	10, ditto.
145	12, ditto.
146	13, ditto.
147	15-1, ditto.
148	9, ditto.
149	16, ditto.
150	17, ditto.
151	19-1, ditto.
152	71-1, ditto.
153	72, ditto.
154	73, ditto.
155	78 & 79, ditto.
156	90, ditto.
157	91 & 92, ditto.
158	7A, ditto.
159	95 & 96, ditto.
160	98-1, ditto.
161	98-2, ditto.
162	100, ditto.
163	7, ditto.
164	66, Strand Road.
165	67-H, 67-H-6. ditto.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	WARD NO. 2—*concld.*
166	P-9, 67-7, or Strand Road.
167	Rathtalla Godown, Strand Road..
168	Nimtolla Godown, Strand Road.
169	Shahebbazar Godown, Strand Road.
170	Rathtolla (Extension) Godown, Strand Road.
171	Nimtolla Extension, Shahebbazar Extension Godown, Strand Road.
	WARD NO. 3.
172	19, Badridas Temple Street.
173	25, ditto.
174	1, ditto.
175	24-1, Canal West Road.
176	25-3, ditto.
177	26-H-1, ditto.
178	29, ditto.
179	29-1, ditto.
180	32, ditto.
181	35-4-1, ditto.
182	33, ditto.
183	34, ditto.
184	35, ditto.
185	31, ditto.
186	35-5, ditto.
187	25 & 25-1, Canal West Road.
188	30-1, ditto.
189	24-2, ditto.
190	51, Gouribere Lane.
191	55, ditto.
192	56, ditto.
193	58, ditto.
194	4, Halshi Bagan Road.
	WARD NO. 4.
195	17, Canal West Road.
	WARD NO. 5.
196	28, Jorabagan Street.
197	26 & 27, ditto.
198	Blocks 1-10 & 12 to 17, Strand Road.
199	Jaggarnath Ghat.
	WARD NO. 9.
200	135, Belliaghatta Road.
201	4, Canal West Road.
202	308, Upper Circular Road.
	WARD NO. 19.
203	12, Convent Lane.
	WARD NO. 25.
204	9, Garden Reach Road.
205	10, ditto.

No. 131M, dated Calcutta, the 12th August 1916.

From—THE HON'BLE MR. J. LANG, I.C.S., Commissioner of the Presidency Division,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department.

I HAVE the honour to submit herewith copies of the reports on the working of the Licensed Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I (B.C.) of 1893, for the year ending 31st March 1916, in the Cossipore-Chitpur, Maniktala and Garden Reach Municipalities.

No. 747, dated Municipal Office, Tallah, the 20th June 1916.

From—RAI KRIPA NATH DUTT BAHADUR, Chairman, Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality,

To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas, Alipore.

WITH reference to your letter No. M. 358-1-16, dated the 2nd June 1916 and subsequent reminders, I have the honour to submit the following report on the working of the Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act within the municipality during the year 1915-16, together with the statements of receipts and disbursements and of the licensed warehouses in the forms prescribed by Government.

2. The rate of the license fee levied on the warehouses in the year of report was 7½ per cent. on the annual valuations of warehouses, the same as was levied in the previous year.

3. The total receipts from the fees and the rates specified in Statement I. amounted to Rs. 24,014-5. The demand of the Commissioner of Police for the year as contribution towards the cost of maintenance of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade payable by this municipality being Rs. 36,830 the Municipal Commissioners had to pay Rs. 12,815-11 from the General Fund.

4. No rates were levied under sections 25 (*1*) *a*, 25 (*1*) *b*, and 25 (*1*) *c* of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act during the year of report. Neither were any fines received by the Commissioners during that year as will be seen from the statement submitted herewith.

5. The warehouses licensed during the year of report are shown in Statement II.

I.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

OPENING BALANCE ON 1ST APRIL, 1915—NIL. THE DEBIT BALANCE OF RS. 12,815-11 WAS MET FROM THE GENERAL FUND.

Receipts.

	DEMAND.			COLLECTION.			REMISSION.			BALANCE.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
License fee levied under sections 10 and 24.	7,846 1	30,971 10 3	38,817 11 3	3 6	23,900 15	23,901 5	...	37 8	37 8	7,342 11	7,033 3 3	14,375 14 3
Mutation fee levied under section 11.	...	110 0 0	110 0 0	...	110 0	110 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rates levied under section 25 (*1*) A.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rates levied under section 25 (*1*) B.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rates levied under section 25 (*1*) C.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fines and penalties under the Act.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	7,846 1	31,081 10 3	38,927 11 3	3 6	24,010 15	24,014 5	...	37 8	37 8	7,342 11	7,033 3 3	14,375 14 3

Disbursements.

		Rs.
1.	Establishment	Nil.
2	Contribution to Fire Brigade	36,830
3	Any other special item	...
	Total	36,830
5.	Closing balance	...
	GRAND TOTAL	36,830

The total receipts being Rs 24,014-5, the deficit of Rs. 12,815-11 was met from the General Fund.

STATEMENT II.

Statement of Warehouses licensed during 1915-16.

Serial No.	Holding No.	Name of Street.
	Press Houses.	
1	5	Rustomji Parsi Lane.
2	1	Sugar Works Lane.
3	3	Ditto.
4	1	Nawabputty Street.
5	9	Ditto.
6	10	Ditto.
7	13-*a*	Ditto.
8	20	Ditto.
9	2 & 3	Kali Prasanna Sinha Street.
10	4, 4-*a*, 6, 8	Ditto.
11	13 & 13-*a*	Ditto.
12	16	Ditto.
13	1	Gun Foundry Road.
14	1 & 115	Cossipore Road.
15	26 & 30	Ditto.
16	32	Ditto.
17	1	Chitpur Ghat Lane.
18	3	Ditto.
	Cotton Ginning Factory.	
19	2	Sugar Works Lane.
	Jute Godown.	
20	2	New Strand Road.
21	5	Ditto.
22	9	Chitpur Street.
23	11	Ditto.
24	2	Ditto.
25	3	Ditto.
26	4	Ditto.
27	5	Ditto.
28	5-*a*	Ditto.
29	10	Ditto.
30	1-6-1	Setpuker Road.
31	1-6-2	Ditto.
32	4	Ditto.
33	11-*a*	Kali Kumar Banarji Lane.
34	19	Ditto.
35	21	Ditto.
36	1	Brojo Doyal Shaw Lane.
37	2	Ditto.
38	3	Ditto.
39	6	Ditto.
40	8	Ditto.
41	12 1	Belgachia Road.
42	13-*a*	Ditto.
43	14	Ditto.
44	19	Ditto.
45	34-4	Ditto.
46	34-15	Ditto
47	56-*a*	Ditto.
48	62-3	Ditto.
49	62-3-1	Ditto.
50	62-3-2	Ditto.
51	62-11	Ditto.
52	66-*a*	Ditto.
53	68-7	Ditto.
54	68-10	Ditto.
55	68-13	Ditto.
56	68-8-1	Ditto.
57	68-15	Ditto.
58	68-19	Ditto.
59	86-1	Ditto.
60	87	Ditto.
61	88	Ditto.

Serial No.	Holding No	Name of Street
	Jute Godown—contd.	
62	90	Belgachia Road.
63	42	Ditto.
64	70	Ditto.
65	90-2	Ditto.
66	97	Ditto.
67	99	Ditto.
68	105	Ditto.
69	107	Ditto.
70	3-1	Barrackpore Trunk Road.
71	3-3	Ditto.
72	78	Ditto
73	83	Ditto.
74	84	Ditto.
75	85-1	Ditto.
76	2	Pran Kissen Mukarji Lane.
77	3	Ditto.
78	4	Ditto.
79	5	Ditto.
80	5-*a*	Ditto.
81	6	Ditto.
82	7	Ditto.
83	10	Ditto.
84	11	Ditto.
85	12	Ditto.
86	13	Ditto.
87	14	Ditto.
88	15	Ditto.
89	16	Ditto.
90	17	Ditto.
91	18	Ditto.
92	19	Ditto.
93	20	Ditto.
94	21	Ditto.
95	23	Ditto.
96	24	Ditto.
97	26	Ditto.
98	27	Ditto.
99	28	Ditto.
100	29	Ditto.
101	4	Ditto Road.
102	4-*a*	Ditto.
103	5	Ditto.
104	6	Ditto.
105	9-*a*	Ditto.
106	9-*b*	Ditto.
107	20	Ditto.
108	22	Ditto.
109	10-1	Ditto.
110	21	Ditto.
111	22, 1-1	Ditto.
112	22-*c*	Ditto.
113	28	Ditto.
114	30	Pran Kissen Mukarji Road.
115	30-2	Ditto.
116	32	Ditto.
117	33	Ditto.
118	36	Ditto.
119	37	Ditto.
120	53	Ditto.
121	3	Chitpur Cross Road.
122	8	Ditto.
123	17	Chitpur Ghat Lane.
124	19	Ditto.
125	1-8	New Canal Road.
126	1-11	Ditto.
127	1-12	Ditto.
128	2-3	Ditto.

Serial No.	Holding No.	Name of Street.
	Jute Godown—concld.	
129	3-1-A	New Canal Road.
130	4	Ditto.
131	6	Ditto.
132	7-2	Ditto.
133	7-3	Ditto.
134	7-8-1	Ditto.
135	7-10	Ditto.
136	8-2-2	Nilmani Mitter Street.
137	12	Ditto.
138	13	Ditto.
139	16	Ditto.
140	21-1	Ditto.
141	31	Nawabputty Street.
142	2-3	Ditto
143	1	Ram Gopal Ghose Road.
144	21	Srish Chandra Chaudhuri Lane.
145	24-5-1-2	Ditto.
146	45	Lock Gate Road.
147	15	Kali Prasanna Sinha Street.
	Ropery.	
148	13-13	Paikpara Road.
149	14-101	Ditto.
150	29-125	Ditto.
	Ropery—concld.	
151	32-3	Barrackpore Trunk Road.
152	57-9	Ditto.
153	58-70	Ditto.
154	60-1	Ditto.
155	26	Khelat Babu Road.
156	35-14	Dittó.
157	18-1	Ranee's Road.
158	8	Nawabputty Road.
159	7	Gopi Mandal's Lane.
160	34-5	Belgachia Road.
161	1-44	Dakhindari Road.
162	1-44-1	Ditto
	Wood Depôt.	
163	26-9	Barackpore Trunk Road.
164	17-1	Kali Kumar Banarji Lane.
165	11-4	Prankissen Mukarji Road.
166	12-1	Ditto.
167	15-1	Ditto.
168	15-6	Ditto.
169	15-6	Ditto.
170	4	Kali Charan Sett Road.
	Golepatha Depôt.	
171	84-1	Barrackpore Trunk Road.
172	84-1	Ditto.

No. 777, dated Narkeldanga, the 26th June 1916.

From—S. A. A. ASGHUR, ESQ., Barrister-at-Law, Chairman, Maniktala Municipality,

To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas, Alipore.

WITH reference to your letter No. 358-1-16, dated the 2nd June 1916 and subsequent reminder, I have the honour to submit the Annual Report for the year 1915-16 on the working of the Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act during the said year.

2. The share of expenditure allotted to this municipality by the Commissioner of Police was Rs. 3,683 which was discharged in two instalments.

3. The revenue during the year of report amounted to Rs. 3,045-1-6.

4. License fees were levied on jute warehouses at the rate of 4 per cent. and 6 per cent on the annual value of the holdings they were situated in and at 10 per cent. on trades of other descriptions.

5. The jute godowns and firewood, packing case, hay and straw depôts are mostly situated near the Circular Canal which bounds the municipatity on all sides. The Surah Jute Mill and the Jute Pressing Mill of Messrs. Lindale and Clarke are the two mills situated within this municipality.

6. The following statements in the prescribed forms are annexed hereto.

(1) A statement showing the receipts and disbursements for the year 1915-16.

(2) A statement showing the number of new businesses started in the year 1915-16 and the license fees paid during the year.

I

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1915-16 OF MANIKTALA MUNICIPALITY.

[OPENING BALANCE ON 1ST APRIL 1915-16 = Rs. 2,785-8-9.]

Receipts.

	DEMAND.			COLLECTIONS.			REMISSION.			BALANCE.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Licenses fees levied under sections 10 and 24.	118-8	3,003 8 0	3,121	82 12 9	2,962 4 9	3,045 1 6	32 11 3	Nil.	32 11 3	Nil.	43 12 3	43 3 3
Mutation fee levied under section 11.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rates levied under section 25 (1) (b).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rates levied under section 25 (1) (c).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fines and penalties under the Act.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	118-8	3,003 8 0	3,121	82 12 9	2,962 4 9	3,045 1 6	32 11 3	...	32 11 3	...	43 12 3	43 3 3

		Rs.	A.	P.
Add—Opening balance	...	2,785	8	9
Total	...	5,830	10	3

Disbursements.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Establishment	...		
Contribution to Fire Brigade	3,683	0	0
Any other special items	0	10	0
Total ...	3,683	10	0
Closing balance	2,147	0	3
GRAND TOTAL ...	5,830	10	3

II.—Statement showing the serial number and locality of jute warehouses.

Serial No.	Holding No.	Street.	Nature of business.
1	42-36	Canal East Road ...	Saw mill.
2	42-18	Ditto ...	Packing case depôt.
3	21-1	Ditto ...	Saw mill.
4	17-1	Ditto ...	Ditto.
5	10-5	Ditto ...	Packing case depôt.
6	9-21	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7	9-20	Ditto ...	Firewood depôt.
8	8	Ditto ...	Jute godown.
9	5-12	Ditto ...	Ditto.
10	5-13	Ditto ...	Ditto.
11	5-8	Ditto ...	Ditto.
12	5-1	Ditto ...	Firewood depôt.
13	14-22	Ditto ...	Saw mill.
14	3	Ditto ...	Jute godown.
15	5-9-1	Ditto ...	Ditto.
16	5-11	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	14-1	Ditto ...	Saw mill.
18	9	Ditto ...	Jute godown.
19	5-14-1	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20	5-15	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	5-18	Ditto ...	Ditto.
22	5-10	Ditto ...	Ditto.
23	1	Ultadanga Main Road ...	Ditto.
24	2	Ditto ...	Ditto.
25	150	Ditto ...	Ditto.
26	2-12	Ditto ...	Firewood depôt.
27	28-1	Ditto ...	Jute ropery.
28	36	Ultadanga Lane ..	Ditto.
29	19-20	Ditto ...	Saw mill.

Serial No.	Holding No.	Street,	Nature of business.
30	5-1	Shaikhpara Road ...	Jute ropery.
31	4	Ditto ...	Jute godown.
32	14-1	Ariff Road ...	Ditto.
33	1	Canal Circular Road ...	Ditto.
34	2	Ditto ...	Ditto.
35	5	Ditto ...	Ditto.
36	6	Ditto ...	Ditto.
37	7	Ditto ...	Ditto.
38	8	Ditto ...	Ditto.
39	4-1	Ditto ...	Ditto.
40	10-2	Ditto ...	Ditto.
41	10-13	Ditto ...	Ditto.
42	10-10	Ditto ...	Ditto.
43	11-5	Ditto ...	Ditto.
44	8	Guroodass Dutt Garden Lane.	Hay depôt.
45.	24	Canal Circular Road ...	Jute pressing mill.
46	51-2	Canal East Road ...	Garan post depôt.
47	51-1	Ditto ...	Sâl and sundri post depôt.
48	49-2	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
49	49-1	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
50	48-4	Ditto ...	Firewood depôt.
51	48-2	Ditto ...	Ditto.
52	48-1	Ditto ...	Garan and sâl post depôt.
53	47-4	Ditto ...	Firewood depôt.
54	102	Narkeldanga Main Road	Jute mill.
55	52-8	Canal East Road ...	Firewood depôt.
56	52-7	Ditto ...	Ditto.
57	52-4	Ditto ...	Ditto.
58	52-5	Ditto ...	Ditto.
59	52-9	Ditto ...	Ditto.
60	52-10	Ditto ...	Ditto.
61	52-2	Ditto ...	Garan and sâl post depôt.
62	52-3	Ditto ...	Firewood depôt.
63	31-1	Chaulputty Road ...	Hay depôt.
64	31-4	Ditto ...	Ditto.
65	32-3	Ditto ...	Ditto.
66	31-5	Ditto ...	Ditto.
67	35-1	Ditto ...	Ditto.
68	34-2	Ditto ...	Straw depôt.
69	35A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
70	36	Ditto ...	Ditto.
71	40-1	Ditto ...	Ditto.
72	35-1	Ditto ...	Durma mat and dunnage wood depôt.
73	39	Ditto ...	Straw depôt.
74	28	Ditto ...	Ditto.
75	29-1	Ditto ...	Ditto.
76	29	Ditto ...	Ditto.
77	29-4	Ditto ...	Ditto.
78	31-2	Ditto ...	Ditto.

No. 93 G.—M., dated the 10th June 1916.

From—PRINCE M. DILWARJAH BAHADUR, Vice-Chairman, Garden Reach Municipality,

To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas.

WITH reference to your letter No. M 358-1-16 of the 2nd instant I have the honour to report as follows on the working of the Licensed Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act in this municipality for the year 1915-16 and to submit statements I and II in the prescribed form.

2. During the year under report the total income from jute warehouse fees and from rates under section 25(*b*) of the Fire Brigade Act, as shown in Statement I, was Rs. 2,897-5-10 as compared with Rs. 3,028-3 in the previous

year. The amount of contribution paid to the Fire Brigade Fund was Rs. 6,138 against Rs. 6,074 in 1914-15.

In levying the jute warehouse fees the limitations prescribed by the provisos under section 10 of the Fire Brigade Act were strictly followed.

3. The rates at which the fees were levied were 7 per cent. on the annual value of all large warehouses, 10½ per cent. on the annual value of wood and straw depôts and ¼ per cent. on the annual value of all *busti* lands with huts, if any, on them. A list of licensed warehouses within this municipality during the year under review is given in Statement II.

I.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENT.

OPENING BALANCE ON 1ST APRIL 1915—*nil*.

	DEMAND.			COLLECTION.			REMISSION.			BALANCE.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
License fees levied under sections 10 and 24.	136 10	2 952 4	3,088 14	113 5	2,725 12 0	2,839 1 0	15	15	30	8 5	211 8 0	219 13 0
Mutation fees levied under section 11.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rates levied under section 25 (f) (c).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rates levied under section 25(f)(b)	40 5	117 15	158 4	40 5	17 15 10	58 4 10	...	...	...	...	99 15 2	99 15 2
Rates levied under section 25(f) (c).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fines and penalties under the Act.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	176 15	3,070 3	3 247 2	153 10	2,743 11 10	2,897 5 10	15	15	30	8 5	311 7 2	319 12 2

	Rs. A. P.
Add—Opening balance	*Nil*
Total actual receipts	2 897 5 10

Disbursements.

		Rs.
1	Establishment	...
2	Contribution to Fire Brigade	6,138
3.	Any other special items	...
	Total ...	6,138
4	Closing balance	...
	GRAND TOTAL ...	6,138

STATEMENT II.

List of Licensed warehouses for 1915-16.

Serial No.	LOCALITY OF WAREHOUSES. Holding No.	Name of street.	Serial No.	LOCALITY OF WAREHOUSES. Holding No.	Name of street.
1	Z 1	Rajabagan.	14	I 61-1	Rameswarpur.
2	C 5	Garden Reach.	15	Near H 36-1	Paharpur Road.
3	C 3	Ditto.	16	In block J	Ditto.
4	C 1	Ditto.	17	J 80-1	Ditto.
5	E 6	Ditto.	18	J 47-1	Joradkuti Lane.
6	A 8	Ditto.	19	B 8 and H 36	Garden Reach.
7	B 9	Ditto.	20	B 121	Beechalighat.
8	B 9	Ditto.	21	B 132	Ditto.
9	B 114	Beechalighat.	22	F 34	Garden Reach.
10	B 119-1	Ditto.	23	F 41	Ditto.
11	B 132	Ditto.	24	A 8	Ditto.
12	B 121	Ditto.	25	B 120	Beechalighat.
13	B 130	Ditto.	26	I 98-1	Rameswarpur.

No. $\frac{681}{1-G.}$, dated Chinsura, the 3rd July 1916

Memo. by—D. H. LEES, ESQ., I.C.S., Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.

COPY, with copies of the enclosures, submitted to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, Municipal Branch.

No. 1030G., dated Howrah, the 17th June 1916.

Memo. by—The Magistrate of Howrah.

COPY, with copies of the enclosures, forwarded to the Divisional Commissioner for information.

No. 615G., dated Howrah, the 9th June 1916.

From—THE HON'BLE BABU MAHENDRA RAY, M.A., B.L., C.I.E. Chairman of the Howrah Municipality,

To—The Magistrate of Howrah.

WITH reference to your letter No. 661G., dated the 20th May 1916, regarding the submission of the report on the working of Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act for the year 1915-16, I have the honour to submit two statements prescribed in Government letter No. 1385T.M., dated the 27th May 1910, and to say that the statements do not require any special comment.

The current collections during the year under review amounted to 86 per cent. of the current demand and the arrear collections to 46·3 per cent. of the arrear demand as against 88·5 per cent. and 20 per cent. of the previous year.

The contribution of the Municipality towards the Fire Brigade Fund continued to be 11 per cent. of the total expenditure budgetted for by the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta. But as this contribution has by Government order No. 1178M., dated the 28th March 1916, been raised to 14 per cent. of the total expenditure, the Commissioners of this Municipality raised by resolutions passed at meetings held on the 9th July 1915 and the 17th March 1916, the rates leviable under section 10 of the Fire Brigade Act. The enhanced rates are as follows:—

Jute and wood ...	6 per cent.	Hemp ...	6 per cent.
Cotton ...	5 „	Other inflammable articles	2 „

The proviso to section 10 of the Fire Brigade Act I of 1893 has been followed; about half the contribution of the Municipality came from the General Revenue Fund of the Commissioners.

I.

Statement of Receipt and Disbursement.

RECEIPT.

	DEMAND.			COLLECTION.			REMISSION.			BALANCE.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
(a) To balance on 1st April 1915.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(b) License fee levied under sections 10 and 24.	911	16,098	17,009	422	13,843	14,265	489	89	578	Nil	2,166	2,166
(c) Mutation fee levied under section 11.	...	5	5	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
(d) Rates levied under section 25 (1) a.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(e) Rates levied under section 25 (1) b.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(f) Rates levied under section 25 (1) c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fines and penalties under the Act.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Contribution from General Fund including Rs. 600 received from the Commissioner of Police for assessing and collecting fees.	...	...	...	...	...	13,739	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	911	16,103	17,014	422	13,848	27,009	489	89	578	Nil	2,166	2,166

DISBURSEMENT.

(1) Establishment	.....
(2) Contribution to Fire Brigade	27,009
(3) Any other special item as specified	.....
Closing balance on the 31st March 1916	.....

II.—Statement of Warehouses licensed during the year 1915-16.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse.
	Jute.
1	36, Joy Bibi Lane.
2	35, ditto.
3	8, Stalkart's Lane.
4	124, Old Ghoosery Road.
5	61, ditto.
6	58, ditto.
7	13, 12, ditto.
8	53, ditto.
9	153-1, ditto.
10	38, ditto.
11	71, Hooghly Road (222, Grand Trunk Road).
12	32, Howrah Road.
13	35, Bandha Ghat.
14	4, Bannerjee Lane.
15	5, 6, 7, Khetra Mitra Lane.
16	4, Greerson Road.
17	64, Rosemary Lane.
18	26, Kantapuker 4th Bye Lane.
19	474, Grand Trunk Road.
20	473, ditto.
21	27, Foreshore Road.
22	46, Rajnarain Ray Chowdhury Ghat Road.
23	41, Shalimar Road.
24	62, ditto.
	Cotton.
25	107, Old Ghoosery Road.
26	196, Naskarpara Lane.
27	164, Old Ghoosery Road.
28	142, ditto.
29	162, ditto.
30	14, ditto.
31	174, ditto.
32	171, ditto
33	18, ditto.
34	44, Dharmatola Lane.
35	44, ditto.
36	46, ditto.
37	17-1, Khettra Chatterji Lane.
38	69, Howrah Road.
39	74, ditto.
	Tar, Pitch, Raisin, etc.
40	15, Bostompara Lane.
41	Dharamatola Lane.
42	Sitanath Bose Lane.
43	99, Golabari Lane.
44	Grand Trunk Road.
45	6, ditto.
	Match.
46	175, Grand Trunk Road.

Serial No.	Locality of Warehouse
	Straw.
47	153, Old Ghoosery Road.
48	50, Girish Ghose's Lane.
49	53, Old Ghoosery Road (Pandit Ghat).
50	Old Ghoosery Road.
51	1, Dhopapara.
52	6, Nandi Bagan Bye Lane.
53	1, Barabagan Lane.
54	121, Belilios Road.
55	2, Panchantola Lane.
56	2, I. R. Belilios 1st Bye-lane.
57	199, Belilios Road.
58	16, Circular Road.
59	47, Bantra Road.
60	150, Circular Road.
61	126, ditto.
62	88, ditto.
63	674, ditto.
64	174, Khurut Road.
65	45, Shibpur Road.
66	197, ditto.
67	312, Grand Trunk Road.
68	Ditto.
69	Batai Tola, Shibpur.
70	2, Andul Road.
71	Kala Bagan Lane.
72	28, Saker Bagan Lane.
73	548, Circular Road.
	Wood.
74	33, Old Ghoosery Road.
75	134, ditto.
76	135, ditto.
77	132 ditto.
78	137, ditto.
79	138, ditto.
80	73, ditto.
81	63A, ditto.
82	62-1, ditto.
83	37, Babu Danga Road.
84	Ditto.
85	Old Ghoosery Road.
86	Ditto. (Pundit Ghat).
87	119, Babu Danga Road.
88	41, Old Ghoosery Road.
89	55, ditto.
90	155, ditto.
91	25, Hooghly Road.
92	157-1, Old Ghoosery Road.
93	Babu Danga Road (near Hooghly Road).
94	Grand Trunk Road.
95	18, Banaras Road.
96	4, Bannerjee Lane.
97	119-1, Dasani Bagan Lane.
98	11, Howrah Road.
99	4, Bannerjee Lane.

Serial number.	Locality of Warehouse.
	Wood—contd.
100	22, Khetra Mitra Lane.
101	5, Morapora Ghat.
102	29, Upendra Mittra Lane.
103	56, Dasani Bagan Lane.
104	55, ditto
105	24, Howrah Road.
106	92, Jaliapara Lane.
107	68-1, ditto.
108	Madhu Biswas Lane.
109	38, Upendra Mittra Lane.
110	Hurrogunj Road.
111	17, Kristo Mohan Mittra Lane.
112	69, Howrah Road.
113	Bandha Ghat.
114	25, Upendra Mittra Lane.
115	41, ditto.
116	6, Howrah Road.
117	44, Golabari Road.
118	12, ditto.
119	6, ditto.
120	30, Jaliapara Lane.
121	61, Baptist Burial Grounds.
122	Golabari Road, North.
123	68-1, Jaliapara Lane.
124	9-1, Mayur Bagan Lane.
125	Golabari Road.
126	149, Howrah Road.
127	2, Watkin's Lane.
128	63, Dobson Road.
129	2, Greerson Road.
130	23, Telkul Ghat Road.
131	4, Belilios Road.
132	Ditto.
133	Panchanantola Road.
134	109, I. R. Belilios Lane.
135	135, Panchanantola Road.
136	66, Joynarain Santra Lane.
137	Ditto.
138	100, Narsing Dutta Road.
139	Har Court's Lane.
140	90, 91, 520, Grand Trunk Road (Daw's Bazar).
141	43, Ram Kristopur Ghat Road.
142	29, ditto.
143	20, Telkul Ghat Road.
144	2, Hat Lane.
145	55, Khurut Road.
146	48, Grand Trunk Road.
147	510, ditto.
148	60, Ram Kristopur Ghat Road.
149	8, ditto.
150	519, Grand Trunk Road.
151	482-1, ditto (Daw's Bazar).
152	Har Court's Lane.

Serial number.	Locality of Warehouse.
	Wood—concld.
153	24, Banstola Road.
154	9, Khurut Road.
155	95, Grand Trunk Road.
156	198, Khurut Road.
157	164, ditto.
158	7, Teorpara.
159	4, Rajballav Shaha's Lane.
160	211, Khurut Road.
161	5, Umacharan Bhattacherjee Lane.
162	207, Khurut Road.
163	33, Ram Kristopur Lane.
164	1, Jalliapara Lane.
165	192, Khurut Road.
166	176, ditto.
167	185, 469, Grand Trunk Road.
168	140, ditto.
169	220-1, ditto.
170	Ditto (Bajey Shibpur).
171	Foreshore Road (Opposite Howrah Jute Mills).
172	Ditto.
173	144-2, Foreshore Road, Ramkristopur.
174	Foreshore Road (Opposite Howrah Jute Mills).
175	Ditto.
176	56, ditto (Ramkristopur).
177	56, Shibpur Road.
178	410, Grand Trunk Road.
179	421, ditto.
180	11, 14, 57, Rajnarain Ray Chowdhury Ghat Road.
181	267, Grand Trunk Road.
182	111, Foreshore Road.
183	352, Grand Trunk Road.
184	62-2, Foreshore Road, near Civil Engineering College.
185	62, Shalimar Road.
186	62-9, Foreshore Road, Shalimar.
187	63, ditto.
188	Shalimar.
189	62-13, Foreshore Road, Shalimar.
190	62-4, Shalimar, near Civil Engineering College.
191	62-24, ditto.
192	62-19, & 62-20, ditto.
193	18, Botanical Garden Road.
194	112, part of 113, Circular Road.

REPORT ON FAMINE IN BANKURA DISTRICT FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 14TH OCTOBER 1916.

IN Bankura district the state of affairs in the affected areas has improved. The harvesting of *aus* paddy still continues. The prospects of winter paddy are good. The condition of people on the relief-works is good. Prices are falling. The price of rice is 9 seers per rupee. The number of persons on the relief-works was 9,037, and in receipt of gratuitous relief, being weavers, 1,217, total 10,254.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DARJEELING, *the 18th October 1916.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 23rd October 1916.

Summary.—During the week under review light rain fell in many places all over the Province. Preparation of lands for spring crops continues briskly. Sowing of oilseeds has commenced. Steeping and washing of jute and weeding of winter rice are nearing completion. Condition and prospects of the standing crops are good excepting in the flood-affected areas of Murshidabad, Burdwan, Birbhum, Tippera and Noakhali. Cattle-disease is reported from four districts only. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by 0·2 per cent., as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	1·33	8	8	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Standing crops are doing well. Slight damage to winter paddy by insects is reported from Basirhat subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	0·08	7⅛	7⅛	
	Barrackpore	Nil	6¾	6¾	
	Barasat ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
2	Nadia ...	0·07	7⅛	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute is nearly over. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7¼	7⅛	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	0·79	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	0·61	6¾	6¾	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	Weather seasonable. The prospects of winter paddy are favourable. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Some damage has been caused by flood to autumn rice in Kandi subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import.
	Lalbagh ...	0·70	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	3·46	8¼	8¼	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
4	Jessore ...	0·07	8	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on in places. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is scarce in many places.
	Jhenidah ...	(*n*)	8	8	
	Magura ...	(*n*)	7⅛	7⅛	
	Narail ...	(*n*)	8	7¾	
	Bangaon ...	(*n*)	7⅞	7⅞	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
5	KHULNA ...	0·29	8	8	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair Fodder and water sufficient No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	6½	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	7	7	
6	BURDWAN ...	0·35	7½	7½	Weather cloudy and drizzling. Harvesting of *aus* paddy, steeping and washing of jute and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Winter paddy and other standing crops are doing well excepting in the flood affected areas. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ..	0·02	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Kalna ...	0·48	7½	7½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	8	Weather hot and cloudy. The prospects of standing crops in non-flooded areas are good. Gratuitous relief is being given to the distressed people in the flooded areas by gazetted officers under the supervision of the district officer. A sum of Rs. 5,028 has been advanced as agricultural loan. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	Nil	7½	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	1·23	9	9	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *aus* rice is still going on. Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	0·02	9	7½	
9	MIDNAPORE	0·29	8 1/16	8 1/16	Weather rainy on the 23rd instant. Steeping of jute continues. Cattle-disease is reported from Kharagpur and Nandigram thanas. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	1·04	7½	7½	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	8	8	
	Contai ...	0·06	9	8½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0·45	8	8	Weather seasonable. Weeding of winter rice is nearly finished. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	0·44	6½	6½	
	Arambagh ...	0·12	7½	7½	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·42	7	7	Weather rainy from 22nd instant. Harvesting of jute is coming to a close. Lands are being prepared for the oilseed crops. The outturn of autumn and winter paddy, sugarcane and vegetables in Singty and Amta is likely to be affected owing to the floods. The condition of standing crops is good elsewhere. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Price of common rice is stationary.
	Uluberia ...	1·40	7½	7½	

(*a*) Not reported

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	0·83	6½	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Steeping and washing of jute have been finished. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Nator ...	Nil	7	7	
13	DINAJPUR ...	0·04	7 13/16	7 13/16	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute has been almost finished. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	0·08	8 7/16	8 7/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	1·45	7½	7½	Weather seasonable but cloudy. Steeping and washing of jute are nearing completion. Standing crops are doing well. Fields are being ploughed for tobacco and mustard. Fodder and water are available. Cattle-disease in Alipur town is subsiding.
	Alipur ...	3·22	7	6½	
15	DARJEELING	0·47	8	8	Weather seasonable. *Marua* and cardamom are being harvested. Winter rice is progressing. Harvesting of jute continues in the Terai. Cattle-disease is prevailing at Kalimpong.
	Kurseong ...	0·22	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	3·97	7	7	
	Kalimpong...	0·19	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	0·01	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is nearly finished. Lands are under preparation for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	Nil	7½	7½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	0 17	7½	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	0·10	8	8	Weather seasonable. Cutting and steeping of jute are almost finished. Prospects of winter rice are good. Preparation of lands for the *rabi* crops continues. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	7	7½	Rainfall at Sara 0·40. Weather partially cloudy and hot. Steeping and washing of jute still continue in some places. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	0·02	7	7	
19	MALDA ...	0·28	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Steeping and washing of jute and sowing of *kalai* have been completed. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
20	COOCH BEHAR	1·65	$7\frac{0}{16}$	$7\frac{0}{16}$	Weather occasionally cloudy and rainy. Steeping and washing of jute are going on briskly. Fodder is sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
21	DACCA ...	0·10	7 $7\frac{1}{2}$†	$6\frac{3}{4}$ $7\frac{1}{2}$†	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute is over. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported. No large export or import is reported.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	7	7	
	Narayanganj	0·17	$6\frac{3}{4}$ $7\frac{3}{4}$†	$6\frac{7}{8}$ $7\frac{6}{8}$†	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	7	7	
22	MYMENSINGH	0·01	$6\frac{5}{16}$	$6\frac{5}{16}$	Weather hot. Harvesting of jute and transplantation of paddy still continue. Sowing of *mung* and *mash kalai* and ploughing for other *rabi* crops have commenced. Condition of jute and paddy are good. Stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	0·03	6	$6\frac{1}{8}$	
	Tangail ...	Nil	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$	
	Netrakona ...	0·08	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	$6\frac{3}{8}$	$6\frac{5}{16}$	
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *digha* paddy has commenced in the Goalundo subdivision. Prospects of *aman* paddy are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of rice are sufficient. There has been no large import or export.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8	$7\frac{3}{8}$	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{4}$	$7\frac{1}{4}$	
	Gopalganj‡	Nil	8	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0·24	$7\frac{1}{4}$	$7\frac{1}{4}$	Weather cloudy. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	0·14	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$	
	Patuakhali ...	0·36	7	7	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	0·13	$7\frac{1}{4}$	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	0·03	7	7	Weather hot at day and a little cold at night. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cultivation of the *rabi* crops has commenced. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	0·03	7	$7\frac{1}{4}$	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the orthern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good excepting in Kotwali. Transplantation of *aman* paddy is finished except at Brahmanbaria where it is going on slowly. No cattle-disease is reported. Flood-water is subsiding slowly in Kotowali thana.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	6	6½	
	Chandpur ...	0·52	7½	7½	
27	Noakhali ..	0·17	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. About ten annas of the *aman* paddy crop in the flooded area of the Feni subdivision has been destroyed. Prospects of standing crops are good, except in the flooded tracts. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Feni ...	Nil	(*n*)	7½	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Nil	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati.

D. N. Mookerji,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Calcutta, *the 24th October 1916.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 21st October 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	8	0	5	12	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ medium ...	6	0	0	6	6	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5	10	0	5	12	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	14	0	6	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	15	0	0	2	3	0	2	7½
„ medium ...	6	2	0	6	9	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6	2	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	4	12	6	5	6	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
(vi) Kajla	.....			.....			.....			.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	4	0	4	5	0	.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	2	0	.....			.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	12	0	4	4	0	0	1	9	0	2	3
4. „ dal	4	12	0	5	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	9
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5	12	0	6	11	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	6	0	5	14	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
6. Arhar „	4	6	0	6	8	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
7. Masur „ ...	5	2	0	6	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5	14	0	7	2	0	0	3	0	0	3	9
8. Kalai „	5	2	0	5	10	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
9. Salt (Liverpool) ...	2	12	0	2	13	0	0	1	3	0	1	6
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13	0	0	.....			0	5	0	0	5	6
11. Gur (Bheli)	6	0	0	7	4	0	0	3	6	0	4	0
„ (Bhursut) ...	7	12	0	8	12	0	0	2	6	.....		
12. Milk	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0
13. Mustard oil	14	0	0	15	0	0	0	6	0	0	8	0
14. Flour (country) ...	5	10	0	6	3	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
15. Ata No. 3	4	6	0	4	10	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ 2½	4	8	0	4	14	0						
„ „ B	6	4	0	.....								
16. Suji	5	14	0	6	12	0	0	2	9	0	3	3
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	59	0	0	60	0	0	1	8	0	1	10	0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	56	0	0	57	0	0	1	6	0	1	8	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	49	0	0	50	0	0	1	2	0	1	5	0
18. Maize	3	2	0	3	8	0	.....			.....		
19. Potato	5	8	0	8	0	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
20. Patal	7	0	0	9	8	0	0	3	0	0	6	0
21. Brinjal	.....			.....			0	1	6	0	5	0
22. Onion	2	8	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	6
23. Fish, Rahu	26	0	0	30	0	0	0	10	0	0	14	0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	.....		
25. Beef (2nd & 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	2	6	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices recorded daily at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphangunj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1916.*

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division	District	Station	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas ...	Saugor Island	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·38	0·01	...	0·04	0·19	0·36	1·70	0·06	...	0·38	0·94	...	0·03	0·66
		Diamond Harbour.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Budge-Budge	0·92	...	...	0·28	0·32	1·65	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·33	...	0·09	0·26	0·42	...	...	0·12
		Canning Town	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·21	1·34	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·45
		Alipore (Obsy.)	1·36	...	...	0·07	0·70	...	...	1·19	*	0·44	0·04	0·32	0·29	...	0·10	0·31	1·97	0·03	...	0·35
		Barrackpore ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Dum-Dum ...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·14	0·53	...	...	0·02	2·32	0·73	0·05	1·40	0·09	...	...	...	...	0·55
		Barasat ...	0·40	0·50	1·00	0·34	...	...	...	0·86	0·10	...	0·68	...	0·42	...	0·24	0·28	...	...	...	0·32
		Basirhat ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Nadia	Ranaghat ...	1·72	0·48	0·08	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	0·45	...	3·19	2·00	...	0·10	...	0·10
		Krishnagar ...	1·51	0·81	0·54	0·32	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	0·14	0·05	0·06	0·08	0·68	...	0·02	...	0·10
		Chuadanga ...	0·07	1·28	0·37	...	...	...	0·44	0·05	...	...	...	0·35	0·07	0·11	1·08	0·27	0·15	0·07	0·11	...
		Meherpur ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Kushtia ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Haringhata ...	1·60	...	0·10	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·75	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad ...	Kandi ...	1·16	0·62	0·06	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·30	0·29	...	...	0·43	...	...	...	0·06
		Berhampore ...	3·90	1·15	0·04	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·38	1·06	1·46	1·38	0·13	0·60	0·15	...	...
		Lalbagh ...	6·01	1·59	0·09	0·23	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·06	0·27	1·26	1·44	0·69	0·22	1·05	...	...	...
		Azimganj ...	1·73	2·46	0·13	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·84	0·67	0·48	...	1·73	...	...	...
		Jangipur ...	1·95	2·06	...	...	1·48	...	...	...	...	...	0·83	0·48	0·25	0·13	1·31	1·48	1·65	...	...	...
		Lalgola ...	...	2·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	1·00	...	1·50	...	0·15	...	...	2·33
		Akriganj ...	1·09	1·25	0·50	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	0·25	...	1·28	1·70	0·15	0·36	0·56	...	...
		Patkabari ...	0·87	0·28	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·90	0·07	...	...	0·18	1·11	...	...	...	0·10
		Dumkal ...	1·38	1·10	0·74	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	0·13	0·19	...	...	1·37	...	1·02	...	...	...
		Kaliyanganj ...	1·96	1·53	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·18	0·26	0·30	0·40	0·90	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore	Narail ...	1·18	0·20	1·82	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	0·10	...	0·10	0·08	0·38	...	...	0·25
		Jessore ...	0·35	0·78	0·08	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·83	0·07	0·74	0·04	0·29	1·36	...	...	0·59
		Jhenida ...	0·11	1·04	0·66	0·50	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·41	0·82	0·36	2·85	0·06	...	...	...	0·20
		Magura ...	0·70	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	0·55	1·02	1·45	0·24	...	...	0·80
		Bangaon ...	1·12	0·20	0·10	...	0·12	1·32	...	0·82	...	...	...	0·46	0·15	0·03	0·68	0·26	...	...	...	...
	Khulna ...	Satkhira ...	1·40	0·06	0·07	0·18	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·03	0·18	2·17	0·13	0·19	0·79	...	...	...	0·40
		Sagerhat ...	3·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	0·90	...	...	...	...
		Khulna ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Kaliganj ...	1·01	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	1·39	0·62	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·41
		Nakipur ...	1·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·83	...
		Dumuria ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Rampal ...	1·20	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	0·35	...	...	0·30	0·50	...	...	...
		Kalaroa ...	1·57	0·03	0·07	0·47	0·58	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·03	...	0·41	0·13	0·12	...	0·60	...	...	0·79
		Paikgachha ...	1·25	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·06	0·51	...	0·09	1·84	...	...	...	0·29
		Mollahat ...	1·20	1·39	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·09	0·09	0·12	...	0·17	0·09	0·17	...	...	0·27
		Moreiganj ...	2·24	0·09	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·10	0·81	1·55	...	0·61	0·10	...	...	...	0·10
		Tala ...	0·33	0·10	0·05	0·03	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·16	0·90	...	0·05	3·00	0·08	0·10	...	0·53
BURDWAN.	Burdwan	Kalna ...	3·01	1·04	0·30	0·09	0·43	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	3·15	0·84	...	0·34	0·09	...	...	...	0·04
		Burdwan ...	2·44	0·95	0·02	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·94	0·72	0·03	0·04	0·01	0·81	...	...	...
		Katwa ...	0·19	0·16	0·22	0·57	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	0·15	...	0 21	...	...	...	...	...
		Asansol ...	0 08	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·37	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raniganj ...	1·45	...	...	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mangalkot ...	0·10	0·40	0·30	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rayna ...	2·02	0·03	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·17	0·50	0 05	2·18	0·25	0·16	0·19	...	...
		Monteswar ...	2·25	3·00	1·50	1·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	0·30	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·61
	Birbhum	Suri ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Hetampur ...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	0·37	...	...	...	...	1 65	...	...	...	1·17	...	...	...	...
		Rampur Hat ...	2·41	0·99	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·42	0·05	...	0·03	0·24	0·36	...	...
		Bolpur ...	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	0·25	...	...	1·76	...	...	0·46	...
		Murari ...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·40	0·70	...	...
		Labpur ...	0·94	0·11	0·06	...	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	0·25	...	...	0·64	0·22	...	...	0·30
	Bankura ...	Bankura ...	1·12	...	0·06	0·24	0·25	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	0·45	0 32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Vishnupur ...	0·41	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·47	0·19	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...
		Mallara ...	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	1·15	...	0·06	...	...	...	0·35	...	...
		Khatra ...	0·02	...	0·07	0·10	...	...	0·12	0·17	...	...	...	0·60	0·15	...	...	1·63	...	...	...	...
		Indas ...	2·28	0·38	...	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·15	0·24	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...
		Kotalpur ...	0·42	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	1 87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Onda ...	0·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·94	...	...	...	0·85	0·22	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gangajalghati ...	0·89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	0·21	0·49	...	0·18	...	0·18	...	...
		Raipur ...	...	...	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	0·15	...	...	0 80	0·28	...	...	...
		Sonamukhi ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Taldangra ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Suronga ...	0 02	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·12	0·32	0·13	...	1·49	0·61	...	...	...
		Indpur ...	0·42	...	0·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	0·75	...	1 57	...	...	...	...	...
	Midnapore ...	Contai ...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	0·58	0·23	0·02	1·00	0·59	3·00	0·06	...	0·09	0·02	...	...	0·49
		Tamluk ...	0·09	...	...	...	0·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·83	2·09	...	0·49	...	...	...	...	0 78
		Midnapore ...	...	...	...	1·04	0·94	...	...	1·73	...	...	...	0·30	1·08	0·02	...	1·40	0·23	...	...	0·04
		Ghatal ...	0·43	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·66	0·14	...	2·36	...	...	...	0·23
		Kukrahati ...	...	...	...	...	0·37	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	0·68	1 25	0·07	0·03	0·80	...	0·80	0·53	...
		Amlagora ...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·35	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panskura ...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	1·50	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	0·20
		Dantan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·30	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·18	0·38
		Chandrakona ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Pashet ...	...	...	...	2·52	0·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·35	1·55	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	3·05
		Bhagwanpur ...	0·40	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	0·70	1·34	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·94
		Egilkiri ...	...	...	...	1 33	...	...	1·74	...	...	...	1·92	1·15	0·35	...	1·11	...	...	...	...	...
		Nayabasan ...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	1·48	...	...	1·36	...	...	0·45	...	...	1·58	...	...	...
		Silda ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·08	0·32	0·05	...	...	1·37	0·18	0·20	...	...	0·20	...	...	...
		Chandri ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Goaltore ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Salboni ...	0·19	...	0·15	0 24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·16	0·36	...	...	0 18
		Naraingarh ...	...	...	...	...	1·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·09	0·81	0·25	...	...	0·25	0·40
		Ramnagar ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Mohanpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·84	...	...	...	...	0·22	0·75	0·30	...	0·30	0·25	...	0·22	0·56	3·00
		Heria ...	...	...	...	...	0·21	0·47	...	0·08	...	...	...	0·71	2·50	...	...	0·25	0·14	...	...	0·45
		Jenka (Khejuri)	...	...	...	0·22	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·22	3·72	0·25	...	0·30	...	...	...	2 43
		Nandigram ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	...	0·02	...	...	0·35	0 85	1·70	...	...	0·48	...	...	...	0·70
		Moyna ...	0·64	...	...	...	1·58	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·65	2·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33
		Pingla ...	...	...	0·64	2·10	1·60	...	...	...	...	...	0·42	1·40	0·22	0·15	0·22	0 50	...	...	...	0·30
		Narajole ...	...	...	...	1·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·58	1·75	...	...	0·72	...	...	1·25	1·92

* Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1916.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month	Average rainfall for the month	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th Sept. 1916.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 30th Sept.	Station.	District.	Division.
1·14	2·12	0·09	0·08	2·25	0·42	0·01	...	0·02	...	12	12·5	11·15	11·67	2·42	48·16	52·01	Saugor Island	24-Parganas ...	Presidency.
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	12·9	*	10·67	*		50·06	Diamond Harbour.		
0·34	3·56	1·25	0·74	1·04	0·44	0·15	0·01	...	..	16	12·8	12·19	11·81	3·56	57·58	49·92	Budge-Budge.		
0·40	3·21	2·19	0·17	...	...	.	...	...	1·37	10	12·9	11·87	10·34	3·21	60·01	47·10	Canning Town.		
0·60	5·29	1·70	1·20	0·30	0·10	0·27	0·28	...	...	18	13·2	17·90	10·35	5·29	61·43	46·88	Alipore (Obsy.)		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·4	*	9·19	*		43·51	Barrackpore.		
5·72	1·79	...	0·31	0·08	0·12	0·09	...	...	...	11	13·4	14·54	10·31	5·72	47·85	45·51	Dum-Dum.		
3·00	0·28	0·21	...	...	0·30	0·20	0·25	...	...	17	12·1	9·38	9·63	3·00	40·18	43·05	Barasat.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·2	*	8·93	*		45·12	Basirhat.		
0·09	4·95	1·09	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·25	13	10·8	14·06	8·63	4·95	45·20	40·09	Ranaghat ...	Nadia	
0·54	2·45	0·55	1·18	0·16	0·02	...	...	...	...	13	10·8	10·14	8·51	2·45	44·30	39·85	Krishnagar.		
0·33	2·98	0·40	0·33	...	0·32	0·41	...	...	0·38	16	11·5	9·59	8·95	2·98	43·10	40·34	Chuadanga.		
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*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·7	*	9·57	*	*	41·67	Kushtia.		
...	3·00	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	(n)	6·58	(n)	3·00	27·08	(n)	Haringhata.		
0·32	4·32	1·15	0·30	0·53	0·16	...	0·08	...	...	11	12·1	9·70	9·41	4·32	40·52	42·67	Kandi ...	Murshidabad ...	
0·44	2·80	0·62	0·24	0·17	1·52	0·22	...	0·38	0·26	19	11·9	17·24	10·08	2·80	47·37	41·95	Berhampore.		
0·74	2·85	0·73	1·09	1·89	...	0·01	...	1·29	...	15	12·1	20·41	10·40	5·01	48·21	45·74	Lalbagh.		
0·45	2·62	0·84	0·76	0·04	0·29	...	.	0·29	...	14	12·2	13·67	9·14	2·60	44·29	41·60	Azimganj.		
0·53	2·15	0·88	1·29	0·12	0·62	0·06	...	...	...	16	12·0	17·17	10·13	2·15	57·64	42·24	Jangipur.		
0·10	1·80	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	12·1	9·73	10·75	2·50	34·16	42·52	Lalgola.		
0·54	3·10	0·50	0·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	11·0	13·74	8·55	3·10	45·37	40·27	Akriganj		
2·23	0·97	0·71	0·05	0·37	0·05	...	...	0·18	0·05	12	8·3	8·76	6·93	2·23	32·34	42·73	Patkabari.		
0·41	...	4·42	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	11·0	11·69	9·11	4·42	50·70	40·30	Dumkal.		
...	0·25	2·21	0·40	1·00	0·33	0·42	...	...	...	14	12·2	13·24	8·91	2·21	35·01	44·71	Kaliyaganj.		
0·25	2·10	0·08	0·05	0·06	0·19	...	...	...	0·60	13	10·5	9·80	7·70	2·10	44·57	39·98	Narail ...	Jessore ...	
0·20	5·92	0·23	0·61	0·05	0·15	...	...	...	0·07	13	12·0	13·15	8·90	5·92	38·41	44·49	Jessore.		
0·22	3·70	0·22	0·09	0·03	0·20	...	...	...	...	14	11·2	13·94	9·29	3·70	48·68	42·91	Jhenida.		
1·20	2·24	0·09	...	0·17	0·16	0·07	...	...	...	11	10·8	10·03	8·77	3·24	41·21	40·92	Magura.		
0·52	4·88	1·71	...	...	...	...	...	..	0·07	13	10·9	12·41	9·16	4·88	51·22	42·15	Bangaon.		
0·89	0·72	0·74	0·71	0·09	0·14	...	...	...	0·80	15	11·9	9·52	9·09	2·17	47·85	44·33	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...	
0·06	7·12	...	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	5	12·3	11·46	9·58	7·12	59·65	50·47	Bagerhat.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	12·2	*	9·02	*		45·83	Khulna.		
2·04	5·05	0·59	0·81	...	...	0·20	...	...	1·10	11	12·3	13·58	13·49	5·05	48·28	59·01	Kaliganj.		
...	6·80	0·80	...	0·45	1·40	...	1·90	...	1·03	9	11·5	14·21	8·96	6·80	49·50	44·97	Nakipur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	12·4	*	11·95	*		55·00	Dumuria.		
0·48	2·00	0·36	0·51	0·35	0·14	...	...	...	0·41	18	12·7	7·03	9·77	2·00	47·42	47·00	Rampal.		
0·63	2·94	0·40	1·87	0·07	0·03	...	...	0·10	0·18	15	11·9	12·40	9·98	2·94	38·67	44·80	Kalaroa.		
0·71	6·20	0·90	0·72	0·06	0·84	...	...	...	0·22	11	12·2	13·21	10·97	6·20	46·65	50·58	Paikgachha.		
0·31	8·15	0·12	0·64	0·62	0·15	...	...	2·80	...	14	11·5	13·08	13·87	8·15	52·49	52·59	Mollahat.		
0·73	9·50	0·45	0·08	0·12	0·10	0·15	...	...	0·32	14	12·9	13·86	12·39	9·50	50·56	59·25	Morelganj.		
0·91	7·12	0·38	0·60	0·34	0·20	...	...	...	0·20	15	12·8	16·20	11·26	7·12	42·93	48·31	Tala.		
0·16	4·76	0·98	0·23	0·08	0·37	...	...	...	...	12	10·2	15·20	7·42	4·76	44·96	39·88	Kalna ...	Burdwan	Burdwan.
0·11	2·15	2·45	0·60	0·40	0·09	0·02	...	...	0·05	11	11·5	17·49	8·70	4·94	55·79	42·73	Burdwan.		
...	4·02	1·47	...	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	11	10·9	8·44	7·99	4·02	36·95	40·06	Katwa.		
0·72	2·40	10·71	0·22	0·01	1·24	0·15	...	...	0·80	10	11·6	17·95	8·41	10·71	49·31	41·80	Asansol.		
...	4·15	2·50	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10·3	10·60	9·70	4·15	38·81	43·07	Mankar.		
...	0·30	0·80	0·20	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·90	11	(n)	3·20	(n)	0·90	20·85	(n)	Mangalkot.		
2·15	2·30	0·02	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·12	12	(n)	12·63	(n)	3·65	52·22	(n)	Royna.		
4·10	1·90	1·04	0·50	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	18	(n)	17·05	(n)	4·10	61·44	(n)	Montesswar.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	12·8	*	9·23	*		46·77	Suri	Birbhum	
1·62	2·66	2·54	0·14	0·11	0·32	...	...	...	...	10	11·7	11·84	9·54	2·66	47·71	44·74	Hetampur.		
0·85	4·62	1·08	0·66	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	11	12·2	12·30	9·91	4·62	54·08	43·43	Rampur Hât.		
0·26	2·25	2·10	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·30	...	10	11·4	9·84	8·95	2·25	35·82	41·17	Bolpur.		
0·80	1·85	1·30	0·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	11·1	9·80	11·78	2·40	44·40	49·54	Murarai.		
0·80	4·90	1·42	0·78	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	18	10·6	11·40	9·01	4·90	51·86	42·70	Labpur.		
0·31	4·50	7·00	0·96	0·47	0·53	...	...	...	0·03	12	11·7	17·09	8·91	7·00	50·81	42·86	Bankura ...	Bankura	
0·34	2·84	2·40	0·17	0·08	0·45	...	...	...	...	10	11·6	9·75	8·60	2·84	39·93	42·77	Vishnupur.		
0·45	2·61	4·33	0·21	0·02	1·26	...	...	0·09	...	7	11·1	10·97	7·96	4·33	55·11	40·28	Mailara.		
0·20	4·69	1·28	..	0·60	0·87	...	...	...	...	11	11·5	10·60	9·68	4·69	49·72	45·23	Khatra.		
0·14	1·96	1·40	0·75	1·10	1·59	...	...	...	...	11	10·7	12·66	8·68	2·28	40·58	39·36	Indas.		
0·34	4·00	4·20	0·63	0·15	1·30	...	...	...	...	9	8·0	13·44	8·37	4·20	58·08	43·12	Kotalpur.		
0·21	1·26	1·90	0·18	0·37	0·22	...	...	...	...	10	10·8	7·77	8·41	1·96	28·94	37·34	Onda.		
0·27	2·69	7·46	0·21	...	1·79	...	...	0·17	...	12	10·7	14·64	8·43	7·46	45·48	41·62	Gangajalghati.		
1·05	3·50	1·05	...	0·50	2·25	...	...	...	...	10	11·6	10·55	9·34	3·50	41·45	45·62	Raipur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	9·9	*	8·41	*		40·78	Sonamukhi.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*	*	(n)	Taldangra.		
0·85	3·92	0·81	0·14	1·82	0·81	...	...	...	...	12	(n)	11·73	(n)	3·92	40·41	(n)	Saranga.		
4·15	2·73	...	1·11	1·22	0·06	...	...	...	...	9	(n)	12·07	(n)	4·15	52·28	(n)	Indpur		
1·82	1·87	0·15	1·00	0·82	4·86	0·03	...	0·15	0·06	14	12·9	16·76	11·14	4·86		47·08	Contai ...	Midnapore	
0·08	4·48	0·11	0·37	1·24	...	...	...	...	...	9	10·8	12·27	9·26	4·48	48·60	44·48	Tamluk.		
0·34	2·50	0·34	1·56	1·84	1·34	0·05	...	...	0·58	14	12·1	15·93	8·76	2·50	58·01	48·84	Midnapore.		
0·11	4·25	2·76	1·37	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	12	11·9	13·44	9·69	4·25		45·31	Ghatal.		
0·46	3·32	0·52	0·33	3·75	0·12	...	...	...	..	13	12·5	12·63	10·17	3·75	57·21	46·35	Kukrahati.		
0·20	3·05	0·77	0·73	0·30	0·40	...	...	...	0·07	10	11·7	8·59	9·25	3·05	34·35	46·63	Amlagora.		
0·25	2·27	2·06	2·06	0·93	0·25	...	...	...	...	10	10·8	11·20	9·34	2·27	43·07	43·42	Panskura.		
1·10	0·20	1·20	0·85	1·50	0·70	...	...	...	...	10	11·0	8·83	9·02	2·20	46·95	41·39	Dantan.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*		(n)	Chandrakona.		
1·00	0·26	1·22	1·16	2·02	...	...	...	...	...	11	(n)	14·25	(n)	3·05	38·21	(n)	Pachet.		
0·53	3·50	0·62	0·68	1·40	1·65	...	...	...	0·12	12	(n)	11·72	(n)	3·50	45·15	(n)	Bhagwanpur.		
0·95	...	...	3·64	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	9	(n)	12·69	(n)	3·64	39·55	(n)	Kultikri.		
0·55	0·10	0·45	0·40	0·20	3·07	...	...	...	...	11	(n)	10·57	(n)	3·07	37·23	(n)	Nayabasan.		
0·60	1·20	1·25	...	0·26	0·44	0·87	...	...	0·03	12	(n)	7·43	(n)	1·37	28·54	(n)	Silda.		
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*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*		(n)	Goaltore.		
2·35	0·25	2·27	2·45	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	12	(n)	9·35	(n)	2·85	29·12	(n)	Salboni.		
0·75	0·25	1·00	1·21	2·15	1·42	...	...	...	...	13	(n)	10·69	(n)	2·15	42·57	(n)	Narayangarh.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*		(n)	Ramnagar.		
0·47	0·72	0·43	3·00	1·22	...	...	...	...	...	14	(n)	11·20	(n)	3·00	34·32	(n)	Mohanpur.		
1·50	3·05	0·15	0·02	1·55	1·55	...	...	...	1·57	14	(n)	15·15	(n)	3·05	45·07	(n)	Heria.		
2·17	3·73	0·08	0·15	0·87	1·80	...	...	...	1·12	14	(n)	17·21	(n)	3·73	53·66	(n)	Janka (Khejari).		
1·65	6·00	0·10	3·50	0·70	0·35	...	...	...	...	12	(n)	17·72	(n)	6·00	56·46	(n)	Nandigram.		
0·29	5·06	0·71	0·81	0·42	0·89	...	...	...	...	11	(n)	13·77	(n)	5·06	41·95	(n)	Moyna.		
1·85	0·92	0·90	2·50	1·26	...	...	...	...	...	15	(n)	15·78	(n)	2·50	48·07	(n)	Pingla.		
0·81	4·73	1·18	0·92	1·41	...	0·32	...	0·16	0·07	13	(n)	19·58	(n)	4·73	55·53	(n)	Narajole.		

* Return not received.

(n) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Divisions.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN—contd.	Hooghly	Serampore	1·76	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	0·46	...	...	0·24	0·10	0·04	0·10	0·71	...	...	...	0·16
		Hooghly	1·12	0·08	0·80	0·50	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·55	0·38	0·05	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·15
		Arambagh	1·06	...	0·58	0·49	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	0·22	...	...	1·69	0·35	...	...	0·13
	Howrah	Howrah	2·95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·96	...	0·50	0·45	0·35	...	0·13	0·46	...	...	...	0·53
		Mohesreka	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·42	0·09	...	0·12	...	...	...	0·36
		Uluberia	0·85	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·68	0·05	0·10	...	0·19	...	0·47	...	0·15
		Amta	0·19	...	...	1·20	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·88	1·07	...	...	0·15	0·06	...	...	0·18
RAJSHAHI.	Rajshahi	Boalia	1·68	0·78	0·55	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·67	2·79	1·24	0·01	0·01	0·67	1·32	...	...	...
		Nator	0·66	1·51	1·10	0·28	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	1·63	1·14	0·07	0·09	1·08	0·30	0·56	0·09	...	0·30
		Naugaon	1·31	1·01	0·51	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·31	2·61	0·38	...	...	...	5·90	...	...	...
		Bilmaria	2·00	0·61	0·13	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·19	1·30	0·33	1·50	...	1·41	0·36	0·27	...	...	0·35
		Mauda	2·14	2·07	1·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·43	3·24	...	...	0·18	1·19	0·17	1·13	...	...
		Mahadebpur	1·01	0·79	...	...	...	0·46	...	...	...	3·06	1·39	0·40	...	...	...	0·36	...	...	0·07	0·30
		Tanor	1·40	0·07	0·07	0·14	...	0·35	...	...	...	1·75	0·63	...	...	0·33	0·91	0·14	...	...	...	...
	Bhaujpur	Nithpur	3·60	1·10	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·50	2·00	...	...	...	...	1·00	1·50	...	...
		Nawabganj	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Gangarampur	1·95	1·35	...	0·68	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	2·17	1·85	...	...	...	2·35	1·23	...	...	...
		Churaman	1·61	1·20	0·28	0·05	0·10	...	...	...	1·70	...	1·47	0·74	...	...	0·24	0·20	1·62	...	...	...
		Raiganj	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Dinajpur	3·20	0·50	0·20	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	0·03	0·55	0·04	...	0·03	2·70	0·10	...	...
		Balurghat	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Thakurgaon	2·90	1·80	1·16	0·93	0·63	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·08	...	0·33	0·13	0·47	...	0·78	...	...	...
		Setabganj	2·76	1·27	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·62	0·55	0·70	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj	2·30	1·34	0·61	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	0·50	0·29	0·25	0·06	0·10	0·09	1·19	...	...	...
		Atwari	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Birganj	2·20	1·23	0·40	0·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·09	...	0·41	...	0·78	0·62	...	...
		Parbatipur	2·50	0·65	...	0·75	...	0·10	0·10	0·07	...	1·10	...	...	0·22	...	...	...	0·95	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	3·57	3·76	1·37	0·43	1·49	1·72	0·73	0·19	0·24	...	0·16	0·14	0·23	0·13	0·50	...	0·48	0·28	...	...
		Alipur Duars	4·20	4·78	2·55	0·75	4·00	0·90	0·12	0·31	0·45	...	0·25	0·05	0·10	0·63	0·10	...	0·60	0·11	...	...
		Falakata	3·70	5·52	1·35	1·60	5·35	0·69	0·04	1·75	0·85	...	1·05	0·02	0·68	1·10	...	...	0·70	...	...	...
		Debiganj	0·89	0·57	1·91	...	0·82	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	0·23	1·28	0·22	0·04	0·41	0·16	...	...	0·29
		Bhagatpur (Nagrakata).	1·23	4·73	2·10	0·51	0·88	0·18	...	0·26	2·79	...	0·93	0·98	0·85	0·24	1·17	...	0·31	0·17	0·09	...
		Buxa	3·00	5·25	2·50	0·80	1·05	...	0·08	0·91	5·51	0·75	0·16	0·91	0·23	0·28	3·10	...	0·32	...	...	...
		Kalchini	0·85	3·35	2·69	0·30	1·90	0·48	1·08	0·80	0·57	...	...	...	0·40	1·23	4·62	0·16	0·55	...	...	...
		Kumargram	3·92	6·37	2·13	0·18	4·97	0·95	1·07	0·18	3·40	...	0·61	0·21	0·96	0·45	0·71	...	0·29	0·03	...	...
	Darjeeling	Siliguri	5·40	5·04	0·90	1·25	3·54	0·08	...	0·25	0·75	...	0·65	0·10	1·22	0·64	2·75	...	0·42	0·07	...	...
		Darjeeling	7·27	1·70	0·11	0·34	1·83	1·15	0·01	0·68	0·04	0·06	0·94	2·01	1·86	0·58	2·85	0·01	0·16	0·21	0·84	0·26
		Kalimpong	6·42	0·13	0·10	0·16	0·11	...	...	...	...	0·05	1·61	2·82	1·32	1·70	...	0·53	0·54	...	...	1·30
		Mougpoo	7·88	5·03	0·18	0·49	0·22	1·11	0·58	...	0·06	...	0·67	3·99	1·71	0·41	1·93	...	1·39	0·73	0·08	...
		Kurseong	5·78	7·98	0·49	0·99	2·14	0·73	...	0·09	0·13	...	0·88	1·98	2·13	0·47	2·28	...	0·60	1·35	...	0·98
		Pedong	2·42	2·32	0·08	0·01	0·11	0·04	0·01	0·22	0·06	...	0·20	1·03	2·37	1·06	0·68	0·01	0·39	0·86	0·29	0·22
	Rangpur	Bhawaniganj (Gaibandha).	1·65	1·11	1·37	3·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	0·60	0·67	0·19	0·55	0·60	...	...	...	...
		Rangpur	2·35	0·31	0·36	0·59	0·01	...	...	0·48	...	...	0·24	0·06	0·07	0·47	0·30	0·25	0·95	1·25	...	...
		Pirganj	4·30	1·20	2·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	1·40	...	0·40	0·60	...	...	...	...
		Kurigaon	2·60	0·90	0·15	2·98	0·06	2·08	0·14	0·59	...	0·78	0·03	0·06	0·09	0·11	1·08	2·87	0·09	0·06	...	...
		Gobindganj	1·40	2·11	1·31	2·37	...	...	0·47	...	...	...	0·73	1·21	1·73	0·14	1·32	1·11	...	...	...	...
		Bagdogra (Nilphamari).	1·18	0·48	1·38	0·70	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	2·60	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ulipur	2·70	3·10	1·50	1·20	...	...	...	0·78	...	0·55	0·15	...	...	0·40	2·30	0·60	0·23	...	...	0·49
		Sundarganj	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Saidpur	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Bogra	Sherpur	1·40	1·10	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	1·17	0·91	0·58	0·97	...	...	...	...	...
		Nowkhilla	2·55	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·05	2·08	1·05	0·88	...	...	...	...	...
		Bogra	1·84	1·59	1·22	...	0·02	...	0·20	...	0·05	0·01	0·11	1·78	1·08	0·90	0·92	0·80	0·81	0·02	...	...
		Panchbibi	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Khetlal	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Pabna	Bhahsadpur	1·36	0·28	0·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·88	0·30	0·34	...	0·48	0·67	...	...	...	0·20
		Pabna	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Sirajganj	1·90	1·09	0·25	0·32	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	0·48	2·49	0·17	...	0·84	0·79	...	...	...	...
		Sara	1·50	0·85	0·71	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	3·05	0·96	0·04	1·30	0·28	0·28	...	...	...
	Malda	Malda	1·80	1·00	0·57	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·56	2·75	0·27	...	0·10	1·90	3·06	0·70	0·38	...
		Chanchal	1·14	1·08	0·65	0·74	0·24	...	...	...	0·22	...	1·31	0·27	0·10	0·04	0·30	0·08	2·40	0·17	0·03	...
		Gazol	1·35	1·25	1·80	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	1·80	0·70	...	0·10	0·18	4·48	0·20	0·18	...
		Sibganj	0·20	0·10	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·40	...	...	...	1·30	0·21	0·10	...	...	...
		Gomastapur	1·82	1·16	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·78	0·27	1·56	...	...	0·99	0·07	0·13	...	...
		Nawabganj	1·80	1·37	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·01	0·37	0·84	0·34	0·13	...	4·69	0·08	0·47	...	...
	Dacca	Munshiganj	0·85	2·41	2·23	0·67	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	0·37	1·09	0·82	0·15	0·19	0·79	...	...	...	...
		Dacca	1·29	1·03	1·26	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	1·46	0·61	1·65	...	0·12	0·66	1·16	...	...	...
		Nawabganj	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Narayanganj	2·12	1·13	2·06	0·08	0·13	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·81	0·44	2·13	0·09	0·18	0·37	0·02	...	...	0·19
		Narsingdi	0·12	0·09	0·66	0·48	0·09	...	...	...	0·08	1·15	1·25	0·19	1·18	0·09	1·46	0·23	0·38	0·22	...	...
		Manikganj	0·75	0·78	0·40	0·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	0·32	0·02	0·04	0·11	0·06	0·57	0·01	...	0·22
		Joydebpur	0·39	0·40	0·32	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·18	0·43	0·84	0·07	1·18	0·28	0·07	...	...	...
		Kapasia	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
DACCA.	Mymensingh	Kishorganj	1·10	0·26	...	...	0·63	...	0·07	...	...	0·21	0·24	1·08	0·35	1·71	0·38	0·38	1·45	...	...	...
		Atia (Tangail)	1·43	0·74	0·67	0·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·33	0·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sariabari	2·15	0·90	0·43	1·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	1·88	0·30	0·48	...	0·56	0·12	...	...	...
		Mymensingh	2·18	0·21	0·36	0·01	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·81	1·06	0·36	0·27	0·91	0·19	...	...	...
		Jamalpur	1·58	0·63	1·10	0·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·78	0·71	...	0·04	0·66	0·93	...	...	...
		Netrakona	1·71	0·15	0·38	0·13	0·80	...	0·38	...	0·19	0·30	1·22	2·50	0·23	0·06	0·35	2·30	0·86	0·04	...	...
		Phulpur	1·30	0·35	0·16	1·45	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	0·70	0·75	...	...	0·15	0·35	...	...	...	0·50
		Durgapur	1·92	0·33	2·15	0·24	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	2·10	0·37	0·19	0·65	1·30	...	...	...	...
		Sherpur (Town)	2·13	2·42	1·07	0·35	...	...	0·03	...	0·19	...	0·04	0·53	1·64	...	0·29	1·41	...	...	...	...
		Dewanganj	1·58	1·06	1·15	0·36	0·26	...	0·04	1·06	0·12	...	...	0·19	0·48	0·05	...	1·40	1·00	...	...	...
		Nalitabari	2·50	0·74	2·40	0·50	...	...	...	...	1·67	...	...	0·96	0·80	2·10	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1916—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th Sept. 1916.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 30th Sept.	Station.	District.	Division.
·31	3·48	1·98	0·13	0·11	0·04	0·22	...	...	...	14	11·9	9·85	9·58	3·48	32·57	44·33	Serampore ...	Hooghly ...	BURDWAN—*concld.*
·05	4·62	1·85	0·30	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	10	12·0	10·42	8·32	4·62	46·02	39·86	Hooghly		
·12	3·45	1·18	0·30	0·60	1·34	...	...	...	1·16	15	12·1	13·37	9·05	3·45	45·40	44·36	Arambagh.		
0·61	5·01	1·84	0·93	0·14	...	...	0·86	0·19	...	15	12·5	16·91	9·26	5·01	58·65	42·95	Howrah ...	Howrah	
1·03	4·09	1·03	1·56	0·53	0·34	...	...	...	...	10	11·7	9·81	8·74	4·09	49·52	45·80	Mohesreka.		
0·24	3·30	0·52	0·56	0·32	0·52	...	...	...	...	13	11·9	8·14	8·77	3·30	46·63	43·23	Uluberia.		
0·25	4·05	1·42	0·25	0·26	1·20	...	...	...	...	12	11·4	11·37	8·29	4·05	53·79	43·59	Amta.		
0·20	5·01	0·55	0·21	0·02	...	0·55	...	...	0·02	14	12·1	16·29	10·08	5·01	55·92	40·64	Boalia ...	Rajshahi ...	RAJSHAHI.
4·08	0·34	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	14	12·2	13·73	10·92	4·08	52·56	45·59	Nator.		
0·86	2·05	0·37	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	11·3	15·73	11·05	2·61	61·56	44·65	Naugaon.		
4·30	0·90	0·42	0·15	0·22	...	...	...	...	0·63	17	15·7	15·30	9·78	4·30	64·30	40·17	Bilmaria.		
1·14	1·18	...	...	1·34	...	...	...	...	...	12	10·4	16·27	9·64	3·34	60·78	40·32	Manda.		
1·92	0·60	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·13	10	11·3	10·59	11·17	3·67	42·92	45·55	Mahadebpur.		
0·31	4·20	1·21	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	10·3	12·41	7·26	4·20	49·17	36·12	Tanor.		
...	1·50	2·00	0·75	...	0·75	...	...	0·70	...	12	10·9	16·80	10·41	2·50	...	43·33	Nithpur ...	Dinajpur ...	
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·4	*	11·45	*	...	54·94	Nawabganj		
0·10	...	1·81	...	...	0·93	...	...	...	0·83	12	11·5	16·59	11·53	3·17	...	53·36	Gangarampur.		
0·08	1·19	0·60	...	0·10	0·61	...	...	...	1·50	15	11·6	13·19	11·56	1·62	60·90	48·70	Churaman.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·4	*	10·54	*	...	51·32	Raiganj.		
0·02	0·50	1·20	0·02	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·10	11	12·6	10·72	12·35	3·20	76·53	54·38	Dinajpur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·1	*	10·60	*	...	45·55	Balurghat.		
0·20	0·50	0·44	0·13	...	...	...	0·21	0·18	...	15	11·5	11·80	14·76	3·20	81·60	68·71	Thakurgaon		
0·46	1·60	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	10	11·7	9·21	13·48	2·76	85·52	56·77	Setabganj.		
0·42	0·29	0·95	...	0·09	1·88	...	...	0·34	0·06	15	12·2	11·29	13·02	2·30	71·74	61·11	Ramganj.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	14·0	*	14·31	*	...	52·95	Atwari.		
1·11	0·83	0·81	...	...	0·21	...	...	0·07	0·06	12	12·0	10·71	10·08	3·30	80·20	54·96	Birganj.		
0·25	0·86	1·05	...	...	0·55	...	...	0·25	...	13	11·0	8·65	10·92	2·50	71·80	53·26	Parbatipur.		
0·12	0·11	0·22	0·09	...	0·25	...	...	1·35	...	21	15·4	17·84	19·76	3·76	130·08	100·76	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri ..	
0·72	0·22	0·79	...	...	0·29	...	...	2·86	...	20	13·1	25·88	21·34	5·20	161·12	110·86	Alipur Duars.		
...	0·60	0·35	...	0·13	...	...	...	3·31	...	16	12·8	23·44	17·36	5·25	163·40	89·40	Falakata.		
0·36	0·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·27	0·03	14	12·9	9·12	14·92	1·91	102·75	70·12	Debiganj.		
0·64	...	0·15	...	...	0·35	...	4·05	2·06	...	20	18·3	25·60	24·80	5·73	121·37	121·73	Bhagatpur (Nagrakatta).		
...	0·34	0·41	0·06	...	0·04	...	0·42	0·60	...	18	20·0	23·97	20·44	5·51	167·34	165·16	Buxa.		
...	...	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	2·40	...	16	15·5	22·07	18·75	4·62	131·29	118·37	Kalchini.		
...	0·05	1·16	...	...	0·12	...	0·20	1·62	0·47	20	(n)	25·07	(n)	8·92	174·30	(n)	Kumargram.		
0·09	...	0·64	...	...	0·36	...	...	2·50	...	16	16·3	26·67	20·97	5·40	144·55	105·95	Siliguri ..	Darjeeling ...	
2·69	1·03	0·25	0·21	0·21	1·29	0·02	0·01	2·67	0·20	24	17·0	20·89	18·46	7·27	113·34	100·20	Darjeeling.		
1·26	...	...	0·01	1·32	...	...	0·73	...	...	15	13·1	21·04	13·86	6·42	86·39	72·49	Kalimpong.		
1·25	0·21	0·06	0·03	...	1·48	...	0·02	2·45	0·20	19	15·6	21·30	18·59	7·58	120·43	100·78	Mungpoo.		
1·28	0·82	0·25	0·22	...	0·29	...	...	1·81	...	21	19·9	33·99	24·91	7·98	140·67	134·57	Kurseong.		
0·37	0·04	0·01	0·49	0·42	0·28	...	0·01	1·00	...	16	16·3	15·90	15·01	2·42	79·86	79·37	Pedong.		
0·90	1·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	10·9	12·50	12·40	3·05	56·87	52·52	Bhawaniganj (Gaibandha).	Rangpur ...	
0·91	1·36	1·38	0·01	0·15	...	...	...	0·02	...	16	12·4	11·61	14·62	2·25	74·72	59·68	Rangpur.		
...	3·60	2·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	11·5	18·00	12·55	4·20	...	54·56	Pirganj.		
1·01	1·45	0·06	0·04	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	13	12·0	17·16	14·49	2·80	...	64·15	Kurigaon		
2·12	2·82	1·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	11·2	19·94	12·66	2·82	85·93	52·00	Gobindganj.		
2·60	0·59	0·28	0·68	...	0·54	...	...	4·25	...	12	12·8	12·85	14·40	4·25	...	67·56	Bagdogra (Nilphamari).		
2·16	2·56	0·08	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	11·7	12·34	14·12	3·10	...	58·14	Ulipur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·9	*	12·92	*	...	56·11	Sundarganj.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·5	*	12·42	*	...	56·77	Saidpur.		
0·10	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	12·1	7·88	10·68	1·40	...	46·47	Sherpur ...	Bogra ...	
...	1·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	11·7	10·59	10·52	2·88	50·44	47·52	Nowkhilla		
2·20	1·82	0·61	0·18	0·06	0·09	...	...	...	...	13	12·9	12·02	11·73	1·82	56·65	50·05	Bogra.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·7	*	11·98	*	...	48·09	Panchbibi.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*	...	(n)	Khetlal.		
1·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·84	11	(n)	7·38	(n)	1·47	46·31	(n)	Shahzadpur ...	Pabna ...	
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11·5	*	8·76	*	...	43·26	Pabna.		
0·78	2·16	0·45	0·01	0·20	0·09	...	...	...	...	13	11·7	12·04	10·04	2·49	46·17	45·06	Sirajganj.		
0·85	2·55	0·36	0·25	0·23	0·21	...	...	...	...	15	(n)	15·35	(n)	5·06	54·28	(n)	Sara.		
3·40	2·40	4·00	0·48	...	0·26	...	...	...	1·00	17	11·2	20·77	10·34	8·00	60·15	40·80	Malda ...	Malda ...	
0·59	1·40	0·98	...	0·64	1·03	...	...	...	0·37	18	10·7	13·92	10·16	2·40	56·11	47·99	Chanchal.		
0·59	1·65	2·81	0·09	...	1·58	...	...	...	0·50	17	11·3	17·75	11·00	4·48	65·42	45·36	Gazol.		
0·04	1·16	2·00	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	0·73	12	11·3	7·85	10·07	2·00	34·56	40·93	Sibganj.		
0·91	4·76	1·86	1·00	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	13	10·6	18·24	7·10	4·76	60·11	40·39	Gomastapur.		
...	6·55	0·50	0·67	0·03	0·30	...	...	...	0·08	14	11·7	18·31	8·99	6·55	50·70	38·86	Nawabganj.		
0·57	2·92	0·35	0·52	2·25	0·12	...	...	...	...	18	12·6	16·68	10·92	2·92	48·77	52·53	Munshiganj ...	Dacca ...	DACCA.
0·08	3·14	1·06	0·08	0·27	0·15	...	...	...	...	12	11·7	14·52	9·43	3·14	47·39	48·21	Dacca.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*		(n)	Nawabganj.		
0·09	3·06	0·76	0·02	1·85	0·11	...	...	...	...	14	11·9	15·47	9·37	3·06	52·09	46·23	Narayanganj		
0·79	1·00	0·37	...	1·59	0·41	...	...	...	...	16	(n)	11·96	(n)	1·59	...	(n)	Narsingdi.		
0·06	2·45	0·20	0·05	1·00	0·06	...	...	...	...	11	10·7	8·15	8·56	2·45	56·39	42·83	Manikganj.		
0·58	3·90	0·43	0·75	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	14	12·8	11·46	9·88	3·90	56·73	49·54	Joydebpur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*	...	(n)	Kapasia		
0·21	0·82	0·35	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	15	13·9	9·67	12·93	1·71	64·18	59·38	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh ...	
1·85	2·50	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10·1	8·93	8·72	2·50	44·80	42·61	Atia (Tangail)		
0·34	2·10	0·91	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	13	(n)	11·96	(n)	2·15	47·67	(n)	Sarishabari.		
0·10	0·96	1·20	0·15	0·09	0·01	...	...	...	...	15	15·2	9·25	14·08	2·18	68·96	64·74	Mymensingh.		
0·06	1·22	0·62	...	0·04	0·10	...	...	...	...	11	13·2	8·45	12·82	1·68	61·70	55·44	Jamalpur.		
0·10	1·78	0·54	0·05	0·12	0·06	...	...	...	...	18	15·5	13·64	14·08	2·50	90·20	78·48	Netrakona.		
4·20	2·20	0·50	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	15	8·0	15·80	8·20	4·20	56·35	68·36	Pingna.		
...	1·92	1·26	...	0·21	3·15	...	...	...	...	14	14·0	14·53	19·13	3·15	118·92	104·35	Durgapur.		
0·16	1·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	13	12·6	12·78	13·81	2·42	71·31	62·94	Sherpur (Town)		
...	1·53	1·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	10·0	11·91	11·15	1·68	78·25	54·37	Dewanganj		
2·20	1·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	12·6	15·45	15·45	2·20	91·53	78·95	Nalitabari.		

* Return not received.
(n) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
DACCA—contd.	Faridpur ...	Madaripur ...	0·25	0·83	1·30	0·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·95	0·11	...	1·08	0·02	...	...	...	...
		Faridpur ...	0·62	0·66	0·30	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·71	0·25	0·07	0·08	...	1·05	...	...	0·57
		Rajbari & (Goalando).	0·88	1·65	0·75	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	1·00	...	0·82	1·07	...	...	0·81
		Haridaspur ...	1·53	0·55	0·61	1·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·20	0 16	...	0·16	0·07	0·40	...	...	1·08
		Takirhat ...	0·70	0·22	1·22	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	0·00	0·41	...	0·21	2·11	1·40	...	...	0·14
		Bhanga ...	0·55	0·09	3·06	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·58	0·60	...	0·28	0·57	1·06	..	...	0·55
		Pangsa ...	0·80	2·71	0·84	0·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·93	0·18	0·22	0·10	0·06	...	...	...	0·34
		Balikandi ...	1·07	1·09	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·60	...	.	...	...	1·69	...	...	...
		Rhasna ...	0·50	0·36	1·21	0·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 30	0·35	0·11	0·20	3·06	1·82	...	...	0·46
		Palong ...	0·75	0·45	2·70	...	1·22	...	...	...	...	0·84	0·55	1·25	...	...	0·44	...	1·10	...	...	0·78
	Bakarganj ...	Patuakhali ...	0·57	1·94	0·04	...	..	1·31	1·68	...	...	0·16	0·85	0·17	0·86	...	0·18	0·77	...		...	0·34
		Barguna ...	0·66	1·08	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·87	0·35	0·44	0·60	0·54	1·16	0·90	...	...	0·55
		Pirozpur ...	1·61	0·81	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·48	0·61	0·36	...	0·05	0·07	...	...	...	0·18
		Barisal ...	0·44	4·43	0·12	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	0·21	0·03	0·54	0·38	...	0·08	...	0·17	...	...	0·30
		Gaurnadi ...	0·15	0·82	0·05	0 30	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	1·35	0·25	...	0·17	0·35	0·25	...	...	0·22
		Bhola ...	0·96	1·74	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0 57	0·38	1 45	...	0·09	0·96	...	...	...	0·83
		Daulatkhan ...	0·46	2·38	0·13	0·35	0·43	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·37	1·50	...	...	...	0·82	...	...	...	0·35
		Bamphal ...	3·63	...	0·17	0·19	...	0·06	0 07	...	0·11	0·05	1·27	1·35	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	0·11	0·13
CHITTAGONG.	Chittagong ...	Cox's Bazar ...	3·38	1·15	3·10	2·11	0·43	0·04	0·54	0·09	0·04	0·38	1·80	0·66	...	...	...	1·30	0·03	...	1·08	0·28
		Chittagong ...	3·37	6·40	3·29	0·08	...	...	0·09	0·10	0·02	1·84	0·08	0·46	...	...	...	0·73	...	...	...	0·08
		Kutubdia ...	4·02	5·73	2·00	0·35	0·11	0·26	0·13	0·11	0·16	0·94	0·74	0·50	...	...	...	0·14	. .	...	1·00	...
		Satkania ...	3·20	2·75	2·20	0·29	0·15	...	0·01	0·10	0·23	0·30	0·47	0·39	0·37	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	0·20
		Kodala ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
		Mirsarai ...	...	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	1·20	1 10	...	...
	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	0·56	1·64	2·76	0·02	...	...	...	0·19	...	0·05	0·09	0·22	0·16	0·62	1·02	0·08	...	0·03	0·20	...
		Chandpur ...	...	0·02	0·11	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·54	0·88	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	2 07
		Brahmanbaria	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
		Ramchandrapur	1·45	3·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·00	0·40	0·58	1·44	1·02	1·04	0·64	...	0·31	...	...	0·73
		Nasirnagar ...	0·45	0·42	1·39	...	...	1·87	0·55	0·18	...	...	0·78	...	...	...	1·68	0·46	0·42	0·53	...	...
		Daudkandi ...	...	3·35	2·55	0·19	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	2·43	2·20	1·05	0·22	0·45	0·65	0·19	...	.	0·18
		Kasba ...	0·56	0·50	2·58	...	...	..	...	..	0·30	0·10	...	0·80	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...
		Laksam ...	0·13	4·40	2·19	...	...	...	...	0 63	...	0·13	1·55	0·39	0·03	...	0·26	0·0.		...	...	0·34
	Noakhali ...	Noakhali ...	1·14	6·06	2·16	0·22	0·16	...	...	0·02	0·04	0·42	2·30	0·45	0·22	0·88	0·02	1·04	0·10	...	...	0·40
		Feni ...	2·58	2·88	2·40	...	0·78	...	0·95	1·90	1·54	2·72	...	0·40	...	...	...	1·90	...	...	...	...
		Harishpur ...	0·22	4·24	0·95	...	...	...	...	1·16	...	1·52	1·08	...	...	...	...	1·17	0·10	...	...	...
		Ramganj ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
		Chhagalnaia	2·30	4·10	2·58	0·36	...	...	...	0 58	5 06	1·78	0·15	0·38	...	...	0 06	1·80	0·42	...	...	...
		Hatiya ...	0·74	5·21	0·98	0·49	0·56	0·55	0·26	0·10	...	2·42	0·99	0·57	0·17	...	2·13	0·20	0·62	...	...	...
		Lakhipur ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	1·39	1·22	1·26	...	...	...	...	0·78	...	2·74	0·16	0·76	1·75	...	0·49	0·55	0·77	...	...	...
		Bandarban ...	1·45	3·10	1·46	0·56	0·07	...	...	1·11	0·30	0·15	0·84	0·04	0·09	...	0·01	0·30	0·53	...	...	0·80
		Barkal ...	1·15	0·95	1·70	0·03	...	...	0·21	6·25	0·26	2·15	0·48	0·15	1·30	...	0·27	1·78	0 80	...	...	...
		Lama ...	1·49	1·39	0·17	...	...	...	0·81	0·42	0·43	0·61	0·29	...	0·08	...	0·60	0·55	...	...	0·86	...
		Ramgarh ...	2·35	2·41	2·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·48	0·17	0·11	...	...	0·80	2·40	...	...	...	...
		Mahalchari ...	2·00	1·06	1·40	0·07	0·09	...	0·23	...	0·63	0·43	0·32	0·18	0·15	...	0·14	2·13	0·07	...	...	...
	Hill Tippera ...	Agartala ...	0·26	2 74	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·15	0·13	0·09	0·19	0·03	0·38	0 28	...	...	...	1·96
COOCH BEHAR.	Cooch Behar ...	Dinhata ...	3·97	1·72	0·94	1·40	0·06	1·14	0·40	2·91	...	0·12	0·11	0·31	0·24	1·61	0·20	0·05	1·28	...	...	...
		Cooch Behar ...	5·45	3·19	3·05	1·05	5·21	1·43	0·17	1·42	0·19	...	0·66	0·46	0·23	2·35	0·17	0·04	1·17	...	...	...
		Mekliganj ...	3·30	2·81	2·40	0·79	3·23	0·36	...	1·35	...	...	0·02	0·04	0·18	0·84	0·24	...	0·44	0·13	...	...
		Mathabhanga ...	5 24	2·74	2·37	2·07	5·30	0·30	...	0·16	...	...	...	0·09	0·30	1·47	1 82	...	0·26	0·11	...	...
		Puibari ...	5·56	6·73	1·19	3·08	5·06	0·70	0·09	1·14	1·37	...	0·14	0·45	0 56	3·14	0·13	0·08	1·84	0·08	...	...

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA.
The 20th October 1916.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1916—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th Sept. 1916.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 30th Sept.	Station.	District.	Division.
1·35	2·85	0·02	0·04	0·07	0·02	...	...	...	...	10	11·2	9·21	8·49	2·88	51·63	44·87	Madaripur ...	Faridpur ...	DACCA—*concld.*
0·07	2·98	0·18	0·09	0·04	...	0·16	...	...	...	10	12·1	7·90	9·01	2·90	50·13	46·73	Faridpur.		
0·23	4·14	0·72	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	13	10·7	13·16	8·35	4·14	51·92	43·00	Rajbari (Goamundo).		
0·15	6·05	0·01	...	0·13	0·46	0·01	...	...	...	14	(a)	13·17	(a)	5·05	42·13	(a)	Haridaspur.		
0·07	2·17	0·02	...	0·06	0·18	0·63	...	...	...	14	(a)	12·63	(a)	2·17	42·18	(a)	Talirhat.		
2·18	1·33	...	...	0·20	0·15	...	...	...	...	13	(a)	10·67	(a)	2·18	41·47	(a)	Bhanga.		
0·37	2·63	0·16	0·13	..	0·62	0·54	...	...	...	16	(a)	13·38	(a)	3·53	58·94	(a)	Pangsa.		
2·09	3·70	...	...	0·10	0·90	...	...	...	...	9	(a)	11·75	(a)	3·70	46·32	(a)	Baliakandi.		
0·68	4·80	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	14	(a)	16·68	(a)	5·80	...	(a)	Bhusna.		
0·75	2·18	1·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	(a)	14·68	(a)	2·70	58·62	(a)	Palong.		
0·41	3·98	0·11	...	0·61	1·42	(0·4	...	...	1·65	17	14·9	19·17	13·51	5·98	79·14	74·48	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj ...	
0·40	4·25	0·24	0·05	0·43	1·00	0·18	...	...	1·87	18	14·9	15·18	11·89	4·25	90·44	57·17	Barguna.		
0·26	6·00	0·07	0·08	0·47	0·30	0·06	...	...	...	12	13·5	13·13	10·72	6·00	46·91	55·24	Pirozpur.		
0·62	3·96	0·30	0·05	0·50	0·92	0·21	...	...	0·11	16	14·8	13·19	11·31	4·43	57·11	55·47	Barisal.		
0·90	3·60	0·05	...	0·25	0·45	0·30	...	...	0·06	15	13·2	9·66	9·30	3·60	44·43	46·94	Gaurnadi.		
1·70	1·74	0·19	...	0·23	0·18	...	...	...	0·08	14	14·9	11·74	11·37	1·75	78·38	64·81	Bhola.		
0·75	2·46	...	0·08	0·94	...	...	...	...	0·45	14	14·2	11·45	12·29	2·46	69·22	73·57	Daulatkhan.		
1·61	1·06	...	0·11	...	0·60	...	...	0·19	1·60	16	13·5	14·00	12·91	3·63	79·17	69·76	Dauphai.		
0·33	2·50	2·06	0·20	0·39	...	...	...	...	1·10	18	14·5	23·67	14·78	3·38	110·75	22·05	Cox's Bazar ..	Chittagong ...	CHITTAGONG ..
0·05	0·62	0·83	0·07	0·16	0·09	...	0·36	0·22	0·33	13	13·7	15·31	11·43	5·40	83·08	71·33	Chittagong.		
1·02	1·36	1·12	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·30	1·80	20	13·7	21·61	12·37	5·73	113·22	58·06	Kutubdia.		
...	0·90	0·80	...	0·40	0·30	...	...	0·06	0·34	18	14·3	14·60	11·40	3·20	90·49	74·01	Satkania.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	14·3	*	11·47	*	...	67·71	Kodala.		
...	...	...	...	...	1·10	0·80	0·66	0·44	...	10	13·7	7·90	17·02	1·10	54·96	59·59	Mirsarai.		
0·35	1·08	0·48	0·09	1·83	0·07	...	...	...	...	13	13·3	10·42	10·88	1·74	43·77	59·34	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
0·67	3·10	0·20	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	0·06	11	13·7	10·45	10·93	3·10	44·36	56·79	Chandpur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	13·0	*	10·44	*	...	49·37	Brahmanbaria.		
2·80	0·24	...	4·23	...	0·35	...	...	0·17	2·72	17	9·9	23·44	9·09	4·35	60·70	48·71	Ramchandrapur.		
0·34	0·53	0·14	1·62	...	...	...	0·34	0·45	1·65	18	13·1	14·10	10·69	1·67	47·90	48·53	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	2·25	...	1·41	...	...	...	...	...	14	10·1	19·18	8·26	2·25	45·89	46·61	Daudkandi.		
0·90	1·06	0·55	0·90	1·80	0·10	...	...	...	...	13	11·3	11·19	8·83	2·58	34·33	46·82	Kasba.		
0·35	1·91	0·84	...	1·03	0·08	...	...	...	0·05	13	13·0	13·10	11·22	4·40	55·23	63·36	Laksam.		
0·08	3·56	1·13	...	2·96	0·02	...	...	...	0·13	17	15·7	24·53	15·07	6·06	95·60	88·51	Noakhali ...	Noakhali ...	
0·60	0·96	0·87	...	0·80	0·06	...	...	...	0·10	15	15·0	20·63	13·90	2·72	96·17	58·69	Feni.		
...	1·83	2·43	0·06	0·90	...	...	...	...	0·19	13	15·9	15·45	13·33	4·24	71·73	98·64	Hatiapur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	13·4	*	11·86	*	...	63·57	Ramganj.		
0·19	1·15	0·27	...	0·54	...	0·15	...	...	0·20	17	14·8	23·75	13·70	5·06	89·23	82·15	Chhagalnaia.		
0·46	2·40	2·22	0·06	0·60	...	...	...	0·04	0·14	20	15·9	22·20	13·54	5·21	104·18	91·57	Hatiya.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	14·3	*	14·74	*	...	74·29	Lakhipur.		
0·13	0·26	0·96	0·41	2·90	0·49	...	0·40	...	...	16	13·8	17·19	11·92	2·90	64·75	63·22	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
0·05	0·64	1·08	0·09	1·13	0·23	...	...	0·35	...	15	17·4	14·42	12·34	3·10	79·85	70·50	Bandarban.		
0·37	0·37	0·91	0·14	1·58	0·16	0·26	0·07	0·04	0·02	20	17·6	20·70	14·82	6·25	75·73	71·75	Barkal.		
0·91	2·06	...	0·37	0·32	...	...	...	2·74	1·70	16	(a)	16·25	(a)	3·74	90·16	(a)	Lama.		
0·16	0·24	0·48	0·12	0·96	...	...	...	0·27	...	14	(a)	17·12	(a)	2·41	69·20	(a)	Ramgarh.		
0·18	0·32	0·27	0·36	1·92	0·48	0·08	0·66	...	0·66	18	(a)	18·81	(a)	2·13	70·96	(a)	Mahalchari.		
0·69	0·97	0·54	2·66	0·11	.*	...	...	...	1·16	15	13·4	11·60	9·79	2·14	40·10	46·79	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera ...	
0·04	0·12	1·10	0·53	...	0·68	...	...	2·47	...	19	13·9	22·65	19·42	3·79	107·63	82·56	Dhubata ...	Cooch Behar ...	COOCH BEHAR.
1·80	0·13	0·24	0·18	...	0·35	...	...	2·15	...	21	13·3	24·19	20·59	5·51	143·30	115·30	Cooch Behar.		
0·13	0·26	0·35	0·09	...	0·22	...	...	1·23	...	17	14·0	21·08	17·60	3·91	131·21	90·50	Mekligunj.		
0·41	0·15	0·32	0·90	...	0·48	...	...	2·28	...	18	14·6	28·72	19·49	5·24	...	96·51	Mathabhanga.		
3·34	0·17	0·41	0·74	...	0·67	...	...	2·40	...	20	15·9	38·74	23·37	6·72	144·42	93·44	Patkari.		

(a) Not ascertained.
* Return not received.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Statement shewing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Waterworks for the week ending the 14th October 1916.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
8th Oct. 1916	At low tide.	64·2	Not connected with mean sea-level.	64·2	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
9th „ „	Ditto	64·0		63·7	
10th „ „	Ditto	64·0		63·5	
11th „ „	Ditto	63·8		63·2	
12th „ „	Ditto	63·7		63·0	
13th „ „	Ditto	63·6		62·7	
14th „ „	Ditto	63·6		62·4	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	...	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	...	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	...	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	...	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	...	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	...	69·7	Ditto.
18th „	1916	...	68·1	Ditto.
23rd February	1907	...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	...	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	...	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	...	50·6	Ditto.
22nd February	1915	...	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	...	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 16th October 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 14th October 1916.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 54·00.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
8th Oct. 1916	8 A.M.	6·40	60·40	56·50	R. L. of gauge post is 54·00. B. M. on College step 69·74.
9th „ „	8 „	6·50	60·50	56·30	
10th „ „	8 „	6·60	60·60	58·00	
11th „ „	8 „	6·90	60·90	59·00	
12th „ „	8 „	6·80	60·80	59·50	
13th „ „	8 „	6·60	60·60	59 50	
14th „ „	8 „	6·00	60 00	59 00	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	.. Lowest „	...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record ...	... Highest „	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	... Lowest „	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1882.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1867.

BOALIA,
The 14th October 1916.

MADHU SUDAN SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Division.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 14th October 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
8th Oct. 1916	7 A.M.	20·7	20·7	19·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
9th " "	7 "	20·6	20·6	19·2	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghât and Chaudpore ghât.
10th " "	7 "	20·8	20·8	19·1	
11th " "	7 "	21·0	21·0	19·4	
12th " "	7 "	21·1	21·1	19·7	Its reduced level is 22·41.
13th " "	7 "	21·2	21·2	19·8	
14th " "	7 "	21·2	21·2	19·7	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest " ...	3·4 on 10th February 1915.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest " ...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto " ...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto " ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto " ...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	Lowest " ...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto " ...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto " ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto " ...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto " ...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 14th October 1916.

NILMANI DE,
Sub divisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 14th October 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 14th October 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 16th October 1915.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	172	21,797	283	214	27,315	336
Jute	305	114,118*	1,341	428	104,342†	1,464
Firewood	33	18,100	293	26	17,775	253
Other articles	941	171,284	2,033	870	183,996	1,958
Total ...	1,451	325,299	3,950	1,538	333,428	4,011
Empty boats and rafts ...	684	...	795	1,020	...	1,158
Grand Total ...	2,135	325,299	4,745	2,558	333,428	5,169

	Mds.
* Weight by canal measurement	196,625
† Ditto ditto	118,487½

CALCUTTA,
The 24th October 1916.

A. W. DAVIS,
for *Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 7th October 1916, on 1,639 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	706,350	3,27,140 0 0	2,307,840 0	3,92,130 0 0	18,120 0 0	7,37,390 0 0	99,200	(a) 67,010	166,210
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 447	(b) 207 0 0	1,530 0	239 0 0	(c) 7 8 0	(c) 445 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1 week ...	706,350	3,27,140 0 0	2,307,840 0	3,92,130 0 0	18,120 0 0	7,37,390 0 0	99,200	67,010	166,210
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	686,560	2,92,137 0 0	2,368,320 0	3,72,133 0 0	16,491 0 0	6,80,761 0 0	104,852	66,286	171,138
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,639 miles)	(b) 434	(b) 185 0 0	1,445 0	227 0 0	5 0 0	411 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	686,560	2,92,137 0 0	2,368,320 0	3,72,133 0 0	16,491 0 0	6,80,761 0 0	104,852	66,286	171,138

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 10,200.
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,420.
(d) Increase is chiefly due to Durga Pooja holidays.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 7th October 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	72,640	16,880 0 0	156,710 0	8,530 0 0	2,500 0 0	29,880 0 0	7,010	(b) 2,560	9,570
Per mile of railway per week	613	159 0 0	1,322 0	72 0 0	(a) 1 0 0	(a) 252 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1 week ...	72,640	16,880 0 0	156,710 0	8,530 0 0	2,500 0 0	29,880 0 0	7,010	2,560	9,570
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	56,121	16,339 0 0	150,456 0	8,055 0 0	1,986 0 0	26,380 0 0	6,704	2,160	8,864
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	473	138 0 0	1,269 0	68 0 0	1 0 0	207 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	56,121	16,339 0 0	150,456 0	8,055 0 0	1,986 0 0	26,380 0 0	6,704	2,160	8,864

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 2,350.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 680.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 7th October 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,180	2,640 0 0	38,690 0	2,430 0 0	20 0 0	5,090 0 0	970	(a) 280	1,250
Per mile of railway per week	185	80 0 0	1,169 0	73 0 0	1 0 0	154 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for week ...	6,180	2,640 0 0	38,690 0	2,430 0 0	20 0 0	5,090 0 0	970	280	1,250
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,436	2,137 0 0	40,018 0	3,159 0 0	18 0 0	5,314 0 0	977	465	1,442
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	134	65 0 0	1,209 0	95 0 0	1 0 0	161 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	4,436	2,137 0 0	40,018 0	3,159 0 0	18 0 0	5,314 0 0	977	465	1,442

(a) Including ballast train-miles, *nil*.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 7th October 1916, on 53·06 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	19,060	5,730 0 0	160,330 0	7,760 0 0	40 0 0	13,530 0 0	1,680	(a) 1,540	3,220
Per mile of railway per week	335	107 0 0	2,988 0	144 0 0	1 0 0	252 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1 week ...	19,060	5,730 0 0	160,330 0	7,760 0 0	40 0 0	13,530 0 0	1,680	1,540	3,220
Total for the 14 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	223,139	64,488 0 0	2,213,360 0	98,824 0 0	435 0 0	1,63,747 0 0	25,903	17,039	42,942
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	19,813	6,318 0 0	132,825 0	5,976 0 0	40 0 0	12,334 0 0	2,014	1,181	3,195
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·06 miles)	369	118 0 0	2,475 0	111 0 0	1 0 0	230 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	19,813	6,318 0 0	132,825 0	5,976 0 0	40 0 0	12,334 0 0	2,014	1,181	3,195
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	226 104	68,615 0 0	1,463,098 0	71,718 0 0	480 0 0	1,40,821 0 0	28,208	13,611	41,819

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 100. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1916

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 7th October 1916, on 2,527·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
		(a)		(b)					
Total traffic for the week	701,047	6,36,743 0 0	7,563,707 0	13,66,337 0 0	19,750 0 0	19,22,830 0 0	179,794	335,823	515,617
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	251 14 11	.....	501 0 8	7 12 0	760 13 7	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October ...	701,047	6,36,743 0 0	7,563,707 0	13,66,337 0 0	19,750 0 0	19,22,830 0 0	179,794	335,823	515,617
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	649,511	5,84,072 0 0	9,007,927 0	14,32,260 0 0	48,239 0 0	20,64,571 0 0	178,516	281,901	460,417
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	231 2 5	.....	566 13 3	19 1 5	817 1 1	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	649,511	5,84,072 0 0	9,007,927 0	14,32,260 0 0	48,239 0 0	20,64,571 0 0	178,516	281,901	460,417

(a) The increase is due to Doorga Poojah holidays.
(b) The decrease is both in merchandise, general and coal.

19 6-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage	Period.	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
2,527·42	Week ended 7th October ...	701,047	6,36,743	7,563,707	13,66,337	19,750	19,22,830	761	515,617	3 11 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

2,526·81	First 9 days of October ...	No. of passengers. 856,023	Rs. 7,48,986	Mds. 11,666,943	Rs. 18,56,037	Rs. 60,848	Rs. 26,67,810	Per week Rs. 671	No. 391,911	Rate Rs. A. P. 4 8 1

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 7th October 1916, on 191·64 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	41,588	35,124 0 0	469,795 0	30,965 0 0	250 0 0	66,339 0 0	11,155	8,413	19,568
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	183 4 6	.....	161 10 11	1 4 11	346 4 4	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st Oct. ...	41,588	35,124 0 0	469,795 0	30,965 0 0	250 0 0	66,339 0 0	11,155	8,413	19,568
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	41,395	36,174 0 0	390,621 0	35,190 0 0	251 0 0	71,615 0 0	11,780	8,230	20,010
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	188 12 2	.....	183 10 0	1 5 0	373 11 2	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	41,395	36,174 0 0	390,621 0	35,190 0 0	251 0 0	71,615 0 0	11,780	8,230	20,010

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,588	35,124	469,795	30,965	250	66,339	346	19,568	3 6 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	No. of passengers. 52,764	Rs. 44,612	Mds. 499,604	Rs. 45,388	Rs. 336	Rs. 90,336	Per week. Rs. 366	No. 25,736	Rate. Rs. A. P. 3 8 1

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 7th October 1916, on 50·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,720	2,910 0 0	72,340 0	6,410 0 0	20 0 0	9,340 0 0	1,428	700	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	174	58 0 0	1,450 0	128 0 0	.....	186 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1 week ...	8,720	2,910 0 0	72,340 0	6,410 0 0	20 0 0	9,340 0 0	1,428	700	2,128
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	17 0 0	25 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (93 miles)	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 0 0	1 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	17 0 0	25 0 0	.....	.....	.....

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 7th October 1916, on (a)800 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 22 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steamboat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	99,000	53,000 0 0	449,000 0	78,000 0 0	5,000 0 0	1,36,000 0 0	17,367	18,992	36,359
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	66·25	.....	94·89	6 08	167·22	.....	.....	.....
For previous week of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1 week ...	99,000	53,000 0 0	449,000 0	78,000 0 0	5,000 0 0	1,36,000 0 0	17,367	18,992	36,359
COMPARISON.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	105,135	54,985 0 0	381,630 0	65,005 0 0	6,516 0 0	1,27,406 0 0	16,777	18,808	34,585
Per mile of railway (b) ...	.....	70·58	.....	83·53	8·26	162·37	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	105,135	54,985 0 0	381,630 0	65,005 0 0	6,516 0 0	1,27,406 0 0	16,777	18,808	34,585

(a) Excludes 44 miles from Harangajao to Maibang on the Hill Section under reconstruction.
(b) Calculated on 780 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 7th October 1916.			Receipts for week ending 7th October 1915.			Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 7th October 1916.	Total receipts from 1st April 1915 to 7th October 1916.	Total increase in 1916-17.	Total decrease in 1916-17.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
822	1,36,000	167·22	780	1,27,406	162·37	34,57,703	34,76,693	.....	18,990

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 7th October 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,560	14,414 0 0	26,201 0	12,889 0 0	243 0 0	27,546 0 0	2,979	3,293	6,272
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	282 0 0	.....	253 0 0	5 0 0	540 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of the half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total traffic up to 7th October 1916 ...	6,560	14,414 0 0	26,201 0	12,889 0 0	243 0 0	27,546 0 0	2,979	3,293	6,272
(7 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	282 0 0	.....	253 0 0	5 0 0	540 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,790	14,736 0 0	32,975 0	14,730 0 0	173 0 0	29,639 0 0	2,100	4,129	6,229
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	289 0 0	.....	289 0 0	3 0 0	581 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	5,790	14,736 0 0	32,975 0	14,730 0 0	173 0 0	29,639 0 0	2,100	4,129	6,229
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	289 0 0	.....	289 0 0	3 0 0	581 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTE :—Difference for the week...	— 322		— 1,841		+ 70	— 2,093			
Difference up to date ...	— 322		— 1,841		+ 70	— 2,093			

The decrease during the week in Coaching is trifling.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in public Coal, Rice, Iron and Tea traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 7th October 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,359	2,082 0 0	14,780 0	1,171 0 0	28 0 0	3,281 0 0	1,008	812	1,820
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	30 0 0	.....	17 0 0	.....	47 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of the half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total traffic up to 7th October 1916	7,359	2,082 0 0	14,780 0	1,171 0 0	28 0 0	3,281 0 0	1,008	812	1,820
(7 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	30 0 0	.....	17 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,434	1,843 0 0	25,187 0	1,915 0 0	40 0 0	3,798 0 0	310	939	1,249
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	26 0 0	.....	27 0 0	1 0 0	54 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year	4,434	1,843 0 0	25,187 0	1,915 0 0	40 0 0	3,798 0 0	310	939	1,249
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	26 0 0	.....	27 0 0	1 0 0	54 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week	+ 239		— 744		— 12	— 517			
Difference up to date	+ 239		— 744		— 12	— 517			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Potatoes due to suspension of through booking on account of the collapse of the Mahanadi Bridge and in Rice. The Jute traffic is improving.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 7th October 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	169	89 0 0	1,285 0	221 0 0	2 0 0	312 0 0	98	84	182
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	3 0 0	.....	7 0 0	.....	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of the half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total traffic up to 7th October 1916	169	89 0 0	1,285 0	221 0 0	2 0 0	312 0 0	98	84	182
(7 days) Or per week per mile of Railway	.....	3 0 0	.....	7 0 0	.....	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	522	309 0 0	2,684 0	547 0 0	2 0 0	858 0 0	108	315	490
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	11 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	29 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year	522	309 0 0	2,684 0	547 0 0	2 0 0	858 0 0	108	315	490
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	11 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	29 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week	— 320		— 336		— 546				
Difference up to date	— 320		— 336		— 546				

The decrease during the week in Goods and Coaching was due to the line being blocked beyond Sevoke.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 7th October 1916 on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	6,073	1,705 0 0	62,035 0	10,678 0 0	(a)259 0 0	12,642 0 0	354	(d)894	1,248
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	47 0 0	...	293 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 341 0 0	...	...	...
For previous weeks of half-year.*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for 1 week ...	6,073	1,705 0 0	62,035 0	10,678 0 0	259 0 0	12,642 0 0	354	894	1,248
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,148	1,874 0 0	72 684 0	8,730 0 0	(b)397 0 0	11,001 0 0	340	(e)740	1,080
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year	...	52 0 0	...	240 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 293 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	7,148	1,874 0 0	72,684 0	8,730 0 0	397 0 0	11,001 0 0	340	740	1,080

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 236.
(b) Ditto 1915, Rs. 347
(c) Excludes ferry earnings
(d) Ballast train-miles, 64.
(e) Ditto 1915, 46.

* Includes audited earnings for July 1916.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 7th October 1916 on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	14,314	4,564 0 0	89,194 0	15,171 0 0	31 0 0	19,766 0 0	1,961	(a) 2,972	4,933
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	39 0 0	.....	130 0 0	.....	169 0 0	...	...	...
For previous weeks of half-year *	...	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	...	...	...
Total for 1 week ...	14,314	4,564 0 0	89,194 0	15,171 0 0	31 0 0	19,766 0 0	1,961	2,972	4,933
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	13,754	5,014 0 0	106,353 0	13,613 0 0	8 0 0	20,635 0 0	1,291	(b)2,405	3,696
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year	...	43 0 0	.....	133 0 0	.....	176 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	13,754	5,014 0 0	106,353 0	13,613 0 0	8 0 0	20,635 0 0	1,291	2,405	3,696

(a) Ballast train-miles, 808.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, 72.

* Includes audited earnings for the month of July 1916.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 7th October 1916, on 2,067 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,067 miles open ...	432,580	(a)1,53,000	821,930	(b)1,11,900	(c)19,900	2,84,800	61,005	(d)42,618	103,623
Or per mile of railway ...	209·28	74·02	397·64	54·13	9·63	137·79			
For previous Nil weeks of official half-year.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1 week ...	432,580	1,53,000	821,930	1,11,900	19,900	2,84,800	61,005	42,618	103,623
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate accruals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,044 miles open	385,509	1,45,194	730,597	1,06,872	18,228	2,69,294	63,167	(e)39,067	102,234
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	188·61	71·03	357·43	51·80	8·92	131·75	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	385,509	1,45,194	730,597	1,06,872	18,228	2,69,294	63,167	39,067	102,234
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		2·51		2·63	·19	2·75			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		2·30		2·71	·18	2·63			

(a) Increase chiefly under local passengers; foreign inward passengers decreased with reduced load.
(b) Increase mainly under foreign inward.
(c) Increase chiefly under steam-boats.
(d) Includes 4,012 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 3,891 miles of ballast trains.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

during November 1916.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
1916.		H. M.		
Nov. 1st ...	Wednesday	.....	Visit Namchi.	
„ 2nd ...	Thursday	.....	Visit Kewzing.	
„ 3rd ...	Friday ...	.....	Visit Pemionchi.	
„ 4th ...	Saturday...	.....	Visit Kewzing.	

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
1916.		H. M.		
Nov. 5th ...	Sunday ...	.....	Visit Temi.	
„ 6th ...	Monday ...	.....	Visit Rungpo.	
„ 7th ...	Tuesday ...	.....	Arrive Kalimpong.	
„ 8th ...	Wednesday	.....	Halt at Kalimpong.	
„ 9th ...	Thursday	14 30	Leave Kalimpong.	
		16 0	Leave Kalimpong Road.	By special train.
		19 30	Arrive Siliguri.	
		21 35	Leave Siliguri ...	By special train.
„ 10th ...	Friday ...	5 10	Arrive Rangpur ...	His Excellency will leave the special train at 7-30 A.M.
		22 55	Leave Rangpur.	
„ 11th ...	Saturday...	9 30	Arrive Nator.	
		15 45	Arrive Rampur Boalia.	By motor.
„ 12th ...	Sunday ...	.....	Halt at Rampur Boalia.	
„ 13th ...	Monday ...	15 0	Leave Rampur Boalia.	By motor.
		16 0	Arrive Sarda.	
„ 14th ...	Tuesday ...	15 0	Leave Sarda ...	By motor.
		17 15	Arrive Nator.	
		17 25	Leave Nator ...	By special train.
		22 0	Arrive Sealdah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Lady Carmichael (up to Siliguri).
The Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.I.E., I.C.S., Chief Secretary.*
Mr. H. F. Samman, I.C.S., Officiating Commissioner, Rajshahi Division.†
Mr. W. R. Gourlay, I.C.S., Private Secretary.‡
Captain the Hon'ble W. J. L. Palmer, A.-D.-C.

(2) All letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the addition of the name of any post-town.*

(3) His Excellency's departure from Darjeeling will be public. All other arrivals and departures will be private.

* Will join at Santahar. † From Rangpur to Sarda. ‡ Will join at Siliguri.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
DARJEELING,
The 20th October 1916.

H. G. VAUX, CAPTAIN,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8194A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3724A.D.—The 25th October 1916.*—Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district on being relieved of his duties as Khas Tahsildar, Noakhali.

Noakhali, Midnapore.

No. 3827A.D.—The 30th October 1916.—Babu Girish Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Burdwan district.

Burdwan.

No. 3830A.D.—The 30th October 1916.—Mr. A. G. R. Henderson, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act, in addition to his own duties, as Magistrate and Collector of that district.

24-Parganas.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3832A.D.—The 30th October 1916.*—The officers, named below, acted in the first grade of District and Sessions Judges for the periods mentioned opposite their names:—

Mr. J. C. Twidell, I.C.S., from the 17th August 1916 up to the 25th September 1916, *vice* Mr. J. D. Cargill, I.C.S., on leave.

Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., from the 30th August 1916 up to the 25th September 1916, *vice* Mr. Mohammad Yusuf, I.C.S., on leave.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3710A.D.—The 24th October 1916.*—Mr. W. A. Seaton, I.C.S., Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 30th October 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 3728A.D.—The 25th October 1916.—Babu Sati Prasanna Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties at Bankura.

Bankura.

No. 3752A.D.—The 26th October 1916.—Babu Mani Mohan Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd November 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Midnapore.

No. 3819A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of leave for two months on medical certificate.

POLICE.—*No. 3817A.D.—The 28th October 1916.*—Maulvi Masud-ul Husain, substantive *pro tempore* Additional Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th October 1916.

Mymensingh.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3733A.D.—The 26th October 1916.—Mr. A. H. Harley, Principal, Calcutta Madrasah, has passed in the first division the Degree of Honour Examination in Arabic at an examination held on the 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th July 1916, in accordance with the rules contained in the notification by the Government of India, Department of Education, No. 80, dated the 6th June 1914.

Calcutta.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8577L.R.—The 25th October 1916.—Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, is vested with the powers of a Collector under—

Rajshahi. Malda. Pabna. Murshidabad. Nadia.

(1) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822),

(2) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825),

(3) the Bengal Land Revenue Assessment (Resumed Lands) Regulation, 1828 (III of 1828),

(4) the Bengal Land Revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833 (IX of 1833),

to be exercised—

(*a*) in the areas, in the district of Malda, comprised within the external boundaries of villages falling entirely or partly within 5 miles from the main stream of the river Ganges;

(*b*) in respect of all lands within 5 miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, but including also the entire areas of villages partly falling within this limit in that portion of the district of Pabna which lies opposite the district of Nadia, and in those portions of the districts of Murshidabad and Nadia which lie opposite the districts of Rajshahi and Pabna.

No. 1761T.R.—The 18th October 1916.—In pursuance of section 7, sub-section (1) of the Indian Registration Act (XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct the establishment of a second registration office at Siliguri, in the district of Darjeeling, having concurrent jurisdiction over the existing registration sub-district of Siliguri, to be styled the office of the Second Joint Sub-Registrar of Siliguri with effect from the 1st November 1916.

Darjeeling.

The present office of the Sub-Registrar of Siliguri should be styled the office of the first Joint Sub-Registrar of Siliguri with effect from that date.

No. 1762T.R.—The 18th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Indian Registration Act (XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Sub-Deputy Collector stationed at Siliguri, in the district of Darjeeling, to be *ex-officio* Second Joint Sub-Registrar of the Sub-Registry office at Siliguri with effect from the 1st November 1916.

Darjeeling.

No. 1836T.R.—The 24th October 1916.—Babu Girija Bhusan Ghosal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to be Khas Tahsildar, Noakhali, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Collector, transferred to Midnapore.

Midnapore. Noakhali.

No. 1830T.R.—The 24th October 1916.—In continuation of Notification No. 590T.R., dated the 23rd May 1916, it is hereby notified that the Special Test of Sub-Registrars for District Sub-Registrarships will be held on Monday, the 20th November 1916, and Tuesday, the 21st November 1916, at the Town Hall, Calcutta.

Programme of Examination.

Monday, the 20th November 1916.	Morning, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. Law without books. Afternoon, 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. Practical Test—Office work.
Tuesday, the 21st November 1916.	Morning, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. Law with books. Afternoon, 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. Accounts.

No. 1844T.R.—The 24th October 1916.—The following promotions and appointment are sanctioned in the grades of District Sub-Registrars :—

Promoted to grade I.

Rai Sahib Tarapada Ghosh, with effect from the 21st July 1916, *vice* Maulvi Zulfakhar Haidar, retired.

Promoted to grade II.

Maulvi Qurbanullah, with effect from the 21st July 1916, *vice* Rai Sahib Tarapada Ghosh, promoted to grade I.

Promoted to grade III.

Maulvi Muhammad, with effect from the 21st July 1916, *vice* Maulvi Qurbanullah, promoted to grade II.

Maulvi Ahmad Abduz Zahir, Sub-Registrar, grade I, of Sitakund, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be District Sub-Registrar, grade IV, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad, promoted to grade III.

No. 1868T.R.—The 30th October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in respect of all lands within 5 miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, but including also the entire areas of villages partly falling within this limit in that portion of the district of Pabna which lies opposite the district of Nadia, and in those portions of the districts of Murshidabad and Nadia which lie opposite the districts of Rajshahi and Pabna, the functions of Revenue Officers under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi. Pabna. Murshidabad. Nadia.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

1. Maulvi S. M. Abdul Aziz, Deputy Collector.
2. Babu Kashiswar Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector.
3. Maulvi Muzammil Huq, ditto.
4. „ Abdul Latif Chaudhury, ditto.
5. Babu Jamini Kanta Bose, ditto.
6. Maulvi Muhammad Habdad, ditto.

No. 1869T.R.—The 30th October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, is appointed to discharge in the area comprised within the boundaries of estate bearing tauzi No. 60 on the revenue roll of the district of Malda, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi. Malda.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the said area.

No. 1870T.R.—The 30th October 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the areas of the district of Malda comprised within the external boundaries of villages falling entirely or partly within five miles from the main stream of the river Ganges, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi. Malda.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part 1, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid areas:—

1. Khan Bahadur Ataur Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
2. Babu Bishnupada Ray, Munsif.
3. Babu Lal Mohan Bose, Sub-Deputy Collector.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8612L.A.—The 30th October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for Messrs. McNeill and Company's Dhemo Main Colliery Siding in the village of Baradhemo, pargana Kanthanagar, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 19 bighas 2 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 6·32 acres, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

North—By the lands of Bamacharan Mondal, Kashinath Mukerji, Chaitan Majhi and Purandar Baori, tanks of Bamacharan Mondal and Jugal Mondal, arable land of Dol Gobinda Chakrabarti, Gokul Majhi, Baku Mondal, Ramlal Majhi, Nakul Majhi, Suchand Majhi, Upendra Nath Ray, Akshoy Ganguli, and Jadu Laik, colliery land of Messrs. McNeill and Company and a village road,

East—By the arable land of Jadu Laik,

South—By the tanks of Akshoy Ganguli and Bamacharan Mondal, arable lands of Ramkumar Majhi, Dol Gobinda Chakrabarti, Surendra Mondal, Nakul Majhi, Krista Ray, Protap Majhi, Madhob Baori, Purandar Baori, Rakhal Majhi, Kashinath Mukerji, Bamacharan Mondal, Suchand Mondal and Ramlal Majhi, a village road and colliery land of Messrs. McNeill and Company,

West—By the arable land of Ramlal Majhi, Bamacharan Mondal and Suchand Mondal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Baradhemo.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Darjeeling.

No. 8622L.A.—The 31st October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the main line of the Siliguri-Kissenganj Extension of the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway between miles 1 and 2 in the village of Dhansara Jote, pargana Patharghatta, zilla Darjeeling, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·09 acres, bounded on the—

North—By Dhansara Jote and Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway land,
East—By Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway land,
South—By Champta river and Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway land
West—By Dhansara Jote,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dhansara Jote.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Khulna.

No. 8625L.A.—The 31st October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Rupsa east station in connection with the Khulna-Bagerhat Light Railway in the villages of Ramnagar and Bagmara, parganas Hogla and Talibpur respectively, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose five pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 36 bighas 1 cottah and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 11·92 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. I.

North—By the lands of Serajuddi and Kanai Shek,
East—By lands of Kanai Shek, Erfan Molla and Abdul Shek and by the Haldar Khal,
South—By the District Board road,
West—By the river Rupsa,

PLOT NO. II.

North—By the lands of Erfan Molla, Abdul Shek, Rahimulla Shek and Jahiruddi Shek,
East and South—By the District Board road,
West—By the Haldar Khal,

PLOT NO. III.

North—By the District Board road,
East—By the Haldar Khal and by the land of Abdul Shek.
South—By the Haldar Khal,
West—By the river Rupsa,

PLOT NO. IV.

North—By the District Board road,
East and West—By the Haldar Khal,
South—By the lands of Erfan Molla,

PLOT NO. V.

North—By the District Board road,
East and South—By the land of Mochem Shek,
West—By the Haldar Khal,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Ramnagar and Bagmara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Khulna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 8628L.A.—The 31st October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Bhairab-Bazar-Gouripur Section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway at mile 59 in the villages of Rasulpur, Bokainagar, Bhobanipur and Mamudnagar, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 2·386 acres bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North—By the lands of Bijaya Kanta Lahiri and Nabin Chandra Singh,

East—By the lands of Abdul, Halat, Ujir Mandal, Mamudali, Kamarali, Samirali, Ali Mamud, Bama Sundari Debya, Kokan Sheik, Kalom Sheik, Khal, Gandu Khalifa, Ramesh Chandra Pal, Aroj Kulu, Nosin Sheik, Nabin Chandra Singh, Adari Dhuli and Bijaya Kanta Lahiri,

South—By the lands of Abdul and Kamarali,

West—By the land already acquired for Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,

PLOT B.

North—By the lands of Bijaya Kanta Lahiri and Nabin Chandra Singh,

East—By the land already acquired for Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,

South—By the lands of Abu, Kalom and Kamarali,

West—By the lands of Bijaya Kanta Lahiri, Dina Nath Chakrabarti, Nabin Chandra Singh, Nosin Sheik, Gandu Khalifa, Ramesh Chandra Pal, Nasir Mamud, Kemarali, Kalom, Sadarali, Samirali, Kamarali, Ujir Mandal, Abdul, Khal, Halat and District Board road,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Rasulpur, Bokainagar, Bhobanipur and Mamudnagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 8655L.A.—The 31st October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Mymensingh for a public purpose, viz., for a brick-field at 11th mile of the Thakurandighi-Telegati Road, in the village of Gujikha, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of

land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 16 cottahs 15 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the jote land of Sheikh Rahim and khamar land of Dharani Kanta Lahiri Choudhury,

East—By the khamar land of Dharani Kanta Lahiri Choudhury and jote lands of Sheikh Mej Baksha, Sheikh Kuchu Moral and, Sheikh Kali Mamud,

South—By the District Board road and jote land of Sheikh Kali Mamud,

West—By the khamar land of Dharani Kanta Lahiri Choudhury and jote land of Piru Sheikh,

is required within the aforesaid village of Gujikha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 8658L A.—The 31st October 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Chittagong District Board for a public purpose, viz., for an inspection bungalow at Garjania in the village of Kachhapia, thana Ramu, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·62 acre, bounded on the—

North—By the thana road and part of cadastral survey plot No. 3558,

East—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 3558 and the Arrakan Road,

South—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 3811, 3813, 3814, and 3558, and

West—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 3814 and 3818,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kachhapia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Malda.
Dacca.

No. 1841T.R.—The 24th October 1916.—Maulvi Gholam Nabi, District Sub-Registrar of Malda, is appointed to be District Sub-Registrar of Dacca, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

Chittagong.
Malda.
Dacca.

No. 1842T.R.—The 24th October 1916.—Maulvi Ahmad 'Abdul Zahir, Sub-Registrar of Sitakund, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Malda, with effect from the 12th October 1916, until further orders, *vice* Maulvi Gholam Nabi, appointed to be District Sub-Registrar of Dacca.

Chittagong.

No. 1843 T.R.—The 24th October 1916.—Babu Binod Bihari Datta, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Sitakund, in the district of Chittagong, with effect from the 12th October 1916, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Ahmad 'Abdul Zahir, or until further orders.

Faridpur.

No. 8580Regn.—The 25th October 1916.—Maulvi Abdur Razzak, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Baliakandi, in the district of Faridpur, with effect from the afternoon of the 31st August 1916, until further orders.

No. 8631Regn.—The 31st October 1916.—Babu Bibek Mohan Sehanavis, Sub-Registrar, grade V is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Nalhati, in the district of Birbhum, with effect from the 17th October 1916, until further orders, *vice* Babu Jay Gopal Ghosh, retired.

Birbhum.

No. 8648Regn.—The 31st October 1916.—Maulvi Ibrahim 'Ali, Sub-Registrar of Betagi, in the district of Bakarganj, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 18th September 1916.

Bakarganj.

No. 8650Regn.—The 31st October 1916.—Maulvi Siddique Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Betagi, in the district of Bakarganj, with effect from the 18th September 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Ibrahim 'Ali, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 8652Regn.—The 31st October 1916.—Babu Bankim Chandra Gupta, Sub-Registrar of Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 22nd December 1916, with effect from the 21st October 1916.

Khulna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1831T.R.—The 24th October 1916.—It is hereby notified that the Departmental Examination of Probationers and Sub-Registrars, instituted under Government Notification No. 1301Regn., dated the 7th February 1914, will be held on Monday, the 27th November 1916, and Tuesday, the 28th November 1916, at the Calcutta University Buildings.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Bombay Veterinary College.

THE next Session commences on 4th January 1917, and candidates wishing to join the College should submit their applications immediately.

An Entrance Examination for those who have not passed the School Final or Matriculation Examination will be held on the 4th January at the College.

All students have to undergo a physical examination at the College and only those of good physique are admitted.

Further particulars will be forwarded on application.

THE PRINCIPAL,
Bombay Veterinary College.

PAREL, BOMBAY, *the 26th October 1916.*

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 671T.G.—The 28th October 1916.—Mr. M. P. West, Officiating Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, is appointed to act as Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his present officiating appointment, *vice* Mr J. W. Gunn, on deputation.

Mr. T. O. D. Dunn, Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, on being relieved of his present appointment.

Mr. W. E. Griffith, Principal, David Hare Training College, on return from leave, is appointed to act as Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. T. O. D. Dunn, or until further orders.

Babu Chinta Haran Chakrabatti (II), Professor, David Hare Training College, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act as Principal of the College, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. E. Griffith, or until further orders.

Mr. H. A. Stark, Officiating Professor, David Hare Training College, in class II of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as Principal, Dacca Training College, with effect from the 30th October 1916, *vice* Mr. E. E. Biss, on special duty.

No. 82T.-Eccle.—The 21st October 1916.—The services of the Revd. D. H. Gillan (now on leave), Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, on the Bengal Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Department of Education.

No. 84T.—Eccle.—The 24th October 1916.—The following Notification by the Administration of Assam, Education Department, is republished for general information.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 4307E., dated Shillong, the 27th September 1916.

NOTIFICATION—By the Administration of Assam, Education Department.

THE services of the Ven'ble W. K. Firminger, Archdeacon of Calcutta and Chaplain of Shillong, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the 1st October 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

No. 69T.-Eccle.—The 27th October 1916.—The Ven'ble W. K. Firminger, Archdeacon of Calcutta, is appointed to be Senior Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

No 240T.Mis.—The 21st October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the Sikh Temple at Ramna, south of the Shahbagh, bounded as follows, to be a protected monument within the meaning of the said Act :—

North, South, East and West—Government Public Works Department land.

2. Any objections to the issue of this notification, which are received by the undersigned within one month from the date on which a copy of the notification is fixed up in a conspicuous place on or near the said monument, will be taken into consideration.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2218 S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1914-15, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Thursday, the 9th November 1916, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 820 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 29th November 1915, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes* except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 1,800 to Rs. 2,500 per chest from 1st July 1916 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 981S.R., dated the 29th April 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 14th and 24th November 1916, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 14th November 1916, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 24th November 1916.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Government of Bengal, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Date.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory. Chests uncertified.
On or about Tuesday, 5th December 1916 ...	820

By order of the Governor in Council.

J. DONALD.
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1916.*

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3069Medl.—The 25th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*ii*) of section 69B of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and clause (*k*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in rule 28 (*a*) (*4*) of the Rules for the Management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, published under Notification No. 138T.—Medl., dated the 7th June 1915, at pages 1052-1066 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th *idem*, namely :—

"In rule 28 (*a*) (*4*), *omit* the words 'and enter this memorandum in the pass-books of the local authority to which the dispensaries belong to enable it to verify the balances'."

No. 293T.Medl.—The 27th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by article 6 of the Statutes of the Bengal State Medical Faculty, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following modifications in the rules for the examination for membership of the Faculty, contained in the Schedule published under Notification No. 424Medl., dated the 2nd March 1915, at pages 365-373 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd idem, as subsequently amended, viz.—

1. Primary or Preliminary Scientific Examination—

(1) *For* sub-section (*a*) of section I *substitute* the following :—

"(*a*) that he has passed the Intermediate Examination in Arts or Science of a recognised University or the Cambridge Senior Local Examination (Old Standard according to the revised Regulations for 1917) or any examination which is accepted by the local Government as equivalent thereto."

Note.—A candidate with I. A. qualifications will be permitted to appear at the examination only up to the end of the year 1918.

(2) *For* the words "Matriculation Examination or its equivalent" in sub-sections (*b*) and (*c*) of section 1 *substitute* the words "examination mentioned in sub-section (*a*)."

(3) *Add* the following note under section 2 of the exemptions:—

Note.—A candidate with I. A. qualifications will be permitted to appear at the examination only up to the end of the year 1918.

II. Intermediate Examination for membership—

For clause (*a*) of proviso to section 1 *substitute* the following:—

(*a*) "that he/she has passed the Matriculation or I. A. or I. Sc. Examination of a recognised University or any examination which is accepted by the local Government as equivalent thereto."

Note.—A candidate with a Matriculation or I. A. certificate will be permitted to appear at the combined examination only up to the end of the year 1918.

No. 295T.-Medl.—The 28th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 28, sub-section (1), of the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912 (IV of 1912), and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be visitors of the Lunatic Asylum at Dacca, viz:— **Dacca.**

1.	Additional Magistrate, Dacca	*Ex-officio.*
2.	Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca ...	
3.	Additional Superintendent of Police, Dacca ...	
4.	Senior Sadar Deputy Magistrate, Dacca ...	
5.	Superintendent of Central Jail, Dacca ...	
6.	Teacher of Medicine, Medical School, Dacca ...	
7.	Teacher of Medical Jurisprudence, Medical School, Dacca.	
8.	Babu Jadu Lal Poddar, L.M.S.	*Non-official.*
9.	„ Satya Prasanna Ghosh	
10.	„ Dharani Nath Bysak	
11.	Nawabzada K. M. Afzal	
12.	Babu Satish Chandra Das	
13.	Maulvi Hafiz Khalilur Rahman Abu Zaighan Sabir.	
14.	Maulvi Syed Abul Fateh Sharfuddin ...	

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8195A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3481A.D.—The 16th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Anukul Chandra Singh the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the 18th November 1916, and **24-Parganas.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Dum-Dum Bench in the said district.

No. 3757A.D.—The 26th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Kumar Pannag Bhushan Deb Ray the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Jessore, for a period of three years from the 3rd November 1916, and **Jessore.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Jhenida Bench in the said district.

No. 3796A.D.—The 27th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Ashutosh Chakrabatti the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Khulna, for a period of three years from the 3rd November 1916, and **Khulna.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district.

No. 3798A.D.—The 27th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Munshi Sabdar Ali Joardar the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Nadia, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, **Nadia.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Chuadanga Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3803A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Pran Krishna Saha the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, **24-Parganas.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Baranagar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3811A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. Frank Joseph Agabeg the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of three years from the 17th November 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Asansol subdivision of the said district, and **Burdwan.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Asansol Bench in the said district.

No. 3820A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Bidhu Bhushan Singh the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Murshidabad, for a period of three years from the 24th November 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Kandi subdivision of the said district, **Murshidabad.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Kandi Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 3821A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Haji Khundkar Muhammad Mahasan the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Murshidabad, for a period of three years from the 24th November 1916, and **Murshidabad.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Kandi Bench in the said district.

No. 3840A.D.—The 30th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Dinajpur, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, **Dinajpur.**

(*b*) to direct them to sit as members of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct them to take down evidence in the English language :—

Babu Tarakeswar Chakrabatti.
„ Krishna Nath Sen.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 3801A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Chuni Lal Banarji of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Baranagar Bench in the district of the 24-Parganas. **24-Parganas.**

No. 3824A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. Sudhansu Mohan Bose of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Dum-Dum Bench in the district of the 24-Parganas. **24-Parganas.**

POWERS.

No. 3724A.D.—The 25th October 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. **Midnapore.**

No. 3750A.D.—The 26th October 1916.—Babu Ambu Nath Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, Asansol, Burdwan, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. **Burdwan.**

No. 3794A.D.—The 27th October 1916.—Mr. Dhirendra Lal Dey, Deputy Magistrate, Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class. **Hooghly.**

No. 3807A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—Babu Rajmohan Gangali, Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class. **Jessore.**

No. 3809A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—Mr. Basanta Kumar Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. **24-Parganas.**

No. 3813A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. Frank Joseph Agabeg, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Burdwan, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section. **Burdwan.**

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3317J.—The 31st October 1916.—Babu Bhupendra Nath Mitra, Additional Munsif of Khulna, is appointed to act as a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station during the absence, on leave, of Babu Prabodh Chandra Basu, or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 3319J.—The 31st October 1916.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, M.A., B.L., No. II, is appointed to act as an Additional Munsif in the district of Khulna, for the present to be employed at the Sadar station, *vice* Babu Bhupendra Nath Mitra, or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 3321J.—The 31st October 1916.—Babu Bhupal Chandra Sen, Munsif of Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Chittagong.

Tippera. Chittagong.

No. 3323J.—The 31st October 1916.—Babu Surendra Chandra Basu, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Tara Prasanna Chatarji, or until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 3325J.—The 31st October 1916.—Babu Amulya Charan Chakrabatti, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Netrakona, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Paziruddin Ahmad, or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

LEAVE.

No. 3313J.—The 19th October 1916.—Babu Tara Prasanna Chatarji, Munsif of Jessore, is allowed leave for thirty days, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th November 1916.

Jessore.

No. 3314J.—The 19th October 1916.—Maulvi Paziruddin Ahmad, Munsif of Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for forty-six days, under articles 260 and 275 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th November 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 3315J.—The 19th October 1916.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Basu, Munsif of Khulna, is allowed leave for thirty-three days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th November 1916.

Khulna.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 4318P.D.—The 27th October 1916.—Babu Bimala Charan Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer, and is posted to the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Faridpur.

No. 4357P.D.—The 28th October 1916.—Babu Ramani Ranjan Datta, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer, and is posted to the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Faridpur.

No. 12403P.—The 30th October 1916.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Shahpur, in thana Dubrajpur, in the district of Birbhum.

Birbhum.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (1) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said investigating centre shall be a police-station and that the said police-station shall include the local areas specified below :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Dubrajpur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Arazi Gopalpur ...	484	255
2	Chak Gopal ...	485	254
3	Barabera ...	486	256
4	Hajrapur ...	487	222
5	Majhgaon ...	488	223
6	Parulia ...	489	235
7	Jambhala ...	490	237
8	Jambhala Purana ...	491	236
9	Arazi Kondhi ...	492	238
10	Kashlaghar or Kathgar ...	493	249
11	Aduria ...	494	251
12	Ullakari Gopalpur ...	495	250
13	Chak Nagri ...	496	252
14	Karamkel ...	497	253
15	Bhamradaha or Chandipur ...	498	1
16	Arazi Gopalpur ...	499	283
17	Gopalpur ...	500	85
18	Sripur or Chinpai ...	501	84
19	Narayanpur ...	502	73
20	Hoseinpur ...	503	75
21	Haibatpur ...	504	74
22	Dubrajpur ...	505	76
23	Maniram ...	506	81
24	Sadahipur ...	507	80
25	Bangaon ...	508	82
26	Lakshondihi ...	509	57
27	Mataberia ...	510	79
28	Chandra Buzurg ...	511	78
29	Kalkapur ...	512	77
30	Bisalpur ...	513	65
31	Bundati ...	514	66
32	Majdiha ...	515	95
33	Chak Delur or Delar	516	67
34	Chak Barui ...	517	68
35	Kamarchala ...	518	69
36	Ama ...	519	72
37	Maradihi ...	520	71
38	Chak Alani ...	521	70
39	Sagar ...	522	86
40	Bandarsol ...	523	2
41	Dilwarganj or Dewanganj ...	524	3
42	Raghunathpur ...	525	6
43	Maniram ...	526	5
44	Bhabanipur ...	527	4
45	Mohanpur ...	616	88
46	Barkatipur ...	628	143
47	Raghabpur ...	629	144
48	Neranba ...	647	162
49	Rebua ...	648	161
50	Arazi Akrampur ...	649	159
51	Arazi Akrampur ...	650	158
52	Arazi Akrampur ...	651	156
53	Arazi Akrampur ...	652	157
54	Apurbapur ...	653	160
55	Dhibari ...	654	155
56	Arazi Shalinagar ...	655	154
57	Arazi Shalinagar ...	656	152
58	Arazi Shalinagar ...	657	153
59	Arazi Shalinagar ...	658	176
60	Budhgram ...	659	149
61	Arazi Karimpur ...	660	150
62	Mamudpur ...	661	193
63	Rampur ...	662	194
64	Maheshpur ...	663	148
65	Pachiara ...	665	198
66	Bhabaganpur ...	666	138
67	Srichandrapur ...	667	87
68	Budakundi ...	668	89
69	Badakundi ...	669	90
70	Badakundi ...	670	91
71	Krishnapur ...	671	92
72	Krishnagar ...	672	197
73	Lohagoan ...	673	195
74	Jashpur Nij ...	674	196
75	Kanturi ...	675	93
76	Chakdanga ...	676	96
77	Phasala ...	677	94
78	Koratari ...	678	97
79	Belatari ...	679	98
80	Purutpur ...	680	99
81	Khartari ...	681	188
82	Dhangoan ...	682	282
83	Ghoramara ...	683	189
84	Palsara ...	684	190
85	Banskola ...	685	191
86	Katra or Kandighi ...	686	192
87	Gara ...	687	151
88	Bhaluka or Ramusunna	688	2203
89	Badgoan ...	689	2208
90	Sersa ...	690	2202
91	Khagri ...	691	2209
92	Padma Daulatpur ...	692	159
93	Haibatpur ...	693	158
94	Khandagoan ...	694	157
95	Basri ...	695	160
96	Arazi Basri ...	696	164
97	Aranan ...	697	163
98	Nanadangar ...	698	162
99	Aranan ...	699	161
100	Amulia ...	700	180
101	Chak Najani ...	701	181
102	Sikandurpur ..	702	183
103	Budhaipur ...	703	184
104	Kurma ...	704	186
105	Debipur ...	705	185
106	Salunchi Jardan ...	706	187
107	Raularā ...	707	182
108	Jalrā ...	708	179
109	Ghanashyam Khurd...	709	178
110	Ghanashyam Kalan...	710	174
111	Bhagabatipur ...	711	175
112	Arazi Ghanashyam ...	712	176
113	Chak Mira ...	713	177
114	Khusnagar ...	714	165
115	Kurkuri ...	715	166
116	Sirsa ...	716	154
117	Palsa ...	717	153
118	Arazi Kurmete ...	718	152
119	Kalyanpur ...	719	151
120	Kanchannagar ...	720	150
121	Joychandpur ...	721	168
122	Banahari or Belhari ...	722	167
123	Rasulpur ...	723	169
124	Ghoga ...	724	170
125	Arazi Bonwari ...	725	171
126	Sija ...	726	172
127	Boikunthapur or Narsanda ...	727	173
128	Raugini ...	728	106
129	Rajbati ...	729	105
130	Salunchi Khurd ...	730	100
131	Pirojpur ...	731	101
132	Chandidaspur ...	732	102
133	Kalora ...	733	64
134	Khanduli ...	734	63

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Dubrajpur.	Revenue Survey No.
135	Darchandra ...	735	62
136	Sahiara ...	736	61
137	Teliadanga ...	737	60
138	Mandarbati ...	738	26
139	Golampur ...	739	59
140	Bhatkati ...	740	58
141	Dostabad ...	741	31
142	Burihat ...	742	32
143	Manikpur ...	743	56
144	Radhanathpur ...	744	55
145	Mohanpur ...	745	54
146	Mohanpur ...	746	53
147	Panch Tentuli ...	747	52
148	Rohabala ...	748	51
149	Chickhdihi ...	749	50
150	Saralpur ...	750	49
151	Aradangali ...	751	48
152	Kanchanpur ...	752	47
153	Kaliprosadpur ...	753	83
154	Dulanpur ...	754	248
155	Kalusona ...	755	247
156	Barli Deopara or Baraul ...	756	243
157	Arazi Amdiha ...	757	244
158	Gopinathpur or Saukarpur ...	758	241
159	Chak Durgajani ...	759	242
160	Chak Chikarpur ...	760	240
161	Ranbara ...	761	239
162	Khuskbash ...	762	245
163	Sarmath ...	763	45
164	Senar ...	764	46
165	Takipur ...	765	44
166	Bunmare ...	766	43
167	Panoria or Panchira ...	767	42
168	Akur ...	768	41
169	Burihat ...	769	40
170	Bhorkona ...	770	39
171	Mirpur ...	771	33
172	Burihat ...	772	35
173	Dolgobindapur ...	773	38
174	Lenra	774	37
175	Matagoan ...	775	36
176	Itakona ...	776	34
177	Rajchandrapur ...	777	30
178	Dhuliara ...	778	29
179	Shahpur Nain ...	779	28
180	Mahammadbagar ...	780	27
181	Shahpur ...	781	20
182	Kazipara ...	782	21
183	Silanpur or Salarpur	783	22
184	Pratappur ...	784	24
185	Protapur ...	785	23
186	Arazi Protapur ...	786	25
187	Atahpur ...	787	103
188	Damdama ...	788	104
189	Koita	789	107
190	Bhatgoan ...	790	108
191	Joyrampur ...	791	109
192	Mukundanagar or Bankar.	792	110
193	Kharjudihi ...	793	114
194	Palashi ...	794	115
195	Rajamara ...	795	113
196	Balua ...	796	112
197	Jasamantapur ...	797	111
198	Saulka Daba ...	798	19
199	Sukdebpur ...	799	18
200	Kamardanga ...	800	17
201	Alipur ...	801	15
202	Saulkaban ...	802	16
203	Jamuri ...	803	161
204	Chak Bara ...	804	158
205	Chandpur Nanbad ...	805	162
206	Saulkaban ...	806	14
207	Tabala	807	13
208	Kocla	808	12
209	Saulkaban ...	809	11
210	Kocla	810	10
211	Sirsha	811	6
212	Babupur ...	812	5
213	Beraltari ...	813	4
214	Shikarpur ...	814	7
215	Tabala	815	9
216	Muddihi	816	8
217	Kadua	817	163
218	Alinagar ...	818	1
219	Muradpur or Dolaipur	819	2
220	Chak Singhee ...	820	3
221	Maipur ...	821	241
222	Sela	822	242
223	Krishnapur ...	823	243
224	Anantapur ...	824	119
225	Talibpur ...	825	118
226	Sultanpur ...	826	117
227	Khustikuri ...	827	116
228	Anaipur ...	828	201
229	Hansara or Alachak ...	829	135
230	Chakali or Khustikuri	830	136
231	Ekusara ...	831	137
232	Ekdala ...	832	138
233	Chak Bajlandi ...	833	140
234	Barampur ...	834	139
235	Kalyanpur or Gadian	835	149
236	Kurmete ...	836	148
237	Jahanabad ...	837	147
238	Arazi Kandpur ...	838	146
239	Mandar ...	839	145
240	Alandi ...	840	141
241	Makra ...	841	142
242	Kandpur ...	842	143

No. 12404P.—The 30th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4(*l*)(*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* as relates to the jurisdiction of Dubrajpur police-station, in thana Dubrajpur, in the district of Birbhum, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Birbhum.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Dubrajpur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Kharbani ...	232	34
2	Baidyanathpur ...	240	310
3	Protappur ...	241	311
4	Pailapur ...	242	3
5	Lakshminarayanpur ...	243	312
6	Kholakuri ...	244	2
7	Koranjore ...	245	5
8	Chak Dulehpur ...	246	6
9	Shyamsundarpur ...	247	8
10	Agoa ...	248	7
11	Chak Maniram ...	249	23
12	Madanpur ...	255	18
13	Chak Thakurdas ...	281	122
14	Chak Raghunath ...	287	244

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Dubrajpur.	Revenue survey No.
15	Chak Chand ...	288	111
16	Chak Ramgopal ...	289	112
17	Udhi ...	290	113
18	Chak Purusathampur	291	108
19	Bankati ...	292	90
20	Panch Pakhuria ...	293	107
21	Belsura ...	294	106
22	Koilakori ...	295	125
23	Modi Pakri ...	296	104
24	Kapastara ...	299	153
25	Chak Manik ...	300	16
26	Chak Madanpur ...	301	17
27	Kampastari ...	302	13
28	Chak Sangram ...	303	15
29	Chak Narsingh ...	304	14
30	Bankati ...	305	10
31	Chak Nathu ...	306	12
32	Horakbani ...	307	11
33	Rupnarainpur ...	308	9
34	Batjore	309	52
35	Immambandhi ...	310	154
36	Majea	311	105
37	Patanpur ...	312	87
38	Bankati	313	88
39	Bandhura ...	314	89
40	Bhagyaram ...	315	109
41	Chak Bagh Balaram ...	316	110
42	Pirojpur ...	317	91
43	Kakutia... ...	318	242
44	Chak Ganesh ...	319	243
45	Bharpandihi ...	320	241
46	Chakpardesia or Parusathamchak ...	321	247
47	Anjor	322	240
48	Bajasola... ...	323	248
49	Ratanpur ...	342	225
50	Arazi Bamanpatera ...	353	249
51	Banpatera ...	354	238
52	Rampathal ...	355	239
53	Mahesh Bathan ...	356	237
54	Patarganj ...	357	218
55	Sanjore ...	358	219
56	Jerusalazar or Chernabazar ...	359	221
57	Chak Hiraman ...	360	220
58	Rasidpur ...	361	224
59	Fatehpur ...	362	223
60	Surjyapur ...	363	222
61	Arazi Fatehpur ...	364	202
62	Bolita ..	365	203
63	Parulbona ...	366	201
64	Sikidanga ...	367	205
65	Nathnagar ...	368	204
66	Paharpur ...	369	206
67	Mallickpur ...	370	212
68	Chak Birambati ...	371	211
69	Chak Basanta ...	372	214
70	Pajera ...	373	217
71	Chak Basantapur ...	374	216
72	Bebeharpur ...	375	215
73	Maheshpur ...	376	213
74	Parsida ...	377	113
75	Ray Hoseinpur ...	378	112
76	Dubrajpurkaram ...	379	111
77	Idalpur or Pattapur ...	380	110
78	Imampur ...	381	109
79	Patlapur ...	382	100
80	Ararkunda ...	383	99
81	Chakkuria ..	384	98
82	Chak Sadar ...	385	97
83	Pirupur ...	386	96
84	Banmahamadpur ...	387	92
85	Chak Kabir ...	388	93
86	Lakrakunda ...	389	95
87	Kakuria ...	390	103
88	Bejiganj ...	391	102
89	Kumar Bandura ...	392	94
90	Dewanpur ...	393	86
91	Darpanghar ...	394	85
92	Phulwari ...	395	84
93	Mangalpur ...	396	54
94	Chak Bishnu ...	397	53
95	Mohari ...	398	55
96	Chak Amarpur ...	399	56
97	Kaithanpur ...	400	48
98	Hatibari ...	401	50
99	Chak Gobinda ...	402	51
100	Chak Jamal ...	403	49
101	Baghasulia ...	404	42
102	Chak Ram Narayan ...	405	41
103	Haruha ...	406	40
104	Panchpukhuria ...	407	43
105	Atula or Umabani ...	408	45
106	Chak Barijola ...	409	46
107	Phalgu ...	410	44
108	Kedarbandh ...	411	39
109	Rautnandi ...	412	20
110	Gopalnagar or Belbunia ...	413	1
111	Arazi Gopalpur ...	414	300
112	Chak Godhanga ...	415	301
113	Ghashbera ...	416	299
114	Gopalpur ...	417	302
115	Rampur ...	418	303
116	Godadharpur ...	419	304
117	Puramee or Manchak	420	297
118	Chak Shibpur ...	421	298
119	Arazi Haridaspur ...	422	296
120	Bahadurganj ...	423	295
121	Jitwa ...	424	289
122	Mahala ...	425	290
123	Godadharpur ...	426	294
124	Arazi Chandanpur ...	427	293
125	Arazi Cheradihi or Khoiradihi ...	428	292
126	Chakuncha or Adilka	429	291
127	Baraban ...	430	286
128	Gohaniara ...	431	284
129	Lakshmipur ...	432	285
130	Bakuleswar dihi ...	433	281
131	Manarighat or Jajurhati.	434	280
132	Haridaspur ...	435	279
133	Arazi Bakuleswar ...	436	278
134	Aschouli ...	437	19
135	Bitha ...	438	21
136	Balaram ...	439	38
137	Sudhirajpur ...	440	37
138	Chak Kamardaha ...	441	36
139	Chaglatakundu ...	442	35
140	Khojambash ...	443	34
141	Gurua or Unda ...	444	26
142	Mukujmahal ...	445	25
143	Chakshalbam ...	446	24
144	Chaksaidbani ...	447	23
145	Lakshmibipur Lakshmibandh.	448	22
146	Honori ...	449	18
147	Jhaudanga ...	450	15
148	Panditpur ...	451	14
149	Laltabani ...	452	12
150	Sriguria ...	453	13
151	Chak Bagkhala ...	454	11
152	Bherapatri ...	455	10
153	Chak Amrakundu ...	456	9
154	Parulnalbuna ...	457	7
155	Chak Baki ...	458	270
156	Chak Tamulihari ...	459	269
157	Sherpur ...	460	268
158	Simultari ...	461	267
159	Arazi Akbarpur ...	462	265
160	Arazi Murtazapur ...	463	264
161	Arazi Murtazapur ...	464	266
162	Padmapur ...	465	263
163	Bhaladaha ...	466	272
164	Dakhanda ...	467	271
165	Murgatala ...	468	274
166	Gobindapur ...	469	273

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167	Methila ...	470	275
168	Metiala	471	16
169	Mirgatala ...	472	17
170	Khanpur ...	473	276
171	Chak Bhand or Chatrela ...	474	277
172	Haridaspur ...	475	282
173	Akbarpur ...	476	283
174	Milagaon ...	477	221
175	Srirampur ...	478	260
176	Telabani or Palashbani	479	261
177	Arazi Padmapur ...	480	262
178	Simlakoori ...	481	259
179	Dibhanga ...	482	258
180	Rajganj ...	483	257
181	Satkindori ...	528	75
182	Nanagram ...	529	65
183	Asdulla	530	64
184	Milna	531	8
185	Neurghar ...	532	27
186	Manjuri ...	533	28
187	Munidihi ...	534	63
188	Chak Jamalpur ...	535	30
189	Panditpur ...	536	31
190	Chanpur ...	537	33
191	Bahadurganj ...	538	58
192	Arazi Bahadurganj ...	539	29
193	Dhanabani ...	540	32
194	Rupsimuli ...	541	47
195	Daulatpur ...	542	57
196	Kundila ...	543	60
197	Harajora ...	544	59
198	Kamalpur ...	545	61
199	Mangalpur ...	546	81
200	Kamalpur ...	547	82
201	Mangalpur ...	548	106
202	Rampur ...	549	105
203	Bahadurpur ...	550	83
204	Chandipur ...	551	104
205	Mahanla ...	552	101
206	Gurguria ...	553	108
207	Gakru ...	554	107
208	Raguri ...	555	117
209	Dhankunda ...	556	121
210	Nawapara ...	557	116
211	Dhogaon ...	558	114
212	Dhalnai ...	559	115
213	Madanpur ...	560	123
214	Dharmapur ...	561	191
215	Sildhari or Tilandhuri	562	192
216	Chak Hunel ...	563	193
217	Muraipur ...	564	194
218	Chak Charua ...	565	196
219	Paighar ...	566	195
220	Parasurambati .	567	209
221	Laborsal ...	568	208
222	Saifullabad ...	569	210
223	Junidpur ...	570	207
224	Kaliganj ...	571	197
225	Ahmedpur ...	572	198
226	Kadipur ...	573	199
227	Arazi Debaipur ...	574	187
228	Chapela ...	575	200
229	Bharra ...	576	188
230	Arazi Dabaipur ...	577	186
231	Dabaipur ...	578	185
232	Juphlai ...	579	172
233	Kanaipur ...	580	189
234	Bhagbatganj ...	581	190
235	Uttardaha ...	582	171
236	Chitgaon ...	585	170
237	Rasulpur ...	584	169
238	Dhubandha ...	585	124
239	Chak Damaipur ...	586	125
240	Lakumipur ...	587	120
241	Ghorapatha ...	588	281
242	Chak Bhehand ...	589	119
243	Chak Pahari ...	590	118
244	Chak Garu ...	591	128
245	Parsul ...	592	127
246	Pratappur ...	593	131
247	Dhiarpur ...	594	132
248	Phaturjhapuri ...	595	133
249	Chak Damudarpur ...	596	135
250	Chak Kani. ...	597	134
251	Karasurri ...	598	129
252	Mrityunjoy ...	599	130
253	Islampur Gird ...	600	78
254	Chak Milik ...	601	79
255	Chak Binda ...	602	72
256	Kurma ...	603	73
257	Chak Tara ...	604	70
258	Chak Ashok ...	605	69
259	Lalbazar ...	606	71
260	Banugal ...	607	80
261	Dubrajpur Jangal ...	608	62
262	Chathati ...	609	68
263	Chak Jambad ...	610	67
264	Biliasuni ...	611	66
265	Siru ...	612	74
266	Chak Chamru ...	613	76
267	Islampur ...	614	77
268	Andarbani ...	615	136
269	Dhamurio ...	617	137
270	Barkatipur or Bajorpur	618	140
271	Asatganj ...	619	139
272	Kundhula ...	620	141
273	Jalalpur ...	621	126
274	Bazidpur ...	622	168
275	Champanagari ...	623	167
276	Hoscinganj ...	624	166
277	Chak Jitu ...	625	165
278	Simuldihi ...	626	164
279	Chak Sajha ...	627	142
280	Chak Gundiganj ...	630	146
281	Saifullabad ...	631	145
282	Aulia ...	632	163
283	Melagaon ...	633	175
284	Hard Barari ...	634	174
285	Takinagar ...	635	173
286	Palashdanga ...	636	184
287	Sonba ...	637	183
288	Barari ...	638	182
289	Chak Sanga ...	639	180
290	Chak Sanga ...	640	181
291	Chak Bala ...	641	179
292	Kamalpur ...	642	2205
293	Kota ...	643	2206
294	Kamalpur ...	644	178
295	Chandipur ...	645	2204
296	Dharmapur ...	646	177
297	Gopalpur ...	664	147

No. 12405P.—The 30th October 1916.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Ahmedpur within Bolpur thana in the district of Birbhum.

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2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (l) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said investigating centre shall be a police-station

and that the said police-station shall include the local areas specified below:—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Bolpur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Harishpur ...	1	159
2	Arazi Harishpur ...	2	157
3	Kasurhat ...	3	156
4	Chaksutbania ...	4	155
5	Khatipur ...	5	154
6	Arazi Srikantipur ...	6	164
7	Parbatipur ...	7	153
8	Arazi Jamuri ...	8	165
9	Pianandapur ...	9	166
10	Parbatipur, Manmanda	10	169
11	Arazi Bhulaipur ...	11	170
12	Bhulaipur ...	12	167
13	Arazi Parbatipur ...	13	168
14	Arazi Bhulaipur ...	14	152
15	Srikantapur ...	15	143
16	Dongaria ...	16	142
17	Chak Durgapur ...	17	145
18	Arazi Ekrahat. ...	18	144
19	Sultanpur ...	19	171
20	Emadpur ...	20	172
21	Anguldihi ...	21	224
22	Arazi Emadpur ...	22	225
23	Chak Gatipur or Kanakpur ...	23	217
24	Chak Gatipur or Kanakpur ...	24	220
25	Chak Gatipur or Kanakpur ...	25	221
26	Arazi Badalpur ...	26	229
27	Arazi Badalpur ...	27	226
28	Arazi Badalpur ...	28	228
29	Chak Gatipur or Kanakpur ...	29	222
30	Kanakpur ...	30	219
31	Gurguria ...	31	173
32	Chak Gatipur ...	32	216
33	Jogipur ...	33	215
34	Chak Gatipur or Kanakpur. ...	34	223
35	Bhagaria ...	35	218
36	Arazi Badalpur ...	36	233
37	Badalpur ...	37	227
38	Chak Badalpur ...	38	232
39	Raypur ...	39	230
40	Ahmadpur ...	40	231
41	Shahebpur or Mirzapur	41	240
42	Kabirpur ...	43	237
43	Bhurkunda Sohla ...	44	236
44	Thanudari Sohla ...	45	235
45	Bhalaguria ...	46	234
46	Chak Khalil Rahaman	305	80
47	Bhabanandapur ...	306	79
48	Debgaon ...	307	200
49	Arazi Gansanagar ...	308	199
50	Arazi Dheka ...	309	198
51	Surutia ...	310	201
52	Haridaspur ...	318	209
53	Tegharia ...	319	197
54	Nabakrishnapur ...	320	196
55	Badura ...	321	195
56	Arazi Gansanagar or Bela ...	322	194
57	Chak Padampur ...	323	193
58	Dhanul ...	324	192
59	Sindabandh ...	325	191
60	Sundarpur ...	326	190
61	Bandui ...	327	211
62	Machuara ...	328	210
63	Mahulara ...	329	212
64	Neori ...	330	213
65	Sahebpur or Mirzapur	331	214
66	Rasaipur ...	332	174
67	Manjhigaon ...	333	176
68	Chak Monapur ...	334	175
69	Supaspur ...	335	98
70	Mokaipur ...	336	99
71	Haladharpur ...	337	109
72	Arazi Gopalpur ...	338	108
73	Kala Jangal ...	339	107
74	Kanaipur ...	340	106
75	Arazi Gharghuria ...	341	100
76	Asnajol ...	342	105
77	Matharagaria ...	343	104
78	Kanaipur ...	344	101
79	Mohishgaria ...	345	102
80	Bankhita ...	346	103
81	Bhabanadapur ...	347	125
82	Arazi Ekrahat ...	348	138
83	Arazi Alinagar ...	349	127
84	Shikarpur ...	350	126
85	Arazi Ekrahat ...	351	136
86	Arazi Ekrahat ...	352	139
87	Arazi Ekrahat ...	353	140
88	Arazi Ekrahat ...	354	141
89	Arazi Ekrahat ...	355	135
90	Arazi Ekrahat ...	356	137
91	Arazi Ekrahat ...	357	128
92	Kihora ...	358	129
93	Jama Jalkar ...	359	121
94	Jalaipur ...	360	122
95	Godadharpur ...	361	123
96	Paramananda ...	362	124
97	Gopalpur ...	363	110
98	Bari Ramcharan ...	364	244
99	Arazi Chandipur ...	365	111
100	Arazi Chandipur ...	366	112
101	Hazrapur or Chandipur.	367	113
102	Ekra ...	368	85
103	Saluka ...	369	79
104	Chak Kabirajpur ...	370	78
105	Amarpur ...	371	80
106	Ganeshpur ...	372	81
107	Arazi Ganeshpur ...	373	82
108	Bhaluksunda ...	374	84
109	Saluka ...	375	83
110	Ganeshpur ...	376	86
111	Madhupur ...	377	87
112	Birsingh ...	378	89
113	Kubirgaria ...	379	91
114	Ramaipur ...	380	88
115	Bhabaipur ...	381	94
116	Kanaipur ...	382	95
117	Chak Madanpur ...	383	97
118	Madanpur ...	384	96
119	Joyrampur ...	385	177
120	Mansadihi ...	386	178
121	Madanpur Pealdanga...	387	179
122	Mahulasul ...	388	70
123	Mandipur ...	389	180
124	Arazi Mahulasul ...	390	67
125	Nangaon ...	391	182
126	Chak Ramnagar ...	392	110
127	Arazi Manaipur ...	393	14
128	Malarpur ...	394	111
129	Arazi Mallarpur ...	395	112
130	Nangaon ...	396	185
131	Arazi Mohulasole ...	397	181
132	Arazi Nangaon ...	398	183
133	Arazi Mohulasal ...	399	184
134	Narayanpur ...	400	12
135	Arazi Mallarpur ...	401	113
136	Munaipur ...	402	13
137	Pratappur ...	403	65
138	Arazi Chandipur ...	404	66
139	Sukbazar ...	405	69
140	Dhukura ...	406	68
141	Sundanga ...	407	92
142	Lokaipur ...	408	90
143	Mohulasole ...	409	93

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144	Sashidharpur ...	410	71
145	Arazi Mahulasal ...	411	72
146	Kanaipur ...	412	73
147	Arazi Sashidharpur ...	413	74
148	Suraipur ...	414	75
149	Radhua or Amdehra ...	415	59
150	Saldanga ...	416	57
151	Khoirbani ...	417	58
152	Karamsha ...	418	55
153	Sankaldihi ...	419	56
154	Paharpur Nij ...	420	76
155	Chak Benakuri ...	421	77
156	Juitia ...	422	254
157	Chak Mukunda ...	423	253
158	Arazi Thakurgaon ...	424	252
159	Iswardihi ...	425	52
160	Khaspur ...	426	54
161	Arazi Karamsha ...	427	53
162	Chak Dibakar ...	428	60
163	Dhankur ...	429	61
164	Arazi Dibakar ...	430	62
165	Nimgadia ...	431	63
166	Ghoshnagar ...	432	9
167	Sundarpur ...	433	64
168	Hiranandapur or Kamardanga ...	434	11
169	Gopalnagar ...	435	186
170	Chak Narainpur ...	436	187
171	Chak Kathaipur ...	437	188
172	Arazi Fakirpur ...	438	44
173	Dheka ...	439	189
174	Ghoshnagar ...	440	45
175	Chak Jyotishi ...	441	46
176	Krishnapur ...	442	47
177	Arazi Sibrampur ...	443	43
178	Sibram ...	444	42
179	Kasba ...	445	18
180	Chak Basur ...	446	19
181	Krishnarampur ...	447	20
182	Chandragaon ...	448	26
183	Chakmudibati ...	449	25
184	Chakmitra ...	450	23
185	Bidyadharpur ...	451	28
186	Namdarpur ...	461	59
187	Monoharpur ...	462	58
188	Asdullapur ...	463	57
189	Kamalakantapur ...	464	34
190	Chandipur ...	465	36
191	Chak Manjhikhan ...	466	35
192	Upar Khanjan ...	467	38
193	Arazi Hariampur ...	468	37
194	Habibullapur ...	469	27
195	Chak Submanpur ...	470	39
196	Pandanangram ...	471	40
197	Pabatijal ...	472	56
198	Kismat Benidharpur	473	55
199	Srikrishnapadi ...	474	54
200	Arazi Shahira ...	475	51
201	Parasurampur ...	476	48
202	Arazi Shibanandpur ...	477	49
203	Kheradihi ...	478	50
204	Arazi Shibanandapur	479	52
205	Arazi Shibanandapur...	480	53
206	Srichandrapur ...	481	63
207	Arazi Bishnubati ...	482	62
208	Arazi Bishnubati ...	483	61
209	Bishnubati ...	484	60
210	Chak Sridhar ...	538	21
211	Darul Sela ...	539	114
212	Arazi Majujamganj ...	540	119
213	Arazi Ghoshnagar ...	541	118
214	Arazi Ghoshnagar ...	542	117
215	Arazi Ghoshnagar ...	543	115
216	Arazi Ghoshnagar ...	544	116
217	Sitalpur ...	545	123
218	Ramsundarpur ...	546	120
219	Chak Lachon ...	547	121
220	Gopinathpur ...	548	122
221	Sarbanandapur ...	555	127
222	Kuluharpur ...	556	35
223	Debanandanpur ...	557	34
224	Damdama ...	558	124
225	Lalbazar ...	559	125
226	Arazi Gausnagar ...	560	126
227	Harishpur or Adildihi	561	33
228	Arazi Kanuraypur ...	562	37
229	Arazi Kuraipur ..	563	36
230	Arazi Kuraipur ...	564	39
231	Arazi Ballavpur ...	565	40
232	Arazi Tripurari ...	566	41
233	Kanuraypur ...	567	42
234	Arazi Tripurari ...	568	43
235	Kabirajpur ...	569	28
236	Chakudaypur ...	570	27
237	Sriramchakrabartypur	571	47
238	Guraipur ...	572	48
239	Purandarpur ...	573	49
240	Sibpur	574	41
241	Sidhaipur ...	575	46
242	Tripurari ...	576	44
243	Kanuraypur ...	577	45
244	Kanaurpur ...	578	1
245	Aribadpur ...	579	38
246	Dalbari ...	580	15
247	Majujamganj ...	581	16
248	Raypur or Damudarpur	582	17
249	Gandabpur ...	583	10
250	Rasurpara ...	584	8
251	Arazi Jayrampur ...	585	7
252	Harinath ...	586	6
253	Misrapur ...	587	5
254	Khosalnarayanpur ...	588	4
255	Palasdanga ...	589	2
256	Chak Kanchan ...	590	3
257	Bataslipur ...	591	50
258	Karamsha ...	592	51
259	Sibpur ...	593	249
260	Arazi Karmasha ...	594	284
261	Byaspur ...	595	285
262	Arazi Shibpur ...	596	248
263	Chak Jhakdaha ...	597	247
264	Chak Mahaddipur ...	598	246
265	Tikurdaha ...	599	245
266	Kusumjatra ...	600	243
267	Thakurgaon ...	601	242
268	Chak Mukunda ...	602	241
269	Yasufpur or Iswarpur	603	239
270	Narayanpur, Buzrung	604	240
271	Bagabatipur ...	605	244
272	Gazalnagar ...	606	4
273	Gobindapur ...	607	6
274	Lahona ...	608	7
275	Udha ...	609	71
276	Uchitpur ...	610	8
277	Chak Haripur ...	611	9
278	Shibpur ...	612	11
279	Badgh osha ...	613	12
280	Baidyanathpur ...	614	286
281	Arazi Gangpur ...	615	250
282	Sibpur ...	616	251
283	Gangpur ...	617	10
284	Arazi Saraipur ...	618	13
285	Arazi Saraipur ...	619	14
286	Bazar ...	620	7
287	Kusaiber ...	621	8
288	Chandpur ...	622	20
289	Arazi Srikrishnapur ...	623	21
290	Srikrishnapur ...	624	23
291	Arazi Shibpur ...	625	22
292	Narayanpur ...	626	24
293	Arazi Sulemanpur ...	627	25
294	Tikoripur ...	628	26
295	Ballavpur ...	629	29
296	Sulemanpur ...	630	19
297	Amarpur ...	631	18
298	Gopikantapur ...	632	17
299	Arazi Sundarpati ...	633	246
300	Arazi Amarpur ...	634	30
301	Gurguria ..	635	31
302	Sujaipur ...	636	32
303	Arazi Sundarbati ...	637	248
304	Arazi Sujaipur ...	638	245

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305	Ratanpur ...	639	133
306	Gobindbala ...	640	134
307	Sibnathpur ...	641	14
308	Sripatipur or Jajpur ...	642	13
309	Haripur ...	643	140
310	Gururpur ...	644	15
311	Rajyadharpur ...	645	247
312	Beduria ...	646	16
313	Sribishnupur ...	647	9
314	Ramjibanpur ...	648	5
315	Sibrampur ...	649	6
316	Arazi Ramjibanpur ...	650	98
317	Kala ...	651	4
318	Sibrampur ...	653	10
319	Patharghat ...	664	14
320	Kupmahal ...	667	10
321	Kansaripara ...	668	12
322	Arazi Kultikri ...	669	5
323	Arazi Paramanandapur	670	2
324	Arazi Bastghat ...	671	3
325	Arazi Paramanandapur	672	4
326	Hatbari ...	673	11
327	Kultikri or Kapastikri	674	21
328	Bolpur ...	675	6
329	Arazi Kultikri ...	676	9
330	Arazi Paramanadapur	677	7
331	Sathaoha ...	679	135
332	Chak Saldanga ...	680	138
333	Barukha ...	681	137
334	Gopalpur or Laldaha	682	136
335	Kultikri ...	683	13
336	Jaljalia ...	693	23
337	Raghutia or Baukutia	694	31
338	Chak Gopalbati ...	695	32
339	Arazi Gopalbati ...	696	33
340	Arazi Raghutia ...	697	24
341	Arazi Gopalbati ...	698	34

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No. 1240 6 P.—The 30th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (1) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of Notification No. 764J.-D., dated the 12th May 1904, published at pages 738—742, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 25th May 1904, as relates to the jurisdiction of Illambazar police-station in thana Bolpur, in the district of Birbhum, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Bolpur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Arazi Shahebpur ...	42	239
2	Mangaldihi ...	47	238
3	Bamandihi ...	48	122
4	Srirampur or Panjiara	49	121
5	Gopalbag ...	50	120
6	Dhanshahu ...	51	134
7	Takipur ...	52	123
8	Bamandihi ...	53	124
9	Arazi Hasratpur ...	54	125
10	Arazi Shahpur ...	55	131
11	Hasra or Bharipur ...	56	130
12	Arazi Hazratpur ...	57	129
13	Shahpur or Shahapur	58	128
14	Hazratpur ...	59	127
15	Hoseinpur or Amladihi	60	99
16	Dulani ...	61	102
17	Narainpur Ghorkura...	62	40
18	Kurai ...	63	41
19	Charbandi ...	64	42
20	Lanjha ...	65	43
21	Arazi Prasadpur ...	66	44
22	Rakaipur ...	67	133
23	Chak Dhanu ...	68	132
24	Jamundalpur ...	69	46
25	Prasadpur ...	70	45
26	Hasra ...	71	47
27	Ishapur ...	72	39
28	Grawat ...	73	48
29	Padmabati ...	74	67
30	Chak Gaonpur ...	75	68
31	Shibrambati ...	76	144
32	Chakrup ...	77	79
33	Harishpur ...	78	78
34	Nolaumra ...	79	77
35	Arazi Jagiram, Bazcafti	80	73
36	Arazi Jagiram, Bazcafti	81	76
37	Arazi Jagiram, Bazcafti	82	72
38	Arazi Nolaumra ...	83	74
39	Arazi Jagiram Bajeafti	84	75
40	Nalkula ...	85	70
41	Maijidpur ...	86	71
42	Dompur or Domanpur	87	69
43	Arazi Domanpur ...	88	95
44	Domanpur ...	89	96
45	Sagarkacha ...	90	93
46	Paikuni ...	91	94
47	Nripati Gaon ...	92	86
48	Saraupur ...	93	80
49	Nalkula Siali ...	94	81
50	Dilhira ...	95	82
51	Arazi Khandari ...	96	83
52	Arazi Khandari ...	97	84
53	Ganinathpur ...	98	85
54	Rokona ...	99	155
55	Dharampur ...	100	156
56	Sunut ...	101	89
57	Salkha ...	102	90
58	Uttorkona ...	103	18
59	Baikunthapur or Tarapur.	104	19
60	Rangpur ...	105	21
61	Fatehpur or Maragachi	106	23
62	Bahoragachi ...	107	22
63	Kharui ...	108	16
64	Nabagram Bara ...	109	11
65	Sirsa ...	110	12
66	Chak Paran ...	111	15
67	Chak Rasik ...	112	14
68	Sukdala ...	113	13
69	Akdala ...	114	27
70	Beluria ...	115	26
71	Tikorbeta ...	116	25
72	Chak Ananta ...	117	24
73	Kenduli ...	118	48
74	Shahapur ...	119	44
75	Nachipur ...	120	53
76	Jalubazar ...	121	45
77	Bhurangi ...	122	46
78	Maimarul ...	123	47
79	Pahurhant ...	124	48
80	Mudira ...	125	49
81	Ballalpur ...	126	50
82	Santoshpur ...	127	56
83	Ansaria ...	128	55
84	Bhubanpur ...	129	51
85	Raghunathpur ...	130	52

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Bolpur.	Revenue Survey No.
86	Sugria Huda ...	131	177
87	Chak Chhota ...	132	54
88	Chak Nijha ...	133	175
89	Arazi Khurdapur ...	134	174
90	Nikina ...	135	176
91	Rakibpur ...	136	178
92	Laikbazar ...	137	180
93	Khurdapur ...	138	179
94	Udaypur ...	139	172
95	Narayanpur Kapastikuri ...	140	171
96	Pratappur ...	141	170
97	Bharatpur ...	142	165
98	Sripur ...	143	166
99	Parasurampur ...	144	169
100	Dumrauni ...	145	173
101	Ishapur ...	146	91
102	Bhabanipur ...	147	20
103	Srikrishnapur ...	148	88
104	Tilaur	149	87
105	Sripur or Kundi ...	150	92
106	Debipur ...	151	168
107	Pandu	152	167
108	Arazi Baruipur ...	153	103
109	Mehendiganj ...	154	102
110	Baruipur ...	155	100
111	Radhanathpur ...	156	99
112	Arazi Rambati ...	157	145
113	Arazi Baruipur ...	158	101
114	Narsingpur ...	159	105
115	Arazi Debipur ...	160	106
116	Mirzapur ...	161	107
117	Jat Sankar ...	162	141
118	Arazi Narsingpur ...	163	143
119	Arazi Narsingpur ...	164	144
120	Baruipur ...	165	147
121	Arazi Rambati ...	166	104
122	Arazi Narsingpur ...	167	146
123	Arazi Narsingpur ...	168	148
124	Arazi Narsingpur ...	169	150
125	Arazi Rambati ...	170	158
126	Sabekbazar ...	171	149
127	Gourbazar ...	172	155
128	Arazi Sabekbazar ...	173	156
129	Debipur ...	174	153
130	Arazi Narsingpur ...	175	151
131	Debipur ...	176	152
132	Gangapur ...	177	163
133	Arazi Chaturbhujpur	178	162
134	Arazi Debipur ...	179	154
135	Mehdibazar ...	180	161
136	Hatchandni ...	181	157
137	Raghunathpur ...	182	159
138	Arazi Rambati ...	183	160
139	Chaturbhujpur ...	184	136
140	Ramchandrapur ...	185	137
141	Arazi Chaturbhujpur	186	138
142	Bhagabatipur ...	187	139
143	Hazrapur or Barwaritola.	188	142
144	Nangaon ...	189	140
145	Kanaipur ...	190	110
146	Arazi Nangaon ...	191	109
147	Mamarul ...	192	56
148	Murandihi ...	193	55
149	Jotgola ...	194	54
150	Majurmat ...	195	53
151	Joypur ...	196	57
152	Jagannathpur ...	197	59
153	Brajanathpur ...	198	60
154	Arazi Joypur ...	199	61
155	Alampur ...	200	58
156	Aliganj ...	201	108
157	Narsinghpur ...	202	62
158	Jalalnagar ...	203	64
159	Arazi Raghunathpur...	204	63
160	Arazi Raghunathpur...	205	97
161	Kadimpuskarni ...	206	98
162	Panjira ...	207	66
163	Raghunathpur ...	208	65
164	Gira ...	209	49
165	Narsinghati ...	210	50
166	Susumbati ...	211	51
167	Panchsuli ...	212	38
168	Susumbati ...	213	52
169	Jagannathpur-Malikona	214	32
170	Kata ...	215	37
171	Jagannathpur ...	216	36
172	Jagannathpur ...	217	33
173	Shibpur ...	218	35
174	Narayanpur ...	219	19
175	Chandkundi ...	220	31
176	Arazi Harishpur ...	221	30
177	Ushaipara ...	222	20
178	Chandkundi ...	223	25
179	Harishpur ...	224	29
180	Arazi Chandkundi ...	225	28
181	Arazi Chandkundi ...	226	26
182	Arazi Chandkundi ...	227	27
183	Pratappur ...	228	115
184	Arazi Radhanagar ...	229	114
185	Belwan ...	230	112
186	Arazi Radhanagar or Ganesh.	231	113
187	Arazi Pratappur ..	232	111
188	Dhira ...	233	24
189	Chanpahari Jangal ...	234	116
190	Arazi Lakshmipur ...	235	181
191	Arazi Chandipur or Ushardihi ...	236	118
192	Arazi Lakshipur ...	237	182
193	Chak Ram Lakshan ...	238	117
194	Chandipur or Ushardihi ...	239	119
195	Ramchandrapur ...	240	129
196	Raji Ramchundrapur	241	130
197	Arazi Chandipur Ushardihi ...	242	131
198	Ramchandrapur ...	243	132
199	Nilgerria ...	244	135
200	Ramchandrapur ...	245	134
201	Atapur ...	246	133
202	Ushar ...	247	128
203	Dharampur ...	248	125
204	Arazi Lakshipur ...	249	124
205	Lakshipur ...	250	120
206	Chak Joddala ...	251	123
207	Jat Jagannathpur ...	252	184
208	Srichandrapur ...	253	127
209	Haripur or Kundal ...	254	126
210	Mehdinagar ...	255	122
211	Darunda ...	256	121
212	Ratanpur ...	257	7
213	Darunda ...	258	8
214	Arazi Jagiram Bazeafti ...	259	9
215	Ramnagar ...	260	10
216	Arazi Shaldanga ...	261	11
217	Arazi Shaldanga ...	262	12
218	Shaldanga ...	263	23
219	Anandanagar ...	264	22
220	Arazi Shaldanga ...	266	13
221	Arazi Radhakantapur	268	17
222	Nachanshaha ...	269	18
223	Sadipur ...	270	16
224	Chak Gobinda ...	290	34
225	Sultanpur ...	291	95
226	Arazi Dulani ...	292	94
227	Arazi Hinganpur ...	293	101
228	Hinganpur ...	294	100
229	Arazi Hinganpur ...	295	96
230	Arazi Hinganpur ...	296	97
231	Arazi Jagiram Bajeafti ...	509	3
232	Arazi Kulkutia ...	510	2
233	Bhagabanpur ...	512	4
234	Jhapla or Chita ...	513	6
235	Arazi Ratanpur ...	514	5

No. 12407P.—The 30th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4(*l*)(*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* as relates to the jurisdiction of Bolpur police-station in thana Bolpur, in the district of Birbhum, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Birbhum.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Bolpur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Arazi Krishnabati ...	265	21
2	Ruppur ...	267	14
3	Binodpur ...	271	133
3(a)	Binodpur ...	272	183
4	Hariraupur ...	273	15
5	Chak Palior Nakpali...	274	132
6	Monoharpur ...	275	73
7	Hoseinabad ...	276	74
8	Moula ...	277	134
9	Arazi Hoseinabad ...	278	76
10	Hadaspur ...	279	77
11	Amkunda ...	280	78
12	Sundipur ...	281	89
13	Bishnugaria ...	282	86
14	Chak Darbesh ...	283	87
15	Chak Shahapur ...	284	88
16	Arazi Darbesh ...	285	90
17	Arazi Darbesh ...	286	91
18	Bishungaria ...	287	92
19	Chak Khalil ...	288	93
20	Faridpur — ...	289	135
21	Arazi Hoseinpur or Amladihi ...	297	98
22	Beramari ...	298	126
23	Narayanpur Khurd ...	299	200
24	Kashipur ...	300	83
25	Surabari ...	301	84
26	Chak Khalil ...	302	85
27	Sauch ...	303	82
28	Bhudhar ...	304	81
29	Arazi Narayanpur ...	311	203
30	Beramari ...	312	206
31	Malatipur ...	313	204
32	Narayanpur Khurd ...	314	205
33	Shaha or Palsha ...	315	207
34	Keora ...	316	202
35	Mohulara ...	317	208
36	Debaki Nandanpur ...	452	33
37	Kabimohonpur ...	453	32
38	Hrishikeshpur ...	454	31
39	Ballavpur ...	455	119
40	Danuari ...	456	124
41	Arazi Panwaria ...	457	122
42	Arazi Panwaria ...	458	121
43	Arazi Panwaria ...	459	120
44	Aliabad ...	460	123
45	Keshga ...	485	64
46	Satra or Sotuna ...	486	75
47	Kandipur ...	487	65
48	Chak Krishnabati ...	488	66
49	Jat Gopal ...	489	67
50	Saradihi ...	490	68
51	Suknathpur ...	491	69
52	Kenduadanga ...	492	72
53	Arazi Gadadhar ...	493	70
54	Monoharpur ...	494	71
55	Arazi Lalbazar or Sadippur ...	495	103
56	Arazi Lalbazar ...	496	104
57	Arazi Lalbazar ...	497	105
58	Arazi Lalbazar ...	498	106
59	Arazi Lalbazar ...	499	107
60	Arazi Lalbazar ...	500	108
61	Arazi Lalbazar ...	501	109
62	Lalbazar ...	502	125
63	Arazi Gausnagar ...	503	126
64	Sarifbazar ...	504	127
65	Islampur ...	505	128
66	Panwaria ...	506	129
67	Arazi Panwaria ...	507	131
68	Parbatinura ...	508	130
69	Meladipur ...	511	1
70	Purusattompur ...	515	36
71	Srikrishnapur ...	516	37
72	Radhanagar ...	517	34
73	Saldanga ...	518	32
74	Kalkutia ...	519	35
75	Radhanagar ...	520	31
76	Jahanabad ...	521	30
77	Raypur ...	522	29
78	Arazi Shaldanga ...	523	33
79	Chandanpur ...	524	26
80	Radhanagar ...	525	25
81	Chandipur ...	526	24
82	Srikrishnanagar or Sarul ...	527	116
83	Chak Rasulpur ...	528	118
84	Chak Gopal ...	529	117
85	Kashinagar ...	530	2
86	Shyambati ...	531	111
87	Arazi Debakinandanpur ...	532	29
88	Goalpara ...	533	30
89	Baradihi ...	534	115
90	Madhusudanpur ...	535	113
91	Srikrishnabati ...	536	22
92	Siuni ...	537	24
93	Moheshadal ...	549	128
94	Chaturbati ...	550	112
95	Shyambati ...	551	114
96	Arazi Gopalpur ...	552	130
97	Adatpur ...	553	129
98	Arazi Jaljalia ...	554	145
99	Bargachia ...	652	11
100	Moula ...	654	139
101	Srirampur or Rampur	655	12
102	Sangri ...	656	141
103	Bagdahara ...	657	142
104	Dholtikri ...	658	143
105	Rautora ...	659	26
106	Arazi Kurma ...	660	24
107	Gopalpur ...	661	23
108	Kuchli ...	662	144
109	Arazi Khoiradihi ...	663	16
110	Arazi Khoiradihi ...	665	15
111	Amdohara ...	666	1
112	Bastghat ...	678	8
113	Sitapur ...	684	20
114	Arazi Jaljalia ...	685	19
115	Khoiradihi ...	686	17
116	Chak Reghun ...	687	18
117	Padantipur ...	688	28
118	Arazi Jaljalia ...	689	25
119	Arazi Jaljalia ...	690	26
120	Arazi Jaljalia ...	691	27
121	Arazi Padantipur ...	692	22
122	Arazi Gopalbati ...	699	137
123	Arazi Gopalbati ...	700	136
124	Chak Naugaon ...	701	132
125	Arazi Sanchpur ...	702	105
126	Domaipur ...	703	104
127	Arazi Adatpur ...	704	101
128	Chak Dishrapur ...	705	102
129	Arazi Raghutia ...	706	30
130	Ekdala ...	707	29
131	Arazi Adatpur ...	708.	103

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Bolpur.	Revenue Survey No.
132	Baidyanathpur ...	709	97
133	Sibbati ...	710	96
134	Sunat ...	711	95
135	Arazi Sanchpur ...	712	94
136	Sunga or Demara ...	713	93
137	Arazi Sanchpur ...	714	91
138	Arazi Sanchpur ...	715	92
139	Arazi Dwarkanathpur	716	89
140	Maipara ...	717	98
141	Arazi Dariapur ...	718	83
142	Arazi Dwarkanathpur	719	84
143	Sunga or Demara ...	720	88
144	Sanchpura ...	721	90
145	Arazi Baidyanathpur	722	85
146	Arazi Baidyanathpur	723	86
147	Arazi Baidyanathpur	724	87
148	Arazi Baidyanathpur	725	43
149	Arazi Islampur ...	726	44
150	Dwarkanathpur ...	727	45
151	Joykrishnapur Rambati ...	728	46
152	Arazi Sanchpur ...	729	48
153	Dariapur ...	730	47
154	Khandagaon ...	731	49
155	Arazi Khandagaon ...	732	51
156	Arazi Khandagaon ...	733	50
157	Jagnagar ...	734	52
158	Bhatura ...	735	79
159	Arazi Dariapur ...	736	80
160	Arazi Dariapur ...	737	81
161	Arazi Mallikpur ...	738	78
162	Tatarpur ...	739	75
163	Arazi Dariapur ...	740	76
164	Murtazapur Sugbazar	741	77
165	Dwarkanathpur ...	742	82
166	Islampur ...	743	99
167	Girwarpur ...	744	100
168	Ramchandrapur ...	745	106
169	Narayanpur ...	746	131
170	Makrampur ...	747	110
171	Gobindanagar ...	748	107
172	Laikbazar ...	749	108
173	Kalikapur ...	750	109
174	Ganapur ...	751	74
175	Mallikpur ...	752	73
176	Gobindpur ...	753	72
177	Mallikpur ...	754	71
178	Arazi Mallikpur ...	755	70
179	Narayanpur ...	756	5
180	Arazi Rajabpur or Phirojpur.	757	8
181	Arazi Rajabpur or Phirojpur.	758	7
182	Arazi Rajabpur or Phirojpur.	759	10
183	Arazi Rajabpur or Phirojpur.	760	9
184	Bolepur ...	761	1
185	Bahadurpur ...	762	4
186	Bhalkundi ...	763	18
187	Nurpur ...	764	3
188	Sripur ...	765	23
189	Rasulganjhaut ...	766	22
190	Sibpur Bazar ...	767	21
191	Baidyanarayanpur ...	768	27
192	Udapur ...	769	28
193	Ramchandrapur ...	770	17
194	Golabazar ...	771	20
195	Rahimpara ...	772	19
196	Burasipur ...	773	6
197	Karuabara ...	774	11
198	Chakmailipur ...	775	16
199	Madutala ...	776	15
200	Mauli ...	777	12
201	Kirdhargaon ...	778	14
202	Sibrambati ...	779	13
203	Durgapur ...	780	67
204	Arazi Bhandar ...	781	69
205	Pachsewan ...	782	66
206	Arazi Bahari ...	783	55
207	Arazi Bahari ...	784	54
208	Arazi Haraipur ..	785	53
209	Jadunandanpur ...	786	56
210	Karimpur ..	787	57
211	Arazi Gopinath ...	788	58
212	Ramganj ...	789	59
213	Ramkantapur ...	790	29
214	Kandi ...	791	60
215	Gopinathpur ...	792	64
216	Uparkhara ...	793	194
217	Arazi Sultanpur ...	794	65
218	Simulia ...	795	195
219	Radhakantapur ...	796	68
220	Simulia Bara ...	797	196
221	Haripur ...	798	192
222	Roshanpur ...	799	191
223	Etanda ...	800	188
224	Sultanpur ...	801	193
225	Madhukar ...	802	190
226	Gazipur or Gazidanga	803	63
227	Shamsundarpur ...	804	61
228	Shahanagar ...	805	62
229	Etanda ...	806	188

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Sixth Publication.]

The 25th September 1916.

No. 15.—Notification.—The following draft of a rule which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to add to the Rules for Tolly's Nala, published with notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904 (published at pages 744-46, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

11. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 8th November 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Draft Rule.

28. Whenever it is decided to close Tolly's Nala temporarily under section 3 of the Canals Act, 1864, for doing any act necessary for the improvement of the Nala, one month's notice of the intention to close it shall be given.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 24th October 1916.

No. 14R.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 52 P.-16, dated Simla, the 5th October 1916.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the agency of the Eastern Bengal Railway for a chord railway on the 5'-6" gauge from Jessore to Faridpur, a distance of about 50 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Jessore-Faridpur Railway Reconnaissance Survey.

The 24th October 1916.

No. 15R.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 16P.-16, dated Simla, the 26th September 1916.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the Assam-Bengal Railway Company, Limited, for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Comilla, a station on the Assam-Bengal Railway, to Sreemaddi, a distance of 34 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Comilla-Sreemaddi Railway Reconnaissance Survey.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

[Second publication.]

The 18th October 1916.

No. 104Marine.—The following draft of an amendment which the Governor in Council of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal intends to make in the rules under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum within that Presidency (published under Bengal Government Notification No. 143Marine, dated the 30th November 1914), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 25th November 1916, and any objections or suggestions with regard thereto, which are received by the undersigned before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft amendment.

For the figure "500" after the words "not more than" in rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules, the figure "2000" shall be *substituted*.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 30th October 1916.

No. 105Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under the provisions of section 8 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., I.C.S., is appointed to be a Commissioner for the Port of Calcutta, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan, I.C.S., with effect from the 26th October 1916.

Mr. Stevenson-Moore is also appointed to be the Chairman of the Commissioners with effect from the same date.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 31st October 1916.

No. 106Marine.—The following notification of the Government of India is republished for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1345F., dated Simla, the 27th September 1916.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Finance Department (Separate Revenue—Stamps).

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 35 of the Court-fees Act, 1870 (VII of 1870), the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit the fees chargeable under the said Act on applications for the grant of licenses issued in accordance with the provisions of any rule made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), for the possession of dangerous petroleum for use on motor vehicles and for its transport thereon for the purpose of use therein.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8196A.

No. 3792A.D.—The 27th October 1916.—Babu Sharat Chandra Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dinajpur, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Dinajpur.

No. 3805A D.—The 28th October 1916.—Maulvi Fazlur Rahman, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Khulna.

No. 3809A.D.—The 28th October 1916.—The officers, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class :—

Babu Haridas Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas,

„ Kailaspati Ghosh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Murshidabad.

„ Dwijadas Mazumdar, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Barasat, 24-Parganas.

No. 3838A.D.—The 30th October 1916.—Babu Sanat Kumar Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Midnapore.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1569D., dated Darjeeling, the 23rd October 1916.—Second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Bepin Chandra Das Gupta of the Charitable Dispensary, Jalpaiguri, on leave, is posted to Rangpur, *vice* second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Basanta Kumar Bhaumik, transferred.

No. 1572D., dated Darjeeling, the 23rd October 1916.—Second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Basanta Kumar Bhaumik, Rangpur, is appointed to the Charitable Dispensary at Jalpaiguri, *vice* second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Bepin Chandra Das Gupta, transferred.

No. 1592D., dated Darjeeling, the 25th October 1916.—Second grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Bepin Bihari Mitra of the Police Hospital, Rajshahi, is promoted to the 1st grade with effect from the 16th October 1916.

W. R. EDWARDS, M.D., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU SATYENDRA NATH DATTA, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is placed in executive charge of the Jalpaiguri Treasury from the afternoon of the 18th October 1916, *vice* Babu Bhabesh Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, transferred to Howrah, and is authorized to sign bills on other treasuries.

J. C. FRENCH, *Deputy Commissioner.*

JALPAIGURI, *the 18th October 1916.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU ASUTOSH DUTT has been placed in charge of the Pabna Sadar Treasury from the forenoon of the 12th October 1916, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

G. C. CHATTERJEE, *Collector*.

PABNA, *the 12th October 1916*.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU BISVESVAR BHATTACHARYA, in charge of the Nadia Treasury at Krishnagar, is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries from the 28th October 1916.

S. C. MUKERJEE, *Collector, Nadia*.

KRISHNAGAR, *the 28th October 1916*.

UNCOVENANTED Deputy Collector Maulvi Mahamad Abdullah is placed in charge of the Murshidabad Treasury and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, *Collector*.

MURSHIDABAD COLLECTORATE, *the 25th October 1916*.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1916 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

E. H. BRAY,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৬ সাল, তারিখ ২৭শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে যুযে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৬ সালের ২৯শে নভেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী নিষ্পত্তি করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 25th October 1916.

No. 81P.—Maulvi Kazi Imdadul Huque, Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Dacca Division, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for two months and 11 days with effect from 12th October 1916.

No 82P.—Miss Surabala Ghosh, Lecturer, Bethune College, and now Officiating Lady Principal of that College (class I of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Comilla, and in the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the date on which she joins the appointment, *vice* Miss S Webb, on leave.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2708M.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, VII of 1885, as amended by Act V (B.C.) of 1908, I appoint Mr. T. J. A. Craig to be a member of the Malda District Board *vice* Mr. C. E. Ezechiel, resigned.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 23rd October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU SANAT KUMAR MUKHERJEE, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to Midnapore.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA. *the 25th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 199R.G.—Babu Surendra Nath Banarji, No. III, Sub-Deputy Collector on leave, is posted to Narail in the district of Jessore

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-elections held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act on 14th October 1916 in the four wards of the Baidyabati Municipality in the district of Hooghly the following gentlemen have been elected Commissioners of that Municipality in place of the Commissioners of these wards who have resigned :—

Ward No. I.

Babu Hari Charan Mukherjee.
„ Becharam Sarkar.

Ward No. II.

Babu Nirmal Chandra Mukherjee.
„ Behari Lal Ganguly.

Ward No. III.

Babu Amarendra Nath Sen.
„ Benoy Nath Mukherjee.

Ward No. IV.

Babu Jatindra Nath Mukherjee.
„ Krishna Chandra Chatterjee.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 24th October 1916.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for the information of the public that the general election of the members of the Local Board of the Dacca district will be held at the time and place noted below:—

	Thana.	Place of election.	Date and hour of election.
Sadar Local Board.	Keraniganj ...	Open place near Shedheswari temple north of Dacca Town.	19th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
	Nawabganj ...	Nawabganj police-station.	20th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
	Sabhar ...	Dhamrai police-station.	18th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
	Kapasia ...	Jamalpur ...	18th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Narainganj Local Board.	Narainganj ...	Dhamgar ...	20th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
	Raipura ...	Sibpur ...	15th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
	Rupganj ...	Kanchan ...	18th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Munshiganj Local Board.	Munshiganj ...	Tangibari police-station.	18th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
	Srinagar ...	Srinagar police-station.	19th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Manikganj Local Board.	Manikganj ..	Subdivisional Office.	16th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
	Sealo ...	Gheor police-station.	15th December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.
	Harirampur ...	Lesraganj ...	21st December 1916, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M.

F. D. ASCOLI, *Offg. District Magistrate.*

DACCA, *the 17th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4741J.—Under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Hospitals and Dispensaries, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the managing committee of the Bhattapur Charitable Dispensary in the district of Dacca:—

1. Subdivisional Officer, Narayanganj ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. Sub-Inspector of Police, Baiderbazar police-station. } *Ex-officio.*
3. President of Aminpur Union ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. Babu Shyama Charan Bhoumik.
5. „ Sita Nath Choudhury.
6. Moulvi Hasmat Ahmed.
7. Babu Prasanna Kumar Bhattacharjee.
8. „ Rai Mohan Poddar.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 21st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3630J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the committees for the management of the Charitable Dispensaries at Chilmari and Bhurungamari, in the district of Rangpur:—

Chilmari.

1. Sub-Registrar, Chilmari ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. Sub-Inspector of Police, Chilmari ... }
3. Nil Kamal Bhattacharji.
4. Bherudan Bothra.
5. Delawar Hossain Mandal.
6. Gopal Chandra Ray Chowdhury.
7. Kamini Kumar De.
8. Sures Chandra Moulik.
9. Ekramulla Mandal.
10. Aftabuddin Mandal.
11. Ram Kumar Das.

Bhurungamari.

1. Sub-Inspector of Police, Bhurungamari ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Postmaster, Bhurungamari .. }
3. Babu Pulin Chandra Maitra.
4. „ Surapati Chakravarti.
5. „ Dharani Kanta Ray.
6. „ Sewjiram Chopra.
7. „ Syamlal Saha.
8. „ Rajmohan Sircar.
9. „ Doodbar Bepari.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 23rd October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4738J.—Under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Hospitals and Dispensaries, it is hereby notified for general information that the Rev. P. Noble of Uzlabo Baptist Mission has been appointed a member of the managing committee of the Sripur Charitable Dispensary, in the district of Dacca, in place of Babu Chandra Kumar Mazumdar, deceased.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 21st October 1916.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under section 47 (3) of Bengal Act V of 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the second portion of Improvement Scheme No. VII (Chitpur Spur) originally notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 11th November 1914.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST, 5, CLIVE STREET, *the 21st October 1916*

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (2) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

PLAN OF PROPOSED PUBLIC STREET No. XIX.

(*Munshi Alimuddin Street to Dharamtala Street.*) (*Diagonal.*)

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a Proposed Public Street in Wards Nos. XIII and XIV, running northward from Munshi Alimuddin Street (opposite Komedan Bagan Square), through Aga Muhammad Mehdi Street, Nawab Abdul Latif Lane, Komedan Bagan Lane, European Asylum Lane, Gardner Lane, Taltala Bazar Street, Ram Sankar Roy Lane, Taltala Lane, Blochmann Street, entering Wellesley Street at its junction with Corporation Street and terminating at Dharamtala Street.

The plan provides for a road 84 feet wide throughout and for the widening of the junction of several smaller streets through which the Proposed Public Street will pass.

The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following Municipal Holdings:—

Name of Street	No of Municipal Holdings.
Munshi Alimuddin Street ...	33-2, 34, 35, 36.
Aga Muhammad Mehdi Street	14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35.
Komedan Bagan Lane ...	5, 7, 8, 27, 28, 29, 30.
Nawab Abdul Latif Lane ...	1, 2, 9.
European Asylum Lane ...	8, 9, 11, 26, 27, 28, 29, 29-1, 29-2, 30.
Gardner Lane	57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67.
Taltala Bazar Street ...	6, 7, 8, 9, 9-1, 10, 10-1, 11, 12, 13, 21, 22, 23, 28.
Ram Sankar Roy Lane ...	4, 5, 5-1, 5-2, 6, 7, 15, 15-1, 16, 17, 17-1, 17-2, 18, 18-1.
Taltala Lane	2, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 13-1, 14, 70-1, 71, 72, 72-1, 72-2, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 86, 87, 88, 89-1, 89-2, 90, 97, 97-1, 98, 98-1, 98-2, 98-3, 99, 100.
Hara Kumar Tagore Square ...	2-1A.
Blochmann Street ...	11, 12, 12-1A, 12-1B, 13, 14, 15, 16, 16A.
Corporation Street ...	33-14, 37C, 37D, 38, 42, 107, 107-1.
Wellesley Street ...	1, 2, 3, 85-3, 86-21, 86-22, 86-23, 86-24, 86-25, 86-26, 86-27, 86-28, 86-29, 86-30, 86-31, 86-32, 86-33, 86-34, 86-36, 86-37, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93.
Indian Mirror Street ...	2.
Mott Lane	2.
Dharamtala Street	49, 49-1, 50, 50-1, 50-2, 50-3.

The plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the Offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 and 4, Saturdays 11 and 2.

Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy, and of the plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 30th December 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS,
Chairman

25th October 1916.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under section 43 of Bengal Act V of 1911.

THE Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta hereby give notice that a Street Scheme described as Scheme No. VIIE (Central Avenue—Prinsep Street to Chowringhee) has been framed for the area bounded as follows:—

On the North—From a point on the north-west corner of premises No. 17, Khairu Lane, in a straight line to the point of intersection of the southern edge of Prinsep Street with the eastern edge of Chandni Chak Street.

On the East—From this point southward along the eastern edge of Chandni Chak Street and thence produced to meet the centre line of Dhurrumtolla Street. Thence westward 260 feet along the centre line of Dhurumtolla Street. Thence south-westward to a point on the northern boundary of premises No. 7, Chowringhee Road (Whiteaway Laidlaw and Company's building), 227 feet east of its north-west corner (on the Chowringhee Road).

On the South—The line joining the last point and a point on the western boundary of premises No. 7, Chowringhee Road, 33 feet south of its north-west corner and produced in a straight line to a point 493 feet from the eastern edge of Chowringhee Road.

On the West—From this point northwards in a straight line to a point on the southern boundary of premises No. 8, Esplanade Row (East), 35 feet of its south-west corner and thence running northwards in a straight line to the starting point on the north-west corner of premises No. 17, Khairu Lane.

Particulars of the Scheme, a map of the area comprised in the Scheme, and a statement of properties which it is proposed to acquire may be seen at the offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week-days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. (on Saturdays between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

Copies of the above documents will also be delivered to applicants on payment of the following fees:—

			Rs.	A.
Particulars of the Scheme	...	...	0	4
Map of the area	...	...	1	0
Statement of properties	...	...	0	4

Objections to the Scheme will be received up to the 31st January 1917.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 20th October 1916.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 28th October 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 25th October 1916.

No. 54.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

(1) rules 25-A and 25-B inserted by Army Department Notification No. 135, dated 4th February 1916, shall be renumbered rules 25-B and 25-C respectively, and

(2) in rule 25-B published with the Army Department Notification cited above, for the words and figures " 25-A(1) " the words and figures " 25-B(1) " shall be substituted.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 28th October 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 23rd October 1916.

No. 10307-W.-II.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended,

the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Wool) Rules, 1916, published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 5134-W.-II, dated the 28th June 1916, namely :—

At the commencement of rule 3 *before* the word "No" the words "Save as otherwise provided in this rule" shall be inserted, and *after* the words "the Dhond-Baramati Railway" the following words shall be inserted, namely :—"the Bengal and North-Western, Oudh and Rohilkhand and Rohilkhund and Kumaun Railways (the prohibition in the case of these three railways extends to Thibet wool only)."

The 28th October 1916.

No. 10551-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alteration shall be made in this Department Notification No. 10244-W.-II, dated the 21st October 1916 :—

For "Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916 (V of 1916)" *read* "Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916)."

CUSTOMS.

The 28th October 1916.

No. 10541-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz.* :—

ADDITIONS.

Bomanjee and Company	Canton.
Boolchund, W.	"
British Medical Imports Company (Proprietors, F. J. Norbury and Son).	
British Post Offices in China.	
Bukit Toh Alang Rubber Estates, Limited.	
Chellaram, D.	Canton.
Chotirmull, K. S.	"
Dhabhar, H. K.	"
Dialdas, M.	"
Dossabhoy and Company, S.	"
Esser, L. C.	
His Majesty's Supreme Court for China.	
Ho Chay Company	Amoy.
Jeejibhoy and Company, D.	Canton.
Kavarana, S. F.	"
Kavarana and Company, B. E.	"
Kavarana and Sons, M. H.	"
Mehta, M. N.	"
Mercantile Printing Company.	
Mogra and Company, E. R.	Canton.
Navalrai, M.	"
Norbury, F. J. and Son (Proprietors of British Medical Imports Company).	
Odell and Company	Foochow.
Ommid and Company.	
Patell and Company	Canton.
Pavri, K. S.	"
Pohoomull Bros.	"
Popoff Bros. and Company	Harbin.

Pursumall, T.	Canton.
Shanghai Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company.	
Societe Anomyme Belge Pour L'Industrie Des Oeufs	Hankow.
Vania, A. D.	Canton.
Wassiamull Assomull and Company	,,
Wegelin L.	
Wonghungkee.	
Yui Tai and Company	Tientsin.

ALTERATIONS.

Rondon and Company	should read ...	Rondon, L.
Heiman, S. S.	,, ...	Heimon and Company, Spunt.
Spunt and Rossenfeld	,, ...	Spunt, J. and Company.

No 10556-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made after item 21 in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, viz.:—

Articles.	Destinations.	Exceptions and Exemptions.
21a. Iron and steel plates and sheets ...	All destinations.	
21b. Lead-coated sheets	Ditto.	
21c. Tin-plates and receptacles made from tin-plates.	Ditto.	

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 28th October 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 27th October 1916.

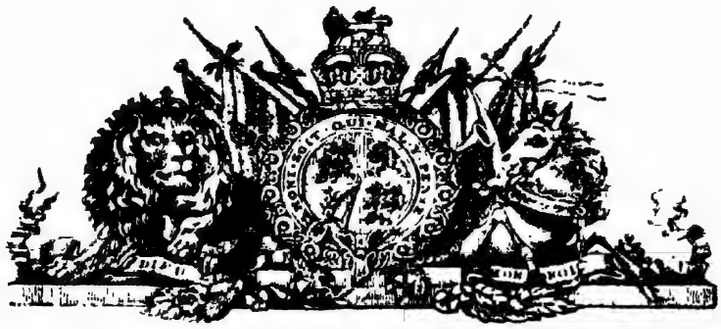
VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No. 1296.—Major William Ross Smith, V.D. (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission, and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated the 26th August 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 671T.-M.—The 21st October 1916.—The following draft of by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Bogra Municipality, in the district of Bogra, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Bogra.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1916, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

DRAFT BY-LAWS FOR THE BOGRA MUNICIPALITY UNDER SECTION 350 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884 (BENGAL ACT III OF 1884).

DEFINITION.

1. In these by-laws "cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTION.

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force, no act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under by-law 22, 39 or 50.

PENALTIES.

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence a further fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

6 Any person driving a carriage or cart or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road, shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10.

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road, between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows :—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side ;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light ;

(*c*) every elephant, camel or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light ;

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front :

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon or on the two nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

8. No person shall ride any tricycle or bicycle on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell or horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 10.

9. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of twenty maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, bullas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 5.

11. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones, or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 5.

12. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

13. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, take any elephant or camel along any road.

Fine, Rs. 50.

14. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge or any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

15. No person shall drive upon a road, at the same time, more than two loaded pack animals.

Fine, Rs. 10.

16. No person riding or driving a mare on any road shall allow a foal to accompany the mare unless it is secured.

Fine, Rs. 10.

17. No person shall drive a bullock cart on the centre of any road on which cart tracks are provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

18. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON FOOTPATH.

19. No person shall wilfully drive or ride any cart, carriage, bicycle horse or cattle on any footpath set apart for the use of foot passengers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTION, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

20. No person shall abandon or let loose or negligently allow to get loose any cattle on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

21. No parent or guardian of any child below the age of seven years shall allow such child to play or wander about on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

22. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle or for washing any article or for any other private purpose;

Provided that during the months of April, May and June, between the hours of 10 P.M., and 5 A.M., *khalias* may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to persons using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

23. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

24. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road, or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

25. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

26. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road, or into any drain, in or near a road, except through a down-pipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

27. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

28. No person shall play any game on any road

Fine, Rs. 10.

29. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

30. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

31 No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

32. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

33. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely covered receptacle, of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

34. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *tatti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

35. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill or clean any poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

36. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

37. No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except—

(*i*) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and

(*ii*) on payment of a fee of Re. 1 for each occasion.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Explanation.—"Firearms" include "ganthias."

REGULATION OF THE USE OF AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

38. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing-traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

39. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

40. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water supply shall—

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorized in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

41. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

42. No person shall bathe or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other article within a distance of ten feet from the lowest platform of any public well.

Fine, Rs. 10.

43. Except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and under such conditions as they may from time to time prescribe, no person shall use any stand-pipe or fountain belonging to the Commissioners for any purpose other than drawing water—

(*a*) for drinking on the spot; or

(*b*) for carrying away for domestic purposes.

Fine, Rs. 10.

44. The owner of every masonry well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

45. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch or river any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

46. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course, or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes, any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

47. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

48. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

49. No person shall use for any other purpose any drinking trough which is intended for watering cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

50. No person shall deposit nightsoil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

51. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Fine, Rs. 50.

52. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier shall give free access to the servants of the municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

53. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter, which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

54. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass at his own expense to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses or report the death to the conservancy overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

55. No male person above twelve years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for the purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

56. No person shall deposit or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain, any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

57. No person shall construct, or place over or by the side of any public drain, any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

58. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

59. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

60. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

61. When lines for graves in any burial place have been marked out by the Commissioners no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial place except in such a line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

62. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

63. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

64. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

65. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

66. Any person burning or causing to be burnt any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

67. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

68. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clean the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, nightsoil and other filth and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

69. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawalli or person entrusted with the daily supervision or in charge of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

70. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

71. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

72. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

73. No person shall make any ærated water or ice for the purpose of sale without first boiling the water.

Fine, Rs. 50.

74. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera, or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

75. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera, or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

76. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts, or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

77. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS.

78. The by-laws which were confirmed by Bengal Government Order No. 5352M., dated the 9th December 1899, are hereby cancelled.

24-Parganas.

No. 682T.M.—The 24th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 85 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the imposition, by the Commissioners of the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of a rate on the annual value of holdings situated within the said municipality with effect from the 1st April 1917.

24-Parganas. Calcutta.

No. 690T.M.—The 25th October 1916.—Under section 35(2) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. S. W. Goode, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, 24-Parganas, to act as Chairman of the Corporation during the absence on leave of Mr. C. F. Payne or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 699T.M.—The 25th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Kamarhati Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 23(2) of that Act, electing Mr. J. H. Scott to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Chittagong.

No. 681T.M.—The 24th October 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 290 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council makes the following rules subject to which the Commissioners of the Chittagong Municipality may allow communication-pipes to be laid down from the service pipes of the Commissioners for the purpose of leading water to premises for domestic purposes only :—

Rules for the grant to private premises of house-connections for domestic purposes in the Chittagong Municipality.

So long as the Commissioners deem it practicable and consistent with the maintenance of an efficient water-supply, they may allow the owner or occupier of any holding paying a water-rate imposed under the provisions of Part VII of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, on the annual value of such holding, when such annual value is not less than Rs. 60, or such higher amount as may be fixed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, to lay communication-pipes from the service-pipes of the Commissioners for the purpose of leading water to such holding for domestic purposes only, subject to the following rules and conditions :—

1. The owner or occupier of any holding requiring water to be laid on to such holding for domestic purposes, or requiring any addition or alteration to an existing water-supply, must apply for the same on a printed form to be supplied free of cost at the Municipal office; and work must be commenced within three months from the date of sanction, failing which the sanction shall be deemed to be withdrawn, and a fresh application and sanction shall be required.

2. Before any work is commenced every such owner or occupier must pay to the Commissioners a sum of Rs. 50 to cover the cost of testing and inspection, or such other fee as the Commissioners in meeting may from time to time direct, under section 301 of the Act, for each new connection, and also a fee of Rs. 5 per Rs. 100 on the cost of each addition to, or alteration in, an existing connection, such fees to be in addition to all other costs and charges imposed under these rules.

3. The work required may, at the option of the Commissioners, either be carried out by the Commissioners themselves at the expense of the owner or occupier of the holding in respect of which the work is required, or may be carried out by a person or firm employed by such owner or occupier and approved by the Commissioners.

4. (*1*) The owner or occupier of the holding in respect of which the connection is required must bear the entire cost thereof, including the cost of the supply and fixing of the fittings referred to in rule 9.

(*2*) The applicant for the connection will also be liable for the cost of such alterations in, or repairs to, roads, drains, sewers, gas or water-mains, or pipes, and the cost of such other works as may be necessitated by, or result from, the work of making such connection, and also all charges for which the Commissioners may become liable in respect of any of the matters referred to in this sub-rule.

5. The owner or occupier of the holding to which a connection has been given must, on receipt of notice to do so from the Commissioners, pay the entire cost of any repairs or alterations to the connection or any part thereof that the Commissioners may consider necessary to put it into a satisfactory condition or which may be necessitated by any change to the municipal water-works or system of distribution, or by the defective condition of the connection or any part thereof, or by any other cause whatever :

Provided that this rule shall not apply to repairs or alterations which are required to be made after any testing and inspection under rule 2, and it is shown to the satisfaction of the Commissioners that such testing or inspection was defective.

6. Except as provided below, each holding must have a separate connection to the municipal main supply-pipe, and extensions from the communication-pipe of one holding to another holding shall not be permitted :

Provided that, with the consent of the Commissioners in meeting, connections to two or more holdings may be permitted from a common communication-pipe. Any such communication-pipe must be laid in a street

or common passage, and a stop-cock and meter, as provided for in rule 9 hereof, must be fixed on the connection to each holding;

Provided also that no holding shall have more than one separate connection, but if in any case the Commissioners are satisfied that an adequate supply to any holding cannot be given through a single connection, they may sanction a second connection thereto.

7. Every connection with municipal water-mains must be made under the supervision of an officer appointed by the Commissioners in this behalf, and no such connection shall be made except at such time as may be appointed and in such position as may be selected by an authorized municipal officer.

8. No connection shall be allowed to the rising main except with the permission of the Commissioners at a meeting.

9. A holding connection shall comprise the following parts or fittings:—

(*a*) a brass or gunmetal ferrule inserted in the main supply-pipe;

(*b*) a galvanized-iron communication-pipe from the ferrule to the meter;

(*c*) a stop-cock and its surface-box;

(*d*) a meter:

(*e*) service-pipes from the stop-cock to the taps; and

(*f*) taps.

10. All the fittings referred to in rule 9 shall be exact duplicates of standard samples kept in the office of the Commissioners and approved by them in meeting.

11. All fittings shall be inspected and tested and stamped by an officer of the municipality before being fixed.

12. If any owner or occupier shall desire to adopt any fitting of a pattern different from the standard patterns, he must present such fitting for the approval of the Chairman; and any fittings so presented may, if considered satisfactory by the Chairman, be stamped, and samples thereof may be purchased and placed among the standard fittings.

13. The size of the ferrule and the diameter of the communication-pipe referred to in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of rule 9 and the number of taps should be fixed in accordance with the annual valuation of holdings as follows:—

Annual valuation of holding.	Size of ferrule	Diameter of communication-pipe.	Number of taps.
Under Rs. 200	½"	½"	2
From Rs. 200 to 499 ...	⅝"	⅝"	3
„ Rs. 500 to 799 ...	¾"	¾"	4
„ Rs. 800 to 1,199 ...	⅞"	⅞"	5
„ Rs. 1,200 to 1,999 ...	1"	1"	6
„ Rs. 2,000 to 3,000 ...	1¼"	1"	7

Over Rs. 3,000—One additional tap for every additional Rs. 1,000 in the annual valuation of the holding:

Provided that though the communication-pipe shall not ordinarily be more than ¼" larger in diameter than the ferrule, yet the Engineer may, under special circumstances, fix the sizes of the communication-pipe with reference to the length of the pipe and the prevailing pressure.

14. The holding connection, when fitted in position, must be capable of standing a pressure of 125 feet; and no water shall be supplied until this test has been applied in the presence of an officer appointed by the Commissioners to inspect such fittings.

15. (*a*) On every communication-pipe, a brass or gunmetal stop-cock, having the same waterway as such pipe, shall be placed as near as practicable to the point where that pipe enters the holding.

(*b*) The stop-cock shall be built in a brick chamber provided with a surface-cover box so designed that it can be locked, and the key of this box shall remain under the control of the Chairman.

(*c*) The stop-cock shall be capable of adjustment so that the supply to the holding may be regulated thereby.

16. (*a*) The meter shall be placed as near to the stop-cock as possible and in a position where it can be conveniently examined.

(*b*) The meter must be fixed in a brick chamber covered over with a surface-box of approved pattern.

17. Neither the stop-cock nor the meter must be placed in any private premises.

18. The Commissioners shall depute an authorized person to read every meter not less than once a quarter, and shall give notice to the occupier at least twenty-four hours before the reading is recorded.

19. Every tap shall be of the same size as the pipe to which it is attached, and shall be of brass and of the pattern known as screw-down, or of such other pattern as may from time to time be approved by the Commissioners at a meeting. Every tap shall, except with the special permission of the Commissioners, be at least three feet above the surface of the ground beneath.

20. No communication-pipe or service-pipe shall be laid along or adjacent to any drain or water-course, or in any place where, in the opinion of the Engineer, there is risk or likelihood of the water in such pipe becoming contaminated.

21. Whenever a communication-pipe has to be laid across a sewer or open drain, or in any place where, in the opinion of the Engineer, it is liable to injury, such pipe must be passed through a cast-iron pipe of sufficient length and strength to afford due protection.

22. No cistern, tank or reservoir of any description, which is intended to be supplied with water from the municipal water-works, shall be permitted to any holding except with the sanction of the Commissioners in meeting, and such sanction shall distinctly specify the dimensions and capacity of the cistern, tank or reservoir allowed. The inlet to every such cistern, tank or reservoir must be controlled by an efficient ball-cock so that the discharge thereinto is completely stopped when the cistern, tank or reservoir is full. Any tap fed from such cistern, tank or reservoir must be included in the number of taps allowed under rule 13.

23. (*1*) Every owner or occupier of any holding in respect of which a connection has been made under these rules shall be entitled to a supply of—

(*a*) three thousand gallons of water per quarter for each rupee, and

(*b*) a proportionate number of gallons per quarter for every fraction of a rupee.

paid by him quarterly as water-rate in respect of such holding.

(*2*) For all water in excess of the amount allowed under sub-rule (*1*) such owner or occupier shall be charged quarterly as follows :—

	Per 1,000 gallons As.
For any excess quantity of water not exceeding 50 per cent. of the amount of the allowance prescribed in sub-rule (*1*)	8
For any excess quantity of water exceeding 50 per cent. of the amount of the allowance prescribed in sub-rule (*1*), but not exceeding that amount ...	12
For any excess quantity of water exceeding the amount of the allowance prescribed in sub-rule (*1*) ...	16

24. The Commissioners may cut off the connection between any water-works of the municipality and any holding to which water is supplied from such works, or may turn off such supply in any of the following cases, namely :—

(*a*) If the holding is unoccupied.

(*b*) If the occupier refuses to admit any officer duly empowered in that behalf into the holding for the purpose of making any examination or inspection authorized under this Act, or under any bye-law or rule framed under this Act, or prevents such officer from making such examination or inspection.

(*c*) If the owner or occupier of the holding touches or interferes with his meter in any way except with the permission of the Chairman, or wilfully or negligently injures or damages it.

(*d*) If the owner or occupier of the holding wilfully or negligently permits waste of water in such volume as will, in the opinion of the Chairman, endanger the water-supply in the neighbourhood.

(*e*) If the owner or occupier of any holding which is supplied with water under these rules shall refuse or neglect to pay any of the fees or charges imposed in accordance with these rules for a space of fourteen days after he has been served with a notice of demand for the same.

(*f*) If the owner or occupier of the holding constructs or fixes any cistern, tank, reservoir, taps, pipes or any other works in connection with the water-supply not authorized by these rules.

(*g*) If the pipes, taps, ball-cocks, cisterns, or any other parts of the connection are, in the opinion of the Commissioners, in a leaking condition or a state of disrepair :

Provided that such disconnection or turning off of water-supply shall not relieve any person from any liabilities which he may have incurred under these rules.

In the circumstances contemplated in clause (*d*), an officer authorized by the Commissioners in this behalf by a general order shall have the power to turn off the supply for a period not exceeding eight hours, on his previously recording his reason in writing.

25. In all cases in which disputes arise as to the size or quality of pipes or fittings, or in which these rules do not apply, an appeal against an order of the Chairman or Engineer, as the case may be, shall lie to the Commissioners in meeting, whose decision shall be final, provided that no appeal shall lie against an order passed under rule 24, unless and until such order has been complied with.

26. No connection shall be allowed to any holding unless the Engineer is satisfied that such holding is provided with means of efficient drainage for waste water.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings in a portion of Kalighat Road between Hazra Road and Harish Mookerjee Road in Ward No. 22, in supersession of the alignment published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st January 1912, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 3rd August 1916.

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman.*

MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 25th October 1916.*

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR, *the 9th March 1916.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

ADMISSIONS will be made to the 1st year Sub-Overseer Class of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, on the 13th November next.

Candidates must be below 18 years on January 1st, 1916, and must have passed the Matriculation Examination or the Junior Cambridge Local Examination.

Applications will be received in the Principal's office up to November 6th.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

SIBPUR, *the 24th October 1916*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

BABU PRAPHULLA CHANDRA GHOSH, M.A., is granted, with effect from 1st October 1916 or any later date on which he joins the College, a Post-Graduate Research Scholarship of the value of Rs. 100 a month for carrying on researches in Organic Chemistry (with special reference to Synthetic Dyes) at the Dacca College, Dacca, *vice* Babu Abinash Chandra Saha, resigned.

The scholarship is tenable until the 30th June 1917.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th October 1916.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified for general information that the Drawing Books, named below, are hereby prescribed for use in schools in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions:—

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W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 30th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

Award of Endowed Prizes for Muhammadans, 1916.

Serial No.	Name.	School.	Prize.	Value.
				Rs.
1	Muhammad Mohiuddin.	Calcutta Madrasa	Prince Jehan Kader Mirza Bahadur's Ripon Prize.	20
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	(*ii*) Muhammad Ahsan	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	20
4	(*i*) Abdus Samed ...	Ditto ...	Sahibzada Muhammad Rahimuddin's Ripon Prize.	20
	(*ii*) Muhammad Hanif	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	20
5	Naseeruddin ...	Ditto ...	Maulvi Kassim Ariff's Ripon Prize.	20
6	Muhammad Siddique	Ditto ...	Maulvi Syed Aley Ahmed's Ripon Prize.	20
7	Syed Wahid Ali ...	Ditto ...	Sahibzada Muhammad Nasiruddin Hyder's Ripon Prize.	12
8	Ibrahim Ali Khan ...	Ditto ...	Mirza Abdul Karim Shirazee's Ripon Prize.	12
9	Abul Barkat ...	E. I. Ry. H. E. School, Khagole.	Muhammadan Defence Association's Shamsul Alam Memorial Prize.	10

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1916.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 23rd October 1916

LIABILITIES

		Rs	A	P
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs 2,08,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs 1,01,15,060 1 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches	„ 1,21,43,871 9 8	2,22,58,931	11	6
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		20,13,79,522	8	6
Bank Post Bills, etc		25,78,411	11	2
Sundries		10,18,765	11	0
		26,80,30,631	10	2

ASSETS

		Rs	A	P.
Government Securities		5,49,69,507	12	0
Other authorized Investments		1,10,90,385	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities		3,06,06,801	13	6
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,91,55,658	15	3
Bills discounted and purchased		2,71,86,726	12	6
Balances with other Banks		41,91,218	11	6
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		29,28,658	4	6
Stamps		12,162	6	0
Sundries		3,71,057	14	1
		20,07,20,177	12	4
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs 2,78,56,638 6 8			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs 3,94,53,815 7 7	6,73,10,453	13	10
		26,80,30,631	10	2

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 3,51,480 0 0
† Do do do „ 8,63,467 8 0

Rs 12,14,947 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 7 per cent

Percentage, 29·62

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 25th October 1916

H MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant

N H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer

(2877—1)

LAND SALE NOTICE.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th December 1916, at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1916 which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pergana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Rauzan, Patiya, Town, and Satkania and Hathazari, kismat Ambika Babalta, taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 10 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Srimati Bama Sundari, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	182 1 6	.....
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abdul Fazal.	643 3 7	Ditto ...	.....	Abdul Rauf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Bibibi and others.	.....	190 15 6	.....
478	Thana Hathazari, Fatikcheri, Rauzan, Patiya and Town, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest of 6as. will be sold excluding the unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest of 9as. 1p. 6¾kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-5 and also paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10p. 13¼kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-8.	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 6	.....	226 15 2
764	Thana Hathazari, Patiya, Rauzan and Town, taraf Darpa Narayan.	2,902 9 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 5 to the extent of interest 6as. 8p. 16¾kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary shares and shares Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28 and 29 to the extent of interest 6as 10p. 14¼kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,280-12-4 and also unpaid shares 4, 13, 25 and 26 to the extent of interest 2as. 7p. 9kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 478-8.	Ram Krishna Sen, Rasik Ch. Ray.	1,176 4 6	.....	185 5 6
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf mauza Harina Babalta, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	693 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Rouf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Bibibi.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1242	Thana Satkania according to recent cadastral survey Bashkhali, Patiya according to recent cadastral survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	Ditto ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	207 8 0	.....
1512	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, Patiya, Town and Satkania, taraf Krishna Kisore Kanungoe.	645 6 7	Ditto ...	.....	Satish Ch. Rakhit, Atul Ch. Nandi and others.	.....	135 11 4	.....
1513	Thana Patiya, Sitakund, Rauzan, Satkania, Hathazari and Town, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Srimati Promoda Kumari for Ramesh Charan Ray. Srimati Soudamini Ray for Akhoy Kumar Ray.	.....	293 1 8	.....
1885	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, taraf Md. Raki Khansama.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De for self and on behalf of Kashi Chandra and others, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	273 6 11	.....
2368	Thana Fatikcheri, Hathazari according to recent cadastral survey Rauzan, taraf Oaz Abdul Hossain.	731 8 9	Ditto ...	.....	Sheik Hazi Md. Isa ...	.....	182 12 6	.....
2554	Thana Chakaria, Patiya, Town, Rauzan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share to the extent of interest 12as. and 10p. will be sold excluding paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3as. 2p. paying annual jama of Rs. 188.	S. Ismail Rahimunissa...	681 6 6	.....	201 4 0

Chittagong, the 25th October 1916.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

JNANADA PRASAD MUKHERJEE, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(2348—4)

Notice.

WANTED a Treasury Accountant on a salary of Rs. 100 per month for the office of Collector of Birbhum. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 3rd November 1916. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance or Matriculation Examination.

Preference will be given to those who have some experience in Collector's Account Office work.

G. S. DUTT, Collector.

Suri, the 24th October 1916

Wanted.

THE following establishments are required for temporary appointments for Field Service in or out of India :—

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(*b*) Agents on Rs. 40 per mensem.

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2. Field concessions 50 per cent. allowance, free rations and authorised clothing.

Apply sharp (personally if possible) to the Assistant Director of Supplies and Transport, 8th Division, No. 6 Mall, Dilkusha, Lucknow, up to 12th November 1916.

Those in Bengal may apply to the Officer in charge, Supplies, Hastings, Calcutta. Candidates should be fit for Field Service.

A. C. MUDELIAR, Head Assistant,

for Assistant Director of Supplies and Transport,
8th (Lucknow) Division.

Lucknow, the 28th October 1916

Notice.

WANTED a passed and experienced Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Engineer's office, Nadia, on a monthly salary of Rs. 70-2 90 (annual). The applications with copies of certificates and testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 27th November 1916. The selected candidate will be appointed on probation for 6 months and should join at once. The usual security not exceeding Rs. 500 will have to be deposited.

S. C. CHATTERJEE, B.E., District Engineer, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 28th October 1916. (2378—3)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

In the matter of the India Companies Act, VII of 1913, and in the matter of the East Bengal Provident Insurance Society, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the East Bengal Provident Insurance Society, Limited, has this day been struck off the register and that the Company is dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 24th October 1916.

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W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies,
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Calcutta, the 24th October 1916.

In the matter of the India Companies Act, VII of 1913, and in the matter of Modern India Provident Company, Limited.

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W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies,
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Calcutta, the 24th October 1916 .

In the matter of the India Companies Act, VII of 1913, and in the matter of the Eastern Cinematograph Company, Limited.

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W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies,
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Calcutta, dated the 24th October 1916.

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May ,,
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29th ,, ,,
15th March ,,
31st ,, ,,
15th April ,,
30th ,, ,,
15th May ,,
31st ,, ,,
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30th ,, ,,
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15th August ,,

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2nd ,, ,, ,, ,,
1st ,, ,, April ,,
2nd ,, ,, ,, ,,
1st ,, ,, May ,,
2nd ,, ,, ,, ,,
1st ,, ,, June ,,
2nd ,, ,, ,, ,,
1st ,, ,, July ,,
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12th ,, ,,
19th ,, ,,
26th ,, ,,
2nd September ,,

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,, July ,,
,, August ,,

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April ,,
May ,,
June ,,
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August ,,

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1916.*

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Light established.

No. 312 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 919 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 400 feet, 359° (*N. 16° W. Mag.*) from the black beacon on the end of the reef off the Bastion.
Lat. 36° 50½′ S., long. 174° 49½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *9 ft. vis. 5 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *fixed white* light.

Elevation.—9 feet.

Visibility —5 miles.

Structure.—A black pile beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Variation.—15° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland Harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2876*a*.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 38.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 42 of 1916 (*H. 4659/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, SOUTH COAST.

Tinaka Point—Light established.

No. 313 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 920 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 5° 33′ 15″ N., long. 125° 19′ 45″ E., on chart No. 2575.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 3 sec. 140 ft., vis. 15 m.* (U.) (*posn. approx.*).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds.*

Elevation.—140 feet.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Structure.—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 2575, Eastern part of Celebes sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 781, Pacific ocean, north-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1151*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 689.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2059 of 1916. (*H. 4783/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

San Pedro Bay, Hinamok Island—Light established.

No. 314 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 921 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On Tingib point.
Lat. 11° 16′ 08″ N., long. 125° 03′ 54″ E., on chart No. 2987.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *ev. 3¼ sec. 78 ft., vis. 10 m.*

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three and four-tenths seconds.*

Elevation.—78 feet.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Structure.—A white concrete pillar.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 2987, San Pedro bay to Libukan islands.
„ 2577, Philippine islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, page 149.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 631.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2062 of 1916. (*H. 4786/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SULU SEA, PANGUTARANG PASSAGE.

North Ubian Island—Light established.

No. 315 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 922 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At the northern end of North Ubian island.
Lat. 6° 10′ 00″ N., long. 120° 27′ 30″ E., on chart No. 928.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 2 sec., vis. 10 m.* (U). (*posn. approx.*).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every two seconds.*
Elevation.—35 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 928, Sulu archipelago.
„ 2576, Sulu archipelago and north-east coast of Borneo.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1139*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 293.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2058 of 1916. (*H. 4782/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR ISLAND, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

San Pedro Bay, Marikitdakit Islet—Light established.

No. 316 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 927 of 1916), are re-published :—

Position.—Lat. 11° 04′ 20″ N., long. 125° 09′ 10″ E.
Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 10 sec., 60 ft., vis. 10 m.* (U).

Details :

Character—A *flashing white* light *every ten seconds.*
Elevation.—60 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Structure—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, page 149.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 630.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2061 of 1916. (*H. 4785/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Point Kauit—Light established.

No. 317 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 928 of 1916), are re-published :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 9° 17′ 30″ N., long. 126° 13′ 30″ E.
Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *ev. 3 sec., 55 ft., vis. 12 m.* (*posn. approx.*).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds.*
Elevation.—55 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1158*b*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 637.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2060 of 1916. (*H. 4784/16.*)

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND.

Gisborne Roads—Light-Buoy established.

No. 318 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 939 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables, south-eastward, from Temoana rock, in the position hitherto occupied by the black can buoy which it replaces.
Lat. 38° 41½′ S., long. 178° 01¼′ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted black exhibiting a *flashing red* light *every three seconds* :—

Flash,	eclipse.
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

Charts affected.—No. 3321, Gisborne roads.
„ 3343, Gable-end foreland to Poverty bay.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 126.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 34 of 1916. (*H. 4975/16.*)

NEW GUINEA—ARU ISLANDS.

Ennu Island—Non-existence of Shoals westward of.

No. 319 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 958 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 3 miles, westward, from the western end of Ennu island.
Lat. 7° 05½′ S., long. 134° 25½′ E.

Description.—A 4-fathom shoal.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5 miles, westward, from the western end of Ennu island.
Lat. 7° 04½′ S., long. 134° 23½′ E.

Description.—A 3½-fathom shoal.

Remarks.—The above shoals are to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 470, Aru islands.
„ 942*b*, Eastern archipelago, sheet IV.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 209.
Authority.—Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 4881/16.*)

NEW GUINEA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Milne (Tauwara) Bay—Caution.

No. 320 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 960 of 1916), are republished :—

Position on charts.—Copra station, lat. 10° 21′ S., long. 150° 20′ E.

Caution.—The coastline at the head of Milne bay is reported to lie 3 miles further to the westward than charted, and a cautionary note to this effect is to be inserted on the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 2123, Orangerie bay to Bramble haven.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. 1, 1908, page 93.

Authority.—Captain E. Kettle, Master of the S.S. *John Williams.* (*H. 4533/16.*)

NEW GUINEA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

(1) *Toulon Island—Shoal reported westward of.*

(2) *Hood Lagoon entrance—Caution.*

No. 321 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 961 of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Toulon Island.

Position.—Toulon island, lat. 10° 23½′ S., long. 149° 20¼′ E.

Details.—The approximate position of a shoal reported to exist about 9 miles westward of Toulon island, and information with regard to shoal patches eastward of the foregoing island, is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 2122.

Remarks.—It will be observed from the reproduction that the position of Toulon island Mission house has been altered.

(2) Hood Lagoon Entrance.

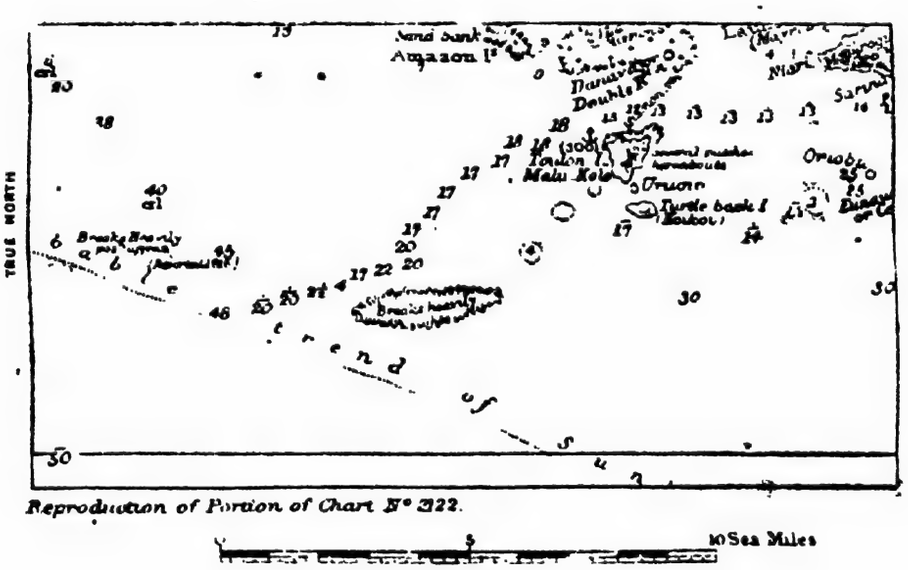
Position.—Lat. 10° 07′ S., long. 147° 50′ E.

Caution.—The entrance to Hood Lagoon should not be attempted without the assistance of a local pilot and a cautionary note to this effect is to be inserted on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2122, Round head to Orangerie bay.
„ 2764, Coral sea and Great Barrier reef, sheet II.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1908, pages 59, 66.

Authority.—Captain E. Kettle, Master of the S.S. *John Williams*. (*H. 4533/16.*)



SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—GILBERT ISLANDS

Tapeteuea Island—Limits of Reef.

No. 322 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 962 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Nautilus shoal, lat. 1° 34′ S., long. 174° 55¼′ E.

Details.—The reef off the southern side of Tapeteuea island is reported to extend considerably further to the southwestward than charted; the approximate limit is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 731.

Charts affected.—No. 731, Gilbert islands.
„ 780, Pacific ocean, south-west sheet.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, pages 207, 208.

Authority.—Captain E. Kettle, Master of the S.S. *John Williams*, (*H. 4533/16.*)

Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 731

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PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

(*1*) *Tiklin Strait and Approach—Amendments to Charts with regard to Shoals.*

(*2*) *Port Gubat—Amendments to charts with regard to shoals.*

No. 323 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 971 of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Tiklin strait and approach—

Position.—Kalantas bank, lat. 12° 30½′ N., long. 124° 04½′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts with regard to shoals in Tiklin strait and southern approach, embodying the latest information, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 3475 and 3370.

Remarks.—From the reproductions it will be observed that the position of the wreck on the south-eastern part of Kalantas bank has been slightly amended.

(2) Port Gubat—

Position.—Gubat, lat. 12° 55¼′ N., long. 124° 07¾′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts with regard to shoals off the southern end of Kanauay reef, embodying the latest information, are shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 3475.

Remarks.—It will be seen from the reproduction that the position of the 3-fathom shoal, hitherto shown on the chart at a distance of about one mile eastward from Gubat Church, has been amended.

Charts affected.—No. 3475, Plans on the south-east coast of Luzon.
„ 3370, San Bernardino strait and approaches(1).
„ 3368, Batan island to San Bernardino island(2).

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, pages 504, 601.

Authority.—U. S. A. Government Chart. (*H. 4616/16.*)

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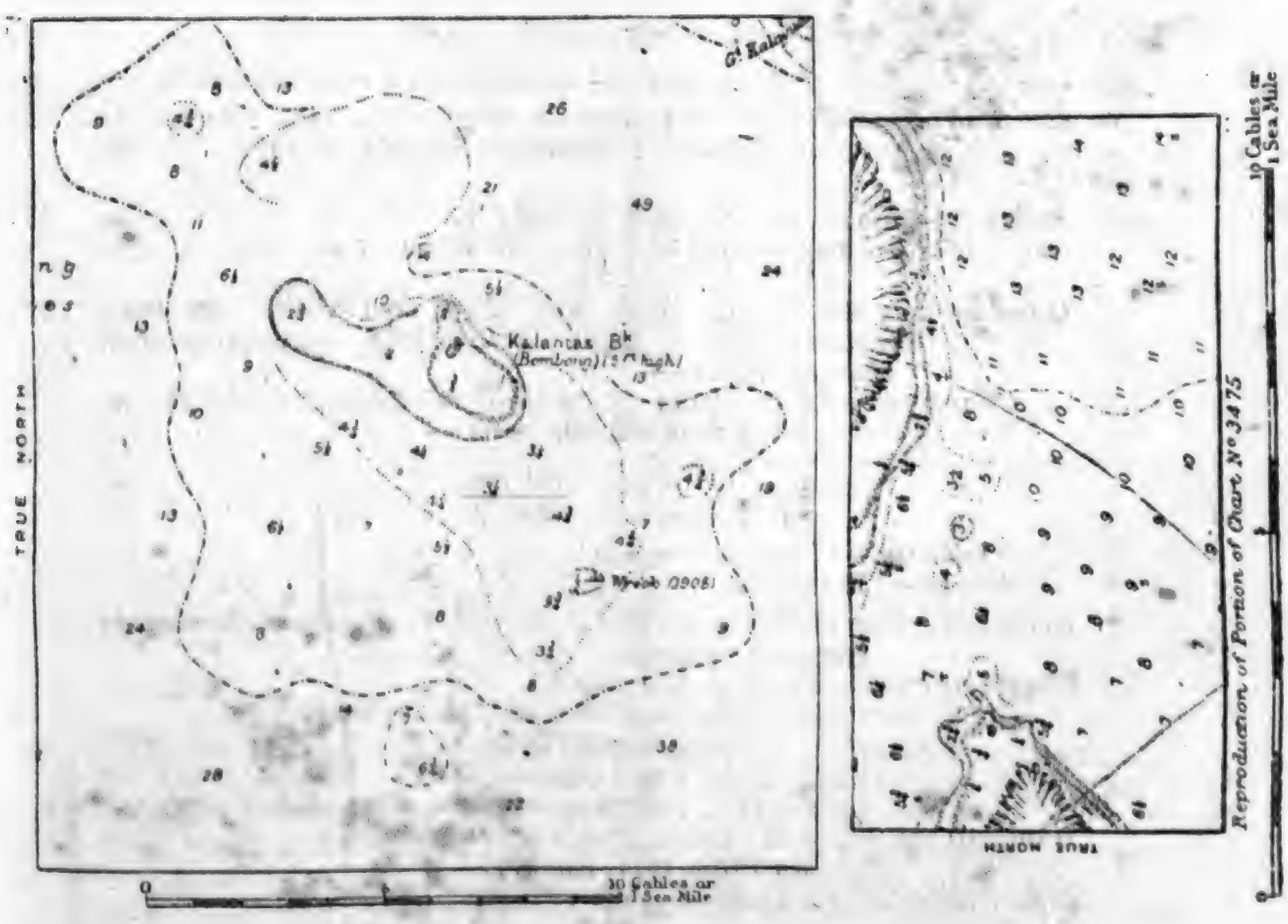
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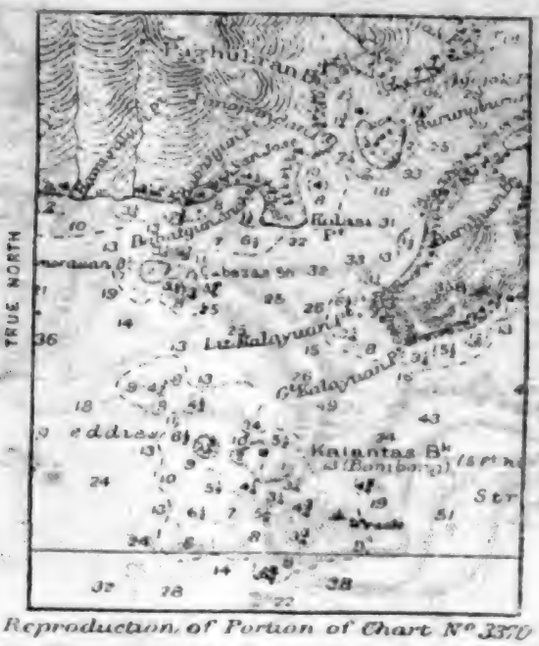

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—SUEVO NADA.

Motoyama Zaki—Wreck south-eastward of.

No. 324 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 973 of 1916), are re-published :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 3¾ miles, south-eastward, from Motoyama zaki.
Lat. 33° 52′ 45″ N., long. 131° 13′ 18″ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a schooner with two masts visible above water.

Charts affected.—No. 3225, Shimonoseki kaikyo to Maruyama zaki.
„ 2875, Naikai (seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 181 of 1916. (*H. 5004/16.*)

JAPAN—HOKUSHU, SOUTH COAST.

Mororan Ko, Daikoku Jima Light—Alteration in characteristics.

No. 325 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 978 of 1916), are re-published :—

Position.—Lat. 42° 20¾′ N., long. 140° 55¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Occ., *W.R., ev. 4 sec., 134 ft., vis. 17 m.*

Details.—The fixed white light with fixed red sector has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—An *occulting white* light with *occulting red* sector, *every four seconds*, thus :—

Light,	eclipse.
2 secs.	2 secs.

Visibility.—17 miles.

Power.—750 candles.

Remarks.—The elevation of the light and the limits of the sectors remain unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 3507, Mororan ko.
„ 3591, Iburi wan or Uchiura wan.
„ 452, Hokushū island.
„ 2405, Kuril islands.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific ocean, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2099.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 717.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 194 of 1916. (*H. 5009/16.*)

JAPAN—HONSHŪ, GULF OF TOKYO.

Uraga Channel—Non-existence of shoal depths.

No. 326 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 979 of 1916), are republished :—

Position on charts.—At a distance of about 2 miles and three quarters of a cable north-eastward from Kannon zaki light-house.
Lat. 35° 16¾′ N., long. 139° 46¼′ E.

Description.—Two patches of 5¼ fathoms.

Remarks.—The above depths, together with the 10-fathom lines encircling them, are to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 180 of 1916. (*H. 5003/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA, PORT PHILLIP.

Point Gellibrand Light—Alteration in characteristics.

No. 327 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 980 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 37° 52¾′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *W.R., ev. 2 sec., 50 ft., vis. 12 m.*

Details.—The occulting and alternating occulting light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—A *flashing* light, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every two seconds*, thus :—

$$\frac{\text{Flash.}}{\frac{1}{4}\text{ sec.}} \qquad \frac{\text{eclipse.}}{1\frac{1}{4}\text{ secs.}}$$

Elevation.—50 feet.

Visibility.—12 miles.

Sectors.—*White* from 191° (*S. 3° W. Mag.*) to 251° (*S. 63° W. Mag.*);
Red thence to 335° (*N. 33° W. Mag.*);
White thence to 47° (*N. 39° E. Mag.*);
Red thence to 71° (*N. 63° E. Mag.*).

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 624, Hobson bay, River Yarra and Melbourne.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.
„ 3169, Port Phillip to Gabo island.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2468.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1916, page 456.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 14 of 1916. (*H. 4988/16.*)

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The 16th October 1916.

SOUTH INDIAN OCEAN—COMORO ISLANDS.

MOHILLA ISLAND, SOUTH-EAST POINT.

Existence of submerged obstruction eastward of.

No. 311 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 156M. of 1916), are republished :—

Particulars.—The Master of the S. S. "City of Manchester" has reported that on the 13th September 1916, his vessel struck a submerged obstruction off Mohilla Island.

Position.—About 9 miles off the coast.
Lat. 12° 25′ S., long. 44° 2′ E.
Caution.—Mariners are warned accordingly.
Charts affected.—No. 563, Plans in the Comoro Islands.
„ 758, Cape St. Andrew to Antongil Bay.
„ 2762, Comoro Islands.
„ 597, Delagoa Bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian Ocean, Southern Portion.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, Northern Portion.
Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 3rd Edition, 1911, page 195.
Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 27th September 1916.

The 9th October 1916.

CHINA, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Chifu (Yentai) Inner Harbour—Alterations in Buoyage; Caution.

No. 306 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 889 of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 449 of 1916. (*This Office No. 179 of 1916.*)
Position.—Tower hill, lat. 37° 33′ N., long. 121° 23½′ E.
Alterations.—(*a*) The light-buoy formerly marking the northern end of the breakwater under construction has been moved about $1\frac{3}{10}$ cables south-eastward, and is now situated at a distance of 5¼ cables, 3° (*N. 8° E. Mag.*), from Tower hill lighthouse.

The above light-buoy, which is painted black, now exhibits a *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :

Flash,	eclipse.
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

(*b*) The eastern end of the mole under construction is now marked by a light-buoy painted red, exhibiting an *occulting red* light *every eight seconds*, thus :—

Light,	eclipse.
4 secs.	4 secs.

Caution.—Vessels entering or leaving the inner harbour must pass between the above light-buoys; the entrance between the southern end of the breakwater and Tower hill is closed until further Notice, and the note "*Entrance temporarily closed (1916)*" is to be inserted on the plan on the undermentioned chart.
Variation.—5° W.
Chart affected.—No. 1260, Ching tsu shan to Chifu bluff, with plan.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, pages 465. 466.
Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 622 of 31st May 1916. (*H. 452/16.*)

CELEBES—Gulf of Tomini.

Walea Strait—Light established.

No. 307 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 892 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On the north-western edge of the drying reef on the south-eastern side of Walea strait, in the position of the white ball beacon which has been removed.
Lat. 0° 25′ S., long. 122° 26′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 3 sec., 64 ft., vis. 13 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash.	eclipse.
1 sec.	2 secs.

Elevation.—64 feet.
Visibility.—13 miles.
Structure.—White iron standard.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 942*a*. Eastern archipelago, sheet III.
,, 2759*a*. Australia, northern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1045*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 504.
Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 849 of 1916. (*H. 3968/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

Port Kembla—Leading Lights established.

No. 308 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 908 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—At a distance of $3\frac{1}{10}$ cables, 273° (*S. 83° W. Mag.*), from the flagstaff on the 46-foot mound situated south-westward from the inner end of the Eastern breakwater.
Lat. 34° 28¾′ S., long. 150° 55¾′ E.
Abridged description.—Lt. F. *Red, 25 ft., vis. 4 m.*
Character.—A *fixed red* light.
Elevation.—25 feet.
Visibility.—4 miles.
Structure.—White wooden tower.

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—At a distance of 223 yards, 206° (*S. 16° W. Mag.*) from front light.
Abridged description.—Lt. F. *Red, 48 ft., vis. 4 m.*

Details :

Character.—A *fixed red* light.
Elevation.—48 feet.
Visibility.—4 miles.
Structure.—White iron tower.

Remarks.—These lights in line bearing 206° (*S. 16° W. Mag.*) lead in to Port Kembla between the breakwaters.
Variation.—10° E.
Chart affected.—No. 1020, Beecroft head to Port Jackson, with plan.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, Nos. 2521, 2521*a*.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 791; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 4672/16.*)

NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH ISLAND—FRENCH PASS, SOUTH-WESTERN APPROACH.

Okure Point—Light established.

No. 309 (third publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 911 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—On the western side of Okure point.
Lat. 40° 58′ 30″ S., long. 173° 45′ 56″ E., on chart No. 1096.

Abridged description—(U) Lt. Fl. *W.R. ev. 3¾ sec., abt. 80 ft., vis 6 m. (posn. approx.)*

Details:

Character—A *flashing white* light with *red* sector *every three and three quarter seconds*, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse.
¾ sec.	3 secs.

Elevation.—About 80 feet.

Visibility.—6 miles.

Sectors.—*Red* from 176° (*S. 20° E. Mag.*) through south to 203° (*S. 7° W. Mag.*), over Piège (Beef Barrel) rocks; *White* elsewhere except where obscured by land.

Structure.—Not stated.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Variation.—16° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1096, Admiralty bay and Current basin.
„ 2684, Cook strait anchorages, sheet I.
„ 2685, Cook strait anchorages, sheet II.
„ 2054, Cook strait and the coast to Cape Egmont.
„ 2616, Cape Foulwind to D'Urville island.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2994A.
New Zealand Pilot. 1908, page 184.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 49 of 1916. (*H. 4663/16.*)

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—HAURAKI GULF.

Tiri-Tiri Matangi—Rock south-eastward of.

No. 310 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 912 of 1916), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of about 12½ cables eastward of Tiri-Tiri Matangi light, in the position of the eastern and outer ten-fathom patch south-eastward of Shearer rock.
Lat. 36° 36½′ S., long. 174° 55½′ E.

Depth.—4 fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 1998, Omaha bay to Tiri-Tiri Matangi.
„ 3565, Bream head to Tepaki point.
„ 2543, Maungamui bluff to Manukau harbour, and Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 34.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 45 of 1916. (*H. 4660/16.*)

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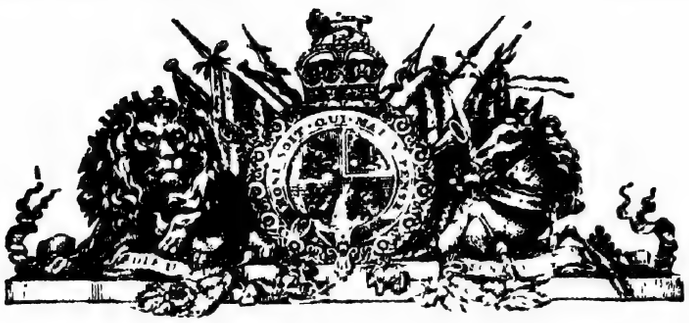

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE ON THE LAND REVENUE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL FOR THE YEAR 1915-16.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

DARJEELING, THE 24TH OCTOBER 1916.

RESOLUTION—No. 1827T.—R.

READ—

The Report of the Board of Revenue on the Land Revenue Administration of the Presidency of Bengal for the year 1915-16.

THE Hon'ble Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., held charge of the office of Member of the Board of Revenue from 1st April to 9th July 1915, and the Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan for the rest of the year.

2. **General conditions of the year.**—The material condition of the people was on the whole not very satisfactory. With the rise in the price of jute there was some improvement in the condition of the cultivating classes except in certain parts of the province, where distress prevailed on account of drought or floods, notably in the districts of Bankura, Tippera, Mymensingh and Noakhali. The failure of crops was most serious in the district of Bankura, where the distress was acute during the latter part of the year. The measures taken to relieve the distress in the four districts named above included the opening of relief-works and the grant of gratuitous relief and of advances under the Agriculturists' Loans Act and the Land Improvement Loans Act. The total amounts advanced under these Acts during the year were Rs. 15,78,340 and Rs. 1,65,762, respectively, of which the greater part was advanced in these four districts.

The tea industry was in a very flourishing condition during the year and the outturn of jute was fairly good, while the coal-mining industry in the district of Burdwan was adversely affected by the war in the early part of the year.

3. **Land Revenue demand and collection.**—The current demand was Rs. 2,76,02,163, the increase of Rs. 2,34,632 over the previous year being due mainly to new settlements, re-settlements and progressive increase of demands in temporarily settled and Government estates. The total collections amounted to Rs. 2,78,14,846, being 100·97 per cent. of the current demand and 93·82 per cent. of the total demand. Of the total remissions amounting to Rs. 73,727 granted during the year, the major portion was allowed in estates held direct by Government.

4. **Road and Public Works Cesses.**—The current cess demand showed an increase of Rs. 2,13,488, due to valuations and revaluations and to the annual revision of the assessment of mines. The percentage of total collections on the current demand rose from 96·9 to 100·6, and 14 districts against 3 in the previous year attained the standard of 100 per cent. on the current demand.

Valuations or revaluations, partial or complete, were made in 11 districts out of the 25 districts to which the Act applies and were completed in 7. In the districts of Dacca, Faridpur, Rajshahi, Jalpaiguri and Noakhali revaluation operations were conducted by the Settlement Department. Revaluations on an extensive scale under the ordinary procedure were completed in Khulna. The question of the modification of the special procedure for making cess revaluations simultaneously with the preparation of the record-of-rights is still under the consideration of this Government. In connection with valuations, it is reported by the Board that the approximate gross rental of the province now stands at 12 crores of rupees. It is interesting to note that the total sum paid as land revenue and as the landlords' share of cesses is about 3 crores of rupees. It follows that the gross income of the landlords of all grades is 9 crores. Their nett income, after deducting collection expenses, may be placed at 8 crores.

5. **Revenue money-orders.**—There was a decrease in the number of special money-orders issued during the year for remittance of land revenue and cesses, due to the introduction of a combined form of money-order for remittance of both land revenue and cesses, while the amount covered by the money-orders increased from Rs. 18,04,024 to Rs. 19,79,301.

6. **Coercive measures.**—The number of estates which defaulted in the payment of land revenue and became liable to sale was 12,498, or over 1,200 less than that of the previous year. Only 1,087 estates were actually sold. The number of certificates filed, inclusive of those on account of cess, was 96,639 against 95,644 in the preceding year. There was a decrease in the number of revenue certificates which was shared by many districts and was due to various local causes, while the cess certificates showed an increase chiefly in the 24-Parganas, Faridpur and Chittagong. The number of cases pending at the close of the year shows an increase over that in the previous year. In the majority of cases payments were made on the issue of notices or on attachment of property, and it was necessary to resort to actual sale in only 3,951 cases, or 4·3 per cent. of 90,431 cases disposed of during the year.

7. **Condition of the raiyats in Government estates and expenditure on improvements and education.**—Except in the areas affected by excessive rainfall and by floods, the condition of the tenants was on the whole satisfactory. The total number of estates under direct management, including those of private individuals managed by Government, was 2,272, with a current demand of Rs. 41,88,602. A sum of Rs. 78,002 was spent on miscellaneous and sanitary improvements, more than half being devoted to drainage, irrigation and embankments. The expenditure on education amounted to Rs. 65,851. There were 2,293 schools attended by 76,570 pupils in the Government estates of the Presidency. The expenditure on roads and communications in Government estates amounted to Rs. 3,07,305, of which Rs. 69,559 were paid out of the Government 1¼ per cent. grant, the balance being met from local funds.

8. **Waste lands.**—The rules for the grant of waste land leases in the 24-Parganas and Khulna portions of the Sundarbans remained in abeyance. An experiment in raiyatwari settlement is being made in the resumed lot Mansadwip 2nd portion in Saugor island; and the reclamation of lot Shikarpur 2nd portion in that island has been undertaken with the object of making the lot fit for raiyatwari settlement. In the area under colonisation in the district of Bakarganj, 416 new colonists settled on 24,070 bighas of land, against 535 colonists on 31,560 bighas in the preceding year.

9. **Drainage, irrigation and embankments.**—No new drainage or irrigation projects of importance were undertaken during the year. The scheme for improving the drainage of the Contai subdivision of the district of Midnapore is still under consideration, and that for the drainage of the Amta basin in the district of Howrah has been postponed on financial grounds. The work of raising certain portions of the Damodar left embankment was completed. The Gumti embankments in the district of Tippera, which are maintained by the zamindars, gave way in several places and flooded an area of about 50 square miles and destroyed all standing crops. As a result of a conference held at Comilla to consider schemes for the improvement or removal of the embankments, it has been decided that, pending the construction of storage reservoirs or escapes, the embankments should be maintained in an efficient condition, and that their height should be not less than that which existed when the Assam-Bengal Railway was under construction.

10. **Partitions.**—Forty-six cases were instituted during the year and 275 were pending at the close of the preceding year. Forty-eight cases, including 13 struck off for various reasons, were disposed of, leaving 273 pending at the end of the year.

11. **Working of the Bengal Tenancy Act.**—The Bengal Tenancy Act continued on the whole to work well. The levy of abwabs or illegal cesses by the landlords and the failure to grant rent-receipts has not, however, ceased, though in some districts the settlement and revaluation operations are said to have considerably restricted illegal demands.

There was an increase in the number of rent money-orders issued and in the amount covered by them. The percentage of money-orders refused by landlords fell from 18·5 in the preceding year to 16·9 during the year under report.

The Bill to amend the law relating to the transferability of occupancy holdings is still under the consideration of this Government.

12. The thanks of Government are due to the Board for its efficient administration of the Land Revenue Department during the year.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON FAMINE IN BANKURA DISTRICT FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 21st OCTOBER 1916.

In Bankura district the state of affairs in affected areas has improved. Prospects of standing crops are good. Condition of people on relief-works is good. The relief measures are adequate. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 9 seers per rupee. The number of persons on relief-works was 3,449, and in receipt of gratuitous relief, being weavers, 1,204, total 4,653. Most of the relief, works were closed on the 15th instant.

L. Birley,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Darjeeling, *the 25th October 1916.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 30th October 1916.

Summary.—During the week under report rain fell almost throughout the Province. The *rabi* sowings have been somewhat retarded in places of Western Bengal owing to excessive rainfall. Steeping and washing of jute still continue. Weeding of winter rice is practically over. The condition and prospects of this crop are on the whole good. Fodder is insufficient in parts of Jessore, Dinajpur and Tippera. Cattle-disease is reported from five districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by one per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	1·37	8	8	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Standing crops are doing well. Some damage to winter paddy by insects is reported from Basirhat and Barasat subdivisions. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	6·77	7⅛	7⅛	
	Barrackpore	0·97	6¾	6¾	
	Barasat ...	1·30	7⅛	7⅛	
	Basirhat ...	4·01	7¼	7¼	
2	NADIA ...	4·49	7¼	7⅛	Weather unusually rainy. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute is over. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	0·37	7¼	7⅛	
	Meherpur ...	1·60	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	0·63	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	1·47	6¾	6¾	
3	MURSHIDABAD	0·76	7⅛	7⅛	Weather seasonable with occasional showers, which is somewhat retarding sowing of *rabi* crops. The prospects of winter paddy are favourable. Steeping and washing of jute and harvesting of *aus* paddy continue. Some damage has been caused by flood to autumn rice in Kandi subdivision and by storm to *rabi* crops and winter paddy in Jangipur subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No large export or import.
	Lalbagh ...	0·21	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	0·43	8¼	8¼	
	Kandi ...	0·97	8¼	8¼	
4	JESSORE ...	2·81	8	8	Weather hot with occasional showers. Fields are being prepared for *rabi* crops. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is still insufficient in many places. Cattle-disease is reported from Magurah thana.
	Jhenidah ...	0·83	8	8	
	Magura ...	0·35	7¼	7¼	
	Narail ...	0·25	8	8	
	Bangaon ...	2·68	7⅞	7⅞	

NOTE.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
5	KHULNA ...	2·98	8	8	Weather rather cloudy. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Damage to winter rice by insect-pests is reported in some parts of Satkhira subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	2·19	7¾	(*a*)	
	Bagerhat ...	1·64	7	7	
6	BURDWAN ...	0·82	7½	7½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *aus* paddy, steeping and washing of jute are going on. Sowing of *rabi* and oilseed crops has been retarded by late rainfall. Sugarcane has been affected to some extent by the same. Prospects of winter paddy are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	1·90	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	1·81	8	8	
	Kalna ...	2·52	7¾	7½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	0·78	8½	8	Weather cloudy. Distribution of gratuitous relief continues. A sum of Rs. 4,433 has been advanced as agricultural loans. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Moureswar.
	Rampurhat	0·83	7½	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	3·74	9	9	Weather cloudy. Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	2·26	9	9	
9	MIDNAPORE	1·48	8 1/16	8 1/16	Weather cloudy. Slight damage to rice from recent rain is reported from Contai. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	0·25	7¾	7½	
	Tamluk ...	3·09	7½	8	
	Contai ...	9·63	9	9	
10	HOOGHLY ...	1·43	8	8	Weather unseasonable. Weeding of winter rice is finished. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	0·79	6½	6½	
	Arambagh ...	1·07	7½	7½	
11	HOWRAH ...	1·47	7	7	Weather rainy. Harvesting of jute is still going on. Fields are being prepared for the oilseed crops. The condition of standing crops is good except in thanas Singti and Amta. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Price of common rice is stationary.
	Uluberia ...	2·59	7½	7½	

(*a*) Not reported.

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1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	3·61	7¼	6¼	Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	2·17	7¼	7¼	
	Nator ...	2·18	7	7	
13	DINAJPUR ...	2·59	8⅛	7 13/16	Weather rainy. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute has been finished. Water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease. Scarcity of fodder is reported from Itahar police-station.
	Thakurgaon	0·34	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	1·90	8 7/16	8 7/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	7¼	7¼	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute are nearing completion. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fields are being ploughed for tobacco and mustard. Fodder and water are available. Cattle-disease in Alipur town is subsiding but rinderpest at Kumargram is prevailing.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	DARJEELING	0·01	8	8	Weather seasonable. *Marua* and winter rice are progressing well. Harvesting of jute continues in the Terai.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Siliguri ...	0·86	7	7	
	Kalimpong...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7¼	
16	RANGPUR ...	1·06	7¼	7¼	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of jute is nearly finished. Lands are under preparation for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Kurigram ...	0·02	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	0·35	7¼	7¼	
17	BOGRA ...	1·98	8	8	Weather cloudy. Cutting and steeping of jute continue in places. Prospects of standing crops are good. Preparation of lands for the *rabi* crops continues. Sowing of pulses has commenced. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
18	PABNA ...	1·41	7¼	7	Rainfall at Sara 0·16. Weather hot in the day and cool at night. Harvesting of jute is nearly finished. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	1·96	7	7	
19	MALDA ...	0·86	7¼	7¼	Weather cloudy and rainy. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Preparation of fields for *rabi* crops has commenced. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.

(*n*) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
20	Cooch Behar	0·82	8	$7\frac{9}{16}$	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute are still going on. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	Dacca ...	0·50	7 8†	7 $7\frac{1}{2}$†	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj ...	0·60	7	7	
	Narayanganj	1·21	$6\frac{3}{4}$ 8†	$6\frac{3}{4}$ $7\frac{3}{4}$†	
	Munshiganj*	(*n*)	(*n*)	7	
22	Mymensingh	4·23	$6\frac{5}{16}$	$6\frac{5}{16}$	Weather cloudy. Preparation of fields for *rabi* crops is in progress. Condition of paddy is good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	0·73	$6\frac{3}{4}$	6	
	Tangail ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	$6\frac{1}{4}$	
	Netrakona ...	0·18	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{1}{4}$	
	Kishorganj...	1·19	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$	
23	Faridpur	0·78	7	7	Weather seasonable. The recent showers have been beneficial to the standing crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of rice are sufficient. There has been no large import or export.
	Goalundo	0·63	8	8	
	Madaripur ...	1·44	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Gopalganj‡	2·49	8	8	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	1·96	$7\frac{1}{4}$	$7\frac{1}{4}$	Weather cloudy. Stocks of food-grains and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	2·69	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$	
	Patuakhali ...	2·44	7	7	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	0·89	7	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
25	Chittagong	1·13	$7\frac{1}{2}$	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cultivation of the *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	0·86	$7\frac{1}{2}$	7	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(*n*) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	0·13	7	7	Weather hot. Prospects of winter rice are good excepting in areas suffering from floods. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder is sufficient except in Kotwali thana. Stocks of food-grains are normal. There has been a large import of Rangoon and *Balam* rice.
	Brahmanbaria.	1·55	6	6	
	Chandpur ...	0·72	7½	7½	
27	NOAKHALI ..	0·30	7½	7½	Weather hot and cloudy. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are good, except in the flooded tracts in Feni. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Feni ..	Nil	8½	(*a*)	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	0·81	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati.

(a) Not reported

S. MILLIGAN,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 28th October 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
1. Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5 8 0	5 10 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
„ medium ...	6 0 0	6 2 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5 12 0	5 14 0	0 2 3	0 2 9
„ medium ...	5 14 0	6 4 0	0 2 7½	0 3 0
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5 6 0	6 1 0	0 2 3	0 2 7½
„ medium ...	6 2 0	6 10 0	0 2 9	0 3 0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6 4 0	6 10 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	1 12 0	5 10 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
(vi) Kajla	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4 4 0	4 5 0	.....	.....
„ Gangajali ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ Jamali ...	4 2 0	.....	.....	.....
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	4 0 0	4 4 0	0 1 9	0 2 3
4. „ dal	4 12 0	5 0 0	0 2 0	0 2 9
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5 12 0	6 8 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5 4 0	5 14 0	0 2 9	0 3 9
6. Arhar „	4 0 0	6 8 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
7. Masur „ ...	5 8 0	6 8 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ „ (khanri) ...	6 0 0	7 4 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
8. Kalai „	5 2 0	6 0 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
9. Salt (Liverpool) ...	2 12 0	2 13 0	0 1 3	0 1 6
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13 0 0	13 2 0	0 5 3	0 6 0
11. Gur (Bheli)	6 0 0	7 4 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
„ (Bhursut) ...	7 12 0	8 12 0	0 2 6	0 4 0
12. Milk	9 0 0	12 0 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
13. Mustard oil	14 0 0	15 0 0	0 6 0	0 8 0
14. Flour (country) ...	5 10 0	6 1 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
15. Ata No. 3	4 6 0	.....	.....	.....
„ „ 2½	4 8 0	5 11 0	.....	.....
„ „ B	6 4 0	6 5 0	.....	.....
16. Suji	5 14 0	6 8 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	59 0 0	60 0 0	1 8 0	1 10 0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	56 0 0	57 0 0	1 6 0	.....
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	49 0 0	50 0 0	1 4 0	1 5 0
18. Maize	2 12 0	3 4 0	.....	.....
19. Potato	6 12 0	8 0 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
20. Patal	6 8 0	9 0 0	0 3 6	0 6 0
21. Brinjal	5 12 0	6 0 0	0 3 0	0 5 0
22. Onion	2 12 0	4 12 0	0 1 6	0 2 6
23. Fish, Rahu	26 0 0	32 0 0	0 12 0	1 0 0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	.....
25. Beef (2nd & 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 5 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices recorded daily at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

Satis Chandra Ray,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

Calcutta, *the 30th October 1916.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the First-half of October 1916.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
	24-Parganas	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Ghetla Hât ...	6 8	6 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	11 8	11 8	16 0†
2	Magra Hât ..	7 10	7 4	7 4	8 0	7 10	7 9	7 5	7 5	6 6	6 10	6 10	5 8	13 14	13 7	16 13
3	Calcutta-Bellaghata	5 14	5 14	5 10	5 12	5 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 1	7 1	6 2	11 0	11 8	16 0
	Nadia.															
4	Goari	6 10	6 10	5 6	7 0	8 0	6 12	5 5	5 11	5 5	8 0	6 2	6 6	13 0	14 8	16 0†
5	Ranaghat ...	6 0	6 0	5 4	5 12	6 12	6 8	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 8	10 8	14 0
	Murshidabad.															
6	Berhampur	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	6 8	14 0	14 0	16 0†
7	Kandi	8 4	8 0	7 10	8 8	8 4	8 0	7 0	5 4	7 0	8 0	8 8	7 0	13 0	13 0	16 0
8	Jangipur ...	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 4	8 4	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	15 0	15 0	17 8
	Jessore.															
9	Sadar	7 8	7 8	7 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	10 0	12 0	12 0	15 8
10	Bangaon	7 3	7 3	6 11	7 10	7 10	7 8	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 6	6 6	6 6	12 13	12 13	16 0
	Khulna.															
11	Sadar ..	7 0	7 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	10 8	10 8	13 0
12	Bagerhat	7 0	7 0	5 8	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 6	10 0	10 0	13 0
	Burdwan.															
13	Sadar	7 8	7 0	6 12	8 0	8 0	7 4	6 8	7 0	6 4	8 0	6 8	6 8	13 0	16 0	20 0
14	Katwa	7 4	7 4	6 10	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 4	5 4	6 4	13 0	13 0	16 0†
	Birbhum.															
15	Suri	7 8	7 8	6 6	8 4	8 0	6 12	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	12 12	11 0	16 0
16	Rampur Hât ...	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 8	8 8	7 8	6 0	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	13 0	14 0	16 0
	Bankura.															
17	Sadar	8 0	8 0	6 4	8 12	8 12	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 4	13 0	13 0	15 0
18	Vishnupur	7 8	7 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	11 0	11 0	14 0
	Midnapore.															
19	Sadar	8 1	7 11	6 8	8 8	8 1	6 14	5 8	5 8	9 0	6 8	6 8	5 12	10 8	10 12	15 0
20	Contai ...	8 8	8 8	...	9 0	8 12	...	6 12	6 12	...	6 0	6 0	...	13 0	13 0	...
	Hooghly.															
21	Sadar	6 8	6 4	5 10	7 8	7 0	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 4	7 8	7 0	5 12	11 0	11 0	16 0†
22	Arambagh(a) ...	7 4	7 8	6 10	7 8	8 6	6 12	5 12	6 2	5 5	8 0	5 8	5 6	13 0	12 12	14 8
	Howrah.															
23	Sadar	7 4	7 4	6 8	8 8	8 0	6 12	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	13 0	13 0	16 0
24	Uluberia ...	7 8	7 0	6 4	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 4	5 12	13 12	13 12	16 0

† Kankatch. | (a) Return not received.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the First-half of October 1916—*contd.*

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice — Average — Present return.	Common Rice — Average — Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Average — Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice — Cheapest — Present return.	Common Rice — Cheapest — Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Cheapest — Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Corresponding return of last year.	Salt — Present return.	Salt — Next preceding return.	Salt — Corresponding return of last year.
		Rajshahi.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	26	Rampur-Boalia	7 2	7 2	6 9	7 5	7 5	6 9	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 0	9 12	9 12	12 0
	26	Nator	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	5 4	9 0	9 0	12 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	7 13	7 13	6 14	8 6	8 6	7 3	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 10	6 10	6 10	12 0	12 0	14 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar	7 0	7 4	5 12	8 0	8 4	0	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	11 0	11 0	13 0
		Darjeeling															
	29	Sadar	6 0	6 8	5 0	7 8	7 8	6 8	5 0	5 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	9 0	8 0	10 8
	30	Siliguri .. .	6 0	6 0	...	8 0	8 0		6 0	6 0	...	6 0	6 0	...	10 0	10 0	...
		Rangpur															
	31	Sadar	6 12	6 12	5 12	7 0	7 0	7 14	5 4	5 4	6 8	5 4	5 4	6 12	9 8	9 8	13 0
	32	Nilphamari ..	5 8	7 0	5 0	7 0	7 8	6 0	5 0	5 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	11 8	11 8	12 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	8 0	7 12	5 8	8 4	8 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 8	12 0	12 0	15 0
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	7 2	7 2	6 0	7 8	7 8	7 2	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 8	9 12	9 12	12 8
	35	Sirajganj ...	7 0	7 0	5 0	7 8	7 8	5 8	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 4	6 4	6 0	12 8	12 8	13 0
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar ..	6 8	6 8	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 8	6 0	12 0	12 0	13 0
	37	Gaila—Nawabganj	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	6 0	12 0	12 0	16 0
Dacca.		Dacca.															
	38	Sadar	6 12	6 12	5 8	8 0	8 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 4	6 0	6 8	5 0	11 0	11 0	13 8
	39	Munshir Hat ...	7 0	7 0	5 12	7 0	7 0	5 12	...		...	6 4	6 4	5 8	10 0	10 0	13 8
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad ...	7 0	6 14	5 12	7 4	7 2	6 2	5 4	5 0	6 8	5 0	6 0	5 10	11 12	11 12	13 6
	41	Netrakona ...	6 12	7 0	5 12	7 4	7 8	6 4	11 0	10 0	8 0	5 14	5 10	5 12	11 0	10 0	12 0
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 8	7 8	7 0	5 8	6 0	5 0	6 8	5 8	5 0	11 4	11 4	13 0
	43	Goalundo	7 6	7 6	6 0	8 0	7 6	6 6	8 0	8 4	6 4	6 8	6 6	5 5	10 15	10 15	12 12
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	7 8	7 4	5 12	8 0	8 0	7 4	8 0	7 8	6 12	6 8	6 0	5 4	12 8	12 0	13 8
	45	Pirojpur	7 0	7 0	..	7 0	7 0	5 8	7 0	7 8	6 8	5 12	5 0	5 0	10 11	11 0	14 0

† Karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the First-half of October 1916—concld.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		Tippera.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	46	Comilla	5 14	6 6	5 8	6 6	6 14	5 11	4 9	4 9	4 9	5 5	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	16 0
	47	Chandpur ...	6 8	6 7	5 8	8 12	8 4	6 11	10 0	10 0	5 8	5 0	5 0	5 10	15 0	12 8	15 0
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kaliara Hat ...	7 8	7 8	5 4	7 12	7 12	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	10 8	10 8	16 0
	49	Feni Hat ...	6 0	6 7	5 9	7 4	8 5	7 12	6 8	6 8	8 0	*	*	...	12 13	12 0	16 0
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar ...	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	13 0	14 0	16 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 0	7 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 8	12 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	6 8	8 8	6 8	7 0	10 0	7 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	13 0

* This article is not at present sold here. † Crushed.

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CALCUTTA.

The 31st October 1916.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	3	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	7 14 0	7 14 0	8 0 0	6 3 0	6 3 0	7 4 0
Cheria Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 12 0	2 13 0	3 10 0	2 10 0	2 11 0	3 4 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	6 4 0
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	9 0 0	10 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 14 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0
Narayanganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	3 5 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 3 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 3 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	7 10 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	7 0 0

MARTS.	LINSEED			MUSTARD			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ..	5 13 0	5 13 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 8 0	13 0 0	13 0 0	14 8 0
Cheria Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	7 8 0	7 4 0	6 0 0	20 0 0	22 0 0	18 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	5 0 0 / 5 13 0 / 5 8 0	5 0 0 / 5 13 0 / 5 8 0	8 4 0	28 0 0	28 0 0	13 8 0
Chittagong	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	9 0 0	9 8 0	8 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	6 0 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	11 12 0	11 12 0	12 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna .	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 10 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	8 11 0	8 11 0	10 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ..	.....	.....	.....	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	11 8 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....

* No sale.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of October 1916.

WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4 5 0	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 6 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chetla Hat.
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	5 10 0	5 12 0	6 6 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Raniganj.
4 10 0 to 4 12 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0	5 12 0	4 4 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	4 0 0 to 4 4 0	4 12 0	5 4 0 to 5 8 0	5 4 0 to 5 8 0	5 12 0	Midnapore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	Chittagong
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	Dacca
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
.....	.....	4 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 11 0	Pabna
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	Rangpur.

JUTE			GHEE			HIDES (COW).			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
39	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
8 0 0	8 0 0	7 4 0	52 0 0	52 0 0	48 0 0	375 0 0	Per 100 pieces. 375 0 0	375 0 0	Calcutta.
									Chetla Hat.
9 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	50 0 0	54 0 0	50 0 0	48 0 0	Per maund. 48 0 0	48 0 0	Burdwan.
									Kalna.
									Raniganj.
6 8 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	55 0 0 to 58 0 0	55 0 0 to 58 0 0	50 0 0 to 55 0 0	350 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100 350 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100 325 0 0	400 0 0 375 0 0	Midnapore.
			54 0 0	53 0 0	52 0 0				Chittagong.
7 8 0 to 11 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	8 0 0 to 8 0 0							Chandpur.
			60 0 0	60 0 0	57 8 0				Dacca
9 0 0 to 10 0 0	9 0 0 to 10 0 0	8 12 0 to 8 4 0							Narayanganj.
7 8 0 to 10 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	8 4 0 to 8 8 0							Mymensingh.
7 0 0 to 9 4 0	8 8 0 to 9 8 0	8 8 0 to 8 12 0							Madaripur
			58 0 0	58 0 0	55 0 0				Pabna.
7 0 0 to 9 0 0	8 8 0 to 8 8 0	8 8 0 to 8 0 0							Sirajganj.
10 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	56 0 0	56 0 0	54 0 0	Per piece 3 0 0	Per piece 3 0 0		Rangpur.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

Marts	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	14 0 0	14 0 0	9 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 9 6	2 9 6	2 2 9(a)
Chotia Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....
Burdwan	13 0 0	13 0 0	7 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 6	2 4 3(a)
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Bandgauj	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	2 0 0 to 6 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 10 0	2 11 0	2 11 6	2 2 6(a)
Chittagong	16 0 0	16 0 0	10 0 0	2 14 0	2 12 0	2 2 0‡	1 13 0	1 12 6	1 13 6(b)
Chandpur	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...
Dacca	13 0 0	13 0 0	8 0 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0*	3 0 0	2 12 3	2 4 6(a)
Narayanganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Pabna	13 0 0	13 0 0	11 0 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	2 12 0	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 5 0(a) 2 3 0(c)
Sirajganj	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	13 0 0	13 0 0	9 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 8 0*	2 14 0	2 15 0	2 8 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | (c) Serpent brand. | * Panas. | ‡ Crushed.

CALCUTTA.

The 31st October 1916.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1916—concld.

MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14 0 0	14 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 8 6	.....	.....	.....	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 4 3	Chetla Hat.
14 0 6	14 0 6	13 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 6	0 5 3	0 4 6	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8	0 8 0	0/17 6	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 1 4	0 1 3	0 1 0	Kaligunj.
15 0 0 to 15 8 0	5 0 0 to 15 8 0	15 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	.....	.....	.....	Midnapore.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
17 0 0	17 0 0	17 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Pabna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rangpur.

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Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District	Number	Town	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911			BIRTHS REGISTERED			DEATHS							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX		PLAGUE		FEVER.	
			Male	Female	Total	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
BURDWAN	1	Burdwan	20,537	15,394	35,931	10	3.26	...	5	1.64	4	1.31	...	...	32	10.51
	2	Kalna	4,531	4,082	8,603	4	5.46	...	...	...	2	2.74	...	...	6	8.23
	3	Katwa	3,469	3,435	6,904	12	20.32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3.41
	4	Dainhat	2,584	2,808	5,342	3	6.63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	17.68
	5	Raniganj	8,417	7,080	15,497	36	27.42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	10.66
	6	Asansol	12,486	9,433	21,919	58	31.24	...	12	6.46	...	...	...	...	19	10.23
BIRBHUM	7	Suri	4,907	4 224	9,131	6	7.75	...	2	2.58	..	...	...	...	3	3.87
BANKURA	8	Baukura	12,186	11,297	23,483	35	17.67	...	...	...	1	.50	...	...	17	8.55
	9	Vishnupur	10,025	10,453	20,478	31	17.87	...	8	4.61	...	...	...	...	7	4.03
	10	Sonamukhi	6,264	7,021	13,275	25	22.23	...	1	.88	...	...	...	...	16	14.22
MIDNAPORE	11	Midnapore	17,577	15,163	32,740	43	15.50	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	5.04
	12	Ghatal	6 216	5,848	12,064	7	6.85	...	3	1.95	...	...	...	...	10	18.59
	13	Kharar	4,714	4,125	8,839	9	14.02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2.67
	14	Chandrakona	4,034	4,087	8,121	12	17.44	...	9	13.08	...	...	...	...	7	10.17
	15	Ramjibanpur	4,294	4,387	9,681	16	22.27	2	10	13.92	...	...	...	...	12	16.70
	16	Khirpai	3,294	3,211	4,505	6	15.38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	20.51
	17	Tamluk	4,355	3,695	8,050	14	20.53	...	1	1.46	...	...	...	...	6	8.79
HOOGHLY	18	Hooghly and Chinsura	15,817	13,099	28,916	51	20.82	...	1	.40	...	...	...	...	15	6.53
	19	Bansberia	3,443	2,665	6,108	11	21.26	...	1	1.93	...	...	...	...	5	9.66
	20	Arambagh	4,061	3,987	8,048	13	19.07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	8.80
	21	Serampore	19,689	12,439	32,078	47	17.29	...	2	.73	..	...	...	...	19	4.78
	22	Rishra-Konnagore	10,724	6,792	17,516	39	26.28	...	1	.67	...	...	...	...	9	6.06
	23	Uttarpara	4,412	2 961	7,373	8	14.81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4.80
	24	Kotrung	4,103	3,471	8,574	9	16.16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.79
	25	Baidyabati	11,792	8,724	20,516	34	19.56	2	4	2.30	...	...	...	...	7	4.02
	26	Bhadreswar	13,862	8,491	22,353	18	6.30	...	6	2.90	...	...	...	...	14	6.78
HOWRAH	27	Howrah	114,820	64,560	179,380	353	23.23	24	5	.32	1	.06	...	...	113	7.37
	28	Bally	14,217	8,177	22,394	30	15.81	1	1	.52	...	...	...	...	11	5.79
24-PARGANAS	29	Cossipore Chitpur	30,799	17,386	48,178	60	14.70	3	3	.73	1	.24	...	...	36	8.82
	30	Maniktala	31,735	22,032	53,767	55	12.73	...	1	.21	...	...	...	...	29	7.02
	31	South Suburban	17 603	13,880	31,533	50	18.72	1	2	.74	...	...	...	...	23	8.61
	32	Tollygauj	11,183	7,250	18,433	25	16.01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	12.16
	33	Garden Reach	27,865	17,830	45,395	60	15.63	3	4	1.04	1	.26	...	...	31	8.08
	34	Budge-Budge	11,529	6,453	17,982	11	7.44	...	1	.65	...	...	...	...	5	3.28
	35	Baranagar	14,962	10,913	25,895	19	17.78	4	1	.45	...	...	...	...	18	8.20
	36	Kamarhati	11,243	6,772	18,015	13	8.51	...	4	2.62	...	...	...	...	21	16.38
	37	Bajpur	5,762	5,845	11,607	20	20.34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	14.24
	38	Barnipur	3,907	3,468	6,375	2	3.70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3.70
	39	Jaynagar	4,681	4,614	9,245	8	10.21	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	14.04
	40	North Dum Dum	5,151	3,714	8,865	4	6.32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	9.32
	41	South Dum-Dum	7,760	5,114	12,874	13	11.92	...	1	.91	...	...	...	...	7	6.41
	42	South Barrackpore and Barrackpore	17,188	10,473	27,608	16	6.64	...	5	2.13	...	...	...	...	8	3.42
	43	Panihati	6,339	4,779	11,118	5	5.49	...	1	1.06	...	...	...	...	4	4.24
	44	North Barrackpore	6,993	4,854	11,847	12	11.95	...	1	.99	3	2.98	...	...	6	5.97
	45	Titaghar	31,229	13,946	45,171	38	7.31	15	9	2.35	...	...	...	...	50	13.06
	46	Garulia	7,878	3,704	11,580	6	6.11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4.07
	47	Naihati	11,685	6,534	18,219	14	9.07	...	1	.64	2	1.29	...	...	6	3.88
	48	Halisahar	8,371	5,052	13,423	8	7.03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5.27
	49	Bhatpara	34,739	15,675	50,414	30	9.04	...	16	4.21	3	.46	...	...	15	3.51
	50	Barasat	4,731	4,059	8,790	19	25.52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	8.05
	51	Gobardanga	2,533	2,537	5,070	3	4.85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	11.64
	52	Basirhat	9,317	6,814	16,131	15	22.54	...	4	2.57	4	2.57	...	...	13	8.37
	53	Baduria	7,068	6,622	13,690	11	9.49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	10.35
	54	Taki	2,627	2,675	5,302	7	15.88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2.26
CALCUTTA	55	Calcutta	607,674	288,393	896,067	1,439	18.96	101	45	.59	1	.01	...	...	251	3.70
NADIA	56	Krishnagar	11,767	11,708	23,475	20	10.08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	5.53
	57	Nadia or Nabadwip	5,831	6,659	12,490	8	7.56	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	15.13
	58	Hanseliat	5 210	4,640	9,850	16	19 17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7.19
	59	Birnagar	1,301	1,355	2,656	5	24 24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	60	Santipur	13,166	14,517	26,703	68	30.06	...	2	.88	...	...	...	...	37	16.35
	61	Chakdaha	2 469	2 462	4,931	5	11.97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	7 18
	62	Kushtia	3,556	2 539	6,096	15	29 05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	63	Kumarkhali	1,761	1,988	3,749	3	9 39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	15 66
	64	Meherpur	2,990	2,971	5,961	4	7 92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3 96
MURSHIDABAD	65	Berhampore	14,302	11,841	26,143	39	17 61	...	1	.45	...	...	...	...	20	9 03
	66	Murshidabad	6,389	6,410	13,569	18	13 97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	17 70
	67	Azimganj	6,735	5,602	12,337	18	17 23	...	9	8 61	...	...	...	...	19	18 19
	68	Kandi	6,313	6,436	12,636	17	15 88	...	7	6 53	...	...	...	...	17	15 88
	69	Jangipur	5,493	5,915	11,408	29	30 01	...	1	1 03	...	...	...	...	14	14 48
	70	Dhulian	4,016	4,382	8,398	20	28 45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	24 18
JESSORE	71	Jessore	5 404	3 507	8,911	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1 32
	72	Kotchandpur	4 794	3,792	8,076	3	4 38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4 38
	73	Maheshpur	2,106	2,105	4,211	3	8 41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	30 84
KHULNA	74	Khulna	7,983	5,013	12,996	7	6 35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4 54
	75	Satkhira	5,802	5,100	10,902	5	5 41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	11 91
	76	Debhatta	2,807	2,882	5,689	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6 69
RAJSHAHI	77	Rampur-Boalia	13 057	10,349	23,406	35	19 16	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5 64
	78	Nator	4,509	3,742	8,251	3	4 49	...	...	...	1	1.43	...	...	9	12 87
DINAJPUR	79	Dinajpur	9 648	6 297	15,945	10	7 40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5 22
JALPAIGURI	80	Jalpaiguri	7,547	4,218	11,765	13	13 04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	11 03
DARJEELING	81	Darjeeling	11,681	7,574	19,005	26	17.39	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	8 07
	82	Kurseong	3,126	2,448	5,574	17	38.09	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	12	25 41
RANGPUR	83	Rangpur	10,509	5 930	16,439	16	11 49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	8 62

the month of August 1916.

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DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.					
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	Town.
10	3·28	3	98	6	1·64	10	3·28	43	26	69	22·65	24	10	34	11·14	1	Burdwan.
...	...	3	4·11	1	1·37	...	...	7	3	10	13·46	11	8	19	26·00	2	Kalna.
1	1·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	5·13	1	1	2	3·41	3	Katwa.
1	2·20	...	...	1	2·20	1	2·20	5	6	11	24·31	4	3	7	15·42	4	Dainhat.
5	3·80	2	1·52	3	1·52	4	3·04	16	11	27	20·57	13	11	24	18·23	5	Raniganj
6	3·23	1	53	...	...	7	3·77	28	17	45	24·23	4	4	8	4·29	6	Asansol.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·29	3	3	6	7·75	93	3	5	6·44	7	Suri.
5	2·51	...	...	...	...	9	4·53	17	15	32	16·10	57	24	81	40·64	8	Bankura
6	3·45	2	1·15	2	1·72	6	3·45	14	18	32	18·44	11	13	24	13·76	9	Vishnupur.
1	88	...	...	1	88	...	...	11	8	19	16·89	13	7	20	17·73	10	Sonamukhi
9	3·25	2	·72	...	...	4	1·44	17	13	30	10·45	23	21	44	15·81	11	Midnapore.
9	8·80	...	...	1	·97	...	...	18	19	37	30·33	17	15	32	31·23	12	Ghatal.
5	6·67	2	2·67	2	2·67	1	1·33	8	4	12	16·02	5	11	16	21·31	13	Kharar.
3	2·90	1	1·45	1	1·45	...	...	9	11	20	29·07	5	6	11	15·94	14	Chandrakona.
8	4·16	...	...	...	...	4	5·56	13	14	29	40·37	9	8	17	23·60	15	Ramjibanpur.
1	4·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8	9	23·07	7	8	15	33·23	16	Khirpai.
1	1·46	1	1·46	...	...	4	5·86	7	6	13	19·06	4	1	5	7·31	17	Tamluk.
17	6·94	1	·40	...	...	9	3·67	16	28	44	17·96	28	28	56	22·80	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.
1	1·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	7	13·63	5	4	13	23·13	19	Rasulberia.
3	4·40	1	1·46	...	...	1	1·46	5	6	11	16·13	18	7	25	36·87	20	Arambagh.
10	6·99	4	1·47	2	·73	16	5·86	31	25	56	20·61	Data not available.				21	Serampore.
...	·67	...	...	...	...	5	3·37	10	6	16	10·78					22	Hishra-Konnagore.
3	4·80	...	...	1	1·60	2	3·20	6	3	9	14·41	4	3	7	11·17	23	Uttarpara.
...	...	...	...	1	1·79	1	1·79	2	1	3	5·38	4	4	8	14·32	24	Kotrung
6	3·45	6	3·45	...	...	9	5·17	23	10	33	18·41	21	27	48	27·54	25	Baidyabati
3	1·45	1	·48	1	·48	5	2·42	15	15	30	14·54	13	13	26	12·08	26	Bhadreswar.
67	4·40	44	2·89	6	·39	108	7·10	173	170	343	22·57	200	150	350	22·97	27	Howrah
10	5·47	1	·54	2	1·05	4	2·10	17	12	29	15·28	18	20	38	19·97	28	Bally
17	4·16	13	2·94	1	·24	19	4·65	51	38	89	21·81	59	69	128	31·38	29	Cossipore-Chitpur.
28	6·14	32	7·04	...	...	34	7·46	66	61	127	27·88	44	47	91	20·36	30	Maniktala
3	1·12	3	1·12	2	·74	5	1·87	33	15	48	14·22	34	36	70	18·66	31	South Suburban.
5	1·92	8	3·20	...	...	1	·64	19	9	28	17·93	10	10	20	12·77	32	Tollygunj.
13	3·14	9	2·34	...	...	24	6·25	43	28	71	21·11	54	34	88	24·17	33	Garden Reach
2	1·96	...	...	2	1·31	1	·65	4	6	10	7·87	10	9	19	12·44	34	Budge-Budge
16	7·29	2	·91	2	1·36	11	5·01	25	26	51	23·25	27	32	59	30·00	35	Baranagar
5	3·27	...	...	1	·65	...	...	25	10	35	22·93	18	12	30	19·60	36	Kamarhati.
1	1·01	2	2·03	...	...	3	3·05	9	11	20	20·34	10	8	18	18·25	37	Rajpur.
...	...	1	1·85	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	5·55	3	7	10	18·46	38	Baraipur.
5	6·38	3	3·83	1	1·27	...	...	10	10	20	25·54	4	7	11	14·00	39	Jaynagar.
1	1·33	2	2·66	...	...	1	1·33	6	5	11	14·64	9	13	22	29·21	40	North Dum-Dum
3	2·75	1	·91	...	...	7	6·41	11	8	19	17·43	11	9	20	18·29	41	South Dum-Dum.
4	1·71	1	·44	1	·42	...	...	13	6	19	8·12	13	11	24	9·81	42	South Barrackpore and Barrackpore.
6	6·37	...	...	...	...	2	2·12	7	6	13	13·80	14	13	27	28·59	43	Panihati
4	3·98	2	1·99	...	...	2	1·99	9	9	18	17·93	6	12	18	17·88	44	North Barrackpore.
5	7·0	...	...	2	·52	1	·26	33	33	66	16·98	40	31	80	20·65	45	Titaghar.
4	4·07	...	...	1	1·01	...	...	6	3	9	9·17	5	5	10	10·16	46	Garulia.
4	2·89	2	1·39	...	...	3	1·94	11	7	18	11·66	13	8	21	13·57	47	Naihati
1	·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	7	6·15	5	10	15	11·40	48	Halisahar.
3	70	6	1·40	2	·46	1	·23	33	14	47	11·00	35	27	62	13·14	49	Bhatpara.
1	1·34	2	2·68	1	1·34	1	1·34	4	7	11	14·77	4	5	9	12·05	50	Harinavi
3	4·65	1	1·32	...	...	...	...	3	5	8	18·62	...	7	7	16·25	51	Gobardanga.
4	2·67	2	1·28	...	...	6	3·86	14	19	33	21·25	9	9	18	11·56	52	Baidhati.
...	...	...	...	1	·86	4	3·45	11	6	17	14·47	12	11	23	19·79	53	Baduria.
1	2·26	1	2·26	...	...	1	2·26	3	1	4	9·07	2	4	6	20·37	54	Taki
308	2·74	525	4·28	94	·44	789	10·39	945	738	1,683	22·17	968	724	1,692	22·23	55	Calcutta.
...	...	3	1·00	...	...	6	3·01	9	10	19	9·55	5	14	19	9·52	56	Krishnagar.
5	2·83	...	...	...	...	1	·94	10	10	20	18·92	4	8	12	11·32	57	Nadia or Nabadwip.
5	5·99	3	2·39	2	2·39	1	1·19	10	6	16	19·17	13	9	22	26·18	58	Ranaghat.
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·89	...	2	2	3·89	5	2	7	13·92	59	Birnagar
5	2·21	3	1·32	2	·88	11	4·86	30	30	60	26·52	23	16	39	16·76	60	Santipur.
...	...	1	2·39	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	9·57	2	4	6	14·32	61	Chakdaha.
2	3·87	...	...	1	1·93	1	1·93	2	4	6	7·74	2	1	3	5·79	62	Kushtia.
...	...	1	3·13	...	...	1	3·13	2	5	7	21·92	1	...	1	3·12	63	Kumarkhali.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	3·96	...	1	1	1·97	64	Meherpur.
1	·45	3	1·35	3	1·35	4	1·80	16	17	33	14·45	41	46	87	43·68	65	Berhampur.
1	·93	1	·93	2	1·86	3	1·86	13	15	28	23·29	8	18	26	21·37	66	Murshidabad.
2	2·87	2	2·87	...	...	6	5·74	26	14	40	38·31	14	12	26	24·83	67	Azimganj
...	...	1	·93	1	·93	4	3·73	15	15	30	28·02	9	19	28	26·08	68	Kandi
...	...	2	2·06	2	2·06	3	3·08	16	5	21	21·73	7	11	18	18·57	69	Jangipur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5	17	24·18	6	8	14	19·86	70	Dhulian.
1	1·32	1	1·32	1	1·32	...	...	2	2	4	5·29	5	6	11	14·53	71	Jemuro.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	4·36	3	7	10	23·34	72	Kaoichandpur
1	2·60	...	...	1	2·60	...	...	9	4	13	36·44	4	...	4	11·18	73	Maheshpur.
1	·90	3	2·72	...	...	...	...	6	3	9	8·17	22	11	33	29·89	74	Khulna.
1	1·08	3	3·44	...	...	...	...	9	6	15	16·44	10	7	17	18·36	75	Satkhira.
1	2·43	1	2·43	...	...	3	6·69	5	3	8	17·85	6	...	6	13·35	76	Debhata.
2	1·09	1	·50	...	...	10	5·04	10	13	23	11·59	13	16	28	14·08	77	Rangpur-Sonlia.
...	...	1	1·43	...	...	5	4·29	9	5	14	20·03	14	5	19	27·11	78	Nator.
1	·74	...	...	...	...	1	·74	3	2	5	3·70	15	2	17	12·55	79	Dinajpur.
...	...	2	2·00	...	...	4	6·02	18	1	19	19·08	18	10	28	28·02	80	Jalpaiguri.
3	1·66	3	3·73	1	·62	9	5·59	20	13	33	19·67	14	16	30	17·96	81	Darjeeling.
1	2·11	3	6·36	...	...	...	...	10	6	16	33·89	11	8	19	40·13	82	Kurseong.
3	2·15	...	...	1	·71	3	2·15	13	7	19	13·65	11	9	20	14·33	83	Rangpur.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District.	Number.	Town.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered.			Deaths.							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of popula-tion.	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.	
									Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
BOGRA	84	Bogra	5,249	3,864	9,113	6	7·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7·77
	85	Sherpur	2,217	1,871	4,088	7	20·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5·66
PABNA	86	Pabna	10,056	9,318	19,374	20	17·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3·06
	87	Sirajganj	13,236	11,541	24,777	6	2·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2·58
MALDA	88	English Bazar	7,697	6,625	14,322	29	23·50	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4·12
	89	Malda	2,014	1,736	3,750	5	15·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	9·44
	90	Nawabganj	12,122	12,300	33,322	24	12·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	8·60
DACCA	91	Dacca	88,091	93,460	105,551	210	22·83	9	1	·10	...	...	...	...	70	7·61
	92	Narayanganj	18,738	19,138	27,876	49	20·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2·84
MYMENSINGH	93	Mymensingh	13,462	6,391	19,853	19	11·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·37
	94	Muktagachha	3,922	2,633	6,555	16	26·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	95	Netrakona	6,018	7,722	13,740	9	7·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·56
	96	Jahnaipur	11,729	9,381	21,109	22	12·50	...	1	·55	3	1·67	...	...	14	7·83
	97	Sherpur	8,516	7,075	15,591	23	27·05	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	9·08
	98	Jhanjirgan	7,508	7,518	14,026	18	19·75	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3·92
	99	Bhatipur	5,447	5,386	10,833	10	10·82	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5·44
	100	Tangail	8,493	7,880	16,262	12	8·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5·03
FARIDPUR	101	Faridpur	9,017	9,114	18,131	10	5·99	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6·09
	102	Madaripur	10,549	8,524	19,073	26	23·37	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	10·78
BAKARGANJ	103	Barisal	16,488	16,985	33,473	15	7·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	7·88
	104	Jhalakati	4,872	5,107	9,979	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	105	Nalchiti	1,354	409	1,763	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6·04
	106	Pirojpur	6,538	4,473	11,906	19	15·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·98
	107	Pachakhali	6,938	6,279	6,217	8	13·12	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·59
CHITTAGONG	108	Chittagong	24,779	26,987	28,766	50	20·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	4·92
	109	Cox's Bazar	2,102	2,270	4,376	10	26·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	16·18
NOAKHALI	110	Sudharam	4,366	2,643	7,009	10	15·16	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6·05
TIPPERA	111	Comilla	18,706	19,986	22,692	16	4·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·08
	112	Brahmanbaria	10,671	11,924	22,305	24	18·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	8·47
	113	Chandpur	10,063	11,955	12,747	18	11·34	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3·71
Total of 30 towns for month			1,78,4510	1,82,741	2,007,252	4,092	16·49	140	194	·78	26	·10	...	...	1,582	6·47
Total of corresponding month of previous year			...	...	...	3,710	15·07	170	380	1·56	93	·38	...	...	1,726	6·99
Increase - Decrease -			...	...	...	+380	+1·42	+11	−195	−·78	−67	−·15	...	...	−144	−·57

The population is compiled from returns submitted by municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Throughout the whole the table consists of 336 days.

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The 30th October 1916.

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DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES, INCLUDING SUICIDE		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.					
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	Town.
...	...	...	...	2	2·59	4	5·18	5	7	12	15·54	7	4	11	14·21	84	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	1	2·88	...	...	2	2	4	11·55	2	5	7	20·16	85	Sherpur
3	1·83	...	...	...	...	1	·61	5	4	9	5·51	41	30	71	43·37	86	Pabna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	2·38	3	5	8	3·80	87	Sirajganj.
...	...	2	1·64	1	·82	4	3·29	6	6	12	9·89	8	9	17	13·97	88	English Bazar
2	6·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	15·74	1	2	3	9·41	89	Malda.
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·51	14	6	20	10·12	9	9	18	9·08	90	Nawabganj.
28	3·04	5	·54	5	·54	70	7·61	94	85	179	19·46	130	96	226	24·51	91	Dacca.
3	1·27	1	·42	...	...	11	4·65	12	9	21	8·89	14	14	28	11·82	92	Narayanganj
2	1·18	1	·59	1	·59	11	6·54	11	8	19	11·29	10	8	18	10·67	93	Mymensingh.
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·40	1	2	3	5·40	3	4	7	12·57	94	Muktagachha
...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3·43	4	1	5	4·29	14	5	19	16·26	95	Netrakona.
2	1·11	1	·55	...	...	3	1·67	13	13	26	13·42	34	23	57	31·79	96	Jamalpur.
...	...	...	...	1	·75	11	8·32	13	13	26	18·17	13	14	28	21·14	97	Sherpur.
...	...	6	3·92	...	...	2	1·31	10	4	14	9·16	1	9	10	6·53	98	Kishorganj
1	1·08	...	...	...	...	1	1·08	6	1	7	7·62	6	2	8	8·69	99	Bajitpur.
1	·72	1	·72	...	...	3	2·16	8	4	12	8·65	15	10	25	17·99	100	Tangail.
...	...	2	1·79	...	...	...	...	8	3	11	9·89	9	5	14	12·55	101	Faridpur.
1	·89	...	...	...	...	11	9·89	12	12	24	21·57	21	12	33	29 37	102	Madaripur
2	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	9	17	8·93	8	6	14	7·33	103	Barisal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	5	9·84	104	Jhalakati.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	6·04	...	1	1	6·02	105	Nalchiti.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4·92	3	3	6	5·90	13	6	19	18·64	106	Pirojpur
1	1·89	...	...	...	...	1	1·89	2	4	6	11·39	...	...	...	...	107	Patuakhali.
5	2·05	1	·41	3	1·23	13	5·33	31	12	34	13·95	28	19	47	19·23	108	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	6	16 18	1	6	7	18·82	109	Cox's Bazar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·36	5	2	5	8·42	11	8	19	31·91	110	Sudharam.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·08	4	4	8	4 16	9	6	15	7·78	111	Comilla.
1	·52	4	2·10	...	...	13	6·85	25	9	34	18·00	14	18	32	16·89	112	Brahmanbaria.
2	1·85	...	...	...	...	5	4 64	8	3	11	10·21	8	7	15	13·88	113	Chandpur
626	2·54	883	2·24	113	·45	1,386	5·63	2,491	1,991	4,482	18·20						
583	2·36	843	2·19	120	·48	1,509	6·11	2,713	2,219	4,932	19·97	2,713	2,219	4,932	19·97		
+43	+·18	+11	+·05	-7	-·03	-121	-·48	-222	-228	-450	-1·77						

a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of the Districts, excluding Towns

DIVISIONS.	Number.	Districts excluding Towns.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
BURDWAN ...	1	Burdwan	718,380	725,805	1,444,185	3,179	*25·93*	18	153	*1·25*	93	*·76*	...	...	2,493	*19 80*
	2	Birbhum	458,931	467,411	926,342	1,767	*22·52*	44	254	*3·23*	6	*·07*	...	...	2,394	*30·51*
	3	Bankura	534,150	547,314	1,081,464	2,544	*27·77*	...	227	*2·47*	27	*·29*	...	...	1,656	*18 07*
	4	Midnapore ...	1,367,300	1,371,001	2,738,301	4,946	*20·24*	137	301	*1·29*	30	*·12*	...	...	3,946	*17·01*
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	465,970	472,645	938,615	1,739	*21·87*	...	30	*·25*	9	*·11*	...	...	1,900	*18·86*
	6	Howrah	369,595	372,124	741,719	1,469	*23·33*	6	35	*·55*	1	*·01*	...	...	505	*8 03*
Total of Division for month ...			3,914,326	3,956,300	7,870,626	15,656	*23·48*	205	990	*1·48*	166	*·24*	...	...	13,424	*19·63*
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						17,495	*26·17*	263	676	*1·01*	427	*·63*	...	...	13,232	*19·79*
Presidency ...	7	24-Parganas ...	970,880	914,740	1,885,890	3,316	*20·76*	60	36	*·22*	39	*·24*	...	...	2,095	*13·11*
	8	Nadia	765,499	756,439	1,521,938	2,967	*23·01*	41	16	*·12*	9	*·03*	...	...	2,378	*17·67*
	9	Murshidabad ...	636,285	652,506	1,288,791	3,246	*30·65*	144	282	*2·12*	6	*·05*	...	...	2,611	*23·91*
	10	Jessore	889,299	847,767	1,737,066	2,977	*13·43*	103	5	*·02*	5	*·03*	...	...	3,339	*15·85*
	11	Khulna	693,187	644,392	1,337,579	2,392	*20·02*	96	81	*·71*	4	*·03*	...	...	1,882	*13·96*
Total of Division for month ...			3,954,120	3,816,834	7,770,954	13,898	*21·11*	444	368	*·55*	59	*·08*	...	...	10,808	*16 55*
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						15,472	*23·44*	527	296	*·44*	248	*·37*	...	...	12,681	*19·21*
Rajshahi ...	12	Rajshahi	737,640	711,290	1,448,930	3,700	*22·00*	535	...	...	10	*·08*	...	...	3,228	*26·27*
	13	Dinajpur	880,228	791,690	1,671,918	4,066	*28·71*	133	55	*·38*	14	*·09*	...	...	3,747	*26·45*
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	482,661	408,234	890,895	2,543	*33·66*	155	2	*·02*	8	*·10*	...	...	2,082	*27·56*
	15	Darjeeling ...	127,337	113,634	240,971	688	*33·70*	57	...	...	...	...	...	...	541	*26·50*
	16	Rangpur ...	1,244,208	1,124,693	2,368,901	4,553	*23·19*	338	...	...	17	*·08*	...	...	4,647	*22·66*
	17	Bogra	495,020	475,846	970,866	1,575	*19·16*	90	54	*·65*	25	*·30*	...	...	1,609	*19·60*
	18	Pabna	700,299	684,236	1,384,535	1,896	*16·16*	122	...	...	4	*·03*	...	...	1,655	*14·11*
	19	Malda	477,714	485,061	962,765	2,494	*30 09*	85	49	*·60*	1	*·01*	...	...	2,006	*24·59*
Total of Division for month ...			5,145,127	4,794,154	9,939,281	20,574	*24·43*	1,205	160	*19*	79	*·09*	...	...	19,410	*23·05*
Total of corresponding month of previous year						23,167	*27·44*	1,809	1,062	*1·24*	130	*·15*	...	...	23,116	*29·78*
Dacca ...	20	Dacca	1,398,861	1,424,114	2,822,975	4,428	*18·51*	308	20	*·08*	9	*·03*	...	...	2,806	*9 64*
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,270,809	2,133,844	4,404,353	6,904	*18·50*	492	24	*·06*	82	*·21*	...	...	4,067	*10 90*
	22	Faridpur ...	1,036,393	1,032,317	2,069,710	3,200	*18·07*	150	7	*·03*	...	...	...	...	2,289	*12·81*
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,219,560	1,167,733	2,380,293	3,963	*19·60*	147	26	*·12*	...	...	...	...	2,381	*11·60*
Total of Division for month ...			5,925,323	5,758,008	11,683,331	18,495	*18·65*	1,097	77	*·07*	91	*·09*	...	...	11,015	*11 12*
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						19,664	*19·79*	1,063	677	*·68*	139	*·12*	...	...	13,651	*13·73*
Chittagong ...	24	Chittagong ...	701,960	773,339	1,475,299	4,375	*35·01*	281	13	*·09*	9	*·07*	...	...	3,837	*23·62*
	25	Noakhali ...	641,532	653,549	1,295,081	3,093	*28·19*	200	63	*·57*	4	*·03*	...	...	1,467	*13·28*
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,163,792	2,372,434	3,444	*17·13*	303	4	*·01*	1	*·004*	...	...	2,385	*11·71*
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.														Not under
Total of Division for month ...			2,552,134	2,590,680	5,142,804	10,912	*25·05*	784	79	*·18*	14	*·03*	...	...	6,689	*15·24*
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						12,380	*28·34*	1,225	2,017	*4·61*	45	*·10*	...	...	7,565	*17·31*
Total of month for Bengal ...			21,501,030	20,920,976	42,421,996	79,535	*22·13*	3,695	1,674	*·46*	409	*·11*	...	...	60,996	*16·80*
Total of corresponding month of previous year						88,176	*24·47*	4,886	4,718	*1·30*	1,126	*·31*	...	...	72,104	*20 01*
Increase + or Decrease - ...						- 8,653	- *2·34*	- 891	- 3,044	- *·84*	- 717	- *·20*	...	...	- 11,708	- *3·21*

REMARKS.—(1) The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons
(2) This year being a leap year the monthly ratios for this month have been calculated by multiplying th number of births and

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of Bengal, for the month of August 1916.

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DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.				
								Number.				Number.				
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.
46	·37	23	·19	72	·58	532	4·34	1,806	1,536	3,342	27·32	1,678	1,597	3,275	26 70	1
29	·24	2	·02	80	·63	340	3·05	1,639	1,335	2,974	27·78	1,396	1,274	2,670	33 93	2
56	·83	13	·14	57	·62	596	6·49	1,409	1,324	2,733	28 74	1,413	1,192	2,604	28·35	3
117	·50	16	·06	122	·56	923	3 98	2,906	2,560	5,466	23·56	5,128	2,814	5,942	25·54	4
122	1·53	23	·28	59	·74	419	5·27	1,129	1,023	2,152	27·06	1,295	1,110	2,405	30 16	5
210	3·34	57	90	62	·66	382	5·60	657	545	1,202	19·13	737	612	1,349	21·41	6
573	·85	134	·20	413	·61	3,061	4·59	9,545	8,314	17,759	26·63					
540	·80	133	·18	386	·53	2,893	4·32	9,646	8,599	18,245	27·29					
52	·32	35	·21	150	·93	482	3 01	1,554	1,335	2,889	18 08	2,148	1,975	4,120	25·72	7
15	·11	5	·03	108	·83	411	3·06	1,587	1,351	2,938	22·79	1,585	1,444	3,029	23·43	8
8	·07	3	·01	101	·92	383	3·34	1,338	1,715	3,053	32·45	1,737	1,709	3,446	31·48	9
5	·03	10	·06	111	·75	349	1·69	1,193	1,522	2,715	18 45	1,831	1,87-	3 006	20 37	10
13	·10	3	·02	98	·75	618	5 45	1,362	1,124	2,586	21·06	1,416	1,273	2,689	23·66	11
93	·13	55	·08	386	·54	2 443	3·71	7,734	6,737	16,471	21·98					
180	·19	66	·09	396	·90	2.374	3 44	8,814	7,776	16,590	24 68					
14	·11	1	008	103	·83	341	2·77	1,895	1,799	3,694	30 10	1,905	1,766	3,671	29·83	12
13	·09	...	...	103	·72	183	1·28	2,371	1,842	4,113	29 04	2.779	2,385	5,164	36·17	13
161	2·00	17	·22	24	·30	177	2·34	1,308	1,150	2,458	32 57	1,380	1 318	2,698	35·65	14
108	5·29	9	·44	9	·44	146	7·15	422	391	813	39 83	478	425	903	44 12	15
8	·01	...	...	93	·41	189	·79	2,252	2,181	4 909	23·96	4,019	3,806	7,825	38·89	16
8	09	8	09	74	·90	113	1·37	975	916	1,891	23·00	1,853	1,725	3,578	43·41	17
1	·008	3	01	66	·56	106	·90	1,064	830	1,894	15·83	1,476	1,344	2,780	23 21	18
...	...	...	...	54	·66	302	3·70	1,347	1,105	2,452	29·57	1,160	1,076	2,236	27·33	19
396	·35	87	·04	514	·61	1,526	1·81	11,807	10,217	22,024	26·16					
281	·30	40	·04	366	67	1.690	1·91	18,080	13,784	26,806	34 12					
108	·45	15	06	112	·46	729	3·04	1,885	1,486	3,361	13·60	2,056	1,879	3,935	16·40	20
32	08	28	·07	139	·37	934	2·50	2,987	2.3.9	5,306	14·22	4,061	3,908	7,967	21·03	21
59	·33	8	·01	113	·63	646	3·66	1,696	1,401	3,099	17 50	1,898	1,661	3,563	20 07	22
24	·11	1	·004	165	·81	1,082	5 21	2,086	1,813	3,849	18 09	1,795	1,533	3,329	15 46	23
233	·22	47	·04	5.9	·53	3,363	3·39	8,388	6,769	15,385	15 49					
386	·28	28	02	691	·69	4,340	3·25	9,810	8,883	18 693	18 81					
14	·11	4	·03	97	·77	79	·63	1,530	1.5.3	3,043	24·34	1,875	1,932	3,807	30 38	24
7	06	...	...	143	1·20	380	3·46	1,080	983	2,063	18·62	1,890	2,023	4,013	36 48	25
47	·23	11	·05	189	·79	869	2 83	1,699	1.447	3,146	15·65	1,877	1,713	3 590	17 81	26
registration.																27
68	·15	15	·03	386	·89	1,038	2·36	4,389	3,913	8,281	18 89					
157	35	5	01	433	99	1,188	2 71	5,743	5,868	11.610	26 12					
1,253	34	388	08	2,309	68	11,621	3·17	41,961	35,889	77.850	21·66					
1,887	·38	380	·07	2,631	·73	11,196	3 10	48,764	44,668	93,432	25·92	48,764	44,668	93,432	25·92	
-134	-·04	+28	+·01	-232	·07	+236	+·07	-6,803	-8,779	—15,582	—4 26					

– as a whole the table does seem a relative value, although the figures in individual dis. tricts probably only approximate to the actual.
ption by 366 days.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of August 1916, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals	1916-17.						1915-16.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Major Works.												
Midnapore Canal ...	5,782	29,304	50	3,900	3,284	17,430	7,184	35,863	700	3,903	3,173	16,767
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	6,237	40,080	...	1,432	4,005	26,971	3,592	26,365	390	843	2,645	19,972
Total ...	12,019	69,384	50	5,332	7,289	44,401	10,776	62,228	1,090	4,746	5,818	36,739
II.—Minor Works and Navigation												
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	23,503	111,658	1,300	13,519	17,128	78,924	21,614	119,641	725	10,002	15,646	85,134
Tolly's Nala ...	12,125	67,874	4,150	12,200	3,688	19,592	12,964	69,779	1,500	8,295	4,331	20,509
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	146,577	417,094	2	2,961	37,667	119,882	72,982	211,381	18	107	21,158	63,425
Total ...	182,205	596,626	5,452	28,680	58,483	218,398	107,560	400,801	2,243	18,404	41,135	169,068
Magrahat Channels ...	1,074	3,656	...	.....	1,682	7,788	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,386	14,599	13	6,352	835	5,064	1,361	9,857	132	5,995	512	3,186
Nadia Rivers ...	8,310	20,441	50,702	76,566	2,195	5,177	9,019	24,413	...	5,234	1,999	4,873
Grand Total ...	193,975	635,322	56,167	111,598	63,195	236,427	117,940	435,071	2,375	29,633	43,646	177,127

CALCUTTA,
The 30th October 1916.

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Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 21st October 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 21st October 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 23rd October 1915.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	163	27,715	330	183	31,270	357
Jute	383	115,862*	1,550	301	74,291†	1,056
Firewood	47	26,150	385	68	40,675	628
Other articles	817	132,622	1,634	694	152,971	1,834
Total ...	1,410	302,349	3,899	1,246	299,207	3,875
Empty boats and rafts ...	612	...	1,020	669	...	987
Grand Total ...	2,022	302,349	4,919	1,915	299,207	4,862

		Mds.
* Weight by canal measurement	... ...	127,375
† Ditto ditto	... ...	81,463½

CALCUTTA,
The 31st October 1916

A. W. DAVIS,
for *Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 21st October 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks
15th Oct. 1916	7 A.M	21·0	21·0	19·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
16th ,, ,,	7 ,,	20·7	20·7	19·2	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a
17th ,, ,,	7 ,,	20·4	20·4	18·9	pucca pillar between the passenger
18th ,, ,,	7 ,,	20·0	20·0	18·6	ghât and Chandpore ghât.
19th ,, ,,	7 ,,	19·7	19·7	18·6	Its reduced level is 22·41.
20th ,, ,,	7 ,,	19·3	19·3	18·4	
21st ,, ,,	7 ,,	18·9	18·9	18·2	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest ,, ...	3·4 on 10th February 1915.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest ,, ...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto ,, ...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto ,, ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto ,, ...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	Lowest ,, ...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 21st October 1916.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Waterworks for the week ending the 21st October 1916.

Date.	Time when recorded.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height of water above mean sea-level.	Height above zero of gauge on the same date last year.	Remarks.
15th Oct. 1916	At low tide.	63·5	Not connected with mean sea-level.	62·1	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
16th „ „	Ditto	63·4		61·8	
17th „ „	Ditto	63·2		61·7	
18th „ „	Ditto	63·0		61·7	
19th „ „	Ditto	62·7		61·3	
20th „ „	Ditto	62·3		61·2	
21st „ „	Ditto	62·0		61·8	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th Sept.	1909	...	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	...	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	...	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	...	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	...	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	...	69·7	Ditto.
18th „	1916	...	68·1	Ditto.
23rd Feb.	1907	...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	...	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	...	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	...	50·6	Ditto.
22nd Feb.	1915	...	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	...	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 23rd October 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 21st October 1916.

Date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero, minus sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 54·00	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
15th Oct. 1916	8 A.M	5·60	59·60	58·50	R. L. of gauge post is 54·00.
16th „ „	8 „	5·20	59·20	58·00	B. M. on College step is 69·74.
17th „ „	8 „	4·70	58·70	57·50	
18th „ „	8 „	4·30	58·30	57·00	
19th „ „	8 „	3·80	57·80	56·80	
20th „ „	8 „	3·40	57·40	56·50	
21st „ „	8 „	2·90	56·90	56·00	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest „	...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record ...	...	Highest „	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	...	Lowest „	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do ...	...	Ditto „	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	39·28 on 1st-4th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 21st October 1916.

[ILLEGIBLE,]
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 14th October 1916, on 1,639 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. (d)			
Total traffic for the week	625,390	2,81,340 0 0	3,736,240 0	4,83,190 0 0	22,020 0 0	7,86,420 0 0	99,813	(a) 66,100	165,913
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 396	(b) 178 0 0	1,682 0	295 0 0	(c) 9 0 0	(c) 475 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of half-year	706,850	3,27,140 0 0	3,307,840 0	3,93,130 0 0	18,120 0 0	7,37,390 0 0	99,200	67,010	166,210
Total for 2 weeks ...	1,331,740	6,08,480 0 0	5,264,080 0	8,75,320 0 0	40,140 0 0	15,23,810 0 0	199,013	133,110	332,123
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	588,100	2,54,184 0 0	2,575,824 0	3,96,667 0 0	16,459 0 0	6,67,310 0 0	103,884	66,475	170,359
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,639 miles)	(b) 372	(c) 161 0 0	1,572 0	242 0 0	5 0 0	403 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	1,274,660	5,46,521 0 0	4,944,144 0	7,68,800 0 0	32,950 0 0	13,48 071 0 0	208,736	133,761	341,497

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 8,920.
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,500
(d) Increase is chiefly due to Jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 14th October 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	45,800	13,840 0 0	126,960 0	6,390 0 0	2 280 0 0	23,510 0 0	7,000	(b) 2,503	9,503
Per mile of railway per week	686	117 0 0	1,071 0	54 0 0	(a) 4 0 0	(a) 175 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of half-year	72,640	18,830 0 0	154,710 0	8,530 0 0	2 800 0 0	29,880 0 0	7,010	2,560	9,570
Total for 2 weeks ...	118,440	32,690 0 0	283 670 0	14,920 0 0	5,780 0 0	53,390 0 0	14,010	5,063	19,073
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	50,185	14,789 0 0	149,375 0	8,181 0 0	1,941 0 0	24,951 0 0	6,702	2,168	8,870
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	423	125 0 0	1,259 0	69 0	1 0 0	195 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	106,379	31,128 0 0	299,731 0	16,336 0 0	3,967 0 0	51,331 0 0	13,408	4,326	17,734

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 2,800.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 720.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 14th October 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,750	2,090 0 0	31,000 0	1,680 0 0	50 0 0	3,770 0 0	952	(a) 272	1,224
Per mile of railway per week	174	63 0 0	937 0	49 0 0	2 0 0	114 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of half-year	6,130	2,640 0 0	38,690 0	2,430 0 0	20 0 0	5,090 0 0	970	280	1,250
Total for 2 weeks ...	11,880	4,730 0 0	69,690 0	4,060 0 0	70 0 0	8,860 0 0	1,922	552	2,474
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,412	2,061 0 0	42,668 0	3,114 0 0	23 0 0	5,194 0 0	913	499	1,412
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	133	62 0 0	1,289 0	94 0 0	1 0 0	157 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	8,848	4,193 0 0	82 686 0	6 273 0 0	41 0 0	10,513 0 0	1,890	964	2,854

(a) Including ballast train-miles, *nil*.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 14th October 1916, on 53·66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	13,640	3,370 0 0	145,000 0	7,150 0 0	30 0 0	10,550 0 0	1,722	(a) 1,158	2,880
Per mile of railway per week	254	63 0 0	2,702 0	133 0 0	1 0 0	197 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of half-year	19,060	5,730 0 0	160,330 0	7,760 0 0	40 0 0	13 530 0 0	1,680	1,640	3,320
Total for 2 weeks ...	32,700	9,100 0 0	305,330 0	14,910 0 0	70 0 0	24,080 0 0	3,402	2,698	6,100
Total for the 15 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	236,773	67,858 0 0	2,358,250 0	1,05,074 0 0	465 0 0	1,74 297 0 0	27,695	18,197	45,822
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	20,994	5,902 0 0	138,372 0	5,909 0 0	43 0 0	11,754 0 0	2,096	1,140	3,236
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·66 miles)	391	108 0 0	2,579 0	110 0 0	1 0 0	219 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	40,807	13,120 0 0	271,197 0	11,885 0 0	83 0 0	24,088 0 0	4,110	2,321	6,431
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	247 098	74,417 0 0	1,600,374 0	77,627 0 0	531 0 0	1,52 575 0 0	30,804	14,751	45,055

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 90. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 14th October 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	13,780	3,210 0 0	59,920 0	3,980 0 0	10 0 0	7,200 0 0	1,428	780	2,208
Per mile of railway per week	254	64 0 0	1,187 0	79 0 0	.....	143 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of half-year	8,720	2,910 0 0	72,840 0	6,410 0 0	20 0 0	9,340 0 0	1,478	700	2,178
Total for 2 weeks ...	21,500	6,120 0 0	132,460 0	10,390 0 0	30 0 0	16,540 0 0	2,906	1,480	4,386
Comparison.									
Total for corresp o ding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	9 0 0	12 0 0	21 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period o previous year (3s miles)	... .	.....	.....	.....	1 0 0	1 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding peri·d of previous year	.....	.....	.....	17 0 0	29 0 0	46 0 0	.....	.....	.....

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 14th October 1916, on 2,527·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	687.132	5 96,320 0 0	8 231,776 0	13.38,019 0 0	7,750 0 0	19.42,089 0 0	179,452	319,427	498,879
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	235 15 0	.....	529 6 5	3 1 1	768 6 6	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of half-year ...	701,047	6,36,743 0 0	7,563,707 0	12,66,317 0 0	19,750 0 0	19.32,880 0 0	179,794	335,823	515,617
Total from 1st October ...	1,388,179	12,33,063 0 0	15,795,483 0	26.04,336 0 0	27,500 0 0	38.64,919 0 0	359,246	655,250	10.14,496
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	643,469	6 22,863 0 0	8,310 319 0	13 0.,367 0 0	54,013 0 0	19,61,953 0 0	182 727	293,862	476,589
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	238 7 6	.....	516 9 8	21 6 1	776 7 3	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	1,342,980	11,86,635 0 0	17,814,246 0	27,37,627 0 0	1,03,262 0 0	40,25,524 0 0	361,253	575,463	936,716

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,527·42	Week ended 7th October	701,047	6,36,743	7,863,707	13,56,237	19,750	19,32,830	761	515,617	3 11 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	687,132	5,96,320	8,231,776	13,86,019	7,750	19,42,089	768	499,879	3 14 3
	Totals up to date ...	1,388,179	12,33,063	16,795,483	26,04,256	27,500	38,64,919	765	1,014,496	3 12 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,526·61	First 9 days of October ...	836,025	7,48,935	11,566,943	19,56,037	60,848	28,67,810	831	591,965	4 8 1
2,526·61	Week ended 16th ,, ...	693,469	6,02,561	8,310,319	13,05,367	54,023	19,61,953	776	476,299	4 1 11
	Totals up to date ...	1,529,494	13,51,496	19,877,262	31,63,394	1,14,871	48,29,763	802	1,068,264	4 5 4

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 14th October 1916, on 191·64 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	43,784	36,962 0 0	557,651 0	37,740 0 0	250 0 0	74,952 0 0	11,514	9,771	21,285
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	192 13 11	.....	196 14 11	1 4 11	391 1 9	.....	.....	.....
Per previous 1 week of half-year	41,588	33,134 0 0	469,795 0	30,985 0 0	250 0 0	66,369 0 0	11,155	8,613	19,768
Total from 1st Oct. ...	87,372	72,096 0 0	1,057,446 0	68,725 0 0	500 0 0	1,41,311 0 0	22,669	18,384	40,053
COMPARING.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	39,193	37,523 0 0	370,660 0	33,515 0 0	231 0 0	71,269 0 0	12 293	7,610	19,903
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	196 12 10	.....	174 14 2	1 4 11	371 15 11	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	80,588	73,697 0 0	761,281 0	68,705 0 0	502 0 0	1,42,904 0 0	24,073	15,840	39,913

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,588	33,134	469,795	30,985	250	66,369	346	19,768	3 6 3
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	43,784	36,962	557,651	37,740	250	74,952	391	21,285	3 8 4
	Totals up to date ...	87,372	72,096	1,057,446	68,725	500	1,41,311	369	40,053	3 7 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	52,764	44,612	490,604	43,268	236	90,203	366	23,736	3 8 1
191·64	Week ended 16th Oct. ...	39,193	37,523	370,660	33,515	231	71,269	372	19,903	3 9 4
	Totals up to date ...	91,957	82,135	870,264	76,773	467	1,61,495	369	43,639	3 8 6

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 14th October 1916, on (a)800 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 22 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	89,000	53,000 0 0	400,000 0	68,000 0 0	9,000 0 0	1,30 000 0 0	15,668	16,499	32,167
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	66·25	.....	85·73	10 96	159·93	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of half-year	89,000	53,000 0 0	449,000 0	76,000 0 0	8,000 0 0	1,36,000 0 0	17,567	18,992	36,559
Total for 2 weeks ...	178,000	1,06,000 0 0	849,000 0	1,44,000 0 0	14,000 0 0	2,66,000 0 0	33,035	35,491	68,726
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals...	98,944	53,635 0 0	416,630 0	62,650 0 0	6,358 0 0	1,22,643 0 0	15,737	17,826	33,563
Per mile of railway (b) ...	.....	68·85	.....	79·40	8·06	156·31	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	204,079	1,06,630 0 0	796,260 0	1,26,555 0 0	12,874 0 0	2,50,049 0 0	31,514	36,634	68,148

(a) Excludes 44 miles from Haranggjao to Maibang on the Hill Section under reconstruction.
(b) Calculated on 789 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 14th October 1916.			Receipts for week ending 14th October 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 14th October 1916.	Total receipts from 1st April 1915 to 14th October 1915.	Total increase in 1916-17.	Total decrease in 1916-17.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
822	1,30,000	159·93	789	1,22,643	156·31	*36,40,635	35,99,236	41,399	.....

* Includes audited figures up to August 1916.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 14th October 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,183	18,311 0 0	29,818 0	14,190 0 0	254 0 0	32,695 0 0	2,975	3,357	6,332
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	359 0 0	.....	277 0 0	5 0 0	641 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of the half-year	6,550	14,414 0 0	26,301 0	12,859 0 0	243 0 0	27,516 0 0	2,979	3,293	6,272
Total traffic up to 14th October 1916	13,733	32,725 0 0	56,019 0	27 009 0 0	497 0 0	60,231 0 0	5,957	6,650	12,607
(14 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	321 0 0	.....	265 0 0	5 0 0	591 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,791	18,120 0 0	32,975 0	15,783 0 0	184 0 0	34,087 0 0	2,109	4,129	6,239
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	355 0 0	.....	309 0 0	4 0 0	668 0 0	.....	.....	...
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	11,581	32,856 0 0	65 950 0	30,813 0 0	357 0 0	63,726 0 0	4,200	8,258	12,458
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	322 0 0	.....	299 0 0	4 0 0	625 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes :—Difference for the week...		— 191		— 1,593	+ 70	— 1,402			
Difference up to date ...		— 151		— 3,804	+ 140	— 3,495			

The increase during the week in Coaching is trifling.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Rice, Iron and Tea.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 14th October 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,506	1,975 0 0	18,340 0	1,849 0 0	12 0 0	3,436 0 0	998	922	1,920
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	28 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	49 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of the half-year	7,359	2,082 0 0	16,780 0	1,171 0 0	28 0 0	3,281 0 0	1,008	812	1,820
Total traffic up to 14th October 1916	13,647	4 057 0 0	33,020 0	2,620 0 0	40 0 0	6,717 0 0	2,006	1,634	3,640
(14 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	29 0 0	.....	19 0 0	.....	48 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,434	2,018 0 0	25,187 0	2,080 0 0	42 0 0	4,120 0 0	310	939	1,249
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	29 0 0	.....	29 0 0	1 0 0	59 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	8,868	3,861 0 0	50,374 0	3,975 0 0	83 0 0	7,919 0 0	620	1,878	2,498
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	27 0 0	.....	28 0 0	1 0 0	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes.—Difference for the week	— 43		— 611		— 30	— 684			
Difference up to date	+ 196		— 1,355		— 42	— 1,201			

The decrease during the week in Coaching is trifling.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Potatoes due to suspension of through booking on account of the collapse of the Mahanadi Bridge. The Jute traffic is improving.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 14th October 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	393	92 0 0	2,238 0	234 0 0	4 0 0	332 0 0	103	79	182
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	3 0 0	.....	9 0 0	.....	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of the half-year	169	89 0 0	1,365 0	221 0 0	2 0 0	312 0 0	98	64	162
Total traffic up to 14th October 1916	462	181 0 0	3 533 0	477 0 0	6 0 0	664 0 0	201	163	364
(14 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	3 0 0	.....	8 0 0	.....	11 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	523	260 0 0	3,784 0	625 0 0	2 0 0	887 0 0	105	315	420
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	9 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	30 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,045	549 0 0	5,466 0	1,173 0 0	4 0 0	1,745 0 0	210	630	840
Or per week per mile of railway	... ..	10 0 0	.....	19 0 0	.....	29 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes.—Difference for the week	— 165		— 369		+ 2	— 325			
Difference up to date	— 284		— 695		+ 2	— 1,081			

The decrease during the week in Goods and Coaching was due to the line being blocked beyond Sevoke.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 14th October 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train Miles Run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts	Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,675	1,780 0 0	84,335 0	8,841 0 0	(a)242 0 0	10,864 0 0	354	(d)897	1,251
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	49 0 0	.....	243 0 0	.....	(c)292 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 1 week of half year.*	6,073	1,705 0 0	62,025 0	10,678 0 0	259 0 0	12,642 0 0	354	894	1,248
Total for 2 weeks ...	12,748	3,485 0 0	116,360 0	19,519 0 0	501 0 0	23,506 0 0	708	1,791	2,499
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	6,771	1,861 0 0	97,311 0	10,977 0 0	(b)349 0 0	13,187 0 0	409	(e)933	1,342
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	51 0 0	.....	302 0 0	1 0 0	(c)354 0 0	..	....	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	13,916	3,725 0 0	169,995 0	19,707 0 0	746 0 0	24,188 0 0	749	1,673	2,422

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 237.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs. 295
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 199.
(e) Ditto, 1915, 58.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 14th October 1916, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train Miles Run		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	15,891	4,856 0 0	102,557 0	14,949 0 0	30 0 0	19,835 0 0	1,961	(a)2,984	4,945
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	42 0 0	.....	128 0 0	...	170 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 1 week of half-year.*	14,314	4,564 0 0	89,194 0	15,171 0 0	31 0 0	19,766 0 0	1,961	2,973	4,933
Total for 2 weeks ...	30,205	9,420 0 0	191,751 0	30,120 0 0	61 0 0	39,601 0 0	3,922	5,956	9,878
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	13,328	4,894 0 0	139,539 0	18,514 0 0	10 0 0	23,418 0 0	1,856	(b)3,103	4,658
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	42 0 0	.....	158 0 0	.....	200 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	27,082	9,906 0 0	245,582 0	34,127 0 0	18 0 0	44,053 0 0	3,846	5,908	8,754

(a) Ballast train-miles, 649.
(b) Ballast train miles, 1915, 87.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 14th October 1916, on 2,067 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Minerals Traffic		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts	Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs.	Tons	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,067 miles open ...	432,260	(a)1,55,720	912,040	(b)1,55,458	20,020	3,11,700	61,451	(c)42,293	103,744
Or per mile of railway ...	209·0	75·34	441·24	75·23	9·69	150·86			
For previous 1 week of official half-year ...	432,580	1,53,000	821,930	1,11,900	19,800	2,84,800	61,005	42,618	103,623
Total for 2 weeks ...	864,840	3,08,720	1,733,970	2,67,360	39,820	5,96,500	122,456	84,911	207,367
COMPARISON									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,014 miles open	406,285	1,47,489	791,436	1,17,748	19,107	2,84,338	62,025	(d)42,849	104,874
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	198·62	72·16	387·20	57·80	9·35	139·11	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half year	791,894	2,93,883	1,522,033	2,22,614	37,335	5,53,832	125,362	81,636	206,818
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		1·43		2·30	·19	3·92			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		1·38		2·27	·18	3·72			

(a) Increase under local and foreign outward passengers; foreign inward passengers decreased with reduced load.
(b) Increase chiefly under foreign inward
(c) Includes 1,633 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 5,[illegible] miles of ballast trains

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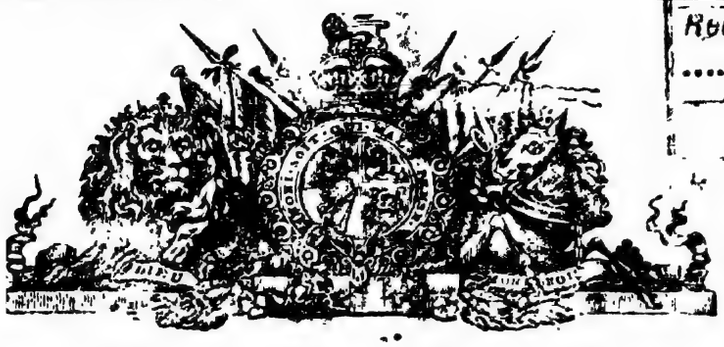

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Tour Programme of
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL
during November 1916.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
1916.		H. M.		
Nov. 8th ...	Wednesday	.....	Halt at Kalimpong.	
„ 9th ...	Thursday	14 30	Leave Kalimpong.	
		16 0	Leave Kalimpong Road.	By special train.
		19 30	Arrive Siliguri.	
		21 35	Leave Siliguri ...	By special train.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
1916.		H. M.		
Nov. 10th ...	Friday. ...	5 10	Arrive Rangpur ...	His Excellency will leave the special train at 7-30 A.M.
		22 55	Leave Rangpur.	
„ 11th ...	Saturday...	9 30	Arrive Nator.	
		15 45	Arrive Rampur Boalia.	By motor.
„ 12th ...	Sunday ...	.....	Halt at Rampur Boalia.	
„ 13th ...	Monday ...	15 0	Leave Rampur Boalia.	By motor.
		16 0	Arrive Sarda.	
„ 14th ...	Tuesday ...	15 0	Leave Sarda ...	By motor.
		17 15	Arrive Nator.	
		17 25	Leave Nator ...	By special train.
		22 0	Arrive Sealdah.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—

Her Excellency the Lady Carmichael (up to Siliguri).
The Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.I.E., I.C.S., Chief Secretary.*
Mr. H. F. Samman, I.C.S., Officiating Commissioner, Rajshahi Division.†
Mr. W. R. Gourlay, I.C.S., Private Secretary.‡
Captain the Hon'ble W. J. L. Palmer, A.-D.-C.

(2) All letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, *without the addition of the name of any post-town.*

(3) His Excellency's departure from Darjeeling will be public. All other arrivals and departures will be private.

* Will join at Santahar. † From Rangpur to Sarda. ‡ Will join at Siliguri.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
DARJEELING.
The 20th October 1916.

H. G. VAUX, CAPTAIN,
Military Secretary to H. E.
the Governor of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1078L., dated the 6th November, 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 75, sub-section (*1*), of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 & 6 Geo. V., c. 61), His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint Wednesday, the 13th December, 1916, at 11 A.M., as the time, and the Council Chamber in Government House, Calcutta, as the place, for a meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council.

By order of the Governor in Council,

A. M. HUTCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8206A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3877A.D.—The 1st November 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. W. S. Milne, I.C.S., on leave, to be Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, for a period not exceeding six months and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

24-Parganas.

No. 3880A.D.—The 1st November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. A. G. R. Henderson, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, to be Additional District Magistrate, Midnapore, for a period not exceeding six months and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

24-Parganas. Midnapore.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3907A.D.—The 3rd November 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Samuel Walter Goode, I.C.S., to be an Additional Member of the said Council.

Council.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3904A.D.—The 3rd November 1916.*—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Charles Frederick Payne, I.C.S., of his office of Additional Member of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

Council.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8740L.R.—The 3rd November 1916.—Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Muhiuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Collector under—

24-Parganas.

(1) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822),

(2) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825),

(3) the Bengal Alluvion and Diluvion Regulation, 1825 (XI of 1825),

(4) the Bengal Land Revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833 (IX of 1833),

to be exercised in respect of Government estates in the district of 24-Parganas.

No. 8741L.R.—The 3rd November 1916.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Muhiuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, to be a Deputy Collector, who shall exercise, in the Government estates in the district of the 24-Parganas, all the powers of a Collector in respect to such matters under the said Act as may be delegated to him by the Collector.

24-Parganas.

No. 8742L.R.—The 3rd November 1916.—Under section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Muhiuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of 24-Parganas, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

24-Parganas.

No. 8751L.R.—The 4th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Major F. C. Hirst, I.A., to be Superintendent of Survey and Mr. C. A. O'Donel to be Assistant Superintendent of Survey for the purpose of carrying out the survey of the lands appertaining to the Akra-Matiabruz Road in the district of 24-Parganas, which was ordered in Notification No 8117L.R., dated 3rd October 1916 (published at page 1827 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 4th October 1916), and for all purposes of the said Act in relation thereto.

Rajshahi.
Malda.

No. 1875T.R.—The 1st November 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3(*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Maulvi Kazi Barkat Ali, Settlement Kanungo and Revenue Officer of Rajshahi, is appointed to discharge, in the areas of the district of Malda which are specified in Government Notification No. 8359L.R., dated the 16th October 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi.
Murshidabad.
Pabna.
Nadia.

No. 1876T.R.—The 1st November 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Monoranjan Das Gupta, Settlement Kanungo, is appointed to discharge in the district of Rajshahi, as well as in those areas of the districts of Murshidabad, Pabna and Nadia, specified in Government Notification No. 9076L.R., dated the 13th September 1915, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi.
Pabna.
Murshidabad.
Nadia.
Malda.

No. 1877T.R.—The 1st November 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Maulvi Nesaratuddin Abdul Quahir, Settlement Kanungo, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Rajshahi as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad and Nadia, specified in Government Notification No. 9076L.R., dated the 13th September 1915, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, and in the areas of the district of Malda specified in Government Notification No. 8359L.R., dated the 16th October 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Pabna.
Murshidabad.
Nadia.
Malda.

No. 1878T.R.—The 1st November 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned settlement kanungos are appointed to discharge in the areas, in the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad and Nadia, specified in Government Notification No. 9076L.R., dated the 13th September 1915, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, and in the

areas of the district of Malda specified in Government Notification No. 8359L.R., dated the 16th October 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights:—

1. Babu Harendra Nath Mukharji. | 2. Babu Siddheswar Haldar.
3. Babu Kunja Mohan De.

Khulna.

No. 1897T.R.—The 3rd November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (*2*)(*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included in the patni tenure Gilatala situated in mauzas Gilatala, Atra, Mosheali and Damoodar, in the district of Khulna, and appertaining to the Syedpur Trust Estate, bearing tauzi No. 188 of the Khulna Collectorate.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;
(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rate, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;
(*c*) the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;
(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;
(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;
(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;
(*h*) the rights and obligation of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
  (*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jheel*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and
  (*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for cultivation of land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;
(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;
(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;
(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;
(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Pabna.

No. 8695L.A.—The 2nd November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the land beyond mile 3 of the Serajganj Ghat line, in the villages of Chandalbaira and Durata, pargana Barabaju, district Pabna, altogether measuring, more or less, 22·284 bighas of standard measurement, equivalent to 7·327 acres which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 353T.R., dated the 29th May 1914, published at page 994, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd June 1914, and required for the construction of a ghat line from the main line of the Sara-Serajganj Railway.

No. 8669Agri.—The 1st November 1916.—Major A. T. Gage, I.M.S., Superintendent of the Royal Botanic Garden, Calcutta, of the Lloyd Botanic Garden, Darjeeling, and of the Cinchona Cultivation, Bengal, is allowed privilege leave for two months and ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 28th October 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta. Darjeeling.

No. 8670Agri.—The 1st November 1916.—Mr. H. G. Carter, Economic Botanist to the Botanical Survey of India, is appointed to officiate in addition to his own duties as Superintendent of the Royal Botanic Garden, Calcutta, of the Lloyd Botanic Garden, Darjeeling, and of the Cinchona Cultivation in Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Major A. T. Gage, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Calcutta. Darjeeling.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8737L.A.—The 3rd November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for an approach road from Diamond Harbour Road to Thakurpukur station of the Kalighat-Falta Railway, in the village of Thakurpukur, pargana Khaspur, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 8 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the lands of Subal Chand Chandra, Tarakumar Roy Chaudhury and others,

East—By the lands of Subal Chand Chandra, Tarakumar Roy Chaudhury, Madhab Chandra Chakravarti, Kumud Biswas and others and the land already declared for Kalighat-Falta Railway under declaration No. 5237L.A., dated 4th July 1916,

South—By the lands of Subal Chand Chandra, Kumud Biswas, Madhab Chandra Chakravarti and the land already declared for Kalighat-Falta Railway under declaration No. 5237L.A., dated the 4th July 1916,

West—By the lands of Madhab Chandra Chakravarti, Kumud Biswas, Subal Chand Chandra and the Diamond Harbour road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Thakurpukur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Kalighat-Falta Railway.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8748L.A.—The 4th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Hooghly and Chinsura Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for widening a lane in Machuabazar Lane, in mohalla Barabazar, of Khasmahal Chinsura, in the village of Chinsura, pargana Arsha, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more

Hooghly.

or less, 1 cottah 3 chitaks and 8 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·0198 of an acre, bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North—By Syam Chand Dutta's land,
East—By Machuabazar Road,
South—By Babu Kalidas and Syamadas Mukherjee's house, and
West—By Government land,

PLOT B.

North—By Old Machuabazar Lane,
East—By Government land,
South—By Syamadas Mukherjee's land, and
West—By Ramguzraty's land,

PLOT C.

North—By Old Machuabazar Lane,
East—By Syamadas Mukherjee's land,
South—By Ramguzraty s land, and
West—By Barabazar Road,

are required within the aforesaid village of Chinsura, Barabazar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly as well as in the office of the Hooghly and Chinsura Municipality.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 8755L.A.—The 4th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway Company, Limited, for a gang-hut for the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway, in the village of Isorbag, pargana Mahammadshahi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 cottahs 13 chitaks and 19 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·08 acre, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Delai Kahar,
East—By the land of Nasoruddi Mahammad,
South—By Kotchandpur-Kaliganj Road,
West—By the land of Damulla Mandal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Isorbag.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Jhenidah.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

Murshidabad.

No. 8689L.A.—The 2nd November 1916.—In lines 5 to 7 of Declaration No. 1703-T.R., dated the 20th June 1913, published at pages 931-932, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem, in respect of the acquisition of the land, required by the East Indian Railway Company, for burrow-pits in mile 39 of the Barharwa-Azimganj-Katwa Railway in the district of Murshidabad, *for* the words beginning with "Lakhinarayanpur" and ending with "Mahalandi", *read* "Shivarambati Jote, pargana Muraripur, Nowada, pargana Dhawa, Rishighat *orf* Mukundpur,

pargana Rukunpur, Raniswar Kist, Belun Kist, pargana Mahalandi and Bhagirathbanda Kismat, pargana Gopinathpur"; and in lines 15 and 16 *for* the words beginning with "Lakhinarayanpur" and ending with "Poglabati" *read* "Shivarambati Jote, Nawada Rishighat *orf* Mukundpur, Raniswar Kist, Belun Kist and Bhagirathbanda Kismat"; and also in lines 13 and 14, *for* the words beginning with "26 bighas" and ending with "8·66 acres" *read* "25 bighas and 19 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 8·58 acres."

Nadia.

No. 8692L.A.—The 2nd November 1916.—In Declaration No. 3169L.A., dated the 25th March 1916, published at page 620, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, in respect of the land required by the Eastern Bengal Railway for loop sidings at Joyrampur, in the district of Nadia, *for* the words beginning with "3 bighas" in line 7 and ending with "Feraz Shaikh" in line 19 *read* the following:—"3 bighas and 6 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·10 acres, bounded on the—

LOT NO. 1.

North and South—By the lands of Beharilal Mukherji,
East—By the lands of Tariff Shaikh, Mokim Shaikh, Prionath Chakravarti and Khosal Mondal,
West—By the lands of the Eastern Bengal Railway,

LOT NO. 2.

North and South—By the lands of Beharilal Mukherji,
East—By the lands of the Eastern Bengal Railway,
West—By the lands of Kuber Mondal, Ahad Maite and garden of Rakhal Chandra Bhattacharji."

Calcutta. 24-Parganas.

No. 8754L.A.—The 4th November 1916.—In line 8 of Declaration No. 7117L.A., dated the 28th May 1914, published at page 1433, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th July 1914, as amended by Erratum No. 7401L.A., dated the 4th August 1914, regarding the acquisition of land required by the Calcutta Municipality for the extension of Jugipara Lane eastward to meet the new 60 feet Fringe Area Road, in village Bahir Simla, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, district 24-Parganas, *for* "3 cottahs 5 chitaks and 15 square feet" *read* "3 cottahs 7 chitaks and 34 square feet."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Bakarganj.

No. 8698Regn.—The 2nd November 1916.—Maulvi Rukunuddin Khan, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Patarhat, in the district of Bakarganj, with effect from the 12th October 1916, till relieved by Babu Pramatha Kumar Ray.

Bakarganj.

No. 8700Regn.—The 2nd November 1916.—Babu Akshay Kumar Ghosh, Probationer of Bakarganj, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bamna, in the district of Bakarganj, with effect from the 12th October 1916, until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 8702Regn.—The 2nd November 1916.—Babu Pramatha Kumar Ray, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Rajapur, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Patarhat in the same district.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1761T.R.—The 18th October 1916.—In pursuance of section 7, sub-section (1) of the Indian Registration Act (XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct the establishment of a second registration office at Siliguri, in the district of Darjeeling, having concurrent jurisdiction over the existing registration sub-district of Siliguri, to be styled the office of the Second Joint Sub-Registrar of Siliguri with effect from the 1st November 1916.

Darjeeling.

The present office of the Sub-Registrar of Siliguri should be styled the office of the first Joint Sub-Registrar of Siliguri with effect from that date.

No. 1762T.R.—The 18th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Indian Registration Act (XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Sub-Deputy Collector stationed at Siliguri, in the district of Darjeeling, to be *ex-officio* Second Joint Sub-Registrar of the Sub-Registry office at Siliguri with effect from the 1st November 1916.

Darjeeling.

No. 1830T.R.—The 24th October 1916.—In continuation of Notification No. 590T.R., dated the 23rd May 1916, it is hereby notified that the Special Test of Sub-Registrars for District Sub-Registrarships will be held on Monday, the 20th November 1916, and Tuesday, the 21st November 1916, at the Town Hall, Calcutta.

Programme of Examination.

Monday, the 20th November 1916.	Morning, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. Law without books. Afternoon, 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. Practical Test—Office work.
Tuesday, the 21st November 1916.	Morning, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. Law with books. Afternoon, 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. Accounts.

No. 1844T.R.—The 24th October 1916.—The following promotions and appointment are sanctioned in the grades of District Sub-Registrars :—

Promoted to grade I.

Rai Sahib Tarapada Ghosh, with effect from the 21st July 1916, *vice* Maulvi Zulfakhar Haidar, retired.

Promoted to grade II.

Maulvi Qurbanullah, with effect from the 21st July 1916, *vice* Rai Sahib Tarapada Ghosh, promoted to grade I.

Promoted to grade III.

Maulvi Muhammad, with effect from the 21st July 1916, *vice* Maulvi Qurbanullah, promoted to grade II.

Maulvi Ahmad Abduz Zahir, Sub-Registrar, grade I, of Sitakund, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be District Sub-Registrar, grade IV, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad, promoted to grade III.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 91T.Eccle.—The 31st October 1916.—The Revd. A. C. Ridsdale, Chaplain of Darjeeling, is appointed to be Chaplain of Darjeeling Cantonment, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 1st November 1916 or any date on which he takes over charge from the Revd. J. Godber.

Darjeeling.

No. 256 T.—Mis.—The 28th October 1916.—The notification No. 960, dated the 17th July 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th July 1916, which declared the Math at Manipur, thana Karaniganj, in the district of Dacca, to be a protected monument, is confirmed under section 3 (3) of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904).

No. 267T.-Mis.—The 31st October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 3 of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the mausoleum opposite to Sat Gumbaz mosque at Satmajid, thana Keraniganj in the district of Dacca, bounded as follows, to be a protected monument within the meaning of the said Act :—

Dacca.

North—Garden of Hari Charan Mandal.
South—Patit lands of Raja of Bhowal and late Babu Srish Chandra Das.
East—Garden of Hari Charan Mandal.
West—Patit lands of Raja of Bhowal and late Babu Srish Chandra Das.

2. Any objections to the issue of this notification which are received by the undersigned within one month from the date on which a copy of the notification is fixed up in a conspicuous place on or near the said monument, will be taken into consideration.

No. 268T.-Mis.—The 31st October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the Sat Gumbaz Mosque at Satmajid, thana Keranigunge, in the district of Dacca, bounded as follows, to be a protected monument within the meaning of the said Act :—

Dacca.

North—Jote land of Alim Miah.
South—Jote land of Krishna Chowkidar.
East—Mosque land (patit) and kachha road.
West—Mosque land (patit).

2. Any objections to the issue of this notification which are received by the undersigned within one month from the date on which a copy of the notification is fixed up in a conspicuous place on or near the said monument will be taken into consideration.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2218 S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1914-15, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Thursday, the 9th November 1916, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 820 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 29th November 1915, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes* except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 1,800 to Rs. 2,500 per chest from 1st July 1916 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 9818.R., dated the 29th April 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 14th and 24th November 1916, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 14th November 1916, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 24th November 1916.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Government of Bengal, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Date.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.
	Chests uncertified.
On or about Tuesday, 5th December 1916 ...	820

By order of the Governor in Council.

J. DONALD,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1916.*

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3115Medl.—The 1st November 1916.—Babu Sita Nath Ghosh, M.B., a passed student of the Medical College, Calcutta, is temporarily admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon with effect from the 14th October 1916.

Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3123Medl.—The 2nd November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Lepers Act, 1898 (Act III of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Health Officer of the Corporation of Calcutta to be a member, *ex-officio*, of the Board of Governors of the Albert Victor Asylum for Lepers at Gobra (Calcutta) in place of the Chairman of the said Corporation.

Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

STATE MEDICAL FACULTY OF BENGAL.

NOTICE.

THE written part of the ensuing Examinations of the State Medical Faculty will be held in the Examination Hall on the top floor of the Darbhanga Library Building, Calcutta University, in accordance with the following Programme :—

Examinations for Membership.

Date.	10 A.M. TO 1 P.M.	2 TO 5 P.M.
1916.		
Monday, 20th Nov	Medicine, etc.—Final ... Anatomy—Intermediate. Inorganic Chemistry—Preliminary.	Hygiene—Final. Physics—Preliminary.
Tuesday, 21st „	Surgery, etc.—Final ... Physiology—Intermediate. Biology—Preliminary.	General Pathology—Final.
Wednesday, 22nd „	Midwifery, etc.—Final ... Materia Medica—Intermediate.	Medical Jurisprudence—Final.
Thursday, 23rd „	Organic Chemistry—Intermediate.	

Licentiate Examinations.

Date.	10 A.M. TO 1 P.M.	2 TO 5 P.M.
1916.		
Monday, 20th Nov.	Chemistry and Physics—Primary. Medicine, etc.—Final.	Medical Jurisprudence and Hygiene, etc.—Final.
Tuesday, 21st „	Anatomy—Intermediate. Surgery, etc.—Final.	
Wednesday, 22nd „	Physiology—Intermediate. Midwifery, etc.—Final.	
Thursday, 23rd „	Materia Medica, and Pharmacy—Intermediate.	

The time and place for holding the oral and practical Examination in each subject will be announced later.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Secretary, State Medical Faculty of Bengal.

GROSVENOR HOUSE,
The 2nd November 1916.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8207A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3869A.D.—The 2nd November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Braja Gopal Ray the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the 17th November 1916, **Howrah.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Amta Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down eidence in the English language

No. 3921A.D.—The 3rd November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, **24-Parganas.**

(*b*) to direct them to sit as members of the Sealdah Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct them to take down evidence in the English language:—

Babu Harendra Krishna Seal.
Kumar Pramatha Nath Ray.
Babu Jatindra Mohan Bose.

No. 3923A.D.—The 3rd November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Rai Mani Lal Nahar Bahadur the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the jurisdiction of the Sealdah Police Court, **24-Parganas.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sealdah Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

RESIGNATION.

No. 3925A.D.—The 3rd November 1916.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Pashupati Nath Deb of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sealdah Bench in the district of the 24-Parganas. **24-Parganas.**

POWERS.

No. 3860A.D.—The 31st October 1916.—Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate, Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. **Dacca.**

No. 3886A.D.—The 1st November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of the previous orders on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to vest the Sadar Bench, Pabna, with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. **Pabna.**

2. The Bench is also vested, under section 261 of the said Code, with the power to try summarily the offences specified in that section.

3. So much of Government Order No. 19R.T., dated the 23rd August 1888, as relates to the conferring of the powers of a Magistrate of the first class on the said Bench and of the power to try summarily the offences specified in section 260 of the said Code, is hereby cancelled.

No. 3919A.D.—The 3rd November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the jurisdiction of the Sealdah Police Court :—

24-Parganas.

Nawabzada Saiyid Husain 'Ali Nadir Jang.
Pandit Nakuleswar Bidyabhusan Bhattacharji.
Babu Jatindra Nath Sen.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3332J.—The 4th November 1916.—Babu Sarada Prasad Banarji, Munsif, Rangpur, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Birbhum, to be ordinarily stationed at Bolpur, *vice* Babu Mohar Lal De, on leave, or until further orders.

Rangpur. Birbhum.

Babu Sarada Prasad Banarji is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Bolpur Munsifi.

No. 3334J.—The 4th November 1916.—Babu Dwarka Nath De, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Rangpur, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

Rangpur.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*b*) and (*f*) of section 62 of the Calcutta Police Act, 1866 (Bengal Act IV of 1866), and clauses (*b*) and (*f*) of section 39 of the Calcutta Suburban Police Act, 1866 (Bengal Act II of 1866), the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council, hereby makes the following amendments to the rules for regulating processions with music in the streets of the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta on the occasion of native festivals and ceremonies as published at pages 1812—1815 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th December 1911 :—

(1) In condition 3, rule 1, *insert* "hospitals and of" between the words "of" and "Churches".

(2) In sub-clause (iii), clause (1) of rule 6 *insert* "hospitals and of" between the words "of" and "places".

R. CLARKE,
Commissioner of Police.

CALCUTTA, *the 1st November 1916.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 3rd November 1916.

No. 114.—Mr. R. J. Browne, Electric Inspector, Bengal and Assam, is granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, furlough on medical certificate for fourteen days in extension of the leave previously granted.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

[Third publication.]

The 18th October 1916.

No. 104Marine.—The following draft of an amendment which the Governor in Council of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal intends to make in the rules under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum within that Presidency (published under Bengal Government Notification No. 143Marine, dated the 30th November 1914), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 25th November 1916, and any objections or suggestions with regard thereto, which are received by the undersigned before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft amendment.

For the figure "500" after the words "not more than" in rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules, the figure "2000" shall be *substituted.*

C. P. WALSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 31st October 1916.

No. 107Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 10 of the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1859 (1 of 1859), the Governor in Council, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is pleased to make the following amendments to the rules for the conduct of examinations for Masters and Mates of Foreign-going and Home Trade ships and as to the qualifications to be required, published under the notification of this Department No. 113Marine, dated the 14th November 1910, as amended by Notifications Nos. 21, 140 and 91Marine, dated, respectively, the 10th February 1914, 20th November 1914 and 29th August 1916 :—

Add the following to paragraphs 2. 37, 53, 60 and 63 :—

During the war no man may be examined for a certificate of competency as Master, Extra Master or Master (Home Trade), unless (*a*) he is a British subject and (*b*) at the time of his birth each of his parents was a British subject by birth or by naturalisation.

In order to prove that he complies with these conditions, every candidate for any of the certificates named must produce to the Examiner of Masters

and Mates his own birth certificate and the birth certificate or certificate of naturalisation of each of his parents. These documents should be lodged with the Examiner at least a week before the day on which the candidate wishes to present himself for examination.

If in any case there is any doubt whether a candidate complies with the conditions set out in the above paragraph, the matter should be referred by the Examiner to the Port Officer.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU SATYENDRA NATH DATTA, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is placed in executive charge of the Jalpaiguri Treasury from the afternoon of the 18th October 1916, *vice* Babu Bhabesh Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, transferred to Howrah, and is authorized to sign bills on other treasuries.

J. C. FRENCH, *Deputy Commissioner.*

JALPAIGURI, *the 18th October 1916.*

BABU MONINDRA BHUSAN DATTA, Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Noakhali Treasury, with effect from the forenoon of 30th October 1916, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

B. C. PRANCE, *Collector.*

NOAKHALI, *the 30th October 1916.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR Maulvi Lohazuddin Ahmed has been placed in charge of the Rangpur Treasury with effect from the 30th October 1916 and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

R. M. DAS, *for Collector.*

RANGPUR, *the 2nd November 1916.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU BHUPENDRA NATH MITRA, Additional Munsif of Khulna, now acting as a Munsif of the same station, is temporarily vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Khulna, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Probodh Chandra Basu.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 2nd November 1916.

BABU SARADA PRASAD BANARJI, Munsif under orders of transfer to Bolpur in the district of Birbhum, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bolpur Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 3rd November 1916.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1916 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

E. H. BRAY,
Sheriff.

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৬ সাল, তারিখ ২৭শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুপ্রে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৬ সালের ২৯শে নভেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন করেদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে উচিত।

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NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a

candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 206R.-G.—Babu Amulya Krishna Dutta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kushtia, in the district of Nadia, is transferred to Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 210R.-G.—Maulvi Quazi Mahiuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chuadanga, in the district of Nadia, is transferred to Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 213R.-G.—Babu Sourindra Kumar Mitra, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is transferred to Chuadanga in that district.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 208R.-G.—Babu Bankim Behari Mitter, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six weeks with effect from the 8th November 1916.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4831J.—Babu Srimanta Das Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Manikganj, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Dacca district.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 30th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4825J.—Babu Atul Kumar Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Narainganj, is transferred to the Madaripur subdivision of Faridpur district.

Babu Surendra Mohan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Madaripur, is transferred to the Narainganj subdivision of Dacca district.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 30th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 219 R.G.—Maulvi Fazlur Rahman, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Khulna, is transferred to Kushtia in the district of Nadia.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 2nd November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3735J.—Babu Anadi Nath Sarkar, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Pabna, is allowed privilege leave for twenty days, under article 242 *(a)* of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 3rd November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power vested in me under Government order No. 168 P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, I appoint Babus Upendra Nath Singh and Satyendra Narain Addy to be non-official visitors of the Arambagh Subsidiary Jail in the district of Hooghly.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 31st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 55 L.S.-G.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I approve the election of the following gentlemen as Chairmen of the several Local Boards in the district of Jessore mentioned against their names:—

Name of Local Board.			Name of Chairman.
Sadar	...	...	Babu Kali Das Mitra.
Bongaon	...	...	Maulvi Afsaruddin Ahmed.
Narail	...	...	Babu Prosonno Kumar Sen.
Magura	...	...	„ Purno Chandra Sarkar.
Jhenidah	...	...	„ Monmothonath Roy.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 58L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that I appoint, under section 19 (*1*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, as amended, Babu Prosanna Kumar Mukharji to be a member of the Alipore Local Board, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in the place of Babu Annoda Prosad Biswas, removed.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 54L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Jessore under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended :—

Babu Kali Das Mitra.
„ Bijoy Gopal Basu.
„ Keshab Lal Roy Chowdhury.
„ Bijoy Krishna Mitra.
„ Jyotish Chandra Chakravarty.
„ Kuloda Bhushan Bhattacherjee.
„ Jogendra Nath Bose.
Moulvi Afsaruddin Ahmed.
„ Chowdhury Muhammad Isa.
Babu Jyoti Prosanno Roy.

Under section 10 of the Act and rule 54 of the Election Rules the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Board :—

Babu Jogendra Lal Sarkar.
„ Ashootosh Mazumdar.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board :—

The Superintendent of Police, Jessore... ... }
„ Civil Surgeon, Jessore ... ... }
„ Subdivisional Officer, Bongong ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
„ Ditto, Jhenidah ... ... }
„ Ditto, Narail ... ... }
„ Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jessore ... }
Raja Promotho Bhushan Deb Roy Bahadur.
E. G., MacLeod, Esqr.
Babu Jitendra Nath Roy.
Rai Radhica Charan Dutt Bahadur.
„ Jadu Nath Mazumdar Bahadur.
Moulvi Altaf Ahmed.

J. LANG, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 56L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, Babu Jnanada Charan Nandi has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Dispensary at Kaliroa in the district of Khulna, *vice* Babu Baroda Charan Nandi, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 30th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 57L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, Babu Monmohan Ghosh has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Dispensary at Nawapara in the district of Khulna, *vice* Babu Annada Prosad Ghosh, resigned.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 30th October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4850J.—Under rule 20 (*b*) of the Rules for the Management of Hospitals and Dispensaries and in supersession of previous notifications, it is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Managing Committees of the Dispensaries noted against their names:—

DISTRICT MYMENSINGH.

Phulpur.

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Sadar, North ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Sub-Registrar of Phulpur ... ... }
3. The Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Phulpur }
4. The Marriage Registrar ... ... }
5. The Head Master, M. E. School ... ... }
6. Babu Raj Kumar Choudhury.
7. „ Kashi Nath Saha.
8. Munshi Karmat Ali Khan.
9. Babu Bepin Behari Bakshi.

Dewanganj.

1. Babu Dasarathi Chatterji.
2. „ Jogendra Narayan Ray.
3. The Sub-Registrar, Dewanganj ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. The Sub-Inspector of Police, Dewanganj ... }
5. Md. Abdul Bari.
6. Johinal Hanga.
7. Md. Mufzzal Hossen.
8. Babu Ramani Mohan Saha.
9. „ Ishan Chandra Saha.

Bakshiganj.

1. Babu Ramjadu Bhattacharjee.
2. The Local Sub-Registrar ... ... *Ex-officio.*
3. Babu Purna Chandra Saha.
4. „ Bhim Chandra Saha.
5. „ Madhu Sudan Ray.
6. „ Krishna Kumar Sarkar.
7. „ Nagendra Kishore Chanda.
8. Muhammad Mainuddin Mia.
9. „ Mayezuddin Sarkar.
10. „ Habil Khan.
11. Babu Ramdayal Modak.

Madarganj.

1. The Subdivisional Officer ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Sub-Registrar, Madarganj ... ... }
3. The Officer in charge police-station ... }
4. The Head Master of Balijuri H. E. School ... }
5. Babu Umesh Chandra Nag.
6. „ Satish Chandra Ghosh.
7. Maulvi Mahiuddin.
8. Munshi Abdul Ali.
9. „ Jobedali Fakir.
10. „ Faranuddin Talukdar.
11. „ Asek Mahmud Sarkar.

Tarafganj (Nalitabari).

1. Babu Hemanga Chandra Chaudhury, Zamindar, Sherpur.
2. The Sub-Registrar of Nalitabari ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. The Officer in charge of police-station Nalitabari ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. The Second Sub-Inspector of police-station Nalitabari ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
5. The Mahamadan Marriage Registrar ... } *Ex-officio.*
6. Babu Jogendra Chandra Das.
7. „ Radha Ballav Bakshi.
8. „ Aswini Kumar Chatterjee.
9. „ Joy Chandra Guha.
10. „ Bhim Tilak Roy.
11. Munshi Alimuddin Sarkar.

Mesta.

1. The Subdivisional Officer ... ... *Ex-officio.*
2. Babu Dwarika Nath Sen.
3. „ Mukunda Mohan Dutta.
4. „ Mohendra Mohan Roy.
5. „ Nishi Kanta Ganguly.
6. „ Jogesh Chandra Nag.
7. „ Dinanath Chakraverty.
8. Munshi Safiuddin Khan.
9. „ Abdul Hoshen Khan.

S. G. HART, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 30th October 1916.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under section 43 of Bengal Act V of 1911.

THE Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta hereby give notice that a Street Scheme described as Scheme No. VIIE (Central Avenue—Prinsep Street to Chowringhee) has been framed for the area bounded as follows :—

On the North—From a point on the north-west corner of premises No. 17, Khairu Lane, in a straight line to the point of intersection of the southern edge of Prinsep Street with the eastern edge of Chandni Chak Street.

On the East—From this point southward along the eastern edge of Chandni Chak Street and thence produced to meet the centre line of Dhurrumtolla Street. Thence westward 260 feet along the centre line of Dhurumtolla Street. Thence south-westward to a point on the northern boundary of premises No. 7, Chowringhee Road (Whiteaway Laidlaw and Company's building), 227 feet east of its north-west corner (on the Chowringhee Road).

On the South—The line joining the last point and a point on the western boundary of premises No. 7, Chowringhee Road, 33 feet south of its north-west corner and produced in a straight line to a point 493 feet from the eastern edge of Chowringhee Road.

On the West—From this point northwards in a straight line to a point on the southern boundary of premises No. 8, Esplanade Row (East), 35 feet of its south-west corner and thence running northwards in a straight line to the starting point on the north-west corner of premises No. 17, Khairu Lane.

Particulars of the Scheme, a map of the area comprised in the Scheme, and a statement of properties which it is proposed to acquire may be seen at the offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week-days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. (on Saturdays between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

Copies of the above documents will also be delivered to applicants on payment of the following fees:—

			Rs.	A.
Particulars of the Scheme	...	...	0	4
Map of the area	...	...	1	0
Statement of properties	...	...	0	4

Objections to the Scheme will be received up to the 31st January 1917.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 20th October 1916.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under section 47 (3) of Bengal Act V of 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the second portion of Improvement Scheme No. VII (Chitpur Spur) originally notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 11th November 1914.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST, 5, CLIVE STREET, *the 21st October 1916.*

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 734T.-M.—The 2nd November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the following by-laws framed by the Commissioners of the Kishoreganj Municipality in the district of Mymensingh :—

Mymensingh.

By-laws.

DEFINITIONS.

Definitions.

1. In these by-laws—

(*1*) "Carriage" includes also a motor-car; and

(*2*) "Cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTION.

Police Act, 1861, section 34

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force, no act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under by-law 17, 35 or 44.

PENALTIES.

Fines.

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-laws,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

Youthful drivers

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under 16 or 14 years of age, respectively.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving more than one carriage or cart.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart except in the case of two carts, the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Rule of the road.

6. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road, shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine. Rs. 10.

Lights.

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows:—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light;

(*c*) every elephant, camel or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light;

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front:

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon or on the four nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Signals on motors and cycles.

8. No person shall drive any motor-car or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle on any road unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50

Cart laden with girders, etc

9. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, bullas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed eighteen feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person, and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine. Rs. 10.

Cart laden with brick, stones, etc.

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Animal laden with bamboos or timber.

11. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

12. No person shall take an elephant over any road unless it has a bell in good order attached to it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Taking an elephant over a bridge.

13. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Loaded pack animals

14. No person shall drive upon a road, at the same time, more than two loaded pack animals.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sitting or sleeping.

15. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

Abandoning or letting loose cattle

16. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing article.

17. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Planting trees.

18. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Excavation and enclosures.

19. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road, or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Removing turf or cutting grass.

20. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Discharge of water.

21. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road or into any drain in or near a road, except through a down-pipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Breaking in horses.

22. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Flying kites.

23. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way that it may fall on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Playing games.

24. No person shall play any game on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

25. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Throwing stones or missiles

Fine, Rs. 10.

26. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Driving across a drain

Fine, Rs. 10.

27. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

28. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

Dust-bin.

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

29. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

Conveying sewage or offensive matter.

(*a*) in a closely covered receptacle of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

30. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any privy or urinal within 10 feet of any road.

Privies and urinals.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

31. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill or clean any poultry.

Killing poultry or cleaning carcasses.

Fine, Rs. 10.

32. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Closed roads.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

33. (1) No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Letting off of firearms, etc.

(2) This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs or crackers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING-PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

34. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Setting up obstruction

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing nets and the placing of fishing traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine. Rs. 2.

Easing oneself.

35. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cleanliness of banks and access for conservancy.

36. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply shall—

(*a*) keep or, if the Commissioners undertake the work, allow them to keep, such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorised in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Weeds.

37. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Masonry platforms and drains for wells.

38. The owner of every well, which is a source of public water-supply, shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Bathing or washing near well.

39. No person shall bathe, or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other articles within a distance of 10 feet from the lowest platform of any public well.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Steeping jute, hemp, etc.

40. No person shall, without the permission of the Commissioners, steep or wash in any tank, khal, ditch, drain or river any jute, hemp, bamboos or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 20; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Washing infected articles.

41 No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Bathing by infected persons.

42. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing-place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Bathing-places reserved for females.

43. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing-place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

Depositing nightsoil.

44. No person shall deposit nightsoil in any place within the latrine boundaries of the Municipality not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Manure

45. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used formanuring in such garden or land.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Access to Municipal servants.

46. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises, from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the Municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Removal of offensive matter from markets.

47. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

Disposal of carcasses

48. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the conservancy overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

Latrines reserved for females

49. No male person above twelve years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

Obstruction to drain.

50. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain, any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Constructing stalls, platforms, etc., over a drain.

51. No person shall construct or place over or by the side of any public drain any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS, AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

Covering of corpse.

52. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing corpse on or near road.

53. No person while conveying a corpse shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, or for a medical or police inspection, deposit it on or on the side of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Burial or burning obligatory.

54. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depth of coffin or corpse in masonry grave.

55. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of non-masonry grave.

56. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves.

57. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening graves.

58. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

59. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, the carcass of any animal, or bury any corpse within twelve feet of any tank, khal or water-course.

Fine, Rs. 20.

Complete cremation.

60. Any person burning or causing to be burnt any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

61. Any person who conveys or causes to be conveyed any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land.

62. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, nightsoil and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Sanitation of public places of charity or worship

63. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawali, or person entrusted with the daily supervision, or in charge, of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cleanliness of shops, markets and slaughter-houses

64. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Sale of prepared article of food.

65. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs 50.

Easing oneself in market

66. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Aerated water and ice.

67. No person shall make any aerated water or ice for the purpose of sale without first boiling the water.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Infected clothing.

68. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Disinfection of carriages

69. Every owner or driver of any carriage, palanquin or dooly, or other conveyance, which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the vehicle again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Diseased or worn-out cattle.

70. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Picketing animals, collecting carts, or forming encampment

71. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cancellation of former by-laws.

72. The by-laws which were confirmed by Government Notification, dated the 13th September 1889, are hereby cancelled.

Darjeeling. Kurseong.

No. 732T.M.—The 2nd November 1916.—The following draft of rules which the Governor in Council intends to make, in exercise of the power conferred by section 69B (*ii*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), and in supersession of the rules published with Notification No. 1473M., dated the 23rd May 1914, for the guidance of the Commissioners of the Darjeeling and Kurseong Municipalities in matters connected with the carrying out of the purposes of section 69 (*1*) (*ii*) of that Act so far as they relate to the supply of water, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on 15th December 1916, and any objections or suggestions which are received by the undersigned on or before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Rules for the Management of the Water-works of the Darjeeling and Kurseong Municipalities under the supervision of the Government of Bengal.

1. The management of the water-supply system of each of the municipalities of Darjeeling and Kurseong shall vest in the Commissioners of the Municipality (hereinafter called "the Commissioners"), and the Commissioners shall perform the duties prescribed in the following rules.

2. The Commissioners shall be responsible for the proper application of the water-supply funds. It shall be their duty to take requisite steps to rectify defects in case they find that water-rates are irregularly collected in any instance, or are insufficient for carrying out the purposes of Part VII of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884.

3. The Commissioners shall frame the annual budget of income and expenditure on account of the water-works, and shall submit it to the Sanitary Engineer for any remarks he may consider necessary. The Sanitary Engineer shall return the budget with his remarks to the Chairman of the municipality.

4. The Chairman of the municipality shall, at the end of each month, prepare a statement of the accounts of the water-supply funds, which he shall submit to the Commissioners, at their next meeting.

5. The Commissioners at a meeting shall, every month, inquire into all matters connected with the water-supply of the municipality, and examine and pass the accounts submitted under rule 4, and shall record that the accounts have been passed in the book of the minutes of the proceedings of the meeting.

6. In all engineering matters connected with the water-works the Commissioners shall be guided by the advice of the Sanitary Engineer. The Commissioners shall afford the Sanitary Engineer all information he may from time to time require, and shall consider and attend to all communications received from him.

7. The Sanitary Engineer shall visit, or shall depute a representative to visit, the water-works not less than once a year, and shall submit a report thereon to the Sanitary Board.

8. Until all points raised in the report of the Sanitary Engineer have been disposed of, the Commissioners shall submit to the Deputy Commissioner for transmission to the Sanitary Engineer a monthly progress report showing how far effect has been given to the recommendations made in the report.

9. (*1*) The Commissioners shall appoint two of their number in rotation to be monthly visitors of the water-works.

(*2*) It shall be the duty of these visitors to ascertain by inquiry—

(*a*) whether an efficient supply of water is being given;

(*b*) whether the water-works establishment are attending to their duties and a proper discipline is being maintained;

(*c*) whether the works, plant, implements, materials and all other things connected with the water-works are being properly maintained in an efficient condition;

(*d*) whether these rules are being attended to in all respects; and

(*e*) whether any other matters in connection with the water-works require attention.

(3) The visitors shall report in writing to the Commissioners in meeting the result of their inspection, and a copy of their report, with a copy of any resolution that may be passed thereon by the Commissioners, shall be sent to the Sanitary Engineer.

10. An extract of the proceedings relating to the water-supply system at each meeting of the Commissioners shall be forwarded, within a week of the date of the meeting, to the Sanitary Engineer, who may, if he thinks fit, and shall, if the Commissioners so desire, submit it with his remarks to the Sanitary Board.

11. The chemical and bacteriological analysis of water from each of the water-works shall be carried out once a quarter in the laboratory of the Sanitary Commissioner and the results of the analysis shall be communicated to the Municipality and laid before the Commissioners at a meeting.

12. Whenever the Sanitary Commissioner makes an inspection of the water-works, he shall forward a copy of his remarks concerning the works to the Sanitary Engineer.

13. (1) Subject to the general control of the Commissioners, the duties prescribed for the Commissioners in these rules may, if the Commissioners so decide, be performed by a committee, to be called "The Water-works Committee," consisting—

(a) at Darjeeling, of the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the municipality and four other persons to be elected by the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting;

(b) at Kurseong, of the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the municipality and three other persons to be elected by the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting.

(2) The Committee shall act as the agent of the Commissioners in all matters relating to the administration of the water-supply of the municipality, and shall for this purpose exercise all the powers vested in the Commissioners by the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884:

Provided as follows:—

(i) the Committee must not act in opposition to, or in contravention of, any order passed by the Commissioners at a meeting, and must not exercise any power which is directed by the law to be exercised by the Commissioners at a meeting;

(ii) all orders or processes of a compulsory nature shall be issued under the authority and signature of the Chairman of the municipality, or of the Vice-Chairman under authority delegated to him in this behalf by the Chairman under section 45 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884;

(iii) in respect of the duties imposed by rules 2, 3 and 8, the Committee shall perform the functions of rectification of defects and transmission of documents through the Commissioners.

14. At every meeting of the Committee three members shall form a *quorum*.

24-Parganas.

No. 717T.-M.—The 30th October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 23 (2) of that Act, electing Babu Upendra Nath Mitra, B.L., to be the Chairman of that Municipality.

Bogra

No. 677T.-M.—The 24th October 1916.—Under rule 7 of the Local Authorities' Loans Rules, 1915, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Governor in Council intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Sherpur Municipality, in the district of Bogra, for a loan of Rs. 1,500 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum and repayable in fifteen equal annual instalments of Rs. 144-8-2 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said municipality.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Application for a loan of Rs. 1,500 from the Commissioners of the Sherpur Municipality.

The work or works for which the loan is required and the estimate of the cost thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	RECEIPT OF LOAN. (a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) The rate of interest at which it is proposed to borrow.	(c) The number of instalments in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The date proposed for receiving the instalment.	REPAYMENT OF LOAN. (f) The number of instalments in which the loan is repayable and the dates of payment thereof.	(g) Amount of each instalment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Thorough repairs to the main road of the town. Total estimate is Rs. 3,392.	Rupees 1,500.	Sherpur Municipal Fund.	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	Fifteen years.	5 per cent. per annum.	One instalment.	Rupees 1,500.	1st December 1916.	Fifteen equal instalments in fifteen years, 1st December—1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930 and 1931.	Rupees 144-8-0.

FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE LOCAL BODY.

REVENUE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS).

Sources from which the revenue is derived.	Amount for— 1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.
12	13	14	15
(A) Municipal rates and taxes ...	Rs. A. P. 8,078 0 0	Rs. A. P. 9,253 0 0	Rs. A. P. 8,662 0 0
(B) Realisations under Special Acts	608 0 0	492 0 0	408 0 0
(C) Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.	332 0 0	313 0 0	290 0 0
(D) Grants and contributions for general and special purposes (ordinary).	.....	.....	.....
(E) Miscellaneous	120 0 0	180 0 0	143 0 0
Total ordinary income ...	9,148 0 0	10,238 0 0	9,503 0 0
(F) Extraordinary and debt	.....	22 0 0	141 0 0
(G) Receipt of abnormal character	.....	500 0 0	.....
Total ...	9,148 0 0	10,740 0 0	9,644 0 0
Opening balance ...	1,099 0 0	1,141 0 0	2,252 0 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	10,247 0 0	11,881 0 0	11,898 0 0

EXPENDITURE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS).

Objects on which the expenditure is incurred.	Amount for— 1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.
16	17	18	19
1. General administration and collection charges.	Rs. A. P. 1,052 0 0	Rs. A. P. 1,170 0 0	Rs. A. P. 1,191 0 0
2. Public safety	892 0 0	946 0 0	980 0 0
3. Public health and convenience (excluding expenditure from loan funds and from grants other than ordinary).	5,197 0 0	5,715 0 0	6,215 0 0
4. Public instruction	521 0 0	521 0 0	533 0 0
5. Miscellaneous	980 0 0	835 0 0	824 0 0
6 Repayment of loan	413 0 0	430 0 0	447 0 0
Total ordinary expenditure ...	9,106 0 0	9,607 0 0	10,262 0 0
7. Extraordinary and debt (excluding repayment of loan).	.....	22 0 0	131 0 0
8. Expenditure from loan funds and from grants included under the head "Receipts of abnormal character."	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	9,106 0 0	9,629 0 0	10,393 0 0
Closing balance ...	1,141 0 0	2,252 0 0	1,505 0 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	10,247 0 0	11,881 0 0	11,898 0 0

The normal surplus which may be expected in future, i.e., the difference between the average ordinary income and the average ordinary expenditure, calculated on the figures in columns 13 to 15 and 17 to 19, respectively.	REMARKS.
20	21
Rupees 35.	—

REVENUE.

Column 14—

(a) Municipal rates and taxes. The increase is the result of a general revision of assessment taking effect from April 1914.

(g) Receipt of abnormal character. The amount of Rs. 500 has been granted by the Divisional Commissioner for the construction of a masonry well in the town.

EXPENDITURE.

Column 18—

(3) Public Health and convenience. The increase is due to increase in the staff of methars and purchase of carts.

Closing balance of 1914-15. The figure includes Rs. 500 granted by the Divisional Commissioner for the sinking of a masonry well in the town.

In addition to the details required on the reverse, clear information should be given below under the following heads :—

(*a*) If the ordinary surplus is insufficient to meet the charges of the proposed loan, the particular steps which the municipality has taken, or has agreed to take, in order to make good the deficiency.	(*a*) The normal surplus is Rs. 35, while the charges of the proposed loan is Rs. 144-8-2. It is in contemplation of the Municipal Commissioners to curtail expenditure in certain direction in order to make good the deficiency. There will be no difficulty in meeting the proposed charges of the loan after a period of two years more when the balance of outstanding loan will be liquidated.
(*b*) The reserve of taxation or other possible means of increase in the revenues of the municipality.	(*b*) A fair increase in the revenues is expected as it has been decided that the next revision of assessment will be carried out by an outside agency.
(*c*) A statement of all outstanding loans specifying, in respect of each loan, the date when taken, the purpose (very briefly), the amount, the annual charges involved, and the amount still payable.	(*c*) Loan (1)—Rs. 2,000 taken on 7th February 1907 for the metalling of the main road of the town, repayable in ten equal instalments each year of Rs. 246-9-5. Balance outstanding is Rs. 237-0-5. Loan (2)—Rs. 2,000 taken on 24th February 1908 for the metalling of the main road of the town, repayable in ten equal instalments of Rs. 246-9-5 each year. Balance outstanding Rs. 465-0-3. Total loan balance Rs. 702-0-8.
(*d*) Any explanations in regard to receipts and expenditure to show the true financial position of the municipality when such position is otherwise than the ordinary surplus would indicate.	(*d*) The receipts on the whole show a tendency to rise. The Municipal Commissioners have agreed to revise the assessment through some outside agency and it is expected that there will be a fair increase in the revenue.

Midnapore.

No. 720T.-M.—The 31st October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Nagendra Nath Ray, B.L., to be a Commissioner of the Tamluk Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Babu Basanta Kumar Sarkar, resigned.

24-Parganas.

No. 722T.M.—The 31st October 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Panihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 27 of that Act, electing Babu Surendra Nath Mukharji to be the Chairman of that Municipality during the absence of Babu Manmatha Nath Chatarji on leave.

Tippera.

No. 736T.M.—The 2nd November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 9A of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to alter the number of the Commissioners of the Chandpur Municipality, in the district of Tippera, from 9 to 12.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by section 15 of the said Act, and in modification of the Eastern Bengal and Assam Government Notification No. 2809F., dated the 27th March 1907, to raise the number of Commissioners to be elected by Wards Nos. I and V of the said Municipality from 1 to 2.

24-Parganas.

No. 2513M.—The 4th November 1916.—The following draft of a by-law which has been framed by the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), in supersession of by-law 15 of the by-laws confirmed in Government Order No. 3847M., dated the 8th September 1896, and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1916, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft by-law.

(1) No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except—

(*i*) with the permission of the Commissioners in writing, and

(*ii*) on payment of Re. 1 as fee *per diem*.

(2) Every application to the Commissioners for such permission must be made at least one week before the permission is required, and the applicant must state the nature of the fireworks that he intends to let off :

Provided that when permission is required for the letting off of bomb-golas or fireworks of any other kind which may be considered dangerous, the application must be made at least a fortnight beforehand.

(3) This by-law shall not apply to the letting-off of *pataka*, *china pataka*, *chuncha baji*, *chota tubri*, *charki*, and other harmless squibs and crackers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Bankura.

No. 2510M.—The 4th November 1916.—The following draft of rules which, in exercise of the power conferred by section 290 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of

1884), the Governor in Council proposes to make and subject to which the Commissioners of the Bankura Municipality may allow communication-pipe to be laid down from the service-pipes of the Commissioners for the purposes of leading water to premises for domestic purposes only, are published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft rules will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft Rules.

So long as the Commissioners deem it practicable and consistent with the maintenance of an efficient water-supply, they may allow any owner or occupier of a holding paying a water-rate imposed under the provisions of Part VII of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, on the annual value of such holding, when such annual value is not less than Rs. 60, to lay down communication-pipes from the service-pipes of the Commissioners for the purpose of leading water to such holding for domestic purposes only, subject to the following rules and conditions :—

1. The owner or occupier of any holding requiring water to be laid on to such holding for domestic purposes, or requiring any addition or alteration to an existing water-supply, must apply for the same on a printed form to be supplied, free of cost, at the Municipal office.

2. A fee of Rs. 100 must be paid to the Commissioners by such owner or occupier for each connection to a municipal main supply-pipe or a common communication-pipe laid in accordance with rule 3 before any work is commenced, such fee to be in addition to all other costs and charges imposed under these rules.

3. Except as provided below each holding must have a separate connection to the municipal main supply-pipe and extensions from the communication-pipe of one holding to another holding shall not be permitted :

Provided that with the consent of the Commissioners in meeting connections to two or more holdings may be permitted from a common communication-pipe. Any such communication-pipe must be laid in a street or common passage and a stop-cock and meter as provided for in rule 7 must be fixed on the connection to each holding :

Provided also that no holding shall have more than one separate connection, but if in any case the Commissioners are satisfied that an adequate supply to any holding cannot be given through a single connection, they may sanction a second connection thereto.

4. The owner or occupier of the holding in respect of which the connection is required, must pay the entire cost of the connection, including the supply and fixing of the fittings referred to in rule 7, and must also pay the cost of such alterations in, or repairs to, roads, drains, sewers, gas or water-mains or pipes, and the cost of such other works, as may be necessitated by, or result from, the work of making such connection.

5. The owner or occupier of the holding to which a connection has been given must, at any time, on receipt of notice to do so from the Commissioners pay the entire cost of any repairs or alterations to the connection or any part thereof that the Commissioners may consider necessary to put it into a satisfactory condition or which may be necessitated by any change in the municipal water-works or system of distribution or by the defective condition of the connection or any part thereof or by any other cause whatever.

6. (*1*) The works required under rules 4 and 5 may, at the option of the Commissioners, either be carried out by the Commissioners themselves at the expense of the owner or occupier of the holding in respect of which the works are required, or may be carried out by a person or firm employed by such owner or occupier and approved by the Commissioners.

(*2*) No work shall be carried out under sub-rule (*1*), except under the supervision of a Municipal Officer.

7. A holding connection shall comprise the following parts or fittings:—

(*a*) a brass or gun-metal ferrule inserted in the main supply-pipe;
(*b*) a galvanized iron communication-pipe from the ferrule to the meter;
(*c*) a stop-cock and its surface-box;
(*d*) a meter;
(*e*) service-pipes from the stop-cock to the taps; and
(*f*) taps.

8. (*1*) All the fittings referred to in rule 7 shall be exact duplicates of standard samples kept in the office of the Commissioners, and approved by them in meeting.

(*2*) All fittings shall be inspected and tested and stamped by an officer of the municipality before being fixed.

(*3*) If any owner or occupier shall desire to adopt any fitting of a pattern different from the standard patterns, he must present such fitting for the approval of the Chairman, and any fittings so presented may, if considered satisfactory by the Chairman, be stamped and samples thereof may be purchased and placed among the standard fittings.

9. The holding connection, when fitted in position, must be capable of standing a pressure of 75 feet, and no water shall be supplied until it has stood such a test applied by the Commissioners.

10. The size of the ferrule and the diameter of the communication-pipe referred to in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of rule 7, and the number of taps shall be fixed in accordance with the annual valuation of the holdings as follows:—

Annual valuation of holding.	Size of ferrule.	Diameter of communication-pipe.	Number of taps.
Rs. Rs.	Inch.	Inch.	
Under 200	½	½	1
„ 200 to 399	¾	½	2
„ 400 „ 599	¾	¾	3
„ 600 „ 899	¾	¾	4
„ 900 „ 1,199	1	¾	5
„ 1,200 „ 1,499	1	1	6
„ 1,500 „ 1,999	1	1	7
„ 2,000 and over—an extra tap for every additional Rs. 1,000.			

11. (*1*) On every communication-pipe a brass or gun-metal stop-cock having the same water-way as such pipe shall be placed as near as practicable to the point where that pipe enters the holding to be supplied.

(*2*) The stop-cock shall be built in a brick chamber provided with a cast-iron surface cover-box so designed that it can be locked, and the key of this box shall remain under the control of the Chairman.

(*3*) The stop-cock shall be capable of adjustment so that the supply to the holding may be regulated thereby.

12. (*a*) The meter shall be placed as near to the stop-cock as possible and in a position where it can be conveniently examined.

(*b*) The meter must be fixed in a brick chamber covered over with a cast-iron surface box of approved pattern.

13. Neither the stop-cock nor the meter must be placed in any private premises.

14. The Commissioners shall depute an authorized person to read every meter not less than once a quarter, and shall give notice to the occupier at least twenty-four hours before the reading is recorded.

15. (*1*) Every owner or occupier of any holding, in respect of which a connection has been made, under these rules, shall be entitled to a supply of—

(*a*) one hundred and sixty gallons of water per quarter for each rupee valuation per quarter, and
(*b*) a further proportionate number of gallons per quarter for every additional fraction of a rupee.

paid by him quarterly as water-rate in respect of such holding.

(2) For all water in excess of the amount allowed under sub-rule (*i*) such owner or occupier shall be charged quarterly as follows :—

Annas 10 per 1,000 gallons.

16. The Commissioners may cut off the connection between any water-works of the Municipality and any holding to which the water is supplied from such works, or may turn off such supply, in any of the following cases, viz :—

(*a*) if the holding is unoccupied ;

(*b*) if the occupier refuses to admit any officer duly empowered in that behalf into the holding for the purpose of making any examination or inspection authorized under this Act, or under any by-law or rule framed under this Act, or prevents such officer from making such examination or inspection ;

(*c*) if the owner or occupier of the holding touches or interferes with his meter in any way except with the permission of the Chairman, or wilfully or negligently injures or damages it ;

(*d*) if the owner or occupier of the holding wilfully or negligently permits waste of water in such volume as will, in the opinion of the Chairman, endanger the water-supply in the neighbourhood ;

(*e*) if the owner or occupier of the holding shall refuse or neglect to pay any of the fees or charges imposed in accordance with these rules for a space of fourteen days after he has been served with a notice of demand for the same ;

(*f*) if the owner or occupier of the holding constructs or fixes any cisterns, tanks, reservoirs, taps, pipes or any other works in connection with the water-supply not authorised by these rules ;

(*g*) if the pipes, taps, ball-cocks, cisterns, or any other parts of the connection are, in the opinion of the Commissioners, in a leaking condition or a state of disrepair :

Provided that disconnection or turning off of the water-supply shall not relieve any person from any liabilities which he may have incurred under these rules.

In the circumstances contemplated in clause (*d*) an officer authorised by the Commissioners in this behalf by a general order shall have the power to turn off the supply for a period not exceeding eight hours on his previously recording his reason in writing.

17. Every tap shall be of the same size as the pipe to which it is attached and shall be of brass and of the pattern known as "Screwdown" or "Self-closing." Every tap shall be at least three feet above the surface of the ground beneath.

18. No cistern, tank, or reservoir of any description, which is intended to be supplied with water from the Municipal water-works, shall be permitted to any holding except with the sanction of the Commissioners in meeting and such sanction shall distinctly specify the dimensions and capacity of the cistern, tank, or reservoir allowed The inlet to every such cistern, tank, or reservoir must be controlled by an efficient ball-cock, so that the discharge thereinto is completely stopped when the cistern, tank, or reservoir is full Any taps fed from such cistern, tank or reservoir must be included in the number of the taps allowed under rule 10.

19. No connection shall be permitted to any holding unless and until the owner or occupier makes effective provision to the satisfaction of the Commissioners for draining all waste water away.

No. 729T.-L.S.-G.—The 31st October 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

Khulna.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, into a Union :—

Name of the district within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Khulna ...	Mulghar ...	9	Char Bhaisab Nadi ... 85	*North.*
			Malmur (Mulghar) ... 86	Mollahat thana.
			Kakdanga.	*East.*
			Syed Mahalla.	Ujanpur (Shukto char) ... 270
			Kalidanga.	Sriampur 272
			Thikripara.	Amlia 96
			Santiganja.	Kharia 95
			Joypur.	*South.*
			Sibhatti.	Attaki 84
			Nalpadanga 89	Hadpodia 102
			Rudragande 90	Baruipara 196
			Kutalbari.	Arpara Kurshaib ... 99
			Myarkhali Chakdaha.	*West.*
			Kalkalia chak ... 91	Jhalhati 88
			Kalkalia 92	Kharia 87
			Matabaria 93	Nalda 3
			Goalbaria 94	
			Gurguria 97	
			Putia 98	
			Rajpat 100	
			Baniakhali.	
			Sonakhali 101	
			Faltila.	
			Soalikanda.	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that as the Mulghar Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union should consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

3. This cancels so much of notification No. 150T.—M., dated the 15th June 1895, as relates to this Union.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—.

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR. *the 9th March 1916.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

ADMISSIONS will be made to the 1st year Sub-Overseer Class of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, on the 13th November next.

Candidates must be below 18 years on January 1st, 1916, and must have passed the Matriculation Examination or the Junior Cambridge Local Examination.

Applications will be received in the Principal's office up to November 6th.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

SIBPUR, *the 24th October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

BABU PRAPHULLA CHANDRA GHOSH, M.A., is granted, with effect from 1st October 1916 or any later date on which he joins the College, a Post-Graduate Research Scholarship of the value of Rs. 100 a month for carrying on researches in Organic Chemistry (with special reference to Synthetic Dyes) at the Dacca College, Dacca, *vice* Babu Abinash Chandra Saha, resigned.

The scholarship is tenable until the 30th June 1917.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA.
The 16th October 1916.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

PLEADERS' SURVEY CLASSES, 1917.

1. Classes for the training of Pleaders in Surveying will be opened in January and February 1917 in connection with the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, the Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipur, the Dacca School of Engineering and the Survey School at Cuttack, provided sufficient candidates register their names at each centre.

2. The course will last for six weeks and will consist of practical work combined with class instruction. The routine and hours of attendance will be settled by the heads of the institutions, who will also decide the exact locality in which the classes will be held and the date of the opening.

3. Pleaders must make their own arrangements for attending this course. No tents or other residential accommodation will be provided.

4. Credit for attendance at these classes will not be given unless the pleader has been present for 80 per cent. of the working days and for the full working hours of each day.

5. Any candidate who desires to undergo the course of training must apply to the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than 30th November. His application must be endorsed by the District Judge. It should state the centre which the candidate wishes to join, *i.e.*, Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, and should be accompanied by a remittance receipt from the local treasury certifying that the fee of Rs. 100 has been paid into the treasury to the credit of the Engineering College.

6. The Secretary will allot candidates to the centres, consulting their wishes as far as possible, giving not more than 34 and not less than 8 to a centre. He will then inform the heads of the institutions of the names and addresses of the candidates registered at their centre and they will inform the candidates as to the locality and the date of opening.

7. The following is the syllabus of instruction. No definite text-books are prescribed :—

(*a*) Practical work—

Chain surveying, Prismatic compass surveying, plane tabling and levelling.

(*b*) Class work—

Use of mathematical instruments.	Variation of compass.
Construction of scales ..	Preparation of field books from maps.
Mensuration of areas ...	Elementary principle of levelling.
Plotting	Plotting of level sections.

Candidates who obtain the required percentage of attendance at this course of instruction are qualified to appear at the Practical Examination held in 1918, 1919 and 1920.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, and Secy. to the Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 2nd November 1916.*

REVISED LIST OF RECOGNISED EUROPEAN SCHOOLS IN THE BENGAL PRESIDENCY FOR THE YEAR 1916.

No	Name of school	Address	Management.	Nature of school.	Class of school	Average daily attendance during 1915.	Remarks
	Higher Secondary Schools.						
1	St. Paul's School ...	Jalapahar, Darjeeling ...	C. E.	Aided ...	Boys' ...	103	
2	St. Joseph's College ...	North Point, Darjeeling ...	R. C.	Unaided ...	Do. ...	219	
3	St. Xavier's College, School Department.	30, Park Street, Calcutta ...	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	340	
4	La Martinière School ...	11, Loudon Street, Calcutta ...	U.	Aided ...	Do. ...	243	Fully recognized as a Higher Secondary School by the Cambridge Local Examinations Syndicate.
5	Ditto ...	14, Rawdon Street, Calcutta...	U.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	135	
6	Pratt Memorial School ...	168, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	C. E.	Do. ...	Do. ...	201	
7	Diocesan Girls' School ...	Darjeeling	C. E.	Do ...	Do. ...	133	
8	St. Joseph's School ...	69 and 70, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	340	
9	Loreto House ...	7, Middleton Row, Calcutta ...	R. C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	283	
10	Loreto Convent ...	Darjeeling	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	146	
11	Calcutta Girls' School ...	152, Dharamtala Street, Calcutta.	N. C	Do. ...	Do. ...	223	Temporarily recognized as a Higher Secondary School.
12	St. Patrick's School ...	Asansol	R.C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	192	
13	Queen's Hill School* ...	Darjeeling	N.C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	102	
14	St. Helen's Convent* ...	Kurseong	R.C.	Do. ..	Do. ...	145	
	Secondary Schools.						
1	Jewish Girls' School ..	8, Pollock Street, Calcutta ...	J.	Aided ...	Mixed ...	128	Fully recognized as a Secondary School.
2	St. Teresa's School ...	72, Diamond Harbour Road, Kidderpore, Calcutta.	R.C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	119	
3	Loreto Convent ...	Asansol	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	109	Recognized temporarily.
4	Calcutta Boys' School ...	72, Corporation Street, Calcutta.	N.C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	112	Recognition of this school as a Secondary School is temporary and provisional.
5	Victoria School ..	Kurseong	...	Owned and managed by Government.	Do. ...	176†	Fully recognized by the Cambridge Local Examinations Syndicate as a Secondary School.
6	Dow Hill School* ..	Ditto	...	Ditto ...	Girls' ...	112	
7	Goethals Memorial Orphanage.	Ditto	R.C.	Aided ...	Boys' ...	182†	

	Higher Elementary Schools.						
1	St. Paul's Mission School ...	13, Scott's Lane, Calcutta ...	C. E.	Aided ...	Mixed ...	127	Not yet permanently recognized as a Higher Elementary School: the present recognition of the school as a Higher Elementary School is only temporary.
2	Loreto Boarding School* ...	No. 1, Convent Lane, Entally, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	121	
3	Loreto Day School ...	169, Dharamtala Street, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	274	
4	Ditto ...	65, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	105	
5	Ditto ...	122, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	167	
6	Calcutta Free School. Boys' Department.	58, Free School Street, Calcutta.	C. E.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	207	
7	Calcutta Free School. Girls' Department.*	Ditto ..	C. E.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	161	
8	Catholic Male Orphanage ...	15, Portuguese Church Street, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	296	
9	St. Joseph's Free School ...	69 & 70, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	188	
10	Convent of the Immaculate Conception.	Chandernagore	R. C.	Unaided ...	Girls' ...	48	
11	Bengal-Nagpur Railway European School.	Kharagpur	U.	Aided ...	Mixed ...	100	
12	St. Andrew's Colonial Homes School.*	Kalimpong	C. S.	Do. ...	Do. ...	424	
13	Loreto Orphanage ...	No. 1, Convent Lane, Entally, Calcutta.	R.C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	388	Not yet permanently recognized as a Higher Elementary School.
14	St. Francis Xavier's Girls' School.	Dacca	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	67	
15	St. Scholastica's Convent School.	Chittagong	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	98	
16	St. Agnes' School ...	2, King's Road, Howrah ...	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	101	
	Elementary Schools.						
1	Loreto Free School ...	169, Dharamtala Street, Calcutta.	R.C.	Aided ...	Mixed ...	129	
2	Ditto ...	65, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	151	
3	Ditto ...	122, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	93	
4	St. Aloysius' Day School and Orphanage.	3, Cullen Place, Howrah ...	R.C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	70	
5	St. Thomas' School ...	19, Grand Trunk Road (South), Howrah.	C.E.	Do. ...	Mixed ...	39	

* The school has a Technical Department for the teaching of such subjects as Cookery, Millinery and Dressmaking, Sick-Nursing, Child-Nursing, etc

† Not including the average daily attendance of students in the Sub-Overseer class.

No.	Name of school	Address	Management.	Nature of school.	Class of school.	Average daily attendance during 1915.	Remarks.
	Elementary Schools—concld.						
6	Wesleyan Preparatory School.	14-2, Sudder Street, Calcutta	N.C.	Aided ...	Mixed ...	49	
7	Gouldsmith Free Day School.	288, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	C.E.	Do. ...	Do. ...	164	
8	St. James' Parochial School	Boswell Hall, St. James' Church Compound, Calcutta.	C.E.	Do. ...	Do. ...	119	
9	East Indian Railway School	Lillooah	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	29	
10	Ditto ...	Bandel	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	15	
11	Ditto ...	Ondal	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	6	
12	Ditto ...	Asansol	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	49	Incomplete Elementary School.
13	Ditto ...	Rampur Hât	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	9	
14	Bengal-Nagpur Railway Intermediate School.	Kharagpur	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	28	
15	Eastern Bengal Railway School.	Chitpore	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	17	
16	St. Paul's Boarding and Day School.	68, Diamond Harbour Road, Kidderpore. Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	164	
17	St. Elizabeth's Free School	169, Howrah Road, Howrah ...	R. C.	Do. ...	Mixed ...	67	
18	Christian Girls' School ...	Chinsura	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	1	
19	European Day School ...	Kanchrapara, E. B. Railway	U.	.....	Do. ...	...	Opened in March 1916.
	Commercial and Technical School.						
1	Y. W. C. A. Commercial and Technical Classes.	134, Corporation Street, Calcutta.	U.	Aided ...	For young women.	30	
	Technical (Engineering) Schools.						
1	The Calcutta Technical (Evening) School.	The classes are held at 58, Free School Street, Calcutta. The Secretary's office is at 105, Clive Street, Calcutta.	U.	Aided ...	For young men employed in Engineering firms, dock-yards, etc.	39	

2	The Bengal-Nagpur Railway Apprentices' Night School.	Kharagpur.	Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	U.	Do.	...	.....	43	
	Training College.								
1	Dow Hill Training College...	Kurseong	... ...	...	Government.		.....	16	Young European or Eurasian females who have passed the Cambridge Senior School Certificate or an equivalent examination are trained at public expense to become teachers.

NOTE 1.—The following schools (whose gradation has not yet been finally settled) have been under the jurisdiction of this office since the amalgamation of Western and Eastern Bengal in 1912:—
R. C. (1) St. Gregory's School, Dacca.
R. C. (2) St. Placid's School, Chittagong.
U. (3) European Day School, Saidpur, Eastern Bengal Railway

NOTE 2.—The following Home has been temporarily recognised as an Orphanage only for boys:—
C. E. (1) The Old Church Boys' Parochial Home, 11, Kapalitollah Lane, Calcutta.

NOTE 3.—The following institution is now under the jurisdiction of this office: it is recognised as a European School, but its grade has not been yet decided:—
A. (1) The Armenian College and Philanthropic Academy, 39, Free School Street, Calcutta.

NOTE 4.—"C. E." means that the school to which it refers is under the Church of England management.
"R. C." ditto ditto Church of Rome management
"N. C." ditto ditto Non-Conformist management.
"U" ditto ditto Undenominational management.
"C. S." ditto ditto Church of Scotland management.
"J" ditto ditto Jewish management.
"A" ditto ditto Armenian management.

NOTE 5.—The Welland Memorial School, 5-1, Grant's Lane, Calcutta, was closed on 31st December 1915.

CALCUTTA.
The 25th September 1916.

ALFRED MERCER,
Offg. Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 31st October 1916.

LIABILITIES				ASSETS			
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	6,53,58,297	12	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,08,00,000 0 0				Other authorized Investments	1,11,72,945	0	0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	3,10,62,311	13	6
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	50,00,000	0	0	Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	6,05,51,276	7	2
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs 1,56,32,980 15 2				Bills discounted and purchased	2,67,47,020	3	0
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,17,41,675 10 11	2,73,74,656	8	1	Balances with other Banks	42,22,254	6	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	19,88,91,906	8	1	Bullion	.....		
Bank Post Bills, etc	86,.8.090	11	8	Dead Stock	29,28,658	4	6
Sundries	13,10,142	8	2	Stamps	12,247	10	0
				Sundries	3,69,822	13	6
					20,24,14,831	6	0
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs 2,23,67,671 8 10			
				Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 4,22,67,290 0 2	6,46,34,961	9	0
	26,70,49,795	15	0		26,70,49,795	15	0

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 3,51,510 0 0
† Do do do „ 8,63,467 8 0

Rs. 12,14,977 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 7 per cent.

Percentage, 28·56.

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL.
Calcutta, the 2nd November 1916

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN
Secretary and Treasurer

(2391—1)

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th December 1916, at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1916 which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Rauzan, Patiya, Town, and Satkania and Hathazari, kismat Ambika Babalta, taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 10 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Srimati Bama Sundari, Sarada Kripa Laja	.....	182 1 6	.....
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abdul Fazal.	648 3 7	Ditto ...	.....	Abdul Rauf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi and others.	.....	190 15 6	.....
478	Thana Hathazari, Fatikcheri, Rauzan, Patiya and Town, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest of 6as. will be sold excluding the unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest of 9as. 1p. 6¾kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-5 and also paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10p. 13¼kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-8.	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chand a Ray.	822 8 6	.....	228 15 2
764	Thana Hathazari, Patiya, Rauzan and Town, taraf Darpa Narayan.	2,902 9 0	Only a share will be sold	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 5 to the extent of interest 6as. 5p. 16¾kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary shares and shares Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28 and 29 to the extent of interest 6as 10p. 14¼kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,250-12-4 and also unpaid shares 4, 12, 25 and 26 to the extent of interest 2as. 7p. 9kts paying annual jama of Rs. 473-8.	Ram Krishna Sen, Rasik Ch. Ray.	1,176 4 8	.....	185 5 6
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf mauza Harina Babalta, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Rouf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1242	Thana Sat auza according to recent cadastral survey Bashkhali, Patiya according to recent cadastral survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	Ditto ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	207 8 0	.....
1512	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, Patiya, Town and Satkania, taraf Krishna Kisore Kanungoe.	645 6 7	Ditto ...	.....	Satish Ch. Rakhit, Atul Ch Nandi and others.	.....	135 11 4	.....
1513	Thana Patiya, Sitakund, Rauzan, Satkania, Hathazari and Town, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Srimati Promoda Kumari for Ramesh Charan Ray. Srimati Soudamini Ray for Akhoy Kumar Ray.	.....	252 1 3	.....
1885	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, taraf Md. Rabi Khansama.	926 4 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De for self and on behalf of Keshi Chandra and others, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	273 6 11	.....
2368	Thana Fatikcheri, Hathazari according to recent cadastral survey Rauzan, taraf Oaz Abdul Hossain.	731 8 9	Ditto ...	.....	Sheik Hasi Md. Isa ...	.....	182 12 6	.....
2554	Thana Chakaria, Patiya, Town, Rauzan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12as. and 10p. will be sold excluding paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 8as 2p. paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Srimati Rahimunissa...	681 .6 6	.....	201 4

Chittagong, the 25th October 1916.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Tippera, will be put up to sale at 1 o'clock on 10th January of the year 1917, corresponding with the 26th Paush 1323 Fusli, at Kamalasagar Railway station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Tippera ...	pargana Nurnagar, mauzas—(1) Tarapur. (2) Kalikapur.	20th	West ...	4 0	0 0 11	.....	... ..	.....	*North*—By railway relinquished land proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha. *South*—By ditto. *East*—By railway land. *West*—By Ahamaddi, Altamali and others' low lands.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Nurnagar, mauza—Kalikapur.	Do.	Do. ...	9 11	0 0 26	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By railway relinquished land proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha. *South*—By Lot No. 3. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By Chara bhiti and bank of Mithapukur, belongs to Suresh Chandra Chakravarty.
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	13 14	0 0 37	...	.....	.....	*North*—By Lot No. 2. *South*—By Lot No. 4. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By Mithapukur.
4	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	13 14	0 0 37	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Lot No. 3. *South*—By Lot No. 5. *East*—By railway land. *West*—By Mithapukur, Purna Chandra Kar (Latabaidya) and others' Chara bhiti.
5	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	13 14	0 0 37	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Lot No. 4. *South*—By Lot No. 6. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By Purna Chandra Kar (Latabaidya), Kailash Chandra Kar and others' Chara bhiti and Adhar Chandra Kar's betel garden.
6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	13 14	0 0 37	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Lot No. 5. *South*—By railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By Adhar Chandra Kar's betel garden.
7	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do	Do. ...	17 8	0 1 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By lot No. 6. *South*—By lot No. 8. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha.
8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	17 8	0 1 8	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha. *South*—By railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha and plot No. 7. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By Nal lands of Judhistir and Dengee Nama and railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha.

T. EMERSON, Collector.

Comilla, the 31st October 1916.

ADMINISTRATOR-GENERAL.

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 54 of Act III of 1913.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported, and when.	Remarks.
Mr. Alexandra Bell Duncan, I.C.S.	Died from wound received in action.	5th August 1916	District Judge, Gaya, on 28th August 1916.	The deceased left a will appointing Mr. J. T. White, I.C.S., Manager of the British Wards' Estate, as executor in India.
Mr. Sebright Edward Coffin, 2nd Lieutenant, Royal Scots Regiment.	France	21st December 1915	District Judge, Muzaffarpur, on 16th February 1916.	The deceased left no will. His father residing at Bettiah has applied for Letters of Administration to the estate.
Mr. Henry Mountain	Muzaffarpur ...	23rd October 1915	District Judge, Muzaffarpur, on 18th February 1916.	The deceased left a will appointing his widow and Mr. E. P. Casmurby as executors. The widow has applied for probate of the will.
Daya Bewah, late of No. 18, Girish Bidyaratna Lane, Calcutta.	Calcutta	.....	Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, on 14th September 1916.	The deceased died intestate and the Commissioner of Police has been requested to inform the Administrator-General regarding value of the deceased's property.
Mr. Henry Charles Richardson, Inspector of Reserve Police, Gaya.	Ditto ...	9th August 1906 ...	District Judge, Gaya, on 23rd August 1916.	The deceased left no will. Letters of Administration to the estate have been obtained by Mrs. H. M Richardson.
Mrs. Mary Christian, wife of A. T. Christian.	Muzaffarpur ...	9th October 1915	.....	The deceased left a will appointing A. T. Christian as executor who has obtained probate thereof
Mr. M. H. Mackenzie ...	Ealing, Great Britain.	19th May 1916 ...	District Judge, Muzaffarpur, on 28th August 1916.	The deceased left a will. His widow as executrix of the will has obtained probate.
Mr. William Ernemess Doheny, Assistant Manager, Takvar Tea Estate, Singbe Division.	.....	3rd December 1915	District Judge, Dinajpur, on 24th February 1916.	The deceased left no will and no property in India.
Miss Wood, an inmate of the De Souza Home.	.....	13th June 1915 ...	Commissioner of Police Calcutta, on 17th March 1916.	The deceased died intestate and the property left by her is considerably less than Rs. 1,000 in value and the Administrator-General does not propose to take action in the matter.
Mr. E. C. H. Cuswell, of 28, Theatre Road, Calcutta.	Died in train in the Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	8th January 1916	District Judge, Hooghly, on 11th April 1916.	The deceased left a will and Messrs. Morgan and Company are taking steps to apply for probate under Probate Act from the executors appointed by the will.
Mr. C. D. Burrows, late a Gunner in the East Indian Railway Workshops, Jamalpur.	Medical College Hospital, Calcutta.	10th January 1916	District Judge, Monghyr, on 17th March 1916.	The deceased left no will. Letters of Administration to the estate have been granted to one Mr. G. Hilton, Yard Supervisor in the workshops at Jamalpur, by the District Judge, Monghyr.
Miss Edith Mitchell, late of Tollygunge.	.....	.....	District Judge, 24-Parganas, on 4th April 1916.	Not known whether the deceased left a will. The assets left by her are less than Rs. 1,000 in value and the Administrator-General does not propose to interfere in the matter.
Mrs. Harm	Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta.	.....	District Judge, 24-Parganas, on 8th March 1916.	Not known whether the deceased left a will.
Captain W. N. Atkinson, late of Takoha.	Dardanelles ...	29th June 1915 ...	District Judge, Dinajpur, on 7th March 1916.	The deceased died intestate and Letters of Administration to his estate were granted to his mother.
Mr. Thomas Burns, late Manager of Khardah Mills.	At sea	30th December 1915	District Judge, 24-Parganas, on 8th March 1916.	No information regarding the will of the deceased. The District Judge, 24-Parganas, has appointed Mr. J. Goodman, a member of the firm of Messrs. Anderson Wright & Co., Calcutta, to take charge of the estate.

C. E. GREY,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

No. 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 24th October 1916.*

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, will be sold by public auction on or after the 20th November 1916, under section 118, Act III (B.C.) of 1890 :—

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. II.					
Aug. 14	Aug. 8	H W or nil	X	1	Case	SS. "Explorer."	
,, 14	,, 4	J B in a diamond ...	1	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 8	No mark	X	1	Case (broken and tin cut).	Ditto	
,, 14	,, 8	Ditto	...	4	Bundles tin-plates (tied with string).	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 8	Ditto	...	2	Bundles sheet iron (rusty).	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 8	Ditto	X, X	2	Drums ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 29	,, 14	1034 in a diamond, B B & Co below.	1-6	6	Cases (repaired) ...	SS "Mantola."	
,, 29	,, 15	M S & Co in a cross ..	1 3-76	24	Cases	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 19	No mark		1	Tin oilman stores ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 19	Ditto	...	943	Earthenware dishes	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 19	Ditto	...	2	Casks cement (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 19	Ditto	...	27	Casks cement (empty without heads).	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 19	S D B in a diamond or nil	...	1	Cask whiting ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 15	Ammunition Factory, Dum Dum.	...	3	Drums (empty) ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
Sept. 6	,, 26	G 330 in a diamond, D M on top.	1	1	Case	SS. "Malakand."	
,, 6	,, 25	G X 36 in a diamond. D M on top or G 736 in a diamond, D M on top.	10	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 6	,, 31	No mark	...	3	Casks empty (both sides head open).	Ditto.	
,, 6	,, 31	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces allumino ferric = 12 pieces.	Ditto ...	Lying in shed.
,, 6	,, 31	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 6	,, 31	Ditto	...	2	Bundles tin-plates (tied with string).	Ditto.	
,, 6	,, 24	Messrs. Turner, Morrison & Co., Ltd.	X	1	Package (parcel) ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	,, 30	G 1XXX in a triangle, 0139C below or G 14XX in a triangle, W T on top, 01393 below or nil.	...	1	Drum merchandise (broken and leaky).	Ditto ...	H. G.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. II—*contd.*					
Sept. 6	Aug. 31	No mark	...	3	Cases tin lined tin plates.	SS. "Malakand."	
,, 21	Sept. 12	Aqua in a diamond, S P on top, E C below	1120	1	Case (repaired) ...	SS. "Boyne."	
,, 21	,, 18	XXXX 79048 in a diamond, G A on top & Co below or a diamond, G A on top, & Co below or nil.	25	1	Keg dry paint ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 12	J I in a diamond, M on top, left side, or nil.	...	1	Bag hardware (torn)	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 18	K N G & Co or nil ...	...	1	Keg dry red paint (broken).	Ditto	
,, 21	,, 12	58 in a diamond, M on top, left side, or nil.	...	1	Bag hardware (torn)	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 12	No mark	...	2	Bags hardware ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 18	Ditto	...	4	Cases tin lined tin plates.	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 18	Ditto	...	1	Bundle wool ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 12	Ditto	...	9	Bags hardware (torn and short).	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 12	Ditto	...	1	Bag nails (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 12	Ditto	...	1	Bag hardware (mixed and torn).	Ditto	
,, 21	18	Ditto	...	1	Keg empty ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 18	Ditto	...	1	Keg bolts and nuts (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 18	No mark or British ...	X	1	Case (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 18	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose rivets and fish net bullets.	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 18	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken allumino ferric.	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 18	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto ...	Lying in shed.
,, 21	,, 18	S N G in a diamond or nil.	7 or X	1	Keg dry red paint (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 18	S T H in a diamond or nil.	51 or X	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 9	732 3571 in a diamond ...	10	1	Keg dry red paint ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 13	Marine Department ...	192-3	2	Coils wire ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 16	E T C or nil ...	...	3	Bars angles ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 16	No mark	...	6	Ditto (bent) ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 14	Ditto	..	88	Coils hoop iron ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	,, 11	Ditto	...	47	Ditto ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. II—*concld.*					
Sept. 21	Sept 16	No mark	...	4	Bundles hoop iron ..	SS. "Boyne"	
„ 21	„ 16	Ditto	...	1	Bundle square rods ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 16	Ditto	...	2	Bundles sheet iron ...	Ditto	
„ 21	„ 16	Ditto	...	5	Plates ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 16	P N D End green or no mark ...	...	47	Bars half round ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 16	No mark	...	12	Bars flat ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 16	Ditto	...	4	Bundles flat ...	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale					
July 21	July 15	J N B 147 in a diamond, E D on top & Co below or J N M 147 in a diamond.	1	1	Case	SS. "Bengali."	
		SHED No. III.					
Sept. 2	Aug. 12	M 584 in a diamond, S N on 763 top & Co below.	9	1	Case	SS. "Tamon Maru." No. 6.	
„ 2	„ 14	No mark	...	2	Pieces planks ...	Ditto.	
„ 2	„ 12	S W in a triangle ...	...	1	Piece plank ...	Ditto.	
„ 2	„ 12	No mark	...	1	Case matches (broken and tin cut).	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 2	„ 14	Ditto	..	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto	
„ 4	„ 29	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of coir fibre.	SS. "Clan Macdonald."	
„ 4	„ 29	Ditto	...	3	Bundles planks ...	Ditto	
„ 25	Sept 16	R D in a diamond, N C on top, J F below.	753-4	2	Cases ...	SS. "Kumsang."	
„ 25	„ 14	169 in a diamond, S M on top I R and Delhi below.	1-5	5	Do. (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 25	...	1310 in a diamond, S R on top, R L below.	17	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 25	Sept 16	S F M & Co or S C F M & Co ...	71-2	2	Cases (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 16	19 in a diamond, S M on top, I R and Delhi below	13-24	12	Cases ...	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
July 11	July 7	Sadiram Ramlall & Co ...	X	1	Case sample ...	SS. "Kumsang."	
		SHED No IV					
Sept. 21	Aug. 10	No mark	...	1	Bag nails ...	SS. "Vesterland."	
„ 2	„ 23	To the East Indo Mercantile Agency or to the Tobacco Co., Honkong.	X	1	Case ...	SS. "Colombo Maru."	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No	Quantity.	Description	Vessel's name.	REMARKS
1916.	1916.	SHED No. IV—*contd.*					
Sept. 2	Aug. 24	No mark	...	2	Bundles wood ...	SS "Colombo Maru."	
,, 2	,, 24	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of galvanized bolts and nuts.	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 23	Ditto	...	1	Crate or case (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 24	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken fire bricks.	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 24	S F or I in a block, R on top, S C on sides.	132	1	Case ...	Ditto	
,, 2	,, 24	S in a diamond ...	674	1	Do. (broken) ...	Ditto	
,, 2	,, 24	A C L M H or nil ...	...	18	Bags rice ...	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 24	E B H or nil	...	6	Ditto ...	Ditto	
,, 2	,, 21	K P L N or K P L N Boiled or nil.	...	1	Bag rice ...	Ditto	
,, 2	,, 24	No mark or N Y K ...	...	3	Bags rice ...	Ditto.	
,, 18	Sept. 7	G & Co, Ltd., Singapore or T. S. Tavoy.	32-3	2	Cases	SS. "Kirin Maru."	
,, 18	,, 8	M B Y in a diamond, 13, 10 on top.	6-7	2	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 9	M B Y in a diamond, 13, 15 on top.	1	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 8	M 414 in a diamond, H S on top, A C below.	1-2	2	Cases	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 9	Nippon Yusen Kaisha ...	X	1	Package (torn)* ...	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 9	No mark	...	42	Bags rice (torn and half empty).	Ditto	
,, 18	,, 9	Ditto	...	5	Ditto ...	Ditto	
,, 18	,, 7	R 237 in a diamond M B on top.	3-4	2	Cases	Ditto	
,, 18	,, 9	S in a diamond, B C or I C P W on top.	X	1	Case (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 8	1904 in a diamond, S M on top. F E below.	1-2	2	Cases	Ditto	
,, 18	,, 9	1360 in a diamond, S R on top, T below.	5473-7	5	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 7	8 in a diamond, S M on top, & Co below.	X, X	2	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 9	W & Co or nil ...	X	1	Cask cement ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 18	W R in a triangle, J P on top or W R in a triangle, J P on top. Liverpool below	...	1	Cask or keg wire nails	SS. "Clan Sinclair"	
,, 22	,, 18	5754 in a block, N W on sides or 5754 in a block, Liverpool below.	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 19	No mark	...	1	Bar round (bent) ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916	SHED No. V.					
July 31	July 22	No mark	...	...	A quantity of tea shooks.	SS "Tosa Maru."	
,, 31	,, 22	No mark or B ...	...	1	Bundle planks ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 22	No mark	...	12	Pieces slates (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 22	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of galvanized bolts and nuts.	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 22	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of telegraph fittings.	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 20	R R S	...	5	Bags rice (torn and short).	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 20	A in a diamond ...	...	1	Bag rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 22	X X in a diamond, N D on top.	...	1	Bag (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 20	K P L	...	1	Bag rice ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 21	H P M	...	2	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 21	H S H A	...	2	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 21	G	...	4	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 22	No mark	...	7	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 22	M H in a diamond ...	...	4	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 20	R R S or R R B ...	...	2	Bags paddy (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 21	L in a diamond ...	...	1	Bag paddy (torn) ...	Ditto.	
Aug. 11	Aug. 7	D A P	...	1	Bag nuts (torn and short).	SS. "Kutsang."	
,, 11	,, 7	No mark	...	1	Case glassware (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
,, 11	July 3	777 in a diamond, S R on top, C M below.	4	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 18	Aug. 12	M A R & Co in a triangle...	77 X 2	1	Case (repaired) ...	SS. "Namsang."	
,, 18	,, 12	No mark or C ...	...	1	Bundle tea shooks fittings.	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 12	No mark	...	3	Soda water bottles ...	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 12	Ditto	...	1	Bundle green ribbon	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 12	P S A C	...	1	Bundle shooks ...	Ditto.	
,, 18	,, 12	K M A	...	1	Bag betel nuts ...	Ditto.	
Sept. 2	Sept. 2	J E & S in a block, Co on right side.	...	1	Box tin-plates (broken)	SS. "Engineer."	
Aug. 31	Aug. 24	No mark	...	1	Bundle tin-plates (loose).	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 24	Ditto	...	2	Bags hardware (torn)	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 24	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of hardware	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 24	Ditto	...	1	Bundle tubes ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. V—*contd.*					
Aug. 31	Aug. 24	No mark	...	3	Bundles round iron ...	SS. "Engineer."	
„ 31	„ 24	No mark or A R & Co or Madras.	...	1	Keg nails ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 24	No mark	...	5	Kegs nails (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 24	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of nails ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 24	Ditto	...	2	Bars flat iron ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 24	Ditto	...	3	Angles or building material (small).	Ditto.	
Sept. 12	„ 31	F1673 in a diamond, S K on top, B S below.	1	1	Case ...	SS. "Bushu Maru."	
„ 12	„ 31	$\frac{M I F E}{E}$ in a diamond, D Co on top.	20-21	2	Cases ...	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 31	091 in a diamond, S H on top, I R below.	1	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 31	7 in a diamond, S M on top, & Co below.	...	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 31	5 in a diamond, S M on top, & Co below.	...	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 31	6 in a diamond, S M on top, & Co below.	...	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 31	1457 in a diamond, S M on top, F E below.	1	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 31	712 in a shield, A K and B B on sides.	95	1	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Lying in shed.
„ 27	Sept. 18	271, B K on top, D below or nil.	...	84	Kegs nails (broken)...	SS. "Magician."	
„ 27	„ 16	C in a diamond, G K & N Ltd., Chandernagore below.	...	3	Drums	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 19	Dalhousie in a diamond, G K on top, & N below.	...	1	Drum or keg ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 19	275, F S on top, & Co below or nil.	...	11	Keg nails (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 19	468 in a block or nil ...	...	2	Keg nails ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 18	F W in a diamond, N below	...	1	Drum or keg ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 18	J N G in a diamond, M K on top, L Co below.	...	11	Kegs nails (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 16	K C D	...	8	Kegs	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 19	No mark	...	28	Kegs nails (broken and half empty).	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 19	Ditto	...	1	Bag nails (torn) ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 19	Double triangle, S N or H on top, Z H below or nil.	6994	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 20	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose nails.	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 19	Ditto	...	1	Keg paint ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. V—*concld.*					
Sept. 27	Sept. 18	131, S M on top, & Co below.	...	3	Kegs nails (broken) ...	SS. "Magician."	
,, 27	,, 19	Double triangle, S H or N on top, Z H below.	6995	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 16	W W C N	X, X	2	Drums	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 19	No mark	...	3	Bundles tubes or iron pipes (rusty).	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 18	W R in a triangle, J P on top.	...	6	Kegs nails (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 16	No mark or D L C	X or 5	1	Drum	Ditto ...	H. G.
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Sept. 2	May 30	580 in a diamond, S R on top, R L below.	14	1	Case	SS. "Tamon Maru."	
July 20	July 14	M S T P or M S P F or Colombo No mark ...	...	1	Case sterilized milk ...	SS. "City of Corinth."	
		SHED No. VI.					
Aug. 19	Aug. 12	No mark	...	2	Kegs (leaky) ...	SS. Camberwell ...	H. G.
,, 19	,, 10	Rifle Factory, Ishapore ...	...	2	Drums empty ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 28	,, 17	F R Felt, Nagpur ...	...	1	Case ...	SS. Yatshing.	
,, 31	,, 22	F N & C in a diamond F ...	10-2	3	Cases	SS. "Onsang."	
,, 31	,, 22	F N & C in a diamond F ...	32-9	8	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 31	,, 23	22½ in a diamond, S H on top, C M below.	74	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
Sept. 13	Sept. 4	No mark or S W C ...	...	1	Bag sulphur ...	SS. "Caboto" ...	H. G.
,, 13	,, 4	5121-1 in a diamond, C F on top, or 1512 in a diamond, C F on top.	...	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 13	,, 6	3097 in a triangle, C B on top, Bombay below.	10401	1	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 13	,, 6	2104 in a triangle, C B on top, Bombay below.	165	1	Package or case (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 13	,, 5	E S S or No mark. ...	...	1	Cask	Ditto.	
,, 13	,, 6	Half block and triangle, P B on top, Mosana below.	1806	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 23	,, 16	3118 in a diamond, A A on top, A X below.	4681	1	Case (broken) ...	SS. "Jinsen Maru."	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. VI—*concld.*					
Sept. 23	Sept. 15	$\frac{180}{319}$ in a diamond, A K on top, & Co below.	2279	1	Case	SS. "Jinsen Maru."	
„ 23	„ 15	F N & Co in a diamond, N on top, left side, G G below, or F N Co in a diamond, N A on top, G G below.	261-64, 266, 268, 270-72	9	Bales	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	F N & Co in a diamond, X X on top, X X below, or F N Co in a diamond, S C on top.	249-60, 264 or 267, 265, 269.	15	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	F N & Co in a diamond, X X on top, B B below, or F N & Co in a diamond, G C on top, B B below.	241-43, 245-8, 24X, or no numbers.	8	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	K B in a diamond, Menkwa below.	2	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 14	Shield	...	42	Bales	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 14	184 in a diamond ...	7-9	3	Cases	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	1762 in a diamond, S M on top, F E below.	1	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	$\frac{V\ Z}{K}$ in a circle or no mark	...	2	Bags rice ...	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	A 31 in a diamond, S K on top, B S below.	160	1	Case (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 16	No mark	...	...	A quantity of straw-boards.	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 16	Ditto	...	18	Bags rice ...	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 16	Ditto	...	1	Bag rice sweeping ...	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 14	Hajee Ismail ...	X	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 16	T in a diamond, J S on top, & C below.	5	1	Case	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Aug. 7	July 26	$\frac{456}{1120}$ in a diamond, M B on top & Co below.	50	1	Case	SS. "Shirala."	
		SHED No. VII.					
July 5	June 27	No mark	...	2	Kegs (leaky) ...	SS. "Australia" ...	H. G.
„ 5	„ 28	Ditto	...	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 5	July 30	K N G in a diamond ...	...	1	Drum	Ditto ...	H G.
„ 5	June 29	No mark	...	12	Casks empty ...	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 26	R Bros & Co in a diamond	262	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	July 14	No mark	...	1	Case tea shooks (broken and loose).	SS. "Morvada."	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. VII—*contd*					
1916.	1916.						
July 21	July 15	No mark or D D 11213 ...	15	1	Case (broken and damaged).	SS. "Morvada."	
„ 21	„ 15	No mark	...	1	Case empty ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 15	Ditto	...	3	Casks (broken and empty).	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 15	Ditto	...	7	Casks (broken and both sides open).	Ditto.	
Aug. 19	Aug. 2	R A D	...	1	Bundle wire netting...	SS "City of York."	
„ 18	„ 7	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose staves.	SS. "Culna" ...	H. G.
„ 18	„ 7	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of merchandise (dust).	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 18	„ 7	Ditto	...	5	Drums (leaky and empty).	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 18	„ 5	No mark	...	1	Drum empty ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 18	„ 3	N B in a diamond ...	1-2	2	Cases (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 4	102XX 8167 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below, or no mark.	132	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 4	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 4	M I & Co in a triangle, C S on top.	3-13 X, X, 16	14	Cases ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 7	No mark	...	...	A quantity of printed books.	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 7	Ditto	...	1	Piece printed directory.	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 7	Ditto	...	2	Pieces shoes ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 7	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of oilman stores.	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 7	Ditto	...	1	Piece cap ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 3	G C L in a diamond, D below.	...	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 5	J S N in a heart ...	...	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 3	Superintendent, Rifle Factory, Ishapore.	...	1	Package ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 25	J T M I ...	...	2	Pieces circle plates ...	SS. "City of Karachi"	
„ 31	„ 23	J T K S T or no mark ...	...	1	Piece sheet iron ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 14	C G	X	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 22	I C C in a diamond, J H or S on top, & S below.	6	1	Case (stained) ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 22	No mark	...	1	Piece casting ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 15	R V in a diamond, Pondicherry below.	28	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description	Vessel's name	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. VII—*contd.*					
Aug. 31	Aug 17	R V in a diamond, Pondicherry below.	X or 1	1	Case (broken and partly empty)	SS "City of Karachi."	
,, 31	,, 15	R V in a diamond, Pondicherry below.	...	26	Cases	Ditto ...	W. G
Sept. 14	Sept. 6	B G S C Bankipore ...	1	1	Case	SS. "Collegian."	
,, 14	,, 1	B I H C in a diamond ...	2085	1	Do	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 6	H B in a diamond, F S on top, & Co below, or no mark.	...	200	Coils wire ...	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 1	1392 in a diamond. B on top, I C on sides.	...	1	Keg paint ...	Ditto	
,, 14	,, 2	696 in a diamond ...	7696	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 6	No mark	...	5	Kegs paint (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 6	Ditto	...	1	Bundle coil hoop ...	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 6	Ditto	...	1	Cask hardware or bolts.	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 6	Ditto	...	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto	
,, 14	,, 7	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of bolts and nuts.	Ditto	
Oct. 19	Oct 19	Ditto	...	1	Bag merchandise or bolts and nuts.	Ditto.	
Sept. 14	Sept 6	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks	Ditto	
,, 14	,, 6	Ditto	...	1	Bundle galvanized pipes.	Ditto	
,, 14	,, 6	Ditto	...	3	Bundles flat (not original).	Ditto	
,, 14	,, 6	Ditto	...	5	Bars tee iron (bent and rusty)	Ditto	
,, 14	,, 13	No mark or D S A ...	...	2	Bars angle iron ...	Ditto	
,, 14	,, 13	No mark	...	2	Bars flat iron ...	Ditto.	
Oct. 3	,, 8	S & Co Ltd. in a diamond ...	27	1	Bale (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 5	,, 1	M Metal in a block, I G N R on top, K & Co on sides	..	1	Case	Ditto.	
Sept. 14	,, 4	No mark	...	54	Kegs nails (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 14	,, 7	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose nails.	Ditto	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
May 26	May 18	K K Secundrabad Coconada ...	...	35	Cases (broken) ...	SS. "Matheran."	
July 26	July 20	No mark	...	2	Drums	SS. "Huntsman"	H. G.
,, 26	,, 18	Ditto	...	3	Kegs paint ...	Ditto.	
,, 26	,, 18	Ditto	...	2	Kegs nails (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 26	,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Bag hardware ...	Ditto.	
,, 26	,, 18	Ditto	...	1	Keg paint ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. VII—*concld.*					
1916.	1916.	*Withdrawn from last sale*—concld.					
July 26	July 21	No mark	...	19	Pieces jars ...	SS. "Huntsman."	
„ 26	„ 21	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose tin-plates.	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 18	Ditto	...	2	Kegs paint ...	Ditto.	
„ 26	„ 18	Ditto	...	2	Ditto " (broken)...	Ditto.	
		SHED No. VIII.					
Aug. 16	Aug 5	210 in a diamond, H H on top.	507	1	Case	SS. "Mahronda."	
„ 16	„ 5	209 in a diamond, H H on top.	503	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 10	No mark	...	3	Bags hardware ...	Ditto.	
Sept. 2	„ 19	C & I M in a diamond ...	11-2	2	Cases	SS. "Memora."	
„ 2	„ 21	C & I M in a diamond ...	13	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 2	„ 19	243-1 in a diamond, C J on top, H S below	1 6 8-10	9	Cases	Ditto.	
„ 2	...	E & Co in a diamond ...	6358	1	Case very light (empty ?).	Ditto.	
„ 2	Aug. 21	M & S M I Madras	167	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 2	„ 17	Y in a diamond ...	19	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 2	„ 22	No mark ...	...	1	Package lead ...	Ditto.	
„ 2	„ 22	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of screws	Ditto.	
„ 2	„ 18	749 in a diamond ...	3, 6	2	Casks ...	Ditto	
„ 2	„ 22	No mark ...	...	1	Cask asphalte (broken and head off).	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 2	„ 24	H M & Co ...	...	1	Cask empty ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 2	„ 22	No mark ...	...	2	Drums (leaky) ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 2	„ 22	Allahabad Arsenal ...	...	3	Drums empty ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 2	„ 22	No mark ...	...	3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 2	„ 19	243-1 in a diamond, C J on top, H S below.	7	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 29	Brad II-226 in a diamond, L I on top, R D below or X.	1-2	2	Cases ...	SS. "City of Edinburgh."	
„ 13	„ 29	Brad II-227 in a diamond, L I on top, R D below or X.	1-2	2	Do. ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. VIII—*concld.*					
Sept. 13	Aug. 30	Brad 11-229 in a diamond. L I on top, R D below or X.	1	1	Case ...	SS. "City of Edinburgh."	
„ 13	Sept. 4	59/81539 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	X	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
„ 13	Aug. 29	K J C C L T D in a diamond, B W on top, E M below.	9165	1	Do.	Ditto	
„ 13	Sept 4	No mark ...	...	...	A quantity of tea shooks.	Ditto	
„ 13	„ 4	1694/82217 in a diamond. G A on top, & Co below.	X	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 4	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 4	G & S Factory, Cossipore	...	1	Drum (broken) ...	Ditto	H. G.
...	July 7	No mark	...	1	Coil galvanized wire	SS. "Politician."	
Sept. 25	Sept. 15	A B C Ltd. in a diamond, Madras below.	...	2	Cases (light) ...	SS. "Anchoria."	
„ 25	„ 14	G M & P L in a diamond, Simla below.	3621	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 14	H in a diamond, Lucknow below.	2,2-4	3	Cases ...	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 18	H O in a diamond, Madras below.	1831	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 15	J G in a triangle ...	16	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 15	New K C D	28-29	2	Cases ...	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 14	L in a diamond. J L on top. & Co below.	73	1	Case ..	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 15	No mark	...	...	A quantity of cement sweeping.	Ditto.	
„ 25	„ 15	A diamond, Madras below or no mark.	...	1	Bag ...	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
June 30	June 22	No mark	...	...	A quantity of albumino ferric.	SS. "City of Poona"	Lying shed.
		SHED No. IX.					
July 22	July 21	J C G	...	1	Keg nails ...	SS. "Clan Macintyre."	
Aug. 7	„ 29	M B Y in a diamond, 13. 10 on top, Delhi below.	5	1	Case ...	SS. "Benten Maru."	
„ 7	„ 29	H S H A	...	1	Bag rice ...	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 29	S in a diamond K T on top	...	1	Case ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	Shed No. IX—*concld.*					
Aug. 7	July 28	No mark	...	7	Bags rice ...	SS. "Benten Maru."	
„ 7	„ 31	Ditto	...	1	Bag paddy ...	Ditto.	
„ 14	Aug. 8	Ditto	...	1	Bundle plank ...	Ditto.	
„ 14	„ 8	No mark or red in a circle	...	1	Bundle tea fittings ...	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 18	H 28116 H 19 in a diamond, S W & Co. S F on right side, Madras below.	23	1	Case (broken) ...	SS. "Urkat Maru."	
„ 29	„ 18	No mark	...	4	Bags cement sweeping	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 18	S W & Co. S F	...	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
Sept. 1	„ 24	G C Colombo or No mark or A A H V A E.	...	1	Bag dates (short) ...	SS. "Ujina."	
„ 2	„ 31	No mark	...	4	Pieces planks ...	SS. "Tamon Maru." No. 12.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
July 22	July 8	S in a triangle, S N on top or Densho & Co below.	...	1	Case	SS. "Ceylon Maru."	
		Unidentified goods of Jetties					
Sept. 30	...	No mark	...	1	Cask grease (broken).		
Oct. 4	...	Ditto	...	3	Boxes tin-plates.		
„ 14	...	Ditto	...	5	Dozen matches ...	.....	From police.
		Ditto	...	1	Keg.		
		Ditto	...	4	Bags merchandise		
		Ditto	...	1	Piece jar.		
		Ditto	...	1	Tin.		
		Ditto	...	4	Boxes empty		
		Ditto	...	1	Bag merchandise		
		Ditto	...	1	Cask empty.		
		Ditto	...	6	Pieces rice-bowls.		
		Ditto	...	5	Do. buckets.		
		Ditto	...	1	Piece iron.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of wooden kegs.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of wood.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of cement sweepings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of wire.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of whitings.		

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		Unidentified goods of Jetties—concld.					
		No mark	...	...	A quantity of alum.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of tea tins.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of tin-plates.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of empty iron kegs.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of staves.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of used lead seals.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of hardware sweepings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of rice and paddy sweepings (mixed).		

T. J. McCLOTCHIE, *Traffic Manager.*

PORT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, CALCUTTA, *the 3rd November 1916.* (2392—1)

Notification of sale.

TO be peremptorily sold on Saturday, the 18th day of November 1916, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, in his sale-room in the Court House, pursuant to the preliminary and final decrees made in Suit No. 634 of 1913 wherein Ashutosh Paramanick is plaintiff and Balkissen Misser and another are defendants and dated respectively the 15th day of August 1913 and the 22nd day of December 1914 the undermentioned property :—

1st :—All that partly three and partly four-storied brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, together with the rent-free land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by measurement 2 cottahs 6 chittacks and 15 square feet situate at and being premises No. 10, Hanumanjee Lane, being holding No. 18 of Block No. XI in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as follows :—On the North partly by premises No. 51, Cotton Street, and partly by No. 8, Hanumanjee Lane, on the East partly by premises No. 8 and partly by No. 9 Hanumanjee Lane, on the South partly by No. 9, Hanumanjee Lane, partly by Hanumanjee Lane, and partly by premises No. 199-5, Harrison Road, and on the West by premises No. 201, Harrison Road.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at No. 8-2, Hastings Street, the office of Messrs. S. D. Dutt & Ghose, Attorneys for the plaintiff, or at the office of the Registrar, High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

S. D. Dutt & Ghose, Attorneys for the plaintiff.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 9th day of August 1916. (2375—1—2541)

Notification of sale.

TO be peremptorily sold on Saturday, the 18th day of November 1916, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, in his sale-room in the Court-house pursuant to the preliminary and final decrees made in Suit No. 747 of 1911; wherein B. Boroosh and Company are plaintiffs and Soilendra Kumar Ghose and another are defendants and dated respectively the 17th day of June 1912 and the 22nd day of December 1914, the undermentioned property belonging to the defendants :—

Lot No. I.—All that undivided half part or share of all that partly one and partly two-storied brick-built messuage, tenement, dwelling-house and hereditaments together with the piece or parcel of rent-free land or ground thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by measurement 1 cottah 12 chittacks and 10 square feet being premises No. 14-1, Gopi Kristo Pal Lane, in Sootanutty in the north division of the town of Calcutta and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say, on the north by premises No. 14-2, Gopi Kristo Pal Lane, on the east by premises No. 14, Gopi Kristo Pal Lane, on the south by Gopi Kristo Pal Lane, and on the west by premises No. 15, Gopi Kristo Pal Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of Messrs. S. D. Dutt & Ghose, Attorneys for the plaintiffs, at No. 8-2, Hastings Street, or at the office of the Registrar, High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

S. D. Dutt & Ghose, Attorneys for the plaintiffs.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 14th day of August 1916. (2376—1—2542)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 24th June 1916 by the debtor Srish Chandra Basu, son of late Girish Chandra Basu, of Ektarpur, police-station Kaligunge, in the district of Jessore, and on reading the said petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner, the said debtor Srish Chandra Basu was adjudged an insolvent on the 20th day of September 1916.

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge.

Jessore, the 1st November 1916. (2381—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 11th May 1916 by the debtor Uttam Kumar Basu, son of Tarak Nath Basu, of Auria, police-station Narail, in the district of Jessore and on reading the said petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner, the said debtor Uttam Kumar Basu was adjudged an insolvent on the 21st day of September 1916.

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge.

Jessore, the 1st November 1916. (2382—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 63 OF 1916.

WHEREAS (1) Rudranarain Das, (2) Gopinath Das, (3) Joganuath Das, (4) Kristaprosad Das, of Jinondapore, pargana Mojnamutha, have applied to this Court by a petition, dated 24th August of 1916, to be declared insolvents under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 30th day of November 1916 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

		Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Srimotya Surjyamoni Debya, of Atitagarh, pargana Mojnamutha	280	0	0
2.	Panchanon Sau, Haranarain Sau and Prankristo Sau, of Rani Boson, Srimoti Abhoya Dasi and Bhogaban Laik, of Bochipore, pargana Mojnamutha ...	1,145	1	0
3.	Biswanath Prodhan, of Dhadhalibar, pargana Narumutha ...	80	0	0
4.	Kristomohan Haxra, of Basudebpore, post office Basudebpore	267	0	0
5.	Pahal Jana, of Hatiari, pargana Mojnamutha	70	0	0
6.	Baidyanath Mondal, of Rosulpore, pargana Kewaromal ...	30	0	0
7.	Bidyadhar Das, of Jonndapore, pargana Mojnamutha ...	200	0	0
8.	Kali Roy, of Basdebpore, pargana Mojnamutha ...	25	0	0

C. H. MOSELEY, *Offg.* District Judge.

Midnapore, the 31st October 1916. (2171—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 32 OF 1916.

Petitioner, Mukunda Lal Sikdar.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Mukunda Lal Sikdar, of Joyanti Hajra, police-station Kumarkhali, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 32 of 1916, and that 25th November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 1st November 1916. (2172—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 96 OF 1916 (ACT III OF 1907).

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Abul Hossain Talukder and others, of Dhupail police-station Raiganj, that the insolvency petition of Jarip Mandal, son of late Rahamat Mandal, of Dadpur, police-station Raiganj in the district of Pabna, has been filed and that the 17th November next has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Dated Pabna, the 31st October 1916 (2387—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 107 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

E. Milsom, Esq. I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Faim Uddin Sheikh, son of late Sharafdi Sheikh, of Dhamreni, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 25th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 31st October 1916. (2388—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 106 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Batashu Barman, son of late Nanda Kisore Barman, of Deshibai police-station Jaldhaka, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 25th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 31st October 1916. (2389—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 105 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Broja Nath Borman, son of late Ghum Nath Sarkar, of Nandubash, Boragori police-station Dimla, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 31st October 1916. (2390—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 57 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 9th August 1916, filed by Amar Dolai, day-labourer, of Mirzapore, pargana Tamluk, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposit on of the debtor and hearing Babu Ram Charan Chakroborti, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent and the 21st November 1916 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 21st November 1916 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 26th day of September 1916.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2379—1)

JNANADA PRASAD MUKHERJEE, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(2348—4)

WANTED a Head Pandit for the Barisal Zilla School. The applicant must either be a graduate with honours in Sanskrit or a Sanskrit title-holder having at least passed the Matriculation Examination with fair experience. The post is in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service. Applications with testimonials will be received by the Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, up to the 15th November 1916.

J. W. GUNN, Offg. Inspector of Schools,
Dacca Division.

Dacca, the 3rd November 1916.

Notice.

WANTED a Treasury Accountant on a salary of Rs. 100 per month for the office of Collector of Birbhum. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 3rd November 1916. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance or Matriculation Examination.

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G. S. DUTT, Collector.

Suri, the 24th October 1916.

Notice.

WANTED a passed and experienced Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Engineer's office, Nadia, on a monthly salary of Rs. 70-2-90 (annual). The applications with copies of certificates and testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 27th November 1916. The selected candidate will be appointed on probation for 6 months and should join at once. The usual security not exceeding Rs. 500 will have to be deposited.

S. C. CHATTERJEE, B.E., District Engineer, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 28th October 1916. (2378—3)

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that the Hijili Tidal Canal, Range I, will be closed to traffic for a fortnight with effect from the 3rd November 1916, for emergent repairs to the Etamagra Lock.

F. A. A. COWLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 3rd November 1916.

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Name of the Proprietor—Binoy Krishna Basu.

Residence—No. 68, Lansdowne Road. (2380—1)

The Eastern Life Insurance Co., Limited (in liquidation).

AT a special meeting of the share-holders of the Eastern Life Insurance Co., Limited, held on Monday, the 23rd October 1916, the following resolution was confirmed :—

"That this Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and that Messrs. S. K. Dey & Co., Incorporated Accountants, be hereby appointed liquidators for the purposes of such winding up."

S. C. DUTT, Chairman.

The 23rd October 1916. (2394—1)

Notice.

A MEETING of the creditors of the Eastern Life Insurance Co., Limited (in liquidation), will be held on Wednesday, the 15th day of November 1916, at 4 P.M., at 137, Canning Street, Calcutta.

S. K. DEY & Co.,
Incorporated Accountants, Liquidators.

The 23rd October 1916. (2395—1)

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 30th October 1916.*

BORNEO, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Deluar Shoals—Existence of Shoal westward of.

No. 328 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 982 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—The south-eastern end of the shoal is situated about 7½ miles, westward, from the 2 ft. high rock on Deluar shoals.
Lat. 5° 53′ 00″ N., long. 115° 34′ 30″ E., on chart No. 2111.

Details.—From the foregoing position, in which a depth of 6½ fathoms exists, the shoal extends in a north-westerly direction for a distance of about 3 miles over a breadth of about 2 cables; the general extent of the shoal being indicated by discoloured water.

Note.—A note "*Shoal water reported (1916)*" is to be placed against the above area on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2111, Nosong point to Ambong bay.
„ 2109, Barram point to Nosong point.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 119.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 185 of 1916. (*H. 5007/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, WEST COAST.

Pandan Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 329 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 998 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 17° 32′ N., long. 120° 22½′ E.
New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Occ. (2), *vis. 9 m.*

Details.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed red to *group occulting white* showing *two* eclipses *every thirty-two seconds*, thus :—

Light,	eclipse,	light,	eclipse.
17 secs.	4 secs.	7 secs.	4 secs.

Remarks.—The light has an elevation of 41 feet and is now exhibited from a white concrete pillar.
Charts affected.—No. 2154, Northern portion of the island of Luzon.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1313.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 268.
Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notices, Nos. 638 and 2063 of 1916. (*H. 4787/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA, GEELONG OUTER HARBOUR.

Wilson Spit—Beacon constructing ; Alteration in Position of Buoys.

No. 330 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1003 of 1916), are republished :—

1. Beacon under construction :
Position.—At a distance of $9\frac{2}{10}$ cables, 317° (*N. 51° W. Mag.*), from East Bellarine beacon.
Lat. 38° 08½′ S., long. 144° 29¾′ E.
Description.—A pile beacon.
Remarks.—This beacon, whilst under construction, will be marked by a *white* light, and a note to this effect is to be inserted on the chart.

2. Alteration in position of buoys :
(*a*) Light-buoy :
New position.—At a distance of about 130 yards southward from former position, and 30 yards southward from the beacon referred to above.
(*b*) Black can buoy :
New position.—At a distance of about 150 yards eastward from former position, and 8¼ cables, 311° (*N. 57° W. Mag.*), from East Bellarine beacon.

Variation.—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.
Publications. List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2446 (Remarks).
Australia Directory, Vol I, 1907, page 465 ; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Authority.—The Port Officer, Department of Ports and Harbours Melbourne. (*H. 5131/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST—QUEENSLAND.

Inner Barrier Route—Beacon replaced.

No. 331 (first publication).—

Former Notice.—Calcutta Notice No. 247 of 1916.
Position.—Dee (*d*) Reef, black square beacon on north-west end.
Lat. 15° 30′ S., long. 145° 19¼′ E.
Remarks.—The beacon, which was recently destroyed, has been replaced.

Publications affected.—*Australia Directory*, Vol. II, 1907, page 350.

Charts affected.—

(a) Admiralty Chart No. 2923.—Hope Island to Turtle Group.
(b) „ „ 2764.—Coral Sea.—Sheet 2.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 9 of 1916.

INDIA WEST COAST—KATHIAWAR COAST.

Porbandar—Correction to Admiralty Publications.

No. 332 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 160M. of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Porbandar Light-House, Latitude 21° 38′ 15″ N. Longitude 69° 35′ 59″ E. } On Chart No. 1321.

Correction.—(*a*) The building shown on the existing plan of Porbandar as Administrator's House is now the Rajah's Palace.

(*b*) Administrator's House marked by a flagstaff as before is now situated about 3 cables North-West of the above building. The exact position of this flagstaff has not been obtained.

(*c*) Where sandhills are shown on the chart, there are now many new buildings extending towards State Engineer's House and the Rajah's Palace.

Remarks.—Mariners are warned accordingly to use the present position of the flagstaff as a mark for anchoring with caution.

Chart affected.—No. 1321, Káthiáwár Coast, Porbandar and Navibandar.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 5th edition, 1909, page 290.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 28th September 1916.

The 23rd October 1916.

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Light established.

No. 312 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 919 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 400 feet, 359° (*N. 16° W. Mag.*) from the black beacon on the end of the reef off the Bastion. Lat. 36° 50½′ S., long. 174° 49½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *9 ft. vis. 5 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *fixed white* light.
Elevation.—9 feet.
Visibility—5 miles.
Structure.—A black pile beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—15° E.
Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland Harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2876*a*.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 38.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 42 of 1916 (*H. 4659/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, SOUTH COAST.

Tinaka Point—Light established.

No. 313 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 920 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 5° 33′ 15″ N., long. 125° 19′ 45″ E., on chart No. 2575.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 3 sec. 140 ft., vis. 15 m.* (U.) (*posn. approx.*).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds.*

Elevation.—140 feet.

Visi ility.—15 miles.

Structure.—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 2575, Eastern part of Celebes sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 781, Pacific ocean, north-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No 1151*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 689.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2059 of 1916. (*H. 4783 16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

San Pedro Bay, Hinamok Island—Light established.

No. 314 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 921 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On Tingib point.
Lat. 11° 16′ 08″ N., long. 125° 03′ 54″ E., on chart No. 2987.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *ev. 3½ sec. 78 ft., vis. 10 m.*

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three and four-tenths seconds.*

Elevation.—78 feet.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Structure.—A white concrete pillar.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 2987, San Pedro bay to Libukan islands.
„ 2577, Philippine islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, page 149.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 631.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2062 of 1916. (*H. 4786/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SULU SEA, PANGUTARANG PASSAGE.

North Ubian Island—Light established.

No. 315 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 922 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At the northern end of North Ubian island.
Lat. 6° 10′ 00″ N., long. 120° 27′ 30″ E., on chart No. 928.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 2 sec., vis. 10 m.* (U). *(posn. approx.).*

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every two seconds.*
Elevation.—35 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete beacon

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 928. Sulu archipelago.
„ 2576, Sulu archipelago and north-east coast of Borneo.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1139*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 293.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2058 of 1916. *(H. 4782/16.)*

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR ISLAND, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

San Pedro Bay. Marikitdakit Islet—Light established.

No. 316 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 927 of 1916), are re-published :—

Position.—Lat. 11° 04′ 20″ N., long. 125° 09′ 10″ E.
Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 10 sec., 60 ft., vis. 10 m.* (U).

Details :

Character—A *flashing white* light *every ten seconds.*
Elevation.—60 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Structure—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943. Molucca passage to Manila.
Publications —List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, page 149.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 630.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2061 of 1916. *(H. 4785/16.)*

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Point Kauit—Light established.

No. 317 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 928 of 1916), are re-published :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 9° 17′ 30″ N., long. 126° 13′ 30″ E.
Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *ev. 3 sec., 55 ft., vis. 12 m. (posn. approx.).*

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds.*
Elevation.—55 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1158*b*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 637.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2060 of 1916. *(H. 4784/16.)*

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND.

Gisborne Roads—Light-Buoy established.

No. 318 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 939 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ cables, south-eastward, from Temoana rock, in the position hitherto occupied by the black can buoy which it replaces.
Lat. 38° 41¼′ S., long. 178° 01¼′ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted black exhibiting a *flashing red* light *every three seconds* :—

Flash, $\frac{3}{10}$ sec.; eclipse, $2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

Charts affected.—No 3321, Gisborne roads.
„ 3343, Gable-end foreland to Poverty bay.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 126.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 34 of 1916. (*H. 4975/16.*)

NEW GUINEA—ARU ISLANDS.

Ennu Island—Non-existence of Shoals westward of.

No. 319 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 958 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 3 miles, westward, from the western end of Ennu island.
Lat. 7° 05¼′ S., long. 134° 25¼′ E.

Description.—A 1-fathom shoal.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5 miles, westward, from the western end of Ennu island.
Lat. 7° 04¼′ S., long. 134° 23¾′ E.

Description.—A 3½-fathom shoal.

Remarks.—The above shoals are to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 470. Aru islands.
„ 942*b*, Eastern archipelago, sheet IV.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 209.
Authority.—Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 4881/16.*)

NEW GUINEA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Milne (Tauwara) Bay—Caution.

No. 320 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 960 of 1916), are republished :—

Position on charts.—Copra station, lat. 10° 21′ S., long. 150° 20′ E.
Caution.—The coastline at the head of Milne bay is reported to lie 3 miles further to the westward than charted, and a cautionary note to this effect is to be inserted on the chart.
Chart affected.—No. 2123, Orangerie bay to Bramble haven.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I, 1908, page 93.
Authority.—Captain E. Kettle, Master of the S.S. *John Williams.* (*H. 4533/16.*)

NEW GUINEA. SOUTH-EAST COAST.

(1) *Toulon Island—Shoal reported westward of.*

(2) *Hood Lagoon entrance—Caution.*

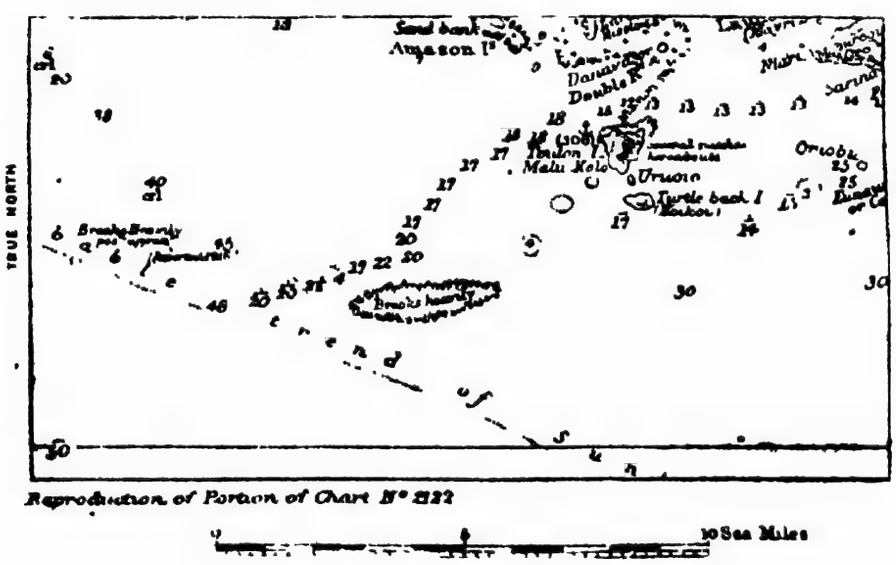
No. 321 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 961 of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Toulon Island.

Position.—Toulon island, lat. 10° 23½′ S., long. 149° 20½′ E.
Details.—The approximate position of a shoal reported to exist about 9 miles westward of Toulon island, and information with regard to shoal patches eastward of the foregoing island, is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 2122.
Remarks.—It will be observed from the reproduction that the position of Toulon island Mission house has been altered.

(2) Hood Lagoon Entrance.

Position.—Lat. 10° 07′ S., long. 147° 50′ E.
Caution.—The entrance to Hood Lagoon should not be attempted without the assistance of a local pilot and a cautionary note to this effect is to be inserted on the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 2122, Round head to Orangerie bay.
„ 2764, Coral sea and Great Barrier reef, sheet 11.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. 1, 1908, pages 59, 66.
Authority.—Captain E. Kettle, Master of the S.S. *John Williams*. (*H. 4533/16.*)



SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—GILBERT ISLANDS

Tapeteuea Island—Limits of Reef.

No. 322 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 962 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Nautilus shoal, lat. 1° 34′ S., long. 174° 55½′ E.
Details.—The reef off the southern side of Tapeteuea island is reported to extend considerably further to the south-westward than charted; the approximate limit is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 731.

Charts affected.—No. 731, Gilbert islands.
„ 780, Pacific ocean, south-west sheet.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, pages 207, 208.

Authority.—Captain E. Kettle, Master of the S.S. *John Williams*. (*H. 4533/16.*)

Reproduction of Portion of Chart No 731

0 10 20 Sea Miles

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

(1) Tikiin Strait and Approach—Amendments to Charts with regard to Shoals.

(2) Port Gubat—Amendments to charts with regard to shoals.

No. 323 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 971 of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Tiklin strait and approach—

Position.—Kalantas bank, lat. 12° 30½′ N., long. 124° 04½′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts with regard to shoals in Tiklin strait and southern approach, embodying the latest information, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 3475 and 3370.

Remarks.—From the reproductions it will be observed that the position of the wreck on the south-eastern part of Kalantas bank has been slightly amended.

(2) Port Gubat—

Position.—Gubat, lat. 12° 55¼′ N., long. 124° 07¾′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts with regard to shoals off the southern end of Kanauay reef, embodying the latest information, are shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 3475.

Remarks.—It will be seen from the reproduction that the position of the 3-fathom shoal, hitherto shown on the chart at a distance of about one mile eastward from Gubat Church, has been amended.

Charts affected.—No. 3475, Plans on the south-east coast of Luzon.
„ 3370, San Bernardino strait and approaches(1).
„ 3368, Batan island to San Bernardino island(2).

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, pages 504, 601.

Authority.—U. S. A. Government Chart. (*H. 4616/16.*)

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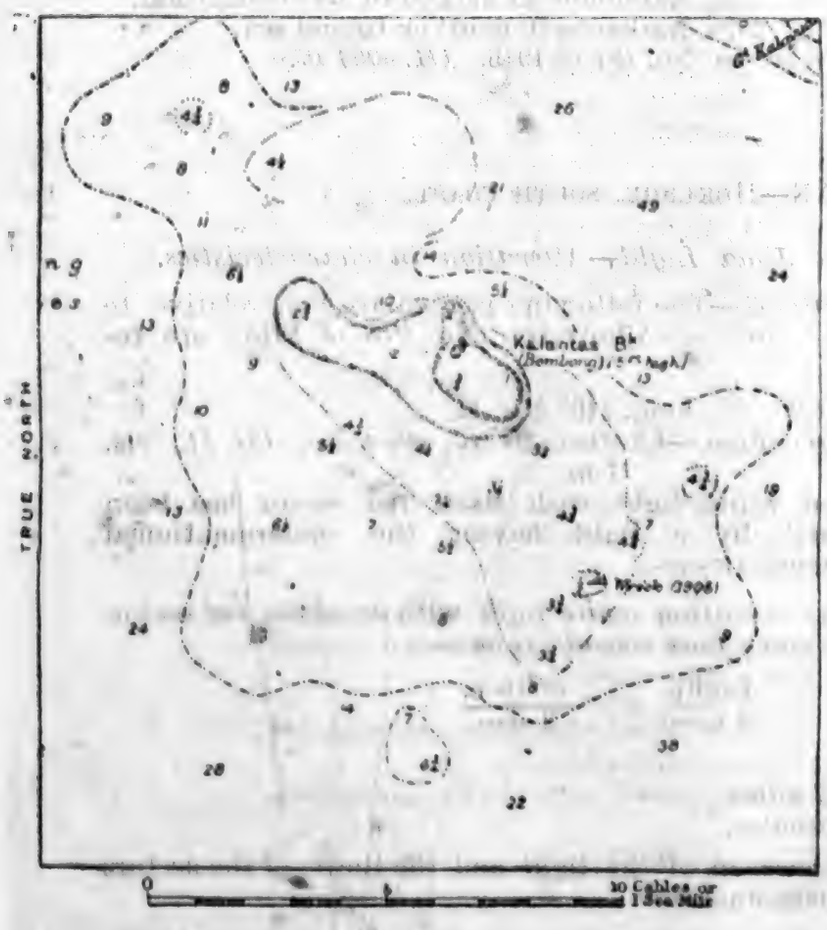

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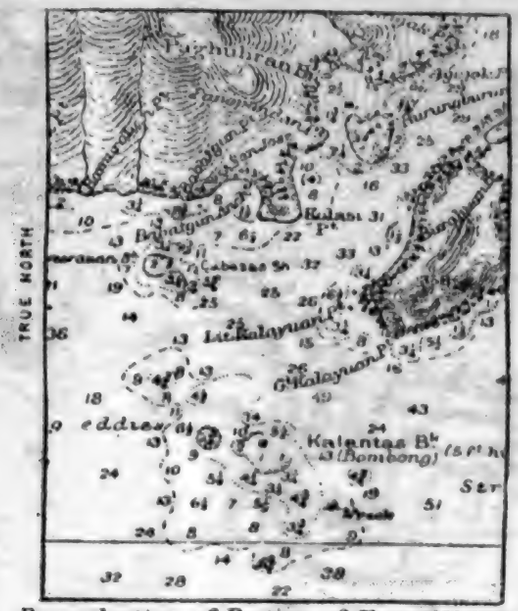

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—SUEVO NADA.

Motoyama Zaki—Wreck south-eastward of.

No. 324 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 973 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 3¾ miles, south-eastward, from Motoyama zaki.
Lat. 33° 52′ 45″ N., long. 131° 13′ 18″ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a schooner with two masts visible above water.

Charts affected.—No. 3225, Shimonoseki kaikyo to Maruyama zaki.
„ 2875, Naikai (seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 181 of 1916. (*H. 5004/16.*)

JAPAN—HOKUSHU, SOUTH COAST.

Mororan Ko, Daikoku Jima Light—Alteration in characteristics.

No. 325 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 978 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 42° 20¾′ N., long. 140° 55¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Occ., *W.R., ev. 4 sec., 134 ft., vis. 17 m.*

Details.—The fixed white light with fixed red sector has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—An *occulting white* light with *occulting red* sector, *every four seconds*, thus :—

Light.	eclipse.
2 secs.	2 secs.

Visibility.—17 miles.

Power.—750 candles.

Remarks.—The elevation of the light and the limits of the sectors remain unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 3507, Mororan ko.
„ 3591, Iburi wan or Uchiura wan.
„ 452, Hokushū island.
„ 2405, Kuril islands.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific ocean, &c.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2099.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 717.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 194 of 1916. (*H. 5009/16.*)

JAPAN—Honshū, Gulf of Tokyo.

Uraga Channel—Non-existence of shoal depths.

No. 326 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 979 of 1916), are republished :—

Position on charts.—At a distance of about 2 miles and three quarters of a cable north-eastward from Kannon zaki light-house.
Lat. 35° 16¾′ N., long. 139° 46¼′ E.

Description.—Two patches of 5¼ fathoms.
Remarks.—The above depths, together with the 10-fathom lines encircling them, are to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 180 of 1916. (*H. 5003/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—Victoria, Port Phillip.

Point Gellibrand Light—Alteration in characteristics.

No. 327 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 980 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 37° 52¼′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.
New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *W.R., ev. 2 sec., 50 ft., vis. 12 m.*
Details.—The occulting and alternating occulting light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—A *flashing* light, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every two seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.
½ sec.	1½ secs.

Elevation.—50 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Sectors.—*White* from 191° (*S. 3° W. Mag.*) to 251° (*S. 63° W. Mag.*);
Red thence to 335° (*N. 33° W. Mag.*);
White thence to 47° (*N. 39° E. Mag.*);
Red thence to 71° (*N. 63° E. Mag.*).

Variation.—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 624, Hobson bay, River Yarra and Melbourne.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.
„ 3169, Port Phillip to Gabo island.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2468.
Australia Directory, Vol. 1, 1916, page 456.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 14 of 1916. (*H. 4988/16.*)

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The 16th October 1916.

SOUTH INDIAN OCEAN—COMORO ISLANDS.

MOHILLA ISLAND, SOUTH-EAST POINT.

Existence of submerged obstruction eastward of.

No. 311 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 156M. of 1916), are republished :—

Particulars.—The Master of the S. S. "City of Manchester" has reported that on the 13th September 1916, his vessel struck a submerged obstruction off Mohilla Island.

Position.—About 9 miles off the coast.
Lat. 12° 25′ S., long. 44° 2′ E.

Caution.—Mariners are warned accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 563, Plans in the Comoro Islands.
„ 758, Cape St. Andrew to Antongil Bay.
„ 2762, Comoro Islands.
„ 597, Delagoa Bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian Ocean, Southern Portion.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, Northern Portion.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 3rd Edition, 1911, page 195.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 27th September 1916.

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REPORT ON FAMINE IN BANKURA DISTRICT FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 28th OCTOBER 1916.

IN **Bankura district** the state of affairs in the affected areas has improved. The prospects of standing crops are good. The condition of people on the relief-works is good. The relief measures are adequate. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 9 seers per rupee. The number of persons on the relief-works was 1,737, and in receipt of gratuitous relief, being weavers, 1,204—total 2,941. Only seven works remained open during the week.

L. BIBLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DARJEELING, *the 1st November 1916.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 6th November 1916.

Summary.—During the week under report the rainfall throughout the province was moderate, causing slight damage to the standing winter rice crop in a few places in two Western Bengal districts. The preparation of lands for *rabi* crops and their sowing are proceeding. Steeping and washing of jute have been nearly finished. The weeding of winter rice has been completed. Condition and prospects are good. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in parts of Dinajpur, Tippera and Noakhali. Cattle-disease is reported from three districts only. The average price of common rice for the province has slightly risen as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Characters of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	1·41	8	8	Weather seasonable. Steeping of jute is nearly finished. Lands are being prepared for the *rabi* crops in Basirhat subdivision. Slight damage is reported to have been caused to winter rice by the recent rain in the Diamond Harbour subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Rangoon and Singapur rice is being imported into Basirhat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	2·86	7½	7⅞	
	Barrackpore	2·15	6 13/16	6¾	
	Barasat ...	2·50	7⅛	7⅛	
	Basirhat ...	1·82	7¼	7¼	
2	Nadia ...	2·30	7¼	7¼	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	2·32	7⅛	7⅛	
	Meherpur ...	1·10	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	2·76	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	1·30	6¾	6¾	
3	Murshidabad	1·50	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. The prospects of winter paddy are good. Steeping and washing of jute continue. The sowings of *rabi* crops have been slightly retarded. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	1·83	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	1·31	8⅛	8⅛	
	Kandi ...	1·63	8¼	8¼	
4	Jessore ...	0·69	8	8	Weather seasonable. The recent rain has done good both to the standing crops and to the cultivation of *rabi* crops. The prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jhenidah ...	2·60	8	8	
	Magura ...	(*n*)	7½	7½	
	Narail ...	(*n*)	8	8	
	Bangaon ...	(*n*)	7⅞	7⅞	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on th previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
5	KHULNA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather rather cloudy. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	3·65	6½	7¾	
	Bagerhat ...	2·04	7	7	
6	BURDWAN ...	0·71	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy, steeping and washing of jute are going on. Prospects of winter paddy are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	3·90	3	7½	
	Katwa ...	1·41	7¾	8	
	Kalna ...	1·49	7¾	7¾	
7	BIRBHUM ...	1·10	9	8½	Weather seasonable. Distribution of gratuitous relief continues. A sum of Rs. 11,248 has been advanced as agricultural loans. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Rampurhat	0·32	7½	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	2·77	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	1·58	9	9	
9	MIDNAPORE	1·70	7¼	8 1/16	Weather seasonable. Some damage to winter rice from excessive rain is reported from places. Cattle-disease is reported from Kharagpur. Fodder and water are sufficient. The outturn of autumn rice is fair.
	Ghatal ...	2·56	7¾	7¾	
	Tamluk ...	3·98	7½	7½	
	Contai ...	4·26	9	9	
10	HOOGHLY ...	1·13	8	8	Weather unseasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	2·48	6½	6½	
	Arambagh ...	4·19	7½	7½	
11	HOWRAH ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	7	Report not received.
	Uluberia ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	7½	

(*a*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
12	Rajshahi (Rampur-Boalia).	1·46	7	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair and those of winter rice are good. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	2·16	7½	7½	
	Nator ...	0·84	7½	7	
13	Dinajpur ...	1·65	8⅜	8⅜	Weather seasonable. The recent rainfall has retarded the sowings of *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. Water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease. Scarcity of fodder is still reported from Itahar police-station.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	$8\frac{75}{76}$	$8\frac{7}{76}$	
14	Jalpaiguri	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. *Haimanti* paddy is doing well. Fields are being ploughed for tobacco and mustard. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7	7	
15	Darjeeling	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. *Marua* and cardamom are progressing well.
	Kurseong ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
	Siliguri ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7	
	Kalimpong...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
16	Rangpur ...	0·20	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Lands are under preparation for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	1·61	7½	7½	
	Kurigram ...	0·13	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7½	7½	
17	Bogra ...	0·59	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter rice are good. Preparation of lands for the *rabi* crops and sowings of pulses continue. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
18	Pabna ...	2·52	7½	7½	Rainfall at Sara 1·13. Weather hot in the day and cool at night. Harvesting of jute is finished and that of winter rice has begun. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of food-grains are adequate.
	Sirajganj ...	1·27	7	7	
19	Malda ...	0·25	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. The cultivation of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
20	Cooch Behar	0·20	8	8	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute are nearing completion. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	Dacca ...	*Nil	7¼ 8†	7 8†	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are available. No large import or export is reported.
	Manikganj ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7	
	Narayanganj	(*n*)	(*n*)	6¾ 8†	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	7	(*n*)	
22	Mymensingh	1·23	6¼	6 5/16	Weather seasonable. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Condition of paddy is good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	0·60	6¾	6¾	
	Tangail ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
	Netrakona ...	0·44	6¾	6¾	
	Kishorganj...	0·43	6¾	6¾	
23	Faridpur ...	1·56	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of rice are sufficient. There has been no large import or export.
	Goalundo ...	0·90	8	8	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Gopalganj‡	0·74	8	8	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	0·05	7¼	7¼	Weather still cloudy. Stocks of foodgrains and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	0·22	6¾	6¾	
	Patuakhali ...	2·48	7	7	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	0·60	7	7	
25	Chittagong	0·40	7¼	7¼	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cultivation of the *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	8·00	7¼	7¼	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
26	Tippera (Comilla).	0·04	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter rice are good excepting in areas suffering from floods. The ploughing for winter crops is going on in Kotwali thana. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder is sufficient except in Kotwali thana. Stocks of food-grains are normal.
	Brahmanbaria.	0·85	6	6	
	Chandpur ..	Nil	7½	7½	
27	Noakhali ...	0·29	7½	7½	Weather hot and cloudy. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good, except in the flooded tracts in Feni and Chagalnaya thanas. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient except in the flooded areas.
	Feni ...	1·60	8$\frac{3}{16}$	8¼	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	1·43	7	7	Weather hot and cloudy. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati.

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Calcutta, *the 6th November 1916.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 4th November 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	8	0	5	12	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	6	0	0	6	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5	10	0	5	12	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	14	0	6	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5	12	0	5	14	0	0	2	3	0	2	9
„ medium ...	6	4	0	6	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6	2	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	4	12	6	5	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
(vi) Kajla	4	6	0	4	13	0	.....			.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	8	0	4	10	0	.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	4	0	4	5	0	.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	14	0	4	2	0	0	1	9	0	2	0
4. „ dal	4	12	0	5	0	0	0	2	3	0	2	9
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5	12	0	6	6	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
6. Arhar „	4	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
7. Masur „ (split) ...	5	8	0	6	6	0	0	2	0	0	3	6
„ „ (khanri) ...	6	4	0	7	0	0	0	3	0	0	4	0
8. Kalai „	5	4	0	5	10	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
9. Salt (Liverpool) ...	2	12	6	2	13	0	0	1	3	0	1	6
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13	2	0	.....			0	5	0	0	6	0
11. Gur (Bheli)	6	4	0	6	8	0	.....			.....		
„ (Bhursut) ...	6	8	0	8	8	0	0	4	0	.....		
12. Milk	10	0	0	11	0	0	0	3	0	0	4	0
13. Mustard oil	14	4	0	15	0	0	0	6	0	0	8	0
14. Flour (country) ...	5	9	0	6	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
15. Ata No. 3	4	6	0	.....			0	2	6	0	3	0
„ „ 2½	4	10	0	5	11	0						
„ „ B	6	4	0	6	5	0						
16. Suji	5	14	0	6	7	0	0	2	9	0	3	3
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	59	0	0	60	0	0	1	6	0	1	10	0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	56	0	0	57	8	0	1	6	0	1	7	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	49	0	0	50	0	0	1	2	0	1	6	0
18. Maize	2	12	0	2	14	0	.....			.....		
19. Potato	6	12	0	8	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
20. Patal	7	8	0	9	0	0	0	4	0	0	6	0
21. Brinjal	4	8	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	0
22. Onion	2	12	0	3	0	0	0	1	6	0	2	6
23. Fish, Rahu	26	0	0	30	0	0	0	9	0	1	0	0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	.....		
25. Beef (2nd & 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	2	6	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices recorded daily at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 6th November 1916.*

IRRIGATION DEPART

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the September 1916, and the highest reading of each gauge over

Date.	River Ganges.											
	Mirzapur. Zero of gauge 306·23 ft.		Benares. Zero of gauge 196·80 ft.		Buxar. Zero of gauge 169·05 ft.		Dinapore. Zero of gauge 134·23 ft.		Monghyr. Zero of gauge 101·83 ft.	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad 86.	From Allahabad 131.	From Mirzapur 48.	From Benares 90.		From Benares 177.	From Buxar 87.	From Benares 287.	From Dinapore 110.
	Highest gauge reading.	2nd September 1916. 268·97.	2nd September 1916. 244·30.		3rd and 4th September 1916. 202·30.		5th September 1901. 169·73.		8th September 1901. 129·60.	
	Lowest gauge reading.	20th June 1897. 187·30.	1st May 1877. 182·80.		10th to 14th May 1914. 160·80.		29th April 1913. 135·13.		29th April to 6th May 1914. 96·00.(a)	
		Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1st		39·50	269·73	47·25	244·05	32·75	201·70	33·50	167·73	24·37	126·20
2nd		39·75	269·97	47·50	244·30	33·08	202·13	33·80	168·03	24·87	126·70
3rd		38·00	264·22	46·50	243·30	33·25	202·30	34·20	168·43	25·07	126·90
4th		35·50	261·73	43·75	240·55	32·25	202·30	34·10	168·73	25·47	127·30
5th		36·50	266·72	39·00	235·80	32·58	201·63	34·50	168·73	25·57	127·40
6th		46·50	252·72	34·00	230·80	31·25	200·30	34·20	168·43	25·97	127·80
7th		43·25	249·47	30·00	226·80	29·50	198·55	31·90	166·13	25·77	127·60
8th		40·75	246·97	27·75	224·55	26·50	195·55	30·90	165·13	25·67	127·50
9th		38·25	244·47	25·75	222·55	25·50	194·55	28·50	162·73	24·47	126·30
10th		35·92	242·14	23·92	220·72	22·33	191·38	26·70	160·93	22·37	124·20
11th		33·92	240·14	22·33	219·13	21·42	190·47	25·30	159·53	20·77	122·60
12th		32·42	238·64	21·17	217·97	20·33	189·38	24·50	158·73	18·87	120·70
13th		31·42	237·64	20·00	216·80	19·50	188·55	23·90	158·13	17·97	119·80
14th		30·42	236·64	19·17	215·97	18·42	187·47	23·30	157·53	17·47	119·30
15th		29·58	235·80	18·33	215·13	17·67	186·72	22·80	156·83	16·97	118·80
16th		28·92	235·14	17·67	214·47	17·00	186·06	22·40	156·43	16·47	118·30
17th		28·42	234·64	17·33	214·13	16·58	185·63	22·20	156·43	16·27	118·10
18th		28·42	234·64	17·00	213·80	16·50	184·55	22·60	156·83	16·37	118·20
19th		28·58	234·80	17·00	213·80	16·50	183·55	22·50	156·73	16·37	118·10
20th		31·83	238·05	20·17	216·97	15·33	184·38	23·00	157·23	16·17	118·00
21st		34·33	240·55	23·50	220·30	18·83	187·88	23·90	158·13	16·37	118·20
22nd		35·83	242·05	25·33	222·13	24·50	193·55	25·30	159·53	17·47	119·30
23rd		36·58	242·80	26·25	223·05	24·33	193·38	26·80	161·03	18·77	120·60
24th		37·58	243·80	27·50	224·30	25·33	194·38	27·40	161·63	19·87	121·40
25th		38·92	245·14	28·83	225·63	26·75	195·80	29·70	163·93	20·87	122·40
26th		37·75	243·97	28·00	224·80	27·25	196·30	30·00	164·23	21·47	123·00
27th		36·33	242·55	26·50	223·30	26·50	195·55	30·10	164·33	21·97	123·50
28th		35·33	241·55	25·92	222·72	25·67	194·72	29·00	163·23	21·97	123·50
29th		34·50	240·72	25·08	221·88	24·83	193·88	27·90	162·13	21·87	123·40
30th		33·33	239·55	24·00	220·80	23·92	192·97	26·90	161·13	20·87	122·40

* New gauge fixed at Rajmahal from 1st June 1910 in place of the gauge at Sahebganj. The zero of gauge at Rajmahal is 56·46 feet zero is again 56·46 feet above M. S. L.

† To compare the reduced levels shown in these monthly printed statements before and after the 1st June 1903, 6·78 feet should be

(a) A temporary gauge has been fixed and the readings below zero are being observed from the 7th March 1913.

(b) From the 1st November 1915, the zero of gauge is 2·45 feet above M. S.-L. Previous to that the zero was at M. S.-L. dating back

(c) From the 25th January 1916, the zero of gauge at Berhampore is 30·92 feet above M. S.-L.

(d) From the 26th August 1916 a temporary wooden gauge with its zero at 54·00 ft. above M. S. L. has been erected at Rampur Boalia

The 2nd November 1916.

MENT—BENGAL.

rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi, and Brahmaputra for the month of M. S.-L. as well as the lowest gauge reading since 1876.

Rajmahal.* Zero of gauge 56·46 ft.		Rampur-Boalia. Zero of gauge 54·00 ft.		Goalundo. Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.		River Bhagirathi. Berhampore. Zero of gauge 30·99 ft.		River Jalangi. Karupganj. Zero of gauge is 2·43 ft. above mean sea-level.		River Brahmaputra. Gauhati. Zero of gauge 148·78 ft.	
From Benares 407.	From Monghyr 120.	From Benares 471.	From Rajmahal 64.	From Benares 591.	From Rampur-Boalia 120.						
18th August 1913. 88·46.		26th August 1879. 69·35.		28th August 1906 and 14th September 1916. 25·75.†		14th August 1890. 64·70.		25th September 1900. 35·03.		24th August 1906. 161·11.	
2nd May 1210. 54·62.		23rd April 1886. 37·62.		8th March 1910. 3·35.		30th April 1897. 33·91.		28th March 1915. 2·13.		9th February 1888. 142·46.	
Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
27·20	83·66	10·80	64·80	23·70	23·70	23·91	54·90	24·20	26·63	23·10	170·86
27·50	83·96	10·80	64·80	23·10	23·10	24·41	55·40	24·50	26·93	23·00	171·76
27·80	84·26	11·10	65·10	23·20	23·20	24·61	55·60	24·76	27·19	23·50	172·26
28·20	84·66	11·25	65·25	23·30	23·30	24·91	55·90	24·92	27·35	24·40	173·16
28·40	84·86	11·50	65·50	23·50	23·50	25·21	56·20	25·03	27·46	25·30	174·06
28·90	85·36	11·85	65·85	23·50	23·50	25·21	56·20	25·10	27·53	26·50	175·26
29·30	85·76	12·20	66·20	23·50	23·50	25·51	56·50	25·13	27·55	27·00	175·76
29·40	85·86	12·50	66·50	23·75	23·75	25·81	56·80	25·13	27·56	27·30	176·06
29·30	85·76	12·10	66·70	23·90	23·90	25·81	56·80	25·17	27·60	27·10	175·86
28·80	85·26	12·70	66·70	24·00	24·03	26·01	57·00	25·20	27·63	26·60	175·36
27·90	84·36	12·40	66·40	24·10	24·10	26·01	57·00	25·22	27·65	26·30	175·06
26·40	82·86	11·70	65·70	24·40	24·40	25·81	56·80	25·43	27·86	25·30	174·06
24·90	81·36	10·60	64·60	24·20	24·20	25·31	56·30	25·41	27·84	25·10	173·86
23·70	80·16	9·40	63·40	24·00	24·00	24·31	55·30	25·27	27·70	24·90	173·66
23·00	79·46	8·40	62·40	23·70	23·70	23·11	54·10	24·92	27·35	24·60	173·36
22·40	78·86	7·80	61·80	23·30	23·30	22·21	53·20	24·42	26·85	24·40	173·16
21·90	78·36	7·30	61·30	22·90	22·90	21·31	52·30	23·73	26·16	24·20	172·96
21·60	78·06	6·60	60·60	22·70	22·70	20·61	51·60	22·80	25·23	23·40	172·16
21·50	77·96	6·50	60·50	22·40	22·40	20·01	51·00	22·01	24·44	22·40	171·16
21·40	77·86	6·30	60·30	22·20	22·20	19·41	50·40	21·37	23·80	21·70	170·46
21·00	77·46	6·00	60·00	22·40	22·40	18·71	49·70	20·60	23·03	20·40	169·16
21·50	77·76	6·50	60·50	22·90	22·90	18·41	49·40	20·40	22·83	20·40	169·16
21·90	78·36	6·70	60·70	22·60	22·60	18·01	49·00	20·78	23·21	20·50	169·26
22·00	79·46	7·40	61·40	22·30	22·30	20·21	51·20	22·34	24·97	19·70	168·46
22·80	80·06	7·50	61·50	22·20	22·20	22·01	53·00	25·40	27·83	18·40	167·26
24·36	80·81	8·00	62·00	22·20	22·20	23·11	54·10	26·86	29·31	18·30	167·06
25·00	81·46	8·60	62·60	22·40	22·40	23·61	54·60	27·31	29·74	17·80	166·56
25·40	81·86	8·90	62·90	22·20	22·20	23·71	54·70	27·22	29·75	16·60	165·36
25·36	81·81	9·00	63·00	22·20	22·20	23·61	54·60	27·17	29·60	16·30	164·96
24·90	81·36	8·80	62·80	22·10	22·10	23·61	54·60	26·90	29·33	16·10	164·86

above M. S.-L. up to 26th October 1915 and 60·00 feet above M. S.-L. from 27th October 1915, but from 10th February 1916 the deducted from the former or added to the latter (*vide* Bengal Government letter No. 1053T.—1., dated the 12th October 1916).

19th July 1897.

in place of the permanent gauge washed away.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 28th October 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 28th October 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 30th October 1915.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tolls.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tolls.
		Mds	Rs.		Mds.	Rs
Rice and paddy	152	36,230	401	225	46,485	485
Jute	266	95,700*	1,246	455	108,206†	1,490
Firewood	59	53,925	816	43	30,575	461
Other articles	833	172,395	1,879	796	137,604	1,530
Total ...	1,310	358,250	4,342	1,519	322,870	3,966
Empty boats and rafts ...	648	...	1,178	736	...	1,350
Grand Total ...	1,958	358,250	5,520	2,255	322,870	5,316

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 103,900
† Ditto ditto 123,163½

CALCUTTA,
The 3rd November 1916.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 28th October 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
22nd Oct. 1916	7 A.M.	18·5	18·5	18·0	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
23rd " "	7 "	18·1	18·1	17·8	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a
24th " "	7 "	18·0*	18·0	17·5	pucca pillar between the passenger
25th " "	7 "	17·9	17·9	17·3	ghât and Chandpore ghât
26th " "	7 "	17·7	17·7	17·0	Its reduced level is 22·41.
27th " "	7 "	17·4	17·4	16·8	
28th " "	7 "	17·2	17·2	16·6	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest " ...	3·4 on 10th February 1915.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest " ...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto " ...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto " ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto " ...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	Lowest " ...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto " ...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto " ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto " ...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1886.
Do.	Ditto " ...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 28th October 1916.

NILMANI DE,
Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Waterworks for the week ending the 28th October 1916.

Date.	Time when recorded.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height of water above mean sea-level.	Height above zero of gauge on the same date last year.	Remarks.
22nd Oct. 1916	At low tide.	61·9	Not connected with mean sea-level.	60·7	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
23rd „ „	Ditto	61·7		60·6	
24th „ „	Ditto	61·6		60·5	
25th „ „	Ditto	61·5		60·4	
26th „ „	Ditto	61 3		59 8	
27th „ „	Ditto	61·1		59·4	
28th „ „	Ditto	60·9		59·0	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	... ...	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th Sept.	1909	... ...	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	... ...	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	... ...	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	... ...	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	... ...	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	... ...	69·7	Ditto.
18th „	1916	... ...	68·1	Ditto.
23rd Feb.	1907	... ...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	... ...	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	... ...	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	... ...	50·6	Ditto.
22nd Feb.	1915	... ...	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	... ...	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 30th October 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 28th October 1916.

Date	Hour	Height of surface above or below zero, minus sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 54·00	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
22nd Oct. 1916	8 A.M	2·30	56 30	55·80	R. L. of gauge post is 54·00.
23rd „ „	8 „	2·00	56·00	55 50	B. M. on College step is 69·74.
24th „ „	8 „	1·80	55 80	55 30	
25th „ „	8 „	1·60	55 60	55 00	
26th „ „	8 „	1·30	55·30	54·80	
27th „ „	8 „	1·00	55·00	54·50	
28th „ „	8 „	0·80	54 80	54 30	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest „	.	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record	... ...	Highest „	...	69 25 on 26th August 1879.
Do.	... ...	Ditto „	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do	... ...	Ditto „	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do.	.. ...	Ditto „	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do.	... ...	Lowest „	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do	... ...	Ditto „	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do.	... ...	Ditto „	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do.	... ...	Ditto „	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 28th October 1916.

H. DUTT,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 21st October 1916, on 1,639 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A P	Mds. s	Rs A P.	Rs A P.	Rs A P (d)			
Total traffic for the week	698,270	3,05,810 0 0	3,017,210 0	(c) 5,19,880 0 0	27,440 0 0	8,53,130 0 0	95,815	(a) 67,179	166,991
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 442	(b) 193 0 0	1,841 0	317 0 0	(c) 17 0 0	c) 518 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	1,331,740	6,08,350 0 0	5,364,060 0	8,75,330 0 0	40,140 0 0	15,23,810 0 0	199,013	131,110	332,123
Total for 3 weeks ...	2,030 010	9,14,160 0 0	8,381,290 0	13,95,200 0 0	67,580 0 0	23,76,940 0 0	298,828	200,288	499,114
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	663,860	2,90,497 0 0	2,697,013 0	3,81,338 0 0	16 538 0	6,88,388 0 0	101 896	57,952	159,848
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,639 miles)	(b) 420	(c) 184 0 0	1,585 0	233 0 0	5 0 0	4'5 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	1,986,530	8 36,818 0 0	7,841,156 0	11,50,133 0 0	49,488 0 0	20,36,439 0 0	310,632	190,713	501,346

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 8 000
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 3,100
(d) Increase is chiefly due to Jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 21st October 1916, on 118 55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry)	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs A P.	Mds. S	Rs A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	57,120	17,640 0 0	138,530 0	8,840 0 0	2 050 0 0	29,530 0 0	7 000	(b) 2,962	9,962
Per mile of railway per week	482	149 0 0	1,169 0	74 0 0	(a) 3 0 0	(a) 326 0 0	...	....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	118,440	32,690 0 0	283 670 0	14.990 0 0	5,780 0 0	53,390 0 0	14,010	5,063	19,073
Total for 3 weeks ...	175,560	50,330 0 0	422,200 0	23,760 0 0	8,830 0 0	82,920 0 0	21,010	8,025	29,035
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	45,886	13,955 0 0	96,948 0	5,094 0 0	1,981 0 0	21,030 0 0	6,686	1,947	8,633
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118'55 miles)	387	118 0 0	818 0	43 0 0	.....	161 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	152,135	45 083 0 0	396,679 0	21,330 0 0	5,948 0 0	72,361 0 0	20 092	6,275	26,367

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs 2,700.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 700.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 21st October 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,070	2,570 0 0	34 710 0	2,510 0 0	30 0 0	5,110 0 0	952	(a) 272	1,224
Per mile of railway per week	214	77 0 0	1,049 0	76 0 0	1 0 0	154 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	11,880	4,730 0 0	69,690 0	4,060 0 0	70 0 0	8,860 0 0	1,922	552	2,474
Total for 3 weeks ...	18,960	7,300 0 0	104,400 0	6 570 0 0	100 0 0	13,970 0 0	2,874	824	3,698
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	5,284	2 267 0 0	26,393 0	2,843 0 0	23 0 0	5,133 0 0	913	200	1,113
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	159	68 5 0	1,106 0	86 0 0	1 0 0	155 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	14,062	6,436 0 0	119,079 0	9,116 0 0	64 0 0	15,635 0 0	2,803	1,164	3,967

(a) Including ballast train-miles, nil.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 21st October 1916, on 53 66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Minerals Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	16,080	5,010 0 0	169,280 0	8,560 0 0	40 0 0	13,610 0 0	1,722	(a) 1,620	3,342
Per mile of railway per week	336	93 0 0	3,096 0	160 0 0	1 0 0	254 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	33,700	9,100 0 0	305,330 0	14,910 0 0	70 0 0	24,080 0 0	3,402	2,698	6,100
Total for 3 weeks ...	50,750	14,110 0 0	467,710 0	23,470 0 0	110 0 0	37,690 0 0	5,124	4,318	9,442
Total for the 16 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	254,822	72,868 0 0	2,530,630 0	1,14,551 0 0	505 0 0	1,87,907 0 0	29,547	19,617	49,164
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	17,162	4,900 0 0	86,702 0	4,924 0 0	26 0 0	9,850 0 0	1,999	1,013	3,011
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·66 miles)	320	91 0 0	1,616 0	92 0 0	1 0 0	184 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	87,969	17,020 0 0	357,699 0	16,809 0 0	109 0 0	33,938 0 0	6,108	3,334	9,442
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	284 280	79,317 0 0	1,667,076 0	82 851 0 0	357 0 0	1.63 425 0 0	32,302	15,764	48,066

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 95. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 21st October 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	10,480	3,090 0 0	55,810 0	3,460 0 0	10 0 0	6,560 0 0	1,428	(a)780	2,208
Per mile of railway per week	209	62 0 0	1,111 0	69 0 0	.....	131 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	21,600	6,190 0 0	122,460 0	10,390 0 0	80 0 0	16,540 0 0	2,856	1,480	4,336
Total for 3 weeks ...	31,980	9,210 0 0	188,270 0	13,850 0 0	40 0 0	23,100 0 0	4,284	2,260	6,544
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	5 0 0	9 0 0	14 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (23 miles)	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 0 0	1 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	23 0 0	38 0 0	60 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Ballast train miles, *nil*.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 21st October 1916, on 2,527·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Minerals Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	635,906	5 76,880 0 0	9,601,148 0	15,83,880 0 0	6,750 0 0	21,69,290 0 0	176,980	340 357	519,297
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	228 2 6	.....	627 7 7	2 10 9	858 4 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year ...	1,388,179	12,33,068 0 0	15,795,483 0	26,04,396 0 0	27,500 0 0	38,64 919 0 0	359,346	655.280	1,014,626
Total from 1st October ...	2,024,085	18,09,773 0 0	25,396,631 0	41,90,246 0 0	34,250 0 0	60,34,209 0 0	536 176	995,607	1,533,783
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	634,798	5,27,108 0 0	9,473,651 0	10,53,486 0 0	80,963 0 0	16 42 007 0 0	182 081	134 529	416,616
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	208 10 3	.....	417 1 1	34 2 0	649,13 4	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	1,977,779	17,18,833 0 0	25,793,803 0	37,91,473 0 0	1,58 725 0 0	46,68 [illegible] 0	543,344	809,988	1,353,332

(a) The increase is due to Military traffic.
(b) The decrease is in both coal and merchandise general.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,527·42	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	701,047	6,36,743	7,563,707	12,66,337	19,750	19,22,830	761	515,617	3 11 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	687,182	5,96,330	8,221,776	13,88,019	7,750	19,42,099	768	499,879	3 14 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 21st ,,	635,906	5,76,650	9,601,148	15,35,890	6,750	21,69,290	858	519,387	4 2 10
	Totals up to date ...	2,024,085	18,09,713	25,394,631	41,90,246	34,250	60,34,209	796	1,533,783	3 14 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,526·81	First 9 days of Oct. ...	836,025	7,48,935	11,566,943	18,58,027	60,843	26,67,810	821	591,965	4 8 1
2,526·81	Week ended 16th ,, ...	693,489	6,02,563	8,310,319	13,05,367	54,093	19,61,953	776	476,299	4 1 11
2,526·81	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	634,798	5,27,198	6,475,657	10,53,846	60,963	16,42,007	650	416,616	3 15 1
	Totals up to date ...	2,164,312	18,78,696	26,352,919	42,17,240	1,75,934	62,71,770	755	1,484,880	4 3 7

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 21st October 1916, on 191·64 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	43,208	36,288 0 0	483,613 0	41,940 0 0	250 0 0	77,518 0 0	11,157	9,983	21,140
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	184 2 2	.....	219 0 11	1 4 11	404 8 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	87,372	72,086 0 0	1,057,446 0	68,735 0 0	500 0 0	1,41,311 0 0	22,669	18,184	40,853
Total from 1st Oct, ...	139,380	1,07,374 0 0	1,540,859 0	1,10,705 0 0	750 0 0	2,18,829 0 0	33,826	28,167	61,993
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	43,663	34,022 0 0	333,372 0	29,143 0 0	251 0 0	64,316 0 0	11,886	8,862	20,748
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	182 3 8	.....	152 1 2	1 4 11	335 9 9	...	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	134,251	1,08,619 0 0	1,046,853 0	97,848 0 0	753 0 0	2,07,220 0 0	25,959	24,702	50,661

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,588	35,124	469,795	30,965	250	66,339	346	19,868	3 6 8
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	48,784	36,982	587,651	37,740	250	74,952	391	21,285	3 8 4
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	42,208	35,268	483,413	41,980	250	77,518	406	21,140	3 10 8
	Totals up to date ...	139,380	1,07,374	1,540,859	1,10,705	750	2,18,829	341	61,993	3 8 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	52,764	44,612	499,504	45,268	286	90,166	366	25,726	3 8 1
191·64	Week ended 16th Oct. ...	39,193	27,523	370,660	33,515	251	71,289	372	19,903	3 9 4
191·64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	43,663	34,022	333,372	29,143	251	64,316	336	20,748	3 1 7
	Totals up to date ...	135,620	1,07,057	1,199,536	1,07,916	888	2,25,811	339	66,377	3 6 6

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 21st October 1916, on (a)800 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 22 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam boat	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	90,000	51,000 0 0	405,000 0	69,000 0 0	12,000 0 0	1,32,000 0 0	16,696	20,441	37,137
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	63·75	.....	86·25	15·00	165·00	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	178,000	1,06,000 0 0	949 000 0	1,46,000 0 0	14,000 0 0	2,66,000 0 0	33,035	35,491	68,526
Total for 3 weeks ...	268,000	1,57,000 0 0	1,354,000 0	215,000 0 0	26,000 0 0	3,98 000 0 0	49,731	55,932	105,663
Comparison,									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals...	86 468	48,811 0 0	436,344 0	62,064 0 0	5,579 0 0	1,16 454 0 0	15,700	17,932	33 639
Per mile of railway (b) ...	.....	62·66	.....	78 66	7·07	148·39	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	290,547	1,57,431 0 0	1,354,601 0	1,90,619 0 0	18,453 0 0	3,66 503 0 0	47,214	54,573	101,787

(a) Excludes 44 miles from Harangajao to Maibang on the Hill Section under reconstruction.
(b) Calculated on 789 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 21st October 1916.			Receipts for week ending 21st October 1915.			Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 21st October 1916.	Total receipts from 1st April 1915 to 21st October 1915.	Total increase in 1916-17.	Total decrease in 1916-17.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Rs.
822	1,32,000	162 39	789	1,16,454	148·39	37,72,635	37,15,790	56,845	.....

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 21st October 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,841	18,481 0 0	33,264 0	15,638 0 0	173 0 0	34,282 0 0	2,700	3,131	5,831
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	362 0 0	.....	307 0 0	3 0 0	672 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of the half-year	13,733	32,735 0 0	56,019 0	27 009 0 0	497 0 0	60,231 0 0	5,957	6,650	12,607
Total traffic up to 21st October 1916	20,574	51,206 0 0	89,283 0	42,637 0 0	670 0 0	94,513 0 0	8,657	9,781	18,438
(21 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	338 0 0	.....	279 0 0	4 0 0	619 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,899	17,338 0 0	32,975 0	16,137 0 0	266 0 0	33,936 0 0	2,100	2,729	4,829
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	344 0 0	.....	316 0 0	5 0 0	665 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	17,480	53,379 0 0	98,925 0	46,650 0 0	823 0 0	97,902 0 0	6,308	13,387	19,695
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	329 0 0	.....	305 0 0	4 0 0	638 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes :—Difference for the week...		+ 988		— 509	— 93	+ 356.			
Difference up to date ...		+ 827		— 4,013	+ 47	— 3,139			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Military passengers.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Rice, Tea and Building Materials (Iron and cement, etc.).

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 21st October 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,880	2,775 0 0	23,700 0	1,865 0 0	16 0 0	4,656 0 0	956	834	1,830
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	40 0 0	.....	27 0 0	.....	67 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of the half-year	13,667	4,057 0 0	33,020 0	2,620 0 0	40 0 0	6,717 0 0	2,006	1,634	3,640
Total traffic up to 21st October 1916	21,517	6,832 0 0	55,720 0	4,485 0 0	56 0 0	11,373 0	2,992	2,468	5,460
(21 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	33 0 0	.....	21 0 0	... ..	54 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,134	1,397 0 0	25,187 0	1,749 0 0	34 0 0	3,180 0 0	310	939	1,249
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	20 0 0	.....	25 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	13,003	5,258 0 0	76,561 0	5,734 0 0	116 0 0	11,098 0 0	930	2,817	3,747
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	25 0 0	.....	27 0 0	1 0 0	53 0 0	.....	.....	.....

NOTES:—Difference for the week + 1,378 + 116 — 18 + 1 476
Difference up to date + 1,574 — 1,239 — 60 + 275

The increase during the week in Coaching is in Local Passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Jute traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 21st October 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	451	793 0 0	3,548 0	819 0 0	2 0 0	1,611 0 0	138	112	250
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	27 0 0	.....	27 0 0	.....	54 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 week of the half-year	462	181 0 0	3 523 0	477 0 0	6 0 0	664 0 0	201	163	364
Total traffic up to 21st October 1916	913	971 0 0	7,071 0	1,296 0 0	8 0 0	2,275 0 0	339	275	614
(21 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	71 0 0	.....	14 0 0	.....	25 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	472	285 0 0	2,584 0	527 0 0	2 0 0	814 0 0	156	315	430
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	9 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	27 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,517	854 0 0	8,092 0	1,699 0 0	8 0 0	2,559 0 0	315	945	1,260
Or per week per mile of railway	... ..	10 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	28 0 0	... ..	.....	.....

NOTES.—Difference for the week + 506 + 293 — ... + 797
Difference up to date + 117 — 403 + 2 — 284

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Parcel.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Piece Goods, Grains and Tea.
The Line was reopened for traffic on 18th October 1916.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 21st October 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (including ferry)	Total earnings	Traffic Train Miles		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts	Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8 547	2,144 0 0	28,566 0	11,446 0 0	(a)312 0 0	13,903 0 0	514	(d)756	1,270
Or per mile of Railway ...	..	59 0 0	... ..	314 0 0	1 0 0	(c)374 0 0	...		
For previous 2 weeks of half year.*	12,748	3,485 0 0	116,350 0	19,519 0 0	502 0 0	23,506 0 0	708	1,791	2,499
Total for 3 weeks ...	21,295	5 629 0 0	194,916 0	30,965 0 0	815 0 0	37,409 0 0	1,222	2,547	3,769
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	5 998	1,812 0 0	80 989 0	8,674 0 0	(b)252 0 0	10,738 0 0	435	(e)840	1,275
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year		50 0 0		238 0 0	1 0 0	(c)289 0 0		...	
Total to corresponding date of previous year	19,914	5,347 0 0	280,984 0	28,381 0 0	998 0 0	34,926 0 0	1,182	2 513	3 695

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 243.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs. 208
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train miles 218
(e) Ditto, 1915, 18
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 21st October 1916, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry)	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles		
	Number of passengers	Coaching receipts	Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	22,434	6 489 0 0	119,700 0	16,330 8 0	21 0 0	22,840 0 0	1,812	(a)3,194	5,006
Or per mile of Railway ...		55 0 0	.....	140 0 0	...	195 0 0	.	..	..
For previous 2 weeks of half year.*	30,205	9,430 0 0	191,751 0	30,120 0 0	61 0 0	39,601 0 0	3,922	5 956	9,878
Total for 3 weeks ...	52,639	15,909 0 0	311,451 0	46,450 0 0	82 0 0	62,441 0 0	5,734	9,150	14,884
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	13 539	4 554 0 0	121,921 0	17,028 0 0	9 0 0	21,591 0 0	1,456	(b) 3,566	5,050
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	..	41 0 0	....	146 0 0	.....	187 0 0	...	.	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	40,614	14,762 0 0	367,103 0	51,155 0 0	27 0 0	*65,944 0 0	4,380	9,074	13,454

(a) Ballast train-miles, 710
(b) Ballast train miles, 1915, 27.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 21st October 1916, on 2,067 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Tons	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,067 miles open ...	440,940	(a)1,66,940	1 059,070	(b)1,75,530	(c)21,960	3,64,430	61,226	(d)44,485	105,711
Or per mile of railway ...	212 89	80·77	512·37	84·92	10 62	176·31			
For previous 2 weeks of official half-year ...	884,840	3,08,720	1,733,970	2,47,360	39,920	5,96,000	122,456	84,911	207,367
Total for 3 weeks ...	1,325,780	4,75,660	2,793,040	4,22,890	61,880	9,60,430	183,682	1,29,396	313,078
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,044 miles open	415,524	1,54,705	851,650	1,35,945	19,693	3,10,343	61 846	(e)45 289	107.135
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	203·29	75·69	416·66	66·51	9·63	151 83	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	1,207,418	4,47,388	2,373,683	3,59,559	57,028	8 63,975	187,038	126,925	313,963
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and total train-miles, respectively, during the week ...		2··8		3·95	·21	3·45			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		2·50		3·00	18	2 90			

(a) Increase mainly under local and foreign outward passengers; foreign inward passengers decreased with reduced load.
(b) General increase chiefly under foreign outward.
(c) Increase chiefly under steam-boat.
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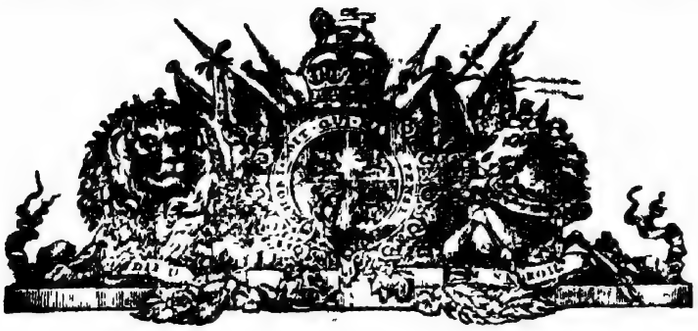

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8237A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3952A.D.—The 7th November 1916.*—Babu Makhan Lal Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the Birbhum district.

Hooghly. Birbhum.

No. 3954A.D.—The 7th November 1916.—Maulvi Dalilur Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Tippera district.

Tippera.

No. 3979A.D.—The 8th November 1916.—Mr. A. F. M., Abdul 'Ali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 3981A.D.—The 8th November 1916.—Babu Jatindra Kumar Biswas, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Alipur, Jalpaiguri, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district.

Jalpaiguri Mymensingh.

No. 3990A.D.—The 8th November 1916.—The orders of the 16th October 1916, transferring Babu Ashutosh Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district, are cancelled.

Nadia. Mymensingh.

No. 4003A.D.—The 8th November 1916.—Babu Chandra Sekhar Kar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

Nadia. 24-Parganas.

No. 4015A D.—The 9th November 1916.—Maulvi Abu Saleh Muhammad Ibrahim, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters of the Noakhali district.

Noakhali.

No. 4022A D.—The 9th November 1916.—Babu Adwaita Charan Samanta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kishorganj, Mymensingh, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district.

Mymensingh. Dacca.

No. 8226A.—The 14th November 1916.—His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant G. K. Dunning, 1-9th Hampshire Regiment, to be an Extra Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff with effect from the 5th November 1916.

Calcutta.

No. 8228A.—The 6th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Suresh Chandra Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Dacca, to be Additional District Magistrate of that district for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Dacca.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—*No. 3970A.D.—The 8th November 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Charles James Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., I.C.S., to be an Additional Member of the said Council.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3433A.D.—The 14th October 1916.*—Mr. F. J. Jeffries, I.C.S., has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough on medical certificate for three months.

No. 3945A.D.—The 6th November 1916.—Babu Lalit Chandra Guha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed furlough for one month and four days, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 27th July 1916.

No. 4001A.D.—The 9th November 1916.—Babu Srigopal Bhattacharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months and ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 18th September 1916.

No. 4013A.D.—The 9th November 1916.—Babu Hara Chandra Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and six days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

Howrah.

POLICE.—*No. 3950A.D.—The 7th November 1916.*—Babu Purna Chandra Biswas, Deputy Superintendent of Police, in charge of the police work of the Baraset and Basirhat subdivisions in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

24-Parganas.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3957A.D.—The 8th November 1916.*—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. John Lang, I.C.S., of his office of Additional Member of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

Council.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8988L.R.—The 14th November 1916.—The following resolution is published for general information.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

DARJEELING, THE 22ND SEPTEMBER 1916.

RESOLUTION No. 1562T.—R.

THE curtailment of the survey and settlement programme due to the unfavourable financial situation has had the result of throwing out of employment a large number of settlement kanungos whose service is on a temporary basis. These officers have been very carefully selected by the Settlement Department, and the work on which they have been employed is such as to have given them valuable experience in administrative duties. They are all men of superior education and are accustomed to hard outdoor work. The Governor in Council desires that every endeavour shall be made to find suitable employment for these officers, and at the meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council held at Dacca on 7th August 1916, he has accepted a resolution recommending that steps should be taken to find employment for them. He desires, therefore, that applications from the kanungos whose names are entered in the list* attached hereto shall receive careful consideration in connection with all classes of appointments for which they may be qualified. In the case of settlement kanungos he is prepared to make reasonable concessions in the matter of the age limit of 25 years, which is usually prescribed for candidates for Government appointments.

* Not published.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Board of Revenue, to all Commissioners of Divisions, and to Heads of Departments.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 8989L.R.—The 14th November 1916.—The following draft of proposed additions to the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), and the forms appended thereto, published under Government Notification No. 11574L.R., dated the 7th December 1914, at pages 2205—2226, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, is hereby published for general information under the provisions of section 190(1) of the said Act.

Any objections or suggestions which any person may desire to make with respect to the draft should be submitted to Government in the Revenue Department before the 21st December 1916, on which date the draft will be taken into consideration :—

(1) *After* rule 28, Chapter V, *add* the following :—

"28A. After the forfeiture of any amount kept in deposit as landlord's fee, the money-order commission realised for its transmission will be repaid, on application, to the depositor or his legal heirs."

(2) In each of forms 3, 5 and 7, line 5, *after* the words "The landlord's fee of Rs. ," *add* :—" money-order fee of Rs. ".

No. 1904T.R.—The 4th November 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. I. Newton, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, and Technical Adviser to the Settlement Officer, Noakhali and Tippera, is appointed to discharge, in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Noakhali. Tippera.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 1905T.R.—The 4th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 108A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Pramatha Nath Datta and Babu Upendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collectors and Assistant Settlement Officers, Dacca, to make corrections, in accordance with the provisions of that section, in entries in records-of-rights in the district of Dacca, as well as in those Revenue Survey mauzas which are comprised within the administrative boundaries of the district of Pabna or Tippera, but which fall wholly or partly within five miles from the main stream of any river which forms the administrative boundary of the district of Dacca.

Dacca. Pabna. Tippera.

No. 8829L.A.—The 9th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48(*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition the piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs, 2 chitaks and 35 square feet of standard measurement, being the premises No. 125, Monoharpukur Road, which was covered by Declaration No. 1939L.A., dated the 21st February 1916, published at pages 370-72, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd February 1916, and was required for Scheme No. IVA of the Calcutta Improvement Trust.

Calcutta.

No. 8781L.A.—The 8th November 1916.—Babu Lal Bihari Das, Subdivisional Officer of Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Murshidabad.

No. 8882L.A.—The 11th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 10 chitaks of standard measurement, being the premises noted below which were covered by Declaration No. 1827L.A.,

Calcutta. 24-Parganas.

dated the 16th February 1915, published at pages 267-268, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th February 1915, and were required by the Calcutta Improvement Trust for Scheme No. V in Wards Nos. XXI and XXII of the Calcutta Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

	No. of premises.	Area.
(1)	5, Shambhu Nath Pandit Hospital Lane ...	8 chitaks.
(2)	41, Chakrabere Road North (portion) ...	2 ,,

24-Parganas.

No. 8929L.A.—The 13th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a portion of land being premises No. 129, Narkeldanga Main Road, measuring 25 bighas, 7 cottahs and 10 chitaks, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 8888L.A., dated the 8th September 1914, published at page 1706, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 9th idem, and required for the proposed Grand Trunk Canal. The piece of land is bounded as follows :—

North—By Joynarain Tarka Panchanan Lane, municipal drain and the land of Mr. S. P. Chatterji.

East—By the municipal drain and the land of Maulvi Akramai Huq, Apurba Krista Aditya, Mr. S. P. Chatterji and Narayan Chandra Chatterji.

South—By Narkeldanga Main Road and the land of Maulvi Akramal Huq, Apurba Krista Aditya and Mr. S. P. Chatterji.

West—By the Kankurgachi Chord Line of the Eastern Bengal Railway.

Dacca. Mymensingh.

No. 8954Jur.—The 13th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by the Bengal Districts Act, 1864 (Bengal Act IV of 1864), and in modification of so much of Notification No. 109, dated the 27th August 1874, published in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 16th September 1874, as relates to the boundary between the districts of Dacca and Mymensingh, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the common boundaries of the mauzas in the following schedule shall henceforward be the boundary between the Narayanganj subdivision of the Dacca district and the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district :—

Schedule.

DACCA DISTRICT.

Names of mauzas.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Rajpura.	Revenue Survey number.
Gangkul ...	1	5212
Jhalpara ...	27	5237
Lengta Ahammadpur ...	28	541
Khidirpur ...	32	540
Char Mandalia ...	31	539
Char Gulgalia ...	33	
Krishnapur ...	34	5240
Paikan ...	35	5243
Jamalpur ...	36	5241
Char Krishnapur ...	37	5244
Bhawaler Char ...	38	
Binyabaid ...	43	5253
Lohajuri Chak ...	44	
Char Latifpur ...	45	5219
Char Kasinagar ...	46	5213
Char Bhagber ...	47	5216
Baribari ...	101	5292
Belaira ...	204	5358
Char Lakshmipura ...	206	5290
Purba Char Lakshmipura ...	207	5394
Uttar Kalika Prasad ...	209	650
Saralabad ...	220	652
Bughunpur ...	221	653
Mamudabad ...	222	654
Ramnagar ...	227	658
Gauripur ...	228	5464

MYMENSINGH DISTRICT.

Names of mauzas.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Katiadi.	Revenue Survey number.
Char Khama ...	108	8
Mardi ...	109	9
Narapati ...	110	10
Nagar Hazradi or Patia ...	111	65
Degambardi ...	112	66
Mandarkandi ...	113	67
Char Kazi ...	114	70
Khidirpur ...	115	72
Rajdi Garakandi ...	167	538
Manoharpur Adampur ...	168	537
Purbapara or Nanakandi	169	536
Char Pakhia ...	250	545
Char Paratala Purba ...	251	544
Abdullapur Char, Char Kahonia, Lohajuri ...	252	547

Names of mauzas.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Bajitpur.	Revenue Survey number.
Abdullapur ...	313	547
Char Aicha ...	314	620
Darigaon ...	315	621
Bhabanipur ...	316	638
Salua ...	320	641
Alalpur ...	321	640
Faridpur ...	323	643
Char Napit ...	322	642
Hapania ...	324	644
Kalika Prasad, Uttar ...	325	649
Kalika Prasad ...	326	648
Ulukandi or Bhairabpur	352	650

No. 8955Jur.—The 13th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 8 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of notification dated the 25th May 1882, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that, with effect from the 1st December 1916, the limits of the Narayanganj subdivision, in the district of Dacca, shall include the local areas of the following police-stations :—

Dacca.

Police-station.	Number and date of notification defining jurisdiction.
1 Narayanganj ...	No. 12512P., dated 9th November 1916.
2 Baidyabazar ...	„ 12513P., „ „ „
3 Raipura ...	„ 12509P., „ „ „
4 Monahardi ...	„ 12510P., „ „ „
5 Rupganj ...	„ 12511P., „ „ „
6 Narsingdi ...	„ 12514P., „ „ „

No. 1898T.R.—The 3rd November 1916.—The services of Mr. H. E. Annett, Agricultural Chemist to the Government of Bengal, are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces, with effect from the 28th September 1916.

No. 1899T.R.—The 3rd November 1916.—Mr. R. S. Finlow, Fibre Expert, Bengal, is appointed to act as Agricultural Chemist, Bengal, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the afternoon of the 27th September 1916, during the absence of Mr. H. E. Annett, on deputation.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8823L.A.—The 9th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for road diversion in mile 56 of the Bhairab Bazar-Gouripur section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway, Mymensingh, in the village of Dattapara, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more, or less, 1·77 acres, bounded on the—

Mymensingh.

North—By the District Board road.

East—By the acquired land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway,

South—By the District Board road,

West—By the lands of Sheik Somedali, Maju, Nazim, Sodu, Kalim Bepari, Sheik Nasa, Nasib, Ismail, Laru Bepari, Beradali, Kamaljan Bewa, Sheik Kotu Beali and Khoda Box,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dattapara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8897L.A.—The 11th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a brickfield at Rupsa East Station in connection with the Khulna-Bagerhat Light Railway, in the villages of Ramnagar and Sayer, parganas Hogla and Sanargram respectively, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 22 bighas 8 cottahs and 14 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 7·42 acres, bounded on the—

Khulna.

North—By the lands of Adiladdi Shaikh, Bholai Shaikh, Serajdi Shaikh and Esak Shaikh,

East—By the khas lands of the Narail Babus and by the lands of Foyez, Kanai, Sajem and Chand Shaikh,

South—By the lands of Kanai Shaikh and Dalu Khan, and

West—By the river Rupsa.

is required within the aforesaid villages of Ramnagar and Sayer.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Khulna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8942L.A.—The 13th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of a *chara* under bridge No. 56 on the Ramghar Road, section II, in the village of Charia, thana Hathazari, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 0·019 acre, bounded on the—

Chittagong.

PLOT I.

North and West—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 7496,

South and East—By cadastral survey plot No. 7127 ;

PLOT II.

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 7127,

East, South and West—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 6996 :

PLOT III.

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 9563,

East—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 6935,

South—By part of cadastral survey plots Nos. 6991, 6990, 6937, 6936, 6935,

West—By cadastral survey plot No. 9563,

are required within the aforesaid village of Charia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8945L.A.—The 13th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Midnapore for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a bridge on the Rahar Khal, in the villages of Johalbhanga and Jamda, pargana Jhargram, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs 12 chitaks 35 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to ·228 acre, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

PLOT I.

North and East—By Kartic Chandra Banerji's land,
South—By Rahar Khal.
West—By District Board road,

PLOT II.

North—By Rahar Khal,
East and South—By nutan patit lands of Sahadeb Mahata.
West—By District Board road,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Johalbhanga and Jamda.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8948L.A.—The 13th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for a tank at Dhamrai, in the village of Kazipur, pargana Sultanprotap, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15 bighas 13 cottahs and 1 chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the Local Board road and land of Lower Primary School,
East—By the land of Lower Primary School, remaining portion of the land of Jogi Sanaidar and others, Alezan Chowkidar, Ram Chandra Poddar and others and Bepin Behari Basak and others,
South—By the land of Ram Chandra Poddar and others and remaining portion of the land of Bepin Behari Basak and others,
West—By the Local Board road, land acquired for Dhamrai police-station, land of Bepin Behari Basak and others land of Shek Torap Ali, garden land of Radha Nath Basak, Bepin Behari Basak and others,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kazipur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector, Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8964L.A.—The 14th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Tangail Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a public latrine at Tangail, in the village of Pardighulia, pargana Kagmari, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared

Mymensingh.

that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14¼ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the Basha of Abdul Khalek Khan,

East—By the Basha of Wajed Islam,

South—By the Basha of Rajendra Kumar Ray Choudhury,

West—By the municipal road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Pardighulia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8967L.A.—The 14th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for the Lakhpur Inspection Bungalow in the village of Char Lakhpur, pargana Maheshwardi, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas, 6 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the public halat,

South—By the remaining portion of the nal land of Jalal Baksha,

East and West—By the remaining portion of the nal land of Krishna Chandra Pal and others and Jalal Baksha,

is required within the aforesaid village of Char Lakhpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the Collectorate, Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

No. 8826L.A.—The 9th November 1916.—In lines 4-5 of Declaration No. 4151L.A., dated the 28th April 1916, published at page 848, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd May 1916, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the East Indian Railway Company for Lillooah unfiltered water-supply in the district of Howrah, *for* the words "in the villages of Belur and Barakpur" *read* "in the villages of Bally and Barakpur."

Howrah.

No. 8885L.A.—The 11th November 1916.—In lines 5, 6, 12 and 13 in Declaration No. 963L.A., dated 26th January 1915, published at page 127, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, in respect of the land required for the construction of the Sara-Serajganj Railway in the district of Pabna *for* the villages of "Kanak, Bamangram, Srifalgati, Charghatina, Matikora, Bhadrakol, Bethkandi and Shamkola" *read* "Kawak, Enaithpur, Srifalgati, Bamangram *alias* Bamungati, Charghatina, Charkardhupulia, Suridhupalia, Matikora, Bhadrakol, Bethkandi, Shaukola (Saokola)."

Pabna.

No. 8961L.A.—The 13th November 1916.—In line 5 of the Declaration No. 11839L.A., dated the 2nd December 1915, published at page 1991, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the District Board of Rajshahi for the construction of Tanore Inspection Bungalow in mauza Tanore, district Rajshahi, *for* "pargana Chandlai" *read* "pargana Chinaso."

Rajshahi.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 8835Regn.—The 9th November 1916.—Maulvi Reazuddin Ahmad, Probationer of Mymensingh, is granted leave on medical certificate, under rule 1 to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for nineteen days, and extraordinary leave without allowances, under rule 2 to article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eleven days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 8550Regn., dated the 24th October 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 8837Regn.—The 9th November 1916.—Maulvi Nazirnddin Muhammad, Probationer of Dacca, was granted leave on medical certificate, under rule 1 to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and three days, with effect from the 20th November 1915.

This cancels Notification No. 12149Regn., dated the 11th December 1915.

Dacca.

No. 8839Regn.—The 9th November 1916.—Babu Prakash Nath Basu, Joint Sub-Registrar of Alipore, at Behala, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for four months, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 6068Regn., dated the 29th July 1916.

24-Parganas.

No. 8841Regn.—The 9th November 1916.—Maulvi Maula 'Ali, Sub-Registrar, grade III, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 4911Regn., dated the 22nd June 1916.

No. 8843Regn.—The 9th November 1916.—Maulvi A. K. M. Mokrambillah Chaudhuri, Probationer of Noakhali, is granted extraordinary leave without allowances, under rule 2 to article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for nineteen days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 6972Regn., dated the 28th August 1916.

Noakhali.

No. 8860Regn.—The 10th November 1916.—Maulvi Saiyid Ibrahim Ali, Sub-Registrar, grade V, was on medical leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the afternoon of the 24th July 1916 to the 8th September 1916.

No. 8862Regn.—The 10th November 1916.—Maulvi In'amul Kabirul Qadiri, Sub-Registrar of Gobindganj, in the district of Rangpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for five weeks with effect from the 13th November 1916.

Rangpur.

No. 8864Regn.—The 10th November 1916.—Babu Monoranjan Das, Sub-Registrar of Mirserai, in the district of Chittagong, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Chittagong.

No. 8866 Regn.—The 10th November 1916.—Maulvi Nazmul Haq Khan, Probationer of Chittagong, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Mirserai, in the same district, during the absence on leave of Babu Monoranjan Das, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

No. 8874 Regn.—The 10th November 1916.—Maulvi Furrack Ahmad, Probationer of Chittagong, is granted extraordinary leave without allowances, under articles 232 and 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 24th October 1916 to the 13th February 1917, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 8001 Regn., dated the 27th September 1916.

Chittagong.

No. 8878 Regn.—The 10th November 1916.—Maulvi 'Abdul 'Alim Muhammad, Sub-Registrar of Madarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kendua in the same district, with effect from the 22nd September 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 8880 Regn.—The 10th November 1916.—Babu Prafulla Krishna Ghosh, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Madarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 26th September 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 8915 Regn.—The 13th November 1916.—Babu Shib Chandra Banarji, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Dhaniakhali, in the district of Hooghly, with effect from the 23rd October 1916, until further orders, *vice* Babu Annada Prasad Biswas, retired.

Hooghly.

No. 8936 Regn.—The 13th November 1916.—Babu Prafulla Krishna Ghosh, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, while officiating as Sub-Registrar of Kendua, in the district of Mymensingh, was granted extraordinary leave without allowances, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-two days, with effect from the 4th September 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 8938 Regn.—The 13th November 1916.—Kazi Jamatullah, Second clerk of the Sadar Registration Office at Mymensingh, acted as Sub-Registrar of Kendua, in the same district, from the 4th to the 21st September 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Prafulla Krishna Ghosh.

Mymensingh.

No. 8972 Regn.—The 14th November 1916.—Babu Sarat Chandra Banarji, clerk of the Raona Sub-Registry Office, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Raona, with effect from the afternoon of the 6th October 1916, until further orders.

Burdwan.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 8833 Regn.—The 9th November 1916.—Under section 3 of the Special Marriage Act, 1872 (Act III of 1872), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Lalit Mohan Das, M.A., to be Registrar of Marriages under the said Act, for the town of Calcutta, *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Ray, resigned.

Calcutta.

The limits of the jurisdiction of the Marriage Registrar shall be conterminous with the jurisdiction of the Registrar of Calcutta appointed under the Indian Registration Act, XVI of 1908.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 8876Regn.—The 10th November 1916.—The following corrections should be made in Notification No. 7804Regn., dated the 19th September 1916, published at pages 1713-1752, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th idem, regarding the rules under section 69 of the Indian Registration Act. 1908 (XVI of 1908) :—

(1) In the marginal heading of rule 17(*1*) *add* "etc." after the last word.

(2) In the marginal heading of rule 60(*1*) *for* rule "53" *substitute* rule "56."

(3) In lines 2 and 3 of rule 74, sub-rule (*2*), *delete* the words "if possible," and in the 4th line of the same sub-rule *insert* the words "and if possible" between the words "recopied' and "on the document."

(4) In column 2 of Form No. 1, Appendix I, *read* "Twenty lines of fifteen words each" *for* "Fifteen lines of twenty words each."

(5) In column 5 of Form No. 9, Appendix I, *for* the word "clause" *read* "cause."

(6) Under the heading of Appendix III.—Holidays, *substitute* rule "123" *for* rule "129."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1422Edn.—The 14th November 1916.—Babu Hari Narayan Bose, Head Master, Government School of Art, Calcutta, in class VI of the Provincial Educational Service, acted as Vice-Principal of the School, from the 15th September 1915 to the 18th June 1916, both days inclusive, *vice* Mr. A. N. Tagore, resigned.

Calcutta.

No. 95T.—Eccle.—The 2nd November 1916.—In modification of Notification No. 65T.—Eccle., dated the 26th September 1916, the Revd. E. W. P. Keeling, a Chaplain of the Church of England on the Bengal Ecclesiastical establishment, is granted combined leave for a period of seven months and 24 days, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for 24 days under articles 593 and 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st August 1916, and furlough on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 584 (*a*) (*ii*) of the Regulations.

No. 210Eccle.—The 8th November 1916.—The Revd. W. A. H. Parker, Chaplain of St. Thomas' Church, Calcutta, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India a further extension of furlough for four months on medical certificate.

Calcutta.

No. 213Eccle.—The 11th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 3 of Act V (B. C.) of 1881, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Revd. W. Thomson, M.A., B.D., Senior Chaplain, St Andrew's Church, Calcutta, to be a member of the Christian Burial Board for the town and suburbs of Calcutta, *vice* the Revd. D. H. Gillan. B.D., transferred.

Calcutta.

No. 216Eccle.—The 13th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 4 of Act V (B.C.) of 1881, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. S. W Goode, I.C.S., Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation, to be Chairman of the Christian Burial Board for the town and suburbs of Calcutta, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. C. F. Payne, I.C.S., resigned.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Copy of a letter, No. 5971F., dated the 10th November 1916, to the Accountant-General, Bengal.

IN continuation of Government order No. 5485F., dated the 29th September 1916, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the grant of grain compensation allowance of Re. 1 a month to all whole-time servants under this Government on the Civil establishment, drawing Rs. 12 or less per month, who were employed in the districts of Bengal, except the Chittagong Hill Tracts, in which cheapest common rice was dearer than 10 seers per rupee during the month of September 1916. These orders will have effect for the month of September 1916.

No. 2359S.R.—The 13th November 1916.—In Notification No. 20298.R., dated the 19th September 1916, published at pages 1795 to 1802, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 27th idem, on the subject of the rules prescribed for refund of tax chargeable under the Indian Income Tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), as amended by Act V of 1916, in the second line of paragraph 2 of the application Form I at page 1797, *after* the words "under Part II" *read* "and a refund of Rs. at one anna in the rupee on an income of Rs. under Part III."

Substitute "1 (1), 5 (1), 6 and 8 (2)" *for* "1, 5, 6 and 8 (1)" after the words "see rules" under Form I at page 1797.

Substitute "1 (2), 5 (1), 6 and 8 (2)" *for* "1 (1), 5, 6 and 8 (1)" after the words "see rules" under Form II at page 1799.

Substitute "8 (2)" *for* "8 (1)" after the words "see rule" under Form III at page 1800.

No. 4278Com.—The 13th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 56 of the Indian Factories Act, 1911 (XII of 1911), the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt the Shalimar Rope Works at Sibpur in the district of Howrah from the provisions of sub-section (*1*) of section 22 of the said Act, for a further period of six months, with effect from the 23rd October 1916.

Howrah.

No. 4269Com.—The 14th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 163 of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules in force in the divisions of Chittagong, Dacca and Rajshahi, and published under Notification No. 3412, dated the 15th October 1901, at page 1253 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th *idem*, as amended by Notification No. 1110, dated the 4th March 1902, published at pages 350—356 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th *idem*, namely:—

For the list of medicines, medical stores and comforts given in Form 34 and Schedule C appended to the rules published under the said Notification No. 3412 of the 15th October 1901, as amended

by Notification No. 1110 of the 4th March 1902, *substitute* the following list :—

FORM No. 34.

[See Rule 169.]

Form for shipment and issue of medical stores and comforts on board the B. S. for use of emigrants proceeding to

Trip No.

No. of persons (statute adults)

Name of article.	Scale of quantity to be shipped for 200 persons (*a*)	Quantity actually shipped.	Expended	Balance in hand
Medicines.	lbs. oz. dr.	lbs. oz. dr.	lbs. oz. dr.	lbs. oz. dr.
Acid. Carbolicum	0 8 0			
Acid. Nit. Hyd. Chlor. Dil ...	0 4 0			
Acid. Sulphuric Dil. ...	0 8 0			
Acid. Tannicum	0 0 4			
Æther	0 2 0			
Alumen	0 1 0			
Ammonii Carbonas	0 2 0			
Aqua Distillata	One bottle			
Argenti Nitras	0 0 1			
Aspirin	0 0 4			
Camphora	0 2 0			
Chirata	2 0 0			
Chloroform	0 4 0			
Creosotum	0 1 0			
Creata Præparata	0 4 0			
Cupri Sulphas	0 0 4			
Emplastrum Resinæ (*b*) . .	1 yard.			
Extract Ergot. Liquid ...	0 2 0			
Ferri Sulphas	0 1 0			
Glycerine	0 4 0			
Hydrarg. Subchlorid ...	0 0 1			
Hydrarg. cum Creta Saccharata	0 0 2			
Iodoform	0 1 0			
Lin. Camph. Ammoniat ...	0 8 0			
Liq. Ammon. Acetat ...	1 0 0			
Liq. Arsenicalis ...	0 1 0			
Liq. Strychniæ ...	0 1 0			
Magnes. Carbonas Levis ...	0 0 4			
Magnesii Sulphas ...	0 8 0			
Oleum Menth. Peperit. ...	0 2 0			
Oleum Ricini (*c*) ...	2 bottles.			
Oleum Terebinth ...	0 4 0			
Pil. Colocynth Comp. ...	0 1 0			
Pil. Ipecac. cum Scilla ...	0 2 0			
Pil. Pot. Permanganate 2 grains	No. 200.			
Plumbi Acetas ...	0 1 4			
Potass. Bicarbonas ...	0 4 0			
Potass. Iodidum ...	0 1 0			
Potass. Nitras ...	0 2 0			
Pulv. Cret. Aromat. cum Opio ...	0 2 0			
Pulv. Ipecacuanhæ ...	0 0 4			
Pulv. Ipecac. Comp. ...	0 2 0			
Pulv. Jalapæ Comp. ...	0 0 8			
Pulv. Opii ...	0 0 4			
Pulv. Rhei Comp. ...	0 1 0			

(*a*) If more than 200 persons are carried, then double the scale of expendible articles is to be shipped
(*b*) Spread adhesive plaster
(*c*) Ordinary reputed quarts.

Name of article	Scale of quantity to be shipped for 200 persons.	Quantity actually shipped.	Expended.	Balance in hand
Medicines—concluded.	lbs. oz. dr.	lbs. oz. dr.	lbs. oz. dr.	lbs. oz. dr.
Quininæ Sulphas ...	0 2 0			
Santoninum ...	0 0 4			
Sodii Bicarbonas ...	0 4 0			
Spirit Æther Nitrosi ...	0 8 0			
Spirit Ammon. Aromat. ...	0 8 0			
Sulphur Sublimatum ...	0 2 0			
Tablet Sodium Chloride Compound (*a*).	No. 200.			
Tablet Hypodermic—				
Atrop. Sulph. gr. $\frac{1}{100}$—one tube.				
Digitalin gr. $\frac{1}{100}$—one tube.				
Emetine Hydrochlor., gr. $\frac{1}{3}$—two tubes.				
Morphine Part. gr. $\frac{1}{4}$—one tube.				
Tinctura Camphor Co. ...	0 8 0			
Tinctura Cardam. Co. ...	0 2 0			
Tinctura Catechu ...	0 2 0			
Tinct. Chloroform et Morph. (*b*)	0 1 0			
Tinct. Iodine ...	0 4 0			
Tinctura Opii	0 1 0			
Tinctura Scillæ	0 4 0			
Ung. Acid Borici	0 8 0			
Ung. Sulphuris	0 4 0			
Zinci Sulphas	0 1 0			
Instruments and Appliances.				
Saline Infusion Apparatus ...	1			
Stethoscope	1			
Pocket case	1			
Catheters	6			
Hypodermic Syringe ...	1			
Scales and weights	1			
Measure-glasses	3			
Pill tile	1			
Spatula	1			
Splint (set)	2			
Bedpans	3 and for every additional 100 persons, 1.			
Corkscrew	1 (only)			
Steriliser, small	1			
Syringe, glass	1			
Bowls, enamelled	2			
Medical Comforts.				
Brandy	0 8 0			
Cotton, wool	0 8 0			
Cloth for bandages	3 yards			
Linseed meal	2 0 0			
Mustard	0 4 0			
Arrowroot (*c*)	10 0 0			
Sago (*c*)	10 0 0			
Sugar	5 0 0			

(*a*) Sodium Chloride gr. 40, Pot. Chloride gr. 2, Cal. Chloride 1·8.
(*b*) Or else Coltie Browne's Chlorodyne.
(*c*) To be of ordinary quality, but good and clean.

Name of article.	Scale of quantity to be shipped for 200 persons.	Quantity actually shipped	Expended.	Balance in hand.
Medical Comforts—concluded.	lbs. oz. dr.	lbs. oz. dr.	lbs. oz. dr.	lbs. oz. dr.
Liebig's extract of meat ...	1 0 0			
Preserved milk (*a*)	One tin to every 10 persons.			
Feeding bottle	One to every four infants.			
Nipples	Four to each feeding bottle.			
Disinfectants				
Cyllin	1 gallon.			
Acid, Tar, for latrines ...	1 „			
Disinfecting powder ...	10 0 0			
Disinfecting solution (*b*) ...	3 bottles			
Sulphur for fumigation ...	1 0 0			
Permanganate of potash ...	1 0 0			
Books and Forms.				
British Pharmacopœia	1			
Assam Pharmacopœia ...	1			
A. C. M. D. Book No. 21.				
Report on arrival of steamer.				
Form No. 34 prescribed by rules under the Assam Labour and Emigration Act.				

(*a*) One pound mixed with half a gallon of tepid water makes good milk for use with or without sago, &c., for infants, nursing mothers, or invalids. If under exceptional circumstances an extra quantity be needed, the Master may be required by the Medical Officer to supply it.

(*b*) DISINFECTING SOLUTION.

Instructions for preparing the solution of Perchloride of Mercury for disinfecting purposes.

Take an ordinary galvanized iron bucket, of 4 gallons capacity, thoroughly paint it inside and outside, with tar or dammer. Then take 20 ounces perchloride of mercury, 40 ounces of common salt and 40 fluid ounces of strong hydrochloric acid. Dissolve in 3 gallons of hot water, stirring with a wooden stick to hasten the process. When all the salts are dissolved, the solution may be bottled off in ordinary quart bottles; the above quantity will fill 20 such. When required for use, half a bottle full of the mixture may be diluted with 3 gallons of cold water to form a solution of the strength of very closely 1 to 1,000. The solution is intensely poisonous and must not be left about near the source of supply of drinking water or in the way of domestic animals.

If a supply of hydrochloric acid is not available, the solution may be made without it, but it is preferable to add it when obtainable. If metal pumps are employed for distributing the solution, they should, previous to use, be worked in vegetable oil and after use thoroughly cleaned with fresh water in order to lessen the corrosive action of the mercury.

60 grains = 1 dram
8 drams = 1 ounce
16 ounces = 1 pound.

Certified that the medical stores and comforts on board have been shipped according to the above scale for persons.

DATED AT
The 19 . } *Master.*

Checked the issue and examined the surplus of the medical stores and comforts and found

DATED AT
The 19 . } *Final Inspecting Officer.*

The medical stores and comforts on board have been inspected and approved.

DATED AT
The 19 . } *Embarkation Agent.*

SCHEDULE C.

(See Rule 165.)

Scale of medicines for emigrants in transit in steamers.

Name of article.	Scale of quantity to be shipped for 200 persons.(a)
Medicines.	lbs. oz. dr.
Acid. Carbolicum	0 8 0
Acid. Nit. Hyd. Chlor. Dil....	0 4 0
Acid. Sulphuric Dil.	0 8 0
Acid. Tannicum	0 0 4
Æther	0 2 0
Alumen	0 1 0
Ammonii Carbonas	0 2 0
Aqua Distillata	1 bottle.
Argenti Nitras	0 0 1
Aspirin	0 0 4
Camphora	0 2 0
Chirata	2 0 0
Chloroform	0 4 0
Creosotum	0 1 0
Creata Præparata	0 4 0
Cupri Sulphas	0 0 4
Emplastrum Resinæ (*b*)	1 yard.
Extract Ergot. Liquid	0 2 0
Ferri Sulphas	0 1 0
Glycerine	0 4 0
Hydrarg. Subchlorid	0 0 1
Hydrarg. cum Creta Saccharata	0 0 2
Iodoform	0 1 0
Lin. Camph. Ammoniat	0 8 0
Liq. Ammon. Acetat	1 0 0
Liq. Arsenicalis	0 1 0
Liq. Strychniæ	0 1 0
Magnes. Carbonas Levis	0 0 4
Magnesii Sulphas	0 8 0
Oleum Menth. Peperit	0 2 0
Oleum Ricini (*c*)	2 bottles.
Oleum Terebinth	0 4 0
Pil. Colocynth Comp.	0 1 0
Pil Ipecac. cum Scilla	0 2 0
Pil. Pot. Permanganate, 2 gr.	No. 200.
Plumbi Acetas	0 1 4
Potass. Bicarbonas	0 4 0
Potass. Iodidum	0 1 0
Potass. Nitras	0 2 0
Pulv. Cret. Aromat. cum Opio	0 2 0
Pulv. Ipecacuanhæ	0 0 4
Pulv. Ipecac. Comp.	0 2 0
Pulv. Jalapæ Comp.	0 0 8
Pulv. Opii	0 0 4
Pulv. Rhei Comp.	0 1 0
Quininæ Sulphas	0 2 0
Santoninum	0 0 4
Sodii Bicarbonas	0 4 0
Spirit. Æther Nitrosi	0 8 0
Spirit. Ammon. Aromat.	0 8 0
Sulphur Sublimatum	0 2 0
Tablet Sodium Chloride Compound (*d*) ...	200 0 0

(a) If more than 200 persons are carried, then double the scale of expendible articles is to be shipped.
(b) Spread adhesive plaster
(c) Ordinary reputed quarts.
(d) Sodium Chloride gr. 40, Pot. Chloride gr. 2, Cal. Chloride gr. 1·8

Name of article.	Scale of quantity to be shipped for 200 persons
Medicines—concluded.	lbs. oz. dr.
Tablet Hypodermic— Atrop. Sulph. gr. $\frac{1}{100}$—one tube. Digitalin gr. $\frac{1}{100}$—one tube. Emetine Hydrochlor gr. $\frac{1}{3}$—two tubes. Morphine Tart gr. $\frac{1}{4}$—one tube.	
Tinctura Camphor Co.	0 8 0
Tinctura Cardam. Co.	0 2 0
Tinctura Catechu	0 2 0
Tinct. Chloroform et Morph. (*a*)	0 1 0
Tinct. Iodine	0 4 0
Tinctura Opii	0 1 0
Tinctura Scillæ	0 4 0
Ung. Acid Borici	0 8 0
Ung. Sulphuris	0 4 0
Zinci. Sulphas	0 1 0
Instruments and appliances.	
Saline Infusion Apparatus	1
Stethoscope	1
Pocket case	1
Catheters	6
Hypodermic syringe	1
Scales and weights	1
Measure glasses	3
Pill tile	1
Spatula	1
Splints (set)	2
Bedpans	3 and for every additional 100 persons, 1.
Corkscrew	1 (only)
Steriliser, small	1
Syringe, glass	1
Bowls enamelled	2
Medical comforts.	
Brandy	0 8 0
Cotton, wool	0 8 0
Cloth for bandages	3 yards.
Linseed meal	2 0 0
Mustard	0 4 0
Arrowroot (*b*)	10 0 0 (in tin).
Sago (*b*)	10 0 0 (in tin).
Sugar	5 0 0 (in wooden cases).
Liebig's extract of meat	1 0 0 (in wooden cases).
Preserved milk(*c*)	One tin to every 10 persons.

(*a*) Or else Collis Browne's Chlorodyne

(*b*) To be of ordinary quality, but good and clean.

(*c*) One pound mixed with half a gallon of tepid water makes good milk for use with or without sago, &c., for infants, nursing mothers, or invalids. If under exceptional circumstances an extra quantity be needed, the Master may be required by the Medical Officer to supply it.

Name of article.	Scale of quantity to be shipped for 200 persons.
Medical comforts—concluded.	
Feeding bottle	One to every 4 infants.
Nipples	Four to each feeding bottle.
Disinfectants.	
Cyllin	1 gallon
Acid, Tar, for latrines	1 „
	lb. oz. dr.
Disinfecting powder	10 0 0
Disinfecting solution (*a*)	3 bottles.
Sulphur for fumigation	1 0 0
Permanganate of potash	1 0 0
Books and Forms.	
British Pharmacopœia	1
Assam Pharmacopœia	1
A. C. M. D. Book No. 21.	
Report on arrival of steamer.	
Form No. 34 prescribed by rules under the Assam Labour and Emigration Act.	

(*a*) DISINFECTING SOLUTION.

Instructions for preparing the solution of Perchloride of mercury for disinfecting purposes.

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If a supply of hydrochloric acid is not available, the solution may be made without it, but it is preferable to add it when obtainable. If metal pumps are employed for distributing the solution, they should, previous to use, be worked in vegetable oil and after use thoroughly cleaned with fresh water in order to lessen the corrosive action of the mercury.

60 grains = 1 dram.
8 drams = 1 ounce.
16 ounces = pound.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8238A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3995A.D.—The 8th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Dinesh Chandra Ray the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Pabna, for a period of three years from the 21st November 1916, and

Pabna.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Shahzadpur Bench in the said district.

No. 4009A.D.—The 9th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. Robert Necoll Neish the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas. for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Titagarh Bench in the said district.

No. 8231A.—The 14th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Nawabzada Khwaja Muhammad Afzal the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Dacca, for a period of three years from the 2nd December 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 8233A.—The 14th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Mas'ud-ul-Haq the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Nadia, for a period of three years from the 2nd December 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Kushtia subdivision of the said district,

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Kushtia Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 8235A.—The 14th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Khundkar Said-ur-Rahman the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Mymensingh, for a period of three years from the 30th November 1916, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Jamalpur subdivision of the said district, and

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Jamalpur Bench in the said district.

RESIGNATION.

No. 4011A.D.—The 9th November 1916.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Nilratan Adhikari of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Kumarhati Bench in the district of the 24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 3987A.D.—The 8th November 1916.—Babu Jatindra Kumar Biswas, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been transferred to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district, is vested with powers under sections 110, 133, 186, 190(*1*)(*c*) and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Mymensingh.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3346J.—The 14th November 1916.—Babu Banku Bihari Chatarji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Thakurgaon, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Thakurdas Banarji, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

LEAVE.

No. 3350J.—The 3rd November 1916.—Babu Mohar Lal De, Munsif of Bolpur, in the district of Birbhum, is allowed combined leave for six months, namely, privilege leave for three days under article 271, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th November 1916.

Birbhum.

POWERS.

No. 3348J.—The 14th November 1916.—Babu Harijiban Banarji, Munsif of Berhampur, in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885).

Murshidabad.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3344J.—The 13th November 1916.—In supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under sub-section (*1*) of section 13 of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), that, with effect from the 1st December 1916, the local limits of the Narayanganj Munsifi in the district of Dacca shall include the local areas of the following police-stations:—

Dacca.

Police-station.		No. and date of notification defining jurisdiction.
(1) Narayanganj	...	No. 12512P., dated 9th November 1916.
(2) Baidyabazar	...	„ 12513P., „ „ „
(3) Raipura	...	„ 12509P., „ „ „
(4) Monaiardi	...	„ 12510P., „ „ „
(5) Rupganj	...	„ 12511P., „ „ „
(6) Narsingdi	...	„ 12514P., „ „ „

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 12453P.—The 6th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (1) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of Notification No. 764J.D of the 12th May 1904, published at pages 738 to 742, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th May 1904, as relates to the area included within Muhammadbazar police-station in thana Suri, in the district of Birbhum, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Birbhum.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Suri.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Hukmapur Murali ...	422	6
2	Arazi Narsingpur ...	423	7
3	Narsingpur ...	424	8
4	Chak Muchkari ...	425	9
5	Birajpur or Girazpur...	426	10
6	Rajanpur ...	427	11
7	Amjola ...	428	12
8	Kalidaha ...	429	13
9	Nijuri ...	430	14
10	Gopmahal ...	431	15
11	Meherpur or Tangaili	432	16
12	Arazi Nanda ...	433	17
13	Babundiha ...	434	18
14	Nanda ...	435	20
15	Nelapukur ...	436	19
16	Arazi Boidyanathpur...	437	109
17	Chak Daria ...	438	110
18	Boidyanathpur, Ramsing.	439	106
19	Karia ...	440	105
20	Chakdara or Shahabazar.	441	105
21	Helanpur ...	442	101
22	Rashpur ...	443	99
23	Charcha, Raghubarpur	444	2
24	Gopmahal ...	445	3
25	Badasol ...	446	4
26	Khoyrakuri ...	447	118
27	Chak Araipur or Rajnor.	448	116
28	Chak Talalpur ...	449	115
29	Rajnagar ...	450	113
30	Chak Sankarpur ...	451	112
31	Lohadihi ...	452	111
32	Amarpur ...	453	110
33	Saguna ...	454	96
34	Biropur ...	455	98
35	Chak Baharakuri ...	456	98
36	Dhananjoypur ...	457	185
37	Puthasuna ...	458	182
38	Budhnathgunj ...	459	183
39	Wahalapur ...	460	184
40	Abdarpur ...	461	102
41	Bishnupur ...	462	103
42	Srikantapur ...	463	125
43	Chak Bandgoan ...	464	124
44	Jhaggarpukhar ...	465	123
45	Kukradihi ...	466	120
46	Chak Ramchandra ...	467	118
47	Andaha ...	468	119
48	Chak Damudarpur ...	469	115
49	Chak Laungbandhi ...	470	116
50	Chak Srikrishna ...	471	114
51	Sadanandapur ...	472	112
52	Paruna ...	473	111
53	Chandrapur ...	474	117
54	Kharbani ...	475	103
55	Amirta Kalan ...	476	104
56	Amirta Khurd ...	477	104
57	Paramo or Parasha ...	478	106
58	Deoli ...	479	109
59	Kamer Naugoan ...	480	110
60	Bhagabandh ...	482	107
61	Kanarpur ...	483	93
62	Salchatra ...	484	78
63	Kaud Saral ...	485	75
64	Raypur Khurd ...	486	74
65	Hingula ...	487	72
66	Arazi Madhugarh ...	488	71
67	Nenidihi ...	489	73
68	Husaipur ...	490	95
69	Dhatrabandi ...	491	94
70	Harkul ...	492	96
71	Kalikuti ...	493	98
72	Chak Radha ...	494	97
73	Chak Hesua ...	495	102
74	Kapista Khurd ...	496	101
75	Kapista Nij ...	497	118
76	Barapathar ...	498	121
77	Nikari or Nikur Chak	499	58
78	Chak Basanta ...	500	59
79	Chak Rameswor ...	501	60
80	Benuijori ...	502	61
81	Kadadihi ...	503	62
82	Sonajol ...	504	100
83	Chak Protappur ...	505	99
84	Sarinda or Surinta ...	506	66
85	Dholagoan ...	507	63
86	Gora Pukhur ...	508	57
87	Arazi Dhogoan ...	509	65
88	Arazi Dhubagoan ...	510	65
89	Jogipur ...	511	70
90	Madhugarh ...	512	69
91	Arazi Madhugarh ...	513	67
92	Chandrapur ...	514	68
93	Arazi Chandrapur ...	515	76
94	Hasinagar ...	516	76
95	Nischintipur ...	517	56
96	Dewangunj ...	518	55
97	Bahadurgunj ...	519	54
98	Dubrajpur ...	520	53
99	Uska ...	521	52
100	Raghunathpur ...	522	139
101	Chakmasidpur ...	523	140
102	Tajpur ...	524	138
103	Chak Gopalnagar ...	525	136
104	Kaligunj ...	526	134
105	Chandipur ...	527	135
106	Anandagunj ...	528	134
107	Deocha Nij ...	529	134
108	Nakulbhanga ...	530	131
109	Kulidihi ...	531	130
110	Chakwakul ...	532	129
111	Dasgoan ...	533	122
112	Chatinlara ...	534	127
113	Chak Sarbashi ...	535	126

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Sirt.	Revenue Survey No.
114	Rampur Nij ...	536	128
115	Chak Faridpur ...	537	157
116	Arazi Hoseingunj ...	538	159
117	Purabali ...	539	159
118	Kurkuri or Kusandi-chak.	540	181
119	Bhagirathpur ...	541	186
120	Audhargoan ...	542	187
121	Bhalaipur ...	543	178
122	Kadarmat ...	544	180
123	Arazi Rupgunj ...	545	179
124	Arazi Hoseingunj ...	546	161
125	Chak Hoseingunj ...	547	160
126	Nijira ...	548	162
127	Arazi Berari or Bhuradihi.	549	177
128	Rupganj ...	550	163
129	Dasjona ...	551	154
130	Kapastori ...	552	155
131	Bagulpur ...	553	156
132	Parmat ...	554	153
133	Kurjori ...	555	152
134	Sahala or Kulbandh-dihi.	556	151
135	Lalbazar ...	557	137
136	Raypur ...	558	148
137	Bambazi ...	559	151
138	Chak Basanta Kharka-joli.	560	151
139	Karura ...	561	146
140	Chak Harua ...	562	147
141	Chandipur ...	563	144
142	Gangra ...	564	144
143	Tentulia ...	565	141
144	Arazi Kamrauj ...	566	91
145	Rautara ...	567	142
146	Sibora ...	568	145
147	Kulia ...	569	167
148	Raghunathpur ...	570	168
149	Lanbazar ...	571	170
150	Chitabala ...	572	164
151	Jaupur ...	573	166
152	Khanpur ...	574	165
153	Muithuajirpur ...	575	173
154	Rupganj ...	576	176
155	Barori or Bhokradihi	577	175
156	Janmajoypur ...	578	174
157	Chak Haripur ...	579	93
158	Kaen Khali ...	580	172
159	Mahamudbazar ...	581	171
160	Baikhana. ...	582	169
161	Mukunda	583	91
162	Nirbhoypur ...	584	92
163	Chak Sibera ...	585	189
164	Latargoan ...	586	188
165	Chak Chural ...	587	190
166	Bedmati ...	588	95
167	Arazi Bedmati ...	589	94
168	Hari Chak ...	590	94
169	Sahura Kundi ...	591	107
170	Adhela Jangal ...	592	109
171	Rumla ...	593	114
172	Taldanga ...	594	108
173	Kasturi or Rashpur ...	595	89
174	Joypur ...	596	90
175	Malpur ...	597	88
176	Kumara ...	598	87
177	Jangarpur ...	599	82
178	Mallisinpur ...	600	83
179	Bhejna ...	601	85
180	Champaphuli ...	602	86
181	Chak Bankulia or Bhanguha.	603	117
182	Kusiara ...	604	84
183	Baharia ...	734	74
184	Dalxlaha ...	735	75
185	Narsingpur ...	736	59
186	Arazi Ghasbera ...	737	59
187	Durgapur ...	738	57
188	Narsingpur Khurd ...	776	55
189	Simulia ...	777	54
190	Bankuri ...	785	53
191	Ghasbera ...	786	60
192	Arazi Aral ...	787	68
193	Chak Janpur ...	788	71
194	Habibpur ...	789	70
195	Bhutora ...	790	71
196	Nijuri ...	791	72
197	Chatarpa ...	792	74
198	Saldaha Jalkar ...	793	73
199	Kunarpur ...	794	109
200	Arazi Kharia ...	795	110
201	Rajyadharpur ...	796	64
202	Arazi Kharia ...	797	112
203	Idal ...	798	113
204	Bargacha ...	799	113
205	Mahamadpur ...	800	66
206	Sobhanpur or Sagar-pur.	801	61
207	Tantipara ...	802	99
208	Chandanpur ...	803	98
209	Bakrakuri ...	804	93
210	Ashakuri ...	805	92
211	Arazi Salchara ...	806	101
212	Kadi Kunda ...	807	100
213	Dayalpur ...	808	102
214	Arazi Dayalpur ...	809	103
215	Purusattampur ...	810	104
216	Amaipur ...	811	62
217	Arazi Asanka ...	812	105
218	Angargaria ...	813	65
219	Ganeshpur ...	814	63
220	Kharia ...	815	108
221	Madhinadihia or Mat-warpur.	816	107
222	Maidihi ...	817	106
223	Kalimati ...	818	52
224	Arazi Madarmati ...	819	48
225	Srichandrapur ...	820	48
226	Arazi Madarmati ...	821	48
227	Arazi Madarmati ...	822	49
228	Kumar Arang ...	823	18
229	Chak Asadullapur ...	824	51
230	Kapalnagar ...	825	50
231	Saluka ...	826	48
232	Makdumnagar ...	827	17
233	Bataspur ...	828	19
234	Sikura ...	829	23
235	Arazi Shibgunj ...	830	27
236	Arazi Shibgunj ...	831	20
237	Arazi Shibgunj ...	832	21
238	Arazi Shibgunj ...	833	22
239	Mallikpur ...	834	24
240	Arazi Shibgunj ...	835	26
241	Arazi Mallikpur ...	836	28
242	Arazi Shibgunj ...	837	25
243	Mallikpur ...	838	45
244	Gazalpur ...	839	44
245	Chak Jamla ...	840	43
246	Kadipur ...	841	46
247	Godalia or Goraichak	842	47
248	Samilgarh or Sahnagar	843	57
249	Chak Arimat ...	844	56
250	Arazi Salchora ...	845	53
251	Arazi Salchora ...	846	54
252	Kabilpur ...	847	55
253	Anandagunj ...	848	90
254	Kumarnagar ...	849	91
255	Arazi Dariapur ...	850	3
256	Wazirpur ...	851	2
257	Majgram ...	893	32
258	Katunia ...	894	46
259	Barani ...	895	48
260	Ghasbera ...	896	47
261	Baugoan ...	977	89
262	Shahanagar ...	978	88
263	Haruka ...	1001	42

No. 12454P.—The 6th November 1916.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Governor of Bengal in Council has been pleased to order the removal of Mathura police-station in thana Mathura, in the district of Pabna, from its present site at Mathura to a new site at Bera, within the same police-station and thana, and to direct that the said police-station shall henceforth be known as Bera police-station.

Pabna.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4(*l*) *s*, of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of notification, dated the 14th January 1875, published at pages 121—149, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th January 1875, as relates to the area included within Mathura police-station and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said Bera police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Mathura.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Birjo Sulecka or Bree Sulecka.	1	16
2	Chuk Batoobaree ...	2	13
3	Chuk Bangaon ...	3	14
4	Sulecka Patuk ...	4	17
5	Baira Burmocharee ...	5	18
6	Sumbhoopoor ...	6	20
7	Pyna Taighurree ...	7	5
8	Doreta or Doreta Bera	8	568
9	Chuk Hapaneea ...	9	12
10	Amchoopra ...	10	7
11	Joreduba ...	11	569
12	Bungabaree ...	12	6
13	Bursilla ...	13	15
14	Bhool Paiekhund ...	14	579
15	Chuk Chakla ...	15	16
16	Dumdumma ...	16	17
17	Kheta Khakolura or Kalia Khakolurra.	17	577
18	Pachooreea ...	18	18
19	Kamteea ...	19	581
20	Hatooreea ...	20	2
21	Sulpo Bursilla ...	21	3
22	Taighuree Saunda and Arazee (two pieces).	22	4
23	Lahora with Arazee (three pieces).	23	22
24	Chuk Baradeeha ...	24	571
25	Paiekhund Doodlakon	25	572
26	Chur Pachakola ...	26	21
27	Chur Nakaleea ...	27	23
28	Kismat Nakaleea ...	28	26
29	Pachakola ...	29	25
30	Chuk Nfanah ...	30	574
31	Hureerampur ...	31	576
32	Tarapoor ...	32	37
33	Bagjumma Nudeeaook	33	36
34	Kooseara ...	34	38
35	Bagchur ...	35	39
36	Saphulla ...	36	38*
37	Maricha ...	37	44
38	Pakuria ...	38	51
39	Dhankopa ...	39	29
40	Pykhund ...	40	33*
41	Araleea ...	41	32*
42	Chuk Tunga ...	42	31
43	Asruppoor ...	43	30†
44	Chuk Saraseea ...	44	...
45	Gheeair ...	45	575
46	Bungateea ...	46	45
47	Burmotur Bungalow with Arazee.	47	46*
48	Saraseea ...	48	28
49	Chur Saraseea ...	49	43*
50	Srikantadiar ...	55	52*
51	Aughogsooah ...	56	52
52	Taranuggur ...	57	53*
53	Boramara Buktarpoor	58	40
54	Singasone ...	59	41
55	Digulgaon ...	60	32
56	Sulpo Nadeeara ...	61	24
57	Bree Nadeeara ...	62	23
58	Dig Tangbaree ...	63	31
59	Hureedebpoor ...	64	19
60	Seebpoor ...	65	5
61	Kapaskandee ...	66	22
62	Bishonathpur ...	67	131
63	Jot Sakhuee ...	68	20
64	Mirzapoor ...	69	86
65	Bund Raneegram ...	70	85
66	Salpo Sindooee Bund Raneegram.	71	84
67	Bree Dateea ...	72	26
68	Bansara Arazee ...	73	25
69	Bansara ...	74	25
70	Nutoobari ...	75	27
71	Roghunathpur ...	76	87
72	Raneegram ...	77	83
73	Sornee Basdeeah ...	78	82
74	Gope Salunda ...	79	90
75	Natakola ...	80	91
76	Chur Bundee ...	81	9
77	Gope Salunda ...	82	81
78	Narsindeeah ...	83	21
79	Sannaseebhada with Arazee (two pieces).	84	87
80	Duynugur ...	85	88
81	Kishmut Khapoor ...	86	142
82	Roopoor ...	87	139
83	Bhowaneepoor ...	88	138
84	Sumnapoor Arazee (three pieces).	89	1
85	Gobind Bhoopara ...	90	141
86	Rooppoor Arazee ...	91	139½
87	Khas Bhoopara with Arazee.	92	140
88	Mastandeeah ...	93	51
89	Nawgaon ...	94	50
90	Deear Brahmundeea ...	95	49
91	Nawgaon Arazee ...	96	50
92	Abdool Sookoor Chuk	97	52
93	Paiekandee ...	98	53
94	Mysokola ...	99	5*
95	Talimnuggur ...	100	4
96	Bhuwaneepoor Arazee	101	138
97	Sumuspoor ...	102	1
98	Dyalnuggur ...	103	137
99	Talimnuggur Arazee (A & B).	104	4*
100	Shampoor ...	107	6*
101	Balunduree ...	108	106*
102	Kachadeeah ...	133	100
103	Rajdhurdeeah ...	134	101
104	Arazi Kachadeeah ...	135	100
105	Kazee Soroopoor ...	136	89
106	Guree Soroopp or ...	137	97

* Partly diluviated.

† Partly washed away

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Mathura.	Revenue Survey No.
107	Chuk Khulsee ...	138	143
108	Kadim Sorroopoor ...	139	96
109	Ituiotungur ...	140	10
110	Para Bhuwaneepoor ...	141	25
111	Kalkabaree ...	142	26
112	Earpoor ...	143	1
113	Arazee Kachadia ...	144	106
114	Gopalpoor ...	145	27
115	Lawlara ...	146	79†
116	Pugla ...	147	95
117	Dhobakola ...	148	94
118	Gungadeeah ...	149	1
119	Gazareeah ...	150	93
120	Soolandeeah ...	151	92
121	Gunputeedeeah ...	152	80
122	Madoopoor ...	153	8
123	Lukheepoor ...	154	7
124	Jhowkanda ...	155	39
125	Chuk Pangoora ...	156	36
126	Chuk Pangoora ...	157	37*
127	Pangoora-Mulkola ...	158	38*
128	Gangrajanee ...	175	35
129	Moolkandee ...	176	2
130	Dawnaie ...	177	40
131	Gadhoolee ...	179	3*
132	Rajarampoor ...	180	41*
133	Pakhoorpar ...	181	70
134	Dhurgpor ...	182	68*
135	Baroechura ...	183	69*
136	Sookooneea ...	192	2*
137	Kachadeeah ...	193	3*
138	Kachadeeah Arazee (A)	194	100
139	Nuteebpoor ...	195	7*
140	Joy Krishnapur ...	196	4*

* Partly diluviated.

† Partly washed away.

Howrah.

No. 12497P.—The 8th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* as relates to the area included in Domejur police-station, in the district of Howrah, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Domejur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Mohisgote ...	1	1929
2	Mal Mohisgote ...	1	1929
3	Dakhindihi ...	1	1929
4	Dharmatola ...	1	1929
5	Atma Mahishgote ...	1	1929
6	Chak Mohishgote ...	2	1930
7	Chak Parbatipur ...	3	1931
8	Kasinara ...	4	2054
9	Jabedapota ...	4	2054
10	Baigachi chak or Khalpar.	4	2054
11	Kamurnala ...	5	1932
12	Rajapur ...	6	1933
13	Kadamtola ...	7	1938
14	Chakhari ...	8	1939
15	Khristolah ...	9	1940
16	Mahanala ...	10	1941
17	Dhaharampotta, Parakar. ...	11	1942
18	Nonakundu ...	12	1944
19	Ichhapur Dafarpur	13	1945
20	Chakoaoha ...	14	1947
21	Narona ...	15	1786
22	Ichhapur ...	16	1948
23	Parbatipur ...	17	1946
24	Mallar Chak ...	17	1946
25	Dafarpur ...	18	1949
26	Uttarjhapardah ...	19	1937
27	Jagatrambati ...	20	1950
28	Domejur ...	21	1936
29	Bhandardaha ...	22	2032
30	Parbhandardah ...	22	2032
31	Purbanapara ...	23	2031
32	Kristorampor ...	24	2030
33	Nimerut ...	24	2030
34	Ankurhati ...	25	2029
35	Chakramkristopur ...	26	2028
36	Prasasta ...	27	2027
37	North Moniari ...	28	2026
38	South Mohiari ...	28	2026
39	Biprunapara ...	34	2033
40	Begri ...	35	2044
41	Baniara ...	36	2043
42	Sakaridana ...	37	2042
43	Raipar ...	38	2047
44	Keshabpur ...	39	2046
45	Khatora ...	40	2045
46	Dakhin Jhapardah ...	41	1934
47	Sapdanga ...	41	1934
48	Rajapurdakhinbar	41	1934
49	Ruddrapur ...	42	1935
50	Bachurgote ...	42	1935
51	Wadpur ...	43	2053
52	Jamdanga ...	44	2052
53	Shanpur ...	44	2052
54	Natibpur ...	45	2048
55	Korala ...	46	2040
56	Amra ...	47	2041
57	Nibre ...	102	2016
58	Monsadangi ...	102	2016
59	Nabaji ...	102	2016
60	Bankra ...	103	1954
61	Badarpur ...	103	1954
62	Shalop ...	104	1953
63	Katila ...	105	1952
64	Paikan Daushi ...	106	1956
65	Daushi ...	106	1956
66	Daspara ...	107	1958
67	Jhelerbar ...	108	1957
68	Makardah ...	109	1951
69	Raghabpur ...	110	1959
70	Dharsa Pairatungi ...	111	1960
71	Bara Pairatungi ...	112	1961
72	Bhaskur ...	113	1785
73	Baluhati ...	114	1784
74	Akurgocha ...	114	1784
75	Pipley ...	115	1965
76	Goespur ...	116	1962
77	Jetegiri ...	117	1963
78	Lakhanpur ...	118	1964
79	Tentulkuli ...	119	1965
80	Pakharia ...	120	1970

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No. 12498P.—The 8th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (1) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of Notifications No. 2355J.D., dated the 24th June 1905, published at page 1162, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 28th June 1905, and No. 1309P., dated the 9th March 1909, published at page 325, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 10th March 1909, as relates to the area included in Jagacha police-station, in the district of Howrah, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Domejur.	Revenue Survey No.	Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Domejur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Puiley ...	29	2025				
2	Chandbati ...	99	2008	13	Dakhin Bantra ...	123	1979
3	Patichandbati ...	99	2008	14	Ichhapur ...	124	1999
4	Sultanpur ...	100	2009	15	Santragachi ...	125	2001
5	Unsaul ...	101	2017	16	Dhersa ...	126	2014
6	Mowkhali ...	101	2017	17	Satasi ...	127	2015
7	Garfa ...	101	2017	18	Jagacha ...	128	2013
8	Gohalbati ...	101	2017	19	Jigacha ...	128	2013
9	Balitikri ...	121	1974	20	Habibpur ...	129	2012
10	Kashipur ...	121	1974	21	Uttar Baksara ...	130	2011
11	Biradangi ...	121	1974	22	Dakhin Baksara ...	131	2010
12	Sanpur ...	122	2000	23	Padmapukur ...	132	2003

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No. 12499P.—The 8th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (1) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of Notification No. 2355J.D., dated the 24th June 1905, published at page 1162, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 28th June 1905, as relates to the area included in Sankrail police-station, in the district of Howrah, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Domejur.	Revenue Survey No.	Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Domejur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Andul ...	30	2036	39	Gohalbati ...	74	2153
2	Gar Mirzapore ...	31	2037	40	Ghoraghata ...	75	2152
3	Mirzapore ...	31	2037	41	Dadpur ...	76	2155
4	Argori ...	32	2035	42	Baidyapur ...	76	2155
5	Jangalpore ...	33	2034	43	Batiari ...	77	2156
6	Ichhapur II ...	48	2039	44	Ula ...	78	2157
7	Alampur ...	49	2038	45	Gandharbapur ...	79	2158
8	Mashiley ...	50	2142	46	Kavimosi ...	80	2150
9	Chaturbhujkati ...	51	2141	47	Tulshighata ...	80	2150
10	Mohagote ...	52	2140	48	Sarenga ...	81	2149
11	Dhulagore ...	53	2139	49	Kediti ...	81	2149
12	Sulati ...	54	2137	50	Singhimara ...	82	2148
13	Sandipur ...	55	2138	51	Rajarampur ...	82	2148
14	Kanduah ...	56	2164	52	Manikpur ...	82	2148
15	Na ghara ...	57	2165	53	Kalatola ...	82	2148
16	Hatishala ...	57	2165	54	Gharmuniakhali ...	82	2148
17	Paniara ...	58	2163	55	Kamdebpur ...	83	2147
18	Kulai ...	59	2169	56	Abada ...	84	2151
19	Kagirhat ...	59	2169	57	Sankrail or Raghunathpur ...	85	2146
20	Satghara ...	60	2170	58	Habapetta ...	85	2146
21	Ghamsey ...	61	2171	59	Halishahar ...	85	2146
22	Belkulia ...	62	2172	60	Ramchandrapur ...	86	2143
23	Chakpara ...	62	2172	61	Banupur ...	87	2145
24	Khaijapur ...	63	2173	62	Jhorehat ...	88	2144
25	Shahapur ...	64	2174	63	Rajganj ...	88	2144
26	Kheskhamar ...	65	2175	64	Darimchhari or Patibashudebpur ...	89	2022
27	Chakali ...	66	2178	65	Radhadasi ...	90	2119
28	Chakmadu ...	67	2177	66	Patejanglepur ...	90	2119
29	Chaksrikristapore ...	68	2176	67	Mahatran ...	91	2020
30	Herapur ...	69	2159	68	Hatgachia ...	92	2021
31	Danko *alias* Raghudebpur.	69	2159	69	Kamranga ...	93	2023
32	Monoharpur ...	70	2160	70	Dulley ...	94	2024
33	Nalpur ...	71	2161	71	Panchpara ...	95	2018
34	Dhalpur ...	71	2161	72	Podra ...	96	2007
35	Beldubi ...	72	2162	73	Goaberia ...	97	2006
36	Chakbeldubi ...	72	2162	74	Nazirgunja ...	98	2005
37	Jalakendua ...	73	2154	75	Mekuah ...	98	2005
38	Bhabanandapur ...	73	2154				

No. 12500P.—The 8th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (1) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of Notification No. 2355J.D., dated the 24th June 1905, published at page 1162, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 28th June 1905, as relates to the area included in Panchla police-station, in the district of Howrah, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

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Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Jagatballavpur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Fatikgachi ...	48	2124
2	Jotesobharam ...	50	2091
3	Patijotekhoira ...	50	2091
4	Dipa ...	57	2090
5	Gouripur ...	58	2092
6	Parguatia ...	59	2094
7	Palgastia ...	59	2094
8	Kaggachia ...	59	2094
9	Jalalat ...	60	2116
10	Kharijchandrapur ...	60	2116
11	Mallikpur ...	61	2117
12	Jote Khoira ...	62	2118
13	Makhalhati ...	63	2119
14	Nalta ...	64	2093
15	Gobindapur ...	65	2120
16	Dakhinband ...	65	2120
17	Batan ...	66	2121
18	Laskarpur ...	67	2122
19	Naparalay ...	67	2122
20	Darogarchuk ...	68	2218
21	Noyachuck or Kumarchuk ...	68	2218
22	Islampur *alias* Ismailpur ...	69	2219
23	Hazirchuk ...	69	2219
24	Pati Maju Khetra ...	69	2219
25	Maju Khetra ...	70	2220
26	Syam Chack ...	71	2270
27	Banharishpur ...	72	2271
28	Chak Makhalti ...	72	2271
29	Majirhuti ...	72	2271
30	Rajakgola ...	72	2271
31	Kharij Chandrapur ...	72	2271
32	Samunti ...	73	2217
33	Keranir Chak ...	73	2217
34	Kolagachia or Jola Biswanathpur ...	74	2216
35	Bahirchuk or Babur Chuk ...	74	2216
36	Tentulberia ...	74	2216
37	Siki Amta ...	74	2216
38	Chak Kamaria ...	74	22 6
39	Chak Dhanki ...	74	2216
40	Makhalpur ...	74	2216
41	Talbandi ...	74	2216
42	Mele ...	75	2196
43	Ramgurh ...	75	2196
44	Dhanki ...	75	2196
45	Chita Dhanki ...	75	2196
46	Chak Naikuli ...	75	2196
47	Sibanandbati ...	75	2196
48	Paschim Panchla ...	76	2197
49	Basu[illegible] Chuk ...	76	2197
50	Mojo[illegible] ...	76	2197
51	Dakkin Panchla ...	77	2200
52	Charabichurghata ...	78	2199
53	Panchla ...	79	2198
54	Gajgiri ...	79	2198
55	Milki Panchla ...	79	2198
56	Sipai Para ...	79	2198
57	Indrachura ...	80	2193
58	Sankhuli ...	81	2194
59	Gab-beria ...	82	2195
60	Pati Gobardhanbati	82	2195
61	Sonamukhi ...	82	2195
62	Kakra Ojhan ...	82	2195
63	Jararduupur ...	82	2195
64	Kamaria ...	82	2195
65	Khaijakhali ...	82	2195
66	Ghurul ...	82	2195
67	Jo_eswar Paschimpara ...	83	2129
68	Fakirpura ...	83	2129
69	Hazir Dabar ...	83	2129
70	Jogeswar Utterpara	83	2129
71	Talapatra ...	83	2129
72	Pati Kalagachia ...	83	2129
73	Middepura ...	83	2129
74	Baruipara ...	83	2129
75	Brahmanpura ...	83	2129
76	Haridrapota ...	83	2129
77	Hazrapara ...	83	2129
78	Bagdipara ...	83	2129
79	Mahpukhur ...	83	2129
80	Kajiraty ...	83	2129
81	Mallikbagan ...	83	2129
82	Rath Tolah ...	83	2129
83	Goalbati ...	83	2129
84	Sipaipura ...	83	2129
85	Chamardingi ...	83	2129
86	Aima Sital Chak ...	83	2129
87	Ghusatollah ...	93	2129
88	Subharara ...	83	2129
89	Kamaidanga ...	83	2129
90	Kuldangi ...	83	2129
91	Syamchuk ...	83	2129
92	Gabpukur ...	83	2129
93	Sideswar ...	84	2128
94	Patisenbati ...	84	2128
95	Akbarpur ...	85	2127
96	Jalalti ...	101	2132
97	Aymapara ...	101	2132
98	Gondalpara ...	102	2133
99	Deulpur ...	103	2051
100	Diori Deulpur ...	103	2051
101	Balarampur, Natibpur, *alias* Patiohandalgarh ...	103	2051
102	Kushadanga ...	104	2049
103	Jairampur ...	105	2050
104	Gangadharpur ...	106	2134
105	Panihijli ...	106	2134
106	Kolabazar ...	107	2135
107	Jainagore ...	108	2136
108	Ekbarpur ...	108	2136
109	Mollarchara ...	108	2136
110	Ranihati ...	109	2166
111	Hakola ...	110	2167
112	Bikichak ...	111	2148

No. 12501P.—The 8th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (1) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of all previous notifications, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, as relates to the area included in Jagatballavpur police-station, in the district of Howrah, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased

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to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Jagatballavpur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Ichhanagori ...	1	1883
2	Dhanyabati ...	1	1883
3	Jhikra or Ramkrishnapur ...	2	1904
4	Ruppore ...	2	1904
5	Balley ...	3	1903
6	Tilibutti ...	4	1886
7	Jagatballavpur ...	5	1902
8	Habnagore ...		
9	Koshalbati ...	6	1923
10	Goderay ...	7	1924
11	Sadipura ...	8	1922
12	Bakul or Sripur ...	9	1921
13	Chuk Bakul ...	10	1920
14	Jadupur ...	11	1919
15	Sibnandbati ...	12	1914
16	Hafizpur ...	13	1915
17	Sodasibpur ...	13	1915
18	Borihati ...	13	1915
19	Sealmora ...	13	1915
20	Naikuli ...	14	1916
21	Hal Naikuli ...	14	1916
22	Chandul ...	15	1918
23	Chandunpur ...	15	1918
24	Goalpata ...	16	1905
25	Jagannathpur ...	17	1906
26	Ghera *alias* Aymachuk	18	1917
27	Bistoopur ...	18	1917
28	Khardah Bamanpara...	19	1909
29	Bardipa ...	20	1907
30	Habla ...	20	1907
31	Chuk Sadut ...	20	1907
32	Barangalia ...	20	1907
33	Bhupatipur ...	21	1910
34	Nobasang ...	22	1910
35	Paschimpara ...	23	1911
36	Kristanandpur ...	24	1902
37	Sikrabati ...	25	1913
38	Munshirhat ...	25	1913
39	Rampur ...	26	2075
40	Kantarhati ...	26	2075
41	Romanathbati ...	27	2074
42	Rampur ...	28	2073
43	Protappur ...	29	2072
44	Kagerhat ...	29	2072
45	Gorbile ...	30	2071
46	Paikpara ...	31	2079
47	Rameswarpur *alias* Ghanasyambati ...	32	2076
48	Syampur ...	33	2077
49	Bhursut Bamanpara ...	34	2078
50	Ghodalbati ...	35	2080
51	Santoshbati ...	36	2081
52	Par Jadubbati ...	36	2081
53	Chonghrul ...	37	2082
54	Moulgachi ...	38	2069
55	Tripurapur ...	39	2070
56	Nij Belay ...	40	2063
57	Ichapur ...	41	2064
58	Kawrpur or Kumarpur	42	2065
59	Monsadingi ...	42	2065
60	Nimey Bilay ...	43	2067
61	Rangmohal ...	44	2066
62	Kanarpur ...	45	2126
63	Niar Ghurul ...	46	2068
64	Fingagachi ...	47	2125
65	Machal ...	49	2023
66	Jugorampur or Horinarainpur	49	2023
67	Dakhin Maju ...	51	2083
68	Madham Maju ...	52	2084
69	Uttar Maju ...	53	2085
70	Haranandabati ...	53	2085
71	Kharij Maju ...	53	2085
72	Hat Bularampur ...	53	2085
73	Jadabbati ...	54	2086
74	Norendrapur ...	55	2087
75	Siki Narendrapur ...	55	2087
76	Kalyanpur ...	55	2087
77	Gumadingi ...	55	2087
78	Dhasa ...	55	2087
79	Biswanathpur ...	55	2087
80	Ballavbati *alias* Durgasyampur ...	56	2088
81	Janardanpur ...	86	2130
82	Sialdingi ...	87	2059
83	Poti Kagirhat ...		
84	Kajir Chuk ...	87	2059
85	Jamuna Belay ...	88	2060
86	Bade Balay ...	89	2062
87	Patihal ...	90	2061
88	Sibarampur or Sowrampur or Sikrampur ...	90	2061
89	Parbatipur ...	91	1925
90	Kamalapur ...	92	1899
91	Gorai ...	93	1898
92	Santoshpur ...	94	1927
93	Borgachia ...	95	1926
94	Mansingpur ...	[illegible]	2056
95	Bhursut Hatol ...	97	2057
96	Sadaspur or Khosalpur or Sodatpur or Ghosalbati ...	98	2055
97	Hatol *alias* Anantabati ...	99	2058
98	Boro Bahira ...	100	2131
99	Chota Bahiri ...	101	2131

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No. 4665 P.D.—The 6th November 1916.—Mr. S. O. J. Aldridge, Superintendent of Police, Calcutta, is allowed furlough for nine months, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the combined leave granted to him under the orders of the 21st July 1915.

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No. 12509P.—The 9th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*s*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications relating to the area included within the Raipura police-station, in the district of Dacca, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Raipura.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Satpaika ...	167	5146
2	Machhimpur ...	172	5148
3	Asatia ...	173	5138
4	Majlispur ...	174	5139
5	Purbergaon ...	175	5140
6	Bara Asrafpur ...	176	5119
7	Bilsaran ...	177	5123
8	Ningaon ...	178	5098
9	Ghusu ..	179	5099
10	Bangal Satpara ...	180	5120
11	Lakuesichpapa ...	181	5138
12	Satpara ...	182	5134
13	Baraigaon ...	183	5156
14	Chandalbanda ...	184	5157
15	Bailaba ...	188	5101
16	Kamraba ...	189	5349
17	Ashtain ...	190	
18	Sujatpur ...	191	
19	Ajkitala ...	192	
20	Pahar Joynagar ...	193	
21	Birajnagar ...	194	
22	Naoghata ...	195	5276
23	Sriphalia ...	196	
24	Srishtighar ...	197	
25	Josar ...	198	
26	Chhutabanda ...	199	
27	Gilaber ...	200	
28	Maishartek ...	201	
29	Ujilaba ...	202	5350
30	Amalaba ...	203	5356
31	Belaba ...	204	5353
32	Char Belaba ...	205	5291
33	Char Lakshmipura ...	206	5290
34	Purba Char Lakshmipura.	207	5394
35	Joar Lakshmipura ...	208	5449
36	Uttar Kalikaprasad ...	209	650
37	Joar Gobindapur ...	210	5385
38	Nijgaon ...	211	5403
39	Barachar ...	212	5390
40	Sahar Char ...	213	5410
41	Manoharabad ...	214	5411
42	Chhota Lakshmipura	215	5437
43	Kukurmara ...	216	5417
44	Narayanpur ...	217	5419
45	Jahalabad ...	218	5387
46	Dakshinkalikaprasad	219	651
47	Sarulabad ...	220	652
48	Ibrahimpur ...	221	653
49	Mamudabad ...	222	654
50	Chhota Mirjapur	223	5466
51	Pahar Kharkandi ...	224	657
52	Purba Haripur ...	225	656
53	Ramnagar ...	227	658
54	Muchhapur ...	226	655
55	Gauripur ...	228	5464
56	Char Begamabad ...	230	5425
57	Begamabad ...	229	5465
58	Majherchar ...	231	5467
59	Chaudpur Diara ...	232	Nil
60	Katuarhar ...	233	Nil
61	Char Bakharnagar ...	234	5413
62	Bakharnagar ...	235	5423
63	Algi ...	236	5422
64	Dari Sapmara ...	237	5393
65	Chhota Asrafpur ...	238	5388
66	Mahespur ...	239	5439
67	Mandalia ...	240	5426
68	Maniknagar ...	241	5434
69	Sanadhadoba ...	242	5433
70	Sapmara ...	243	5455
71	Kabirerkandi ...	244	5456
72	Anarabad ...	245	5416
73	Sadhunagar ...	246	5391
74	Joynagar ...	247	5438
75	Pirijerkandi ...	248	5409
76	Pirpur ...	249	5399
77	Radhanagar ...	250	5392
78	Alipura ...	251	5402
79	Srinidhi	252	5404
80	Rajprasad ...	253	5442
81	Mamudpur ...	254	5414
82	Raipura ..	255	5441
83	Rangpur ...	256	5467
84	Char Southerland ...	257	5474
85	Fakirerchar ...	258	5473
86	Manaharpur ...	259	5459
87	Najarpur ...	260	5460
88	Meratali ...	261	5429
89	Pachaboalia ..	262	5397
90	Paschim Haripur	263	5400
91	Chander Kandi ...	264	5401
92	Nabiabad ...	265	5383
93	Mathikanda ...	266	5452
94	Tulatali ...	267	5407
95	Bahadurpur ...	268	5395
96	Uttar Bakharnagar ...	269	5462
97	Marjal ...	270	5329
98	Nabanchar ...	271	5393
99	Palastali ...	272	5384
100	Fuldi ...	273	5406
101	Nandertek ...	274	5330
102	Pahar Phuldi ...	275	5331
103	Kaziara ...	276	5284
104	Machhimnagar ...	277	5285
105	Letarba ...	278	5327
106	Sarkarchar ...	279	5345
107	Ranitani ...	280	5321
108	Maliara ...	281	5313
109	Srirampur ...	282	5312
110	Kamalpur ...	283	5324
111	Agarpur ...	284	5304
112	Bhati Khainkut ...	285	5357
113	Khainkut ...	286	5303
114	Itna ...	287	5308
115	Telipara ...	288	5309
116	Chandpara ...	289	5293
117	Bil Ichhamali ...	290	5294
118	Kunderpara ...	291	5355
119	Chanpat ...	292	5344
120	Lampur ...	293	5343
121	Brahmandi ...	294	5340
122	Nawala ...	295	5332
123	Rangpur ...	296	5335
124	Joymangal ...	297	5278
125	Paschim Gobindapur	298	5339
126	Akhrasal ...	299	5333
127	Hamirdia ...	300	5334
128	Sapparia ...	301	5110
129	Bahirdia ...	302	5141
130	Baghalba ...	303	5109
131	Panchpaika ...	304	5124
132	Arali ...	305	5108
133	Sibpur ...	306	5059
134	Baniadi ...	307	5142
135	Sundandi ...	308	5061
136	Abdulkhana ...	309	5060
137	Dhanua ...	310	5126
138	Paikardia ...	311	5125
139	Duttagaon ...	312	5065

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140	Miargaon ...	313	5069
141	Uttar Sadharchar ...	314	5100
142	Khupi ...	316	5070
143	Bhababdi ...	317	5096
144	Dosardi ...	318	5095
145	Madhabdi ...	319	5149
146	Dakshin Sadharchar	320	5130
147	Saiyadorkhola ...	321	5145
148	Harihardi ...	322	5103
149	Gobindi ...	323	5102
150	Sankardi ...	324	5078
151	Maishadi ...	325	5150
152	Pelipalasi ...	326	5131
153	Kaluarkandi ...	327	5143
154	Sirrkandi ...	328	5137
155	Kharia ...	329	5136
156	Bandardia ...	330	5121
157	Palpara ...	331	5336
158	Ghasirdia ...	332	5337
159	Purundia ...	333	5338
160	Barai Algi ...	334	5075
161	Telia ...	335	5076
162	Jhawakandi ...	336	5135
163	Salurdia ...	337	5288
164	Char Pitambardi ...	338	5296
165	Kumradi ...	339	5122
166	Munseferchar ...	340	5314
167	Mollakandi ...	341	5325
168	Saspur ...	342	5352
169	Adgatia ...	343	5348
170	Gorargaon ...	344	5351
171	Dakshin Nosdia ...	545	5347
172	Khaishakhali ...	346	5300
173	Trisha ...	347	5359
174	Chandandia ...	348	5358
175	Kamargaon ...	349	5322
176	Karardi ...	350	5379
177	Uttar Karardichar ...	851	5363
178	Dakshin Karardichar	352	5362
179	Sujapurchar ...	353	5361
180	Guptapara ...	354	5283
181	Kamarkhosa ...	355	5282
182	Ghoradia ...	356	5277
183	Bharatkandi ...	357	5281
184	Bansirdia ...	358	5310
185	Hosenpur ...	359	5301
186	Badarpur ...	360	5324
187	Ayerpur ...	861	5306
188	Nondalalpur ...	362	5371
189	Baduarchar ...	363	5307
190	Hajipur ...	364	5315
191	Char Hajipur ...	365	5302
192	Alinagarchak ...	366	5447
193	Bhati Badarpur ...	367	5448
194	Char Araha ...	368	5446
195	Baluakandi ...	369	5454
196	Lattali ...	370	5453
197	Dakshin Mirjanagar	371	5458
198	Hashnabad ...	372	5463
199	Mamudnagar ...	373	5451
200	Rahimabad ...	374	5450
201	Dankarchar ...	375	5299
202	Kasimnagar ...	376	5298
203	Char Khainkul ...	377	5305
204	Kabirpur ...	378	5346
205	Adiabad ...	379	5461
206	Khalilabad ...	380	5405
207	Dakshin Gobindapur	381	5440
208	Seoratali ...	382	5445
209	Khagchar ...	383	5444
210	Birampur ...	384	5396
211	Asarampur ...	385	5408
212	Mallikpur ...	386	5389
213	Sahapur ...	387	5443
214	Bhaishber ...	388	5418
215	Hantubhanga ...	389	5386
216	Bangalinagar ...	390	4415
217	Char Subuddhi ...	391	5412
218	Uttar Mirjanagar ...	392	5424
219	Birkandi ...	393	5457
220	Hairmara ...	394	5436
221	Saudmura ...	395	5435
222	Abdullapur ...	396	5432
223	Lalpur ...	397	5420
224	Futepur ...	398	5421
225	Sonatala ...	399	5427
226	Latia ...	400	5430
227	Nilakshya ...	401	5428
228	Baluchar ...	402	5431
229	Char Gauripur ...	408	4925
230	Srinagar ...	404	5475
231	Kattarchar ...	405	5468
232	Char Bartley ...	406	Nil.
233	Kalikapur ...	407	631
234	Bag Duariakandi ...	408	632
235	Purba Hosennagar ...	409	633
236	Char Baluakandi ...	410	5469
237	Char Baliakandi ...	411	5480
238	Hosennagar ...	412	5479
239	Char Meghna ...	413	5471
240	Bansgari ...	414	5476
241	Mirjar char ...	415	5472
242	Char Madhua ...	416	5470
243	Samibadchar ...	417	5478
244	Samibad ...	418	5477
245	Chaurapara ...	419	646

No. 12510P.—The 9th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*s*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications relating to the area included within the Monohardi police-station, in the district of Dacca, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

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Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Raipura.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Gangkul ...	1	5212
2	Hajikhanerchar ...	2	5222
3	Lemutola ...	3	5221
4	Tarakandi ...	4	5214
5	Purbachar Durlabhkhan.	5	5215
6	Joar Gajaria ...	6	297
7	Gajaria ...	7	5255
8	Char Gajaria ...	8	5218
9	Achhadnagar ...	9	5225
10	Arjunchar ...	10	5224
11	Chandanbari ...	11	5217
12	Madhabdichar ...	12	5247
13	Madhupur ...	13	5242
14	Bara Mirjapur ...	14	5209
15	Gauribhanga ...	15	5193
16	Ruperkandi ...	16	5175
17	Chengaih ...	17	5210
18	Chalakchar ...	18	5178
19	Naluachak ...	19	5245
20	Sekhergnon ...	20	5256
21	Tatirdi ...	21	5202
22	Kismat Ahammadpur	22	542
23	Narendrapur ...	23	5232
24	Daiorpara ...	24	5228
25	Dighirpar ...	25	5227
26	Dharubhanda ...	26	5239
27	Jhalpara ...	27	5237

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Rajpura.	Revenue Survey No.
28	Lenta Alihammadpur	28	541
29	Sarifpur ...	29	5238
30	Char Sagardi ...	30	5233
31	Char Mandalia ...	31	589
32	Khidirpur ...	32	540
33	Char Algalia ...	33	...
34	Krishnapur ...	34	5240
35	Paikan ...	35	5243
36	Jamalpur ...	36	5241
37	Char Krishnapur ...	37	5244
38	Bhawalerchar ...	38	...
39	Brahmanergaon ...	39	5168
40	Uttar Patuli ...	40	5272
41	Uttar Bangalgaon ...	41	5169
42	Muga ...	42	5271
43	Binyabaid ...	43	5253
44	Lohajurichak ...	44	...
45	Char Latifpur ...	45	5219
46	Char Kasimnagar ...	46	5213
47	Char Bhagber ...	47	5216
48	Chhayan ...	48	5268
49	Char Rajarampur ...	49	5220
50	Poradia ...	50	5190
51	Palertek ...	51	5261
52	Rayergaon ...	52	5260
53	Bilkendri ...	53	5264
54	Galgalia ...	54	5187
55	Nagar Naluaket ...	55	5211
56	Habispur ...	56	5203
57	Kasba ...	57	5196
58	Kalidhakuna ...	58	5189
59	Pauchhati ...	59	5234
60	Atosal ...	60	5249
61	Chanditala ...	61	5191
62	Barachapa ...	62	589
63	Bhayasan ...	63	5246
64	Bharadia ...	64	5231
65	Noanagar ...	65	5230
66	Char Tarakandi ...	66	5192
67	Ujanchar ...	67	5176
68	Aloakandi ...	68	5170
69	Balya ...	69	5235
70	Birmaijdia ...	70	5173
71	Urulia ...	71	5206
72	Kaletergaon ...	72	5259
73	Shekertek ...	73	5199
74	Uttar Ghoshgaon ...	74	5200
75	Singrakandi ...	75	5198
76	Dakshin Ghoshgaon...	76	5205
77	Gobindapur ...	77	5194
78	Kharaba ...	78	5195
79	Maijdia ...	79	5181
80	Rosankhila ...	80	5182
81	Mohespur chak ...	81	5180
82	Katabaria ...	82	5204
83	Uttar Baraidia ...	83	5186
84	Haripur ...	84	5184
85	Harirchar ...	85	5279
86	Dakshin Baraidia ...	86	5185
87	Madhusal ...	87	5188
88	Dapunia ...	88	5177
89	Tangirtak ...	89	5179
90	Bangalgaon ...	90	5174
91	Chakamkhola ...	91	5171
92	Jamtala ...	92	5208
93	Dhanertek ...	93	5207
94	Gobindari ...	94	5197
95	Chandipara ...	95	5201
96	Nandarampur ...	96	5229
97	Kanertoki ...	97	5267
98	Salma ...	98	5172
99	Patuli ...	99	5264
100	Bhagber ...	100	5226
101	Baribari ...	101	5292
102	Bajnaba ...	102	5354
103	Dakshin Dhuru ...	103	5341
104	Chandanpur ...	104	5342
105	Harisengan ...	105	5297
106	Chitam ...	106	5223
107	Bhabla ...	107	5183
108	Akanagar ...	108	5128
109	Chula ...	109	5132
110	Panchkandi ...	110	5127
111	Sarbalakshana ...	111	5107
112	Gotasia ...	112	5144
113	Brahmanbata ...	113	5106
114	Dongaon ...	114	5077
115	Kachhikata ...	115	5166
116	Murjanagar ...	116	5167
117	Sallabaid ...	117	5248
118	Manohardi ...	118	5257
119	Harordia ...	119	5285
120	Dighakandi ...	120	5266
121	Char Narandi ...	121	5262
122	Narandi ...	122	5263
123	Dasdonar chak ...	123	5252
124	Sokundi ...	124	5269
125	Ramchandradi ...	125	5251
126	Swalpa Panchkandi	126	5115
127	Gaudhardia ...	127	5258
128	Sabhardia ...	128	5094
129	Khanjarhat ...	129	5093
130	Balupura ...	130	5092
131	Dhuiandi ...	131	5064
132	Bagadi ...	132	5114
133	Alalpur ...	133	5088
134	Mandaldia ...	134	5063
135	Khilua ...	135	5068
136	Basulickandi ...	136	5066
137	Saiyadpur ...	137	5081
138	Rasulpur ...	138	5080
139	Hatirdia ...	139	5085
140	Changabhanda ...	140	5079
141	Basubhanda ...	141	5152
142	Hitasi ...	142	5151
143	Gokhula ...	143	5163
144	Parabandhandia ...	144	5162
145	Kamaralgi ...	145	5067
146	Saiyedergaon ...	146	5161
147	Uttar Algi ...	147	5073
148	Bilugi ...	148	5084
149	Kuripaika ...	149	5083
150	Chikadi ...	150	5072
151	Koch Char ...	151	5058
152	Char Daulatpur ...	152	5071
153	Daulatpur ...	153	5082
154	Kirtibasdi ...	154	5165
155	Harinarayanpur ...	155	5164
156	Char Lakhpur ...	156	5155
157	Lakhpur ...	157	5154
158	Alinagar ...	158	5129
159	Kazirchar ...	159	5090
160	Dulalpur ...	160	5091
161	Chandibardi ...	161	5116
162	Manikdi ...	162	5159
163	Nirchintapur ...	163	5086
164	Darbesarkandi ...	164	5160
165	Patairdia ...	165	5074
166	Ekduaria ...	166	5153
167	Nagar Maheshwardi	168	5158
168	Khorda Maheshwardi	169	5118
169	Nandirgaon ...	170	5117
170	Baherkhola ...	171	5147
171	Uttar Noadia ...	185	5087
172	Bhasatia ...	186	5062
173	Nadhair ...	187	5089
174	Bejerkandi ...	315	5097

No. 12511P.—The 9th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*s*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications relating to the area included within

Dacca.

the Rupganj police-station, in the district of Dacca, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Rupganj.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Simulia ...	1	1193
2	Birahi ...	2	1194
3	Pipulia ...	3	1195
4	Dhanun ...	4	1197
5	Rayan ...	5	1042
6	Gararia ...	6	1187
7	Baghdi ...	7	1059
8	Nagari ...	8	1068
9	Karan ...	9	1079
10	Sujapur ...	10	1196
11	Lodaria ...	11	1041
12	Birun ...	12	1040
13	Bandakhola ...	13	1055
14	Daomir Tek ...	14	1056
15	Tiria ...	15	1078
16	Tek Chhatian ...	16	1069
17	Ara ...	17	1067
18	Chandkhola ...	18	1060
19	Bagherdia ...	19	1057
20	Tek Manikpur ...	20	1051
21	Pakuria ...	21	1083
22	Firinda ...	22	1058
23	Charer Khola ...	23	1082
24	Piprasair ...	24	247
25	Chuariakhola ...	25	251
26	Dakshin Rajnagar ...	26	248
27	Tumalia chak ...	27	240
28	Bhetair ...	28	241
29	Bouli ...	29	242
30	Dakshin Bhadarti ...	30	245
31	Ulua ...	31	1085
32	Bhadratala ...	32	1086
33	Tiori ...	33	1081
34	Soin ...	34	1084
35	Ichhapur ...	35	1066
36	Bartul ...	36	1053
37	Barihati ...	37	1054
38	Kalinga ...	38	1047
39	Khaisar ...	39	1217
40	Daudpur ...	40	1045
41	Kamalkati ...	41	1046
42	Patina ...	42	1215
43	Chairpara ...	43	Nil
44	Tengra ...	44	1064
45	Agla ...	45	1063
46	Malbanda ...	46	1065
47	Bhairsuti ...	47	1061
48	Baghpara ...	48	1062
49	Rohila ...	49	1049
50	Dusra ...	50	1214
51	Beldi ...	51	1048
52	Lakshya Manoharpur	52	1176
53	Kakuibag ...	53	1216
54	Bansida ...	54	1050
55	Bar Aridia ...	55	1175
56	Tek Daserdia ...	56	1143
57	Bailria ...	57	1229
58	Tinolap ...	58	1199
59	Nabagram ...	59	1144
60	Naogaon ...	60	1145
61	Kalni ...	61	1089
62	Tirnarh ...	62	1146
63	Hankur ...	63	1052
64	Madnalpur ...	64	1080
65	Paratok ...	65	1228
66	Rathura ...	66	1182
67	Panjora ...	67	1087
68	Paroan ...	68	1188
69	Barttul Tek ...	69	1075
70	Chakmala ...	70	1076
71	Senpara ...	71	1186
72	Baimakanda ...	72	1226
73	Nagarbela ...	73	1225
74	Rayertia ...	74	1178
75	Talia ...	75	1177
76	Mathpari ...	76	1192
77	Kuchilabari ...	77	1230
78	Ketum ...	78	1190
79	Galan ...	79	1191
80	Parabartha ...	80	1183
81	Barakau ...	81	1106
82	Bholanathpur ...	82	1132
83	Yusufganj ...	83	1135
84	Pasi ...	84	1222
85	Maijhgaon ...	85	1157
86	Hararbari ...	86	996
87	Kanta ...	87	1147
88	Hirnal ...	88	1179
89	Kuhadi ...	89	1088
90	Bir Hataba ...	90	1148
91	Debagram ...	91	1198
92	Simultala ...	92	1090
93	Lakshya Simulia ...	93	1105
94	Brahmankhali ...	94	1180
95	Raghurampur ...	95	1227
96	Solpina ...	96	1211
97	Gutiaba ...	97	1133
98	Moglan ...	98	998
99	Pitalganj ...	99	1134
100	Jangir ...	100	1209
101	Binraba ...	101	1210
102	Sahapur ...	102	1171
103	Dakshin Nabagram ...	103	997
104	Musurigram ...	104	1163
105	Baghber ...	105	1223
106	Kearia ...	106	1149
107	Noadda ...	107	1172
108	Bayrachhani ...	108	1162
109	Gajaria ...	109	1136
110	Naora ...	110	1156
111	Rupganj ...	111	1138
112	Harinagram ...	112	1168
113	Baruna ...	113	995
114	Basulia ...	114	1169
115	Kaemsar ...	115	1131
116	Talaskot ...	116	1174
117	Kahetpara ...	117	1139
118	Ulaba ...	118	1137
119	Kerani ganj ...	119	1170
120	Balu Dakshinpara ...	120	1167
121	Keodala ...	121	1165
122	Paschimgaon ...	122	1166
123	Pubgaon ...	123	1164
124	Chhatian ...	124	1141
125	Baralu Paragaon ...	125	1140
126	Majhina ...	126	1173
127	Brahmangaon ...	127	4657
128	Silganj ...	128	4658
129	Sarutganj ...	129	4659
130	Murapara ...	130	4661
131	Chhota Baniadi ...	131	4660
132	Mangalkhola ...	132	4662
133	Baniadi ...	133	4623
134	Lakshya Jatrabari ...	134	4647
135	Mithaba ...	135	4626
136	Masimabad ...	136	4634
137	Borok ...	137	4632
138	Poraba ...	138	4664
139	Paragaon ...	139	4633
140	Panchaikhan ...	140	4650
141	Bhaela ...	141	4651
142	Mirzuti ...	142	4653
143	Mirkuti Chhas ...	143	4654
144	Chhota Karnagop ...	144	4663
145	Narsingal ...	145	4656
146	Parain ...	146	4655
147	Bholta ...	147	4645
148	Golakandail ...	148	4641
149	Gabtali Hat ...	149	4648
150	Darikandi Chak ...	150	4644

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151	Datterkandi ...	151	4645
152	Chhota Darikandi ...	152	4646
153	Darikandi ...	153	4642
154	Tingaon ...	154	4630
155	Bajri ...	155	4636
156	Duptara ...	156	4614
157	Panchurukhi ...	157	4618
158	Bandi ...	158	4649
159	Kesraba ...	159	4648
160	Palla ...	160	4640
161	Mahana ...	161	4639
162	Saoghata ...	162	46 8
163	Adhuria ...	163	4638
164	Panaba ...	164	4637
165	Bhallukaba ...	165	4629
166	Amlaba ...	166	4635
167	Naraba ...	167	4666
168	Atlaspur ...	168	4667
169	Kanchan ...	169	4621
170	Krishnanagar ...	170	4622
171	Kendua ...	171	4941
172	Biraba ...	172	4973
173	Tarail ...	173	4976
174	Karatia ...	174	4992
175	Angarjora ...	175	4624
176	Kutubpur ...	176	4616
177	Sialati ...	177	4617
178	Dighalia ...	178	4625
179	Chhota Naopara ...	179	4647
180	Gululia ...	180	4619
181	Kandail ...	181	4615
182	Mochar Taluk ...	182	4942
183	Paikna ...	183	4988
184	Basundu ...	184	4955
185	Kurail ...	185	4980
186	Atlapur ...	186	4984
187	Adla ...	187	4983
188	Bholaba ...	188	4946
189	Taora ...	189	4979
190	Kenduaba ...	190	4949
191	Taltala ...	191	4991
192	Hasanhata ...	192	4954
193	Danga ...	193	4990
194	Kajirchar ...	194	4948
195	Kajair ...	195	4993
196	Galimpur ...	196	4989
197	Birinda ...	197	4947
198	Santanpara ...	198	4994
199	Khilpara ...	199	4969
200	Belaba ...	200	4953
201	Gridhan Bhuam ...	201	4963
202	Bara Bhuam ...	202	4968
203	Bhuam ...	203	4964
204	Chandalchira ...	204	5008
205	Banbhog ...	205	5021
206	Mathra ...	206	5009
207	Chhota Amdia ...	207	5013
208	Bailain ...	208	5014
209	Dhundurpar ...	209	5012
210	Aolat ...	210	5023
211	Aolahat ...	211	5022
212	Chhota Banaid ...	212	5011
213	Dharmapur ...	213	5015
214	Bara Banaid ...	214	5010
215	Chherenda ...	215	4620
216	Satgaon ...	216	4695
217	Bara Naogaon ...	217	4603
218	Panchgaon ...	218	4776
219	Rangpur ...	219	4683
220	Godairchar ...	220	4689
221	Rasulpur ...	221	4682
222	Birampur ...	222	4691
223	Tatarpara ...	223	4678
224	Hanumantapur ...	224	4679
225	Bara Naopara ...	225	4672
226	Dakshin Swarupaba	226	4694
227	Deabai ...	227	4697
228	Uriam ...	228	4677
229	Nisundaria ...	229	4680
230	Doai Chaitaba ...	230	4696
231	Chairgaon ...	231	4929
232	Chana ...	232	5017
233	Dakshin Chana ...	233	5019
234	Mohapara ...	234	5018
235	Majankandi ...	235	4943
236	Srinagar ...	236	4956
237	Chaitaba ...	237	4977
238	Sarpanigair ...	238	4945
239	Paulanpur ...	239	4673
240	Uttar Swarupaba ...	240	4965
241	Goalnagar ...	241	4967
242	Kabirajpur ...	242	4966
243	Nagrarhat ...	243	4978
244	Char Daudpur ...	244	4944
245	Srichandi ...	245	4961
246	Dakshin Burairhat ...	246	4985
247	Uttar Burairhat ...	247	4962
248	Dakshin Chandan ...	248	4981
249	Rupaba ...	249	4986
250	Matia ...	250	5020
251	Nalua ...	251	4974
252	Asmandi ...	252	4982
253	Basantapur ...	253	4970
254	Panchdona ...	254	5042
255	Sonar ...	255	5041
256	Kakasia ...	256	5016
257	Nelaba ...	257	4957
258	Bharsangan ...	258	4952
259	Bhatpara ...	259	4958
260	Nagar Panchdona ...	260	4971
261	Chhota Panchdona ...	261	4960
262	Kamarchar ...	262	4975
263	Mamudpur ...	263	4972
264	Dakshin Daudpur ...	264	4959
265	Uttar Daudpur ...	265	4951
266	Dakshin Kansardi ...	266	4987
267	Char Madhabdi ...	267	4950
268	Hajrahat ...	268	5000
269	Mulpara ...	269	5003
270	Uttar Kansardi ...	270	5007
271	Nasuraddi ...	271	5051
272	Bagbari ...	272	5001
273	Patua ...	273	4997
274	Charpara ...	274	5005
275	Anandi ...	307	4687
276	Par Kasipur ...	348	4928
277	Chhota Madhabdi ...	349	4674
278	Manoharpur ...	351	4681
279	Algi ...	352	4675
280	Algirchar ...	353	4676
281	Chhota Maisadi ...	354	4684
282	Sardarerkandi ...	355	4685
283	Chhota Ramchandradi ...	356	4752
284	Simulkandi ...	357	4686
285	Daudkandi ...	362	4889
286	Kanthalia ...	363	4804
287	Kharia ...	364	4762
288	Khamardi ...	365	4788
289	Bara Maisadi ...	366	4760
290	Putia ...	367	4939
291	Nurullapur ...	368	4790
292	Balabhadradi ...	369	4791
293	Hasimerkandi ...	370	4787
294	Rahinadi ...	371	4786
295	Balachandradi ...	372	4761
296	Dogharia ...	373	4789
297	Dasturdi ...	374	4763
298	Kamraugirchar ...	375	4771
299	Gazipur ...	376	4770
300	Changharia ...	377	4764
301	Mirka ...	378	4765
302	Mukundi ...	379	4769
303	Nagerchar ...	380	4773
304	Krishnapura ...	381	4772
305	Noapara ...	382	4814
306	Faitadi ...	383	4774
307	Araihazar ...	384	4881

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308	Sibpur ...	385	4882	372	Jhangara ...	464	4777
309	Lasardi ...	386	4802	373	Binairchar ...	465	4813
310	Baghanagar ...	387	4803	374	Ujan Gobindi ...	466	4818
311	Barakanda ...	388	4799	375	Bara Monohardi ...	467	4812
312	Rana Bil ...	389	4798	376	Chhota Monohardi ...	468	4806
313	Chhota Baraipara ...	390	4768	377	Satyabhandi ...	469	4631
314	Balarampur ...	391	4767	378	Bhati Gobindi ...	470	4732
315	Koladpur ...	392	4770	379	Rishir char ...	471	4809
316	Turkini ...	393	4766	380	Baliapara ...	472	4731
317	Uttar Nayakandi ...	394	4738	381	Edbardi ...	473	4808
318	Nayakandi ...	395	4739	382	Pajardia ...	474	4735
319	Bhuiakandi ...	396	4737	383	Laskardi ...	475	4807
320	Syamrayerkandi ...	397	4736	384	Sulpandi ...	476	4864
321	Kalyanpur ...	398	4743	385	Narindi ...	477	4865
322	Bagadi Nacpara ...	399	4742	386	Digaldi ...	478	4811
323	Lalurkandi ...	400	4741	387	Maruadi ...	479	4817
324	Bagadi ...	401	4800	388	Noadda ...	480	4888
325	Daripara ...	402	4747	389	Fasua ...	481	4810
326	Bailat ...	403	4748	390	Muraldi ...	482	4819
327	Fatepur ...	404	4745	391	Para Silmandi ...	483	4820
328	Brahmanpara ...	405	4746	392	Kumarbag ...	484	4733
329	Bara Sadardia ...	406	4784	393	Lengardi ...	485	4734
330	Chhota Sadardia ...	407	4785	394	Probhabardi ...	486	4844
331	Mamudpur ...	423	4783	395	Bhiti Kamaldi ...	487	4880
332	Khaserkandi ...	424	4782	396	Dhandi ...	488	4823
333	Srinibasdi ...	425	4780	397	Dhandi Udaydi ...	489	4824
334	Kshirdasdi ...	426	4781	398	Udaydi ...	490	4826
335	Salamdi ...	427	4779	399	Atabdi ...	491	4825
336	Gaherdi ...	428	4930	400	Ramdi ...	492	4879
337	Aguandi ...	429	4855	401	Dariabad ...	493	4878
338	Madansahadi ...	430	4700	402	Bherarkur ...	494	4877
339	Manikmina ...	431	4701	403	Ballabhdi ...	495	4897
340	Lalmina ...	432	4702	404	Chhota Salamdi ...	496	4898
341	Mardasi ...	433	4931	405	Hajisal adi ...	497	4796
342	Manikminachar ...	434	4932	406	Hamdi ...	498	4832
343	Kashipur ...	435	4933	407	Sendi ...	499	4899
344	Balarampur Khas ...	436	4934	408	Sinhadi ...	500	4831
345	Jogardia Khas ...	437	4935	409	Gadadhardi ...	501	4830
346	Jogardia ..	438	4936	410	Daldi ...	502	4848
347	Chhikatiakandi ...	439	4937	411	Madhabdi ...	503	4847
348	Kalyandi ...	440	4749	412	Isirchak ...	504	4840
349	Raghunathpur ...	441	4750	413	Dasordiakhas ...	505	4841
350	Kalyandikhas ...	442	4751	414	Dasordia ...	506	4827
351	Chhota Khamarchar	443	4801	415	Rishnadikhas ...	507	4795
352	Dakshinpara ...	444	4754	416	Bara Baraipara ...	508	4405
353	Kaempur ...	445	4757	417	Kakailmora ...	509	4479
354	Singarbil ...	446	4756	418	Rampur ...	510	4866
355	Naikahan ...	447	4755	419	Burumdi ...	511	4867
356	Daburpura ...	448	4758	420	Jangalia ...	512	4868
357	Chhota Daburpura ...	449	4759	421	Jangalakhas ...	513	4839
358	Latardi ...	450	4794	422	Tegharipara ...	514	4852
359	Singarpur ...	451	4792	423	Sripatirchar ...	515	4851
360	Sultansapadi ...	452	4793	424	Sripati ...	516	4842
361	Bhairabdi ...	453	4850	425	Atadi ...	517	4849
362	Bhairabdikhas ...	454	4846	426	Gurubardi ...	518	4872
363	Kamaldi ...	455	4843	427	Atadikhas ...	519	4837
364	Tilchandi ...	456	4845	428	Chhota Balapur ...	520	4699
365	Kahindi ...	457	4797	429	Aligadi ...	521	4976
366	Kalagachhia ...	458	4805	430	Kadirdia ...	522	4870
367	Agarpara ...	459	4816	431	Bajinabanda ...	523	4871
368	Joar Hamchadi ...	460	4775	432	Kajirdia ...	524	4838
369	Chantharkanda ...	461	4815	433	Banthai ...	525	4874
370	Brahmandi ...	462	4883	434	Raijpur ...	526	4875
371	Jatrabari ...	463	4884	435	Uchitpur ...	527	4721

No. 12512P.—The 9th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*s*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications relating to the area included within the Narayanganj police-station, in the district of Dacca, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Dacca.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Narayanganj.	Revenue Survey No.	Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Narayanganj.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Simrail ...	143	1254	4	Sidhhirganj ...	146	1257
2	Ati ...	144	1255	5	Kharda Ghoshpara ...	147	1275
3	Azibpur ...	145	1256	6	Bhuingar ...	148	1274

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7	Deulpara ...	149	1259
8	Pagla ...	150	1266
9	Dhopatita ...	151	1260
10	Philkuni ...	152	1261
11	Aliganj ...	153	1276
12	Dapa Idrakpur ...	154	1277
13	Siachar ...	155	1278
14	Khijirpur ...	156	1287
15	Bag Benidas ...	157	1300
16	Fatulla ...	158	1286
17	Lalpur ...	159	1288
18	Alinagar ...	160	1281
19	Fazilpur ...	161	1285
20	Uttar Azmatpur ...	162	1282
21	Dharmmaganj ...	163	1291
22	Sridhardi ...	164	1292
23	Dakshin Azmatpur ...	165	1285
24	Hariharpara ...	166	1284
25	Savangaon ...	167	1279
26	Enayetnagar ...	168	1293
27	Baraibhog ...	169	1289
28	Kasipur ...	170	1309
29	Baterchar ...	171	1312½
30	Char Baktalalli ...	172	1310
31	Char Buiragadi ...	173	3645
	Char Garkul ...	173(*a*)	3671
	Char Indradi ...	173(*b*)	3700
	Char Gangaprasad ...	173(*c*)	3694
32	Alirtek ...	174	1312
33	Gopchar ...	175	1306
34	Saiyadpur ...	176	1311
35	Saiyadpur (Municipality).	177	...
36	Masinabanda ...	178	1308
37	Masinabanda (Municipality).	179	...
38	Sitallakhaya ...	180	1304
39	Sitallakhaya (Municipality.	181	...
40	Goalbanda ...	182	1301
41	Goalbanda (Municipality).	183	...
42	Bara Deobhog ...	184	1307
43	Deobhog (Municipality).	185	...
44	Parkpara ...	186	1305
45	Bhagabanganj ...	187	1302
46	Narayanganj ...	188	1303
47	Chasara ...	189	1296
48	Chasara (Municipality)	190	1296
49	Masdail ...	191	1290
50	Isdair ...	192	1294
51	Khanpur ...	193	1298
52	Khanpur (Municipality).	194	1298
53	Talla ...	195	1299
54	Mokarba ...	196	1295
55	Mokarba Municipality).	197	1295
56	Hajiganj ...	198	1263
57	Hajiganj (Municipality).	199	1263
58	Kaempur ...	200	1297
59	Kutubpur ...	201	1246
60	Jalkundi ...	202	1258
61	Dhankanda ...	203	1262
62	Godnail ...	204	1264
63	Godnail (Municipality).	205	1264
64	Lakshannola ...	206	4546
65	Nangalbanda ...	212	4558
66	Kamtal ...	213	4554
67	Baligaon ...	214	4555
68	Barapara ...	215	4541
69	Musapur ...	216	4556
70	Dakshin Kulcharitra	217	4562
71	Uttar Kulcharitra ...	218	4548
72	Gobindakul ...	219	4525
73	Dasergaon ...	220	4542
74	Deuli ...	221	4543
75	Amirabad ...	222	4544
76	Uttar Nadya ...	223	4527
77	Nandirgaon ...	224	4545
78	Satenga ...	225	4526
79	Tingaon ...	226	4528
80	Kusiara ...	227	4332
81	Bara Baraikhali ...	228	4355
82	Bandar ...	229	4408
83	Bandar Barabari ...	230	4432
84	Gaupara ...	231	4431
85	Chhota Baraikhali ...	232	4433
86	Gobindamandali ...	233	4426
87	Sonapur ...	234	4352
88	Sonapur (Municipality).	235	4352
89	Uttar Bandar Krishnapura.	236	4428
90	Bandar Krishnapura	237	4428
91	Bandar Krishnapura	238	4428
92	Gangakul Bandar ...	239	4374
93	Gangakul Bandar (Municipality).	240	4374
94	Dariakandi ...	241	4429
95	Dariakandi (Municipality).	242	4429
96	Gobindapur ...	243	4427
97	Swalpa ...	244	4430
98	Nabiganj ...	245	4343
99	Nabiganj (Municipality).	246	4343
100	Ayamakadamrasul ...	247	4409
101	Ekrampur ...	248	4410
102	Sonakanda ...	249	4368
103	Noadha ...	250	4367
104	Madanganj (Municipality	251	4371
105	Madanganj ...	252	4371
106	Jirakdi ...	253	4366
107	Hajipur ...	254	4365
108	Hajipur (Municipality).	255	4365
109	Bijoydi ...	256	4369
110	Enatnagar (Municipality).	257	4370
111	Enatnagar ...	258	4370
112	Kalyandi ...	259	4402
113	Adampur ...	260	4419
114	Jindhara ...	261	4414
115	Madhabpasa ...	262	4396
116	Namchar (Municipality).	263	4373
117	Namchar ...	264	4373
118	Balia ...	265	4406
119	Tartaria ...	266	4425
120	Naigaon ...	267	4407
121	Gharmora ...	268	4397
122	Ailsardi ...	269	4351
123	Gokulgobindabari ...	270	4346
124	Suchia ...	271	4345
125	Subhakardi ...	272	4347
126	Kalagachhia ...	273	4348
127	Mohanpur ...	274	4390
128	Nisang ...	275	4389
129	Nurpaddi ...	276	4391
130	Barundi ...	277	4404
131	Sagardi ...	278	4398
132	Dakshin Chandpur ...	279	4400
133	Hazradi ...	280	4399
134	Dighaldi ...	281	4403
135	Sabdi ...	282	4424
136	Uttar Sabdi ...	283	4401
137	Solsardi ...	284	4420
138	Mukfaldi ...	285	4415
139	Nayanagar ...	286	4385
140	Hardi ...	287	4360
141	Kulcharitra ...	288	4359
142	Raghaldi ...	289	4358
143	Sadasibdi ...	290	4357
144	Mayapur ...	291	4356

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145	Chinardi ...	292	4418
146	Sibkundi ...	293	4422
147	Tamodardi ...	294	4386
148	Mirkundichar ...	295	4413
149	Mirkundi ...	296	4421
150	Bibijhora ...	297	4416
151	Joar Jatrabari ...	298	4423
152	Indradi ...	299	4417
153	Bejergaon ...	300	4388
154	Lambadardi ...	301	4387
155	Bhajandi ...	302	4557
156	Srirampur ...	303	4547
157	Srirampur ...	304	
158	Jaharpur ...	305	4540
159	Charuhikanda ...	306	4201

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Dacca.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Narayanganj.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Char Gandharbapur...	1	4564
2	Gandharbapur ...	2	4565
3	Naogaon ...	3	4569
4	Debai ...	4	4652
5	Karnagop ...	5	4570
6	Tetlaba ...	6	4571
7	Masaba ...	7	4566
8	Ariaba ...	8	4563
9	Barpa ...	9	4579
10	Sutalara ...	10	4572
11	Maukuli ...	11	4578
12	Khadan ...	12	4577
13	Uttar Rupsi ...	13	4578
14	Dakshin Rupsi ...	14	4597
15	Naopara ...	15	4568
16	Dighi Baraba ...	16	4567
17	Taraba ...	17	4599
18	Jatramura ...	18	4601
19	Tatki ...	19	4600
20	Behakair ...	20	4522
21	Sairpa ...	21	4927
22	Bargaon ...	22	4608
23	Sadipur ...	23	4609
24	Baraba ...	24	4521
25	Chengail ...	25	4551
26	Lalati ...	26	4452
27	Sinraba ...	27	4516
28	Baraibari ...	28	4515
29	Nayapur ...	29	4610
30	Haturapara ...	30	4592
31	Alampur ...	31	4517
32	Kaltapara ...	32	4588
33	Bastol ...	33	4589
34	Maishtek ...	34	4591
35	Baragaon ...	35	4593
36	Siraba ...	36	4590
37	Bharat ...	37	4605
38	Dasnaogaon ...	38	4576
39	Airaba ...	39	4573
40	Peraba ...	40	4574
41	Kahena ...	41	4575
42	Simlaba ...	42	4580
43	Utma ...	43	4602
44	Kobaga ...	44	4606
45	Brahmanbaga ...	45	4584
46	Pechanga ...	46	4603
47	Pakunda ...	47	5881
48	Mandirpur ...	48	4585
49	Rautgaon ...	49	4607
50	Barakrishnadi ...	50	4886
51	Baramajherchar ...	51	4586
52	Mamudpur ...	52	4885
53	Akhalia ...	53	4896
54	Jampur ...	54	48 5
55	Lengatpur ...	55	4887
56	Makimpur ...	56	4893
57	Burundi ...	57	4894
58	Char Gobindapur ...	58	4822
59	Basigaon ...	59	4596
60	Kazipara ...	60	4604
61	Tilaba ...	61	4583
62	Purba Darikandi ...	62	4595
63	Sekherhat ...	63	4594
64	Char Talukabad ...	64	4587
65	Ladhurchar ...	65	4821
66	Char Kamaldi ...	66	4829
67	Nasgaon ...	67	4854
68	Gauribardi ...	68	4834
69	Gauribardikhas ...	69	4900
70	Baneswardi ...	70	4835
71	Bishnadi ...	71	4886
72	Lakshmibardikhas ...	72	4833
73	Lakshmibardi ...	73	4853
74	Parameswardi ...	74	4828
75	Algirchar ...	75	4477
76	Rajjabdi ...	76	4478
77	Sekherchar ...	77	4434
78	Gangina ...	78	4510
79	Paikpara ...	79	4495
80	Chengakandi ...	80	4494
81	Nakuriahati ...	81	4492
82	Goalbati ...	82	4511
83	Machhalandapur ...	83	4452
84	Chhatakia ...	84	4451
85	Baradi ...	85	4435
86	Par Baghari ...	86	4474
87	Naypara ...	87	4443
88	Khamargaon ...	88	4473
89	Bil Marabdi ...	89	4512
90	Suldi ...	90	4460
91	Ribara ...	91	4458
92	Bhaterpara ...	92	4459
93	Manahardi ...	93	4461
94	Markandadi ...	94	4500
95	Chhota Alamdi ...	95	4432
96	Bara Alamdi ...	96	4491
97	Bara Khaterbhulua	97	4449
98	Char Bhulua ...	98	4498
99	Chhota Khater Bhulua.	99	4499
100	Athari Alamdi ...	100	4442
101	Ledandi ...	101	4441
102	Tendi ...	102	4440
103	Mamuddi ...	103	4484
104	Mastarabad ...	104	4483
105	Paschim Alandi ...	105	4448
106	Harihardi ...	106	4506
107	Dakshin Darikandi ...	107	4505
108	Muchharchar ...	108	4582
109	Daulardi ...	109	4454
110	Kumarchar ...	110	4439
111	Joardi ...	111	4436
112	Fatepur ...	112	4504
113	Baidyerkandi ...	113	4450

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114	Saumandi ...	114	4453
115	Paika ...	115	4502
116	Paika Sonardi ...	116	4503
117	Marbdi ...	117	4434
118	Kandapara ...	118	4437
119	Sripatirchar ...	119	4501
120	Lalchar ...	120	4489
121	Uttar Dhura ...	121	4490
122	Madhya Majherchar	122	4988
123	Jangal ...	123	4553
124	Keodhala ...	124	4539
125	Kuchiamora ...	125	4529
126	Panchamighat ...	126	4613
127	Nanakhi ...	127	4513
128	Bagburi ...	128	4530
129	Kusaba ...	129	4531
130	Madanpur ...	130	4560
131	Uttar Chandpur ...	131	4550
132	Fular ...	132	4549
133	Saraisarbag ...	133	4519
134	Bagnayanagar ...	134	4538
135	Manaberkhanerbag	135	4559
136	Bangasasan ...	136	4537
137	Mridhabari ...	137	4523
138	Haripur ...	138	4524
139	Lakshya Kutubpur...	139	4534
140	Khaspara ...	140	4535
141	Kachpur ...	141	4514
142	Nagar Kachpur ...	142	4533
143	Dhangar ...	207	4536
144	Kuripara ...	208	4532
145	Chaupatali ...	209	4561
146	Sarail ...	210	4518
147	Amair ...	211	4520
148	Decreechar ...	307	4202
149	Kajirgaon ...	308	4243
150	Kaliganj ...	309	4245
151	Chhota Krishnadi ...	310	4287
152	Mirerchar ...	311	4222
153	Maghbazar ...	312	4260
154	Serpur ...	313	4496
155	Dakshin char ...	314	4497
156	Nazirpur ...	315	4261
157	Nitardi ...	316	4263
158	Garibardi ...	317	4468
159	Bhabanipur ...	318	4463
160	Char Baneswardi ...	319	4465
161	Jatrabari ...	320	4464
162	Daulatpur Thotalia...	321	4466
163	Amdi ...	322	4467
164	Hazratpur ...	323	4469
165	Darpat Thotalia ...	324	4456
166	Bari Gandharba ...	325	4457
167	Fatekandi ...	326	4455
168	Raishdia ...	327	4267
169	Arjjundi ...	328	4215
170	Chhota Maghbazar ...	329	4214
171	Goaldi ...	330	4213
172	Bag Nazirpur ...	331	4265
173	Ramdi ...	332	4262
174	Uttar Chandibardi ...	333	4246
175	Bagbari ...	334	4264
176	Dakshin Chandibardi	335	4303
177	Uttamdi ...	336	4305
178	Srinibasdi ...	337	4266
179	Tipurdi ...	338	4306
180	Padmalabhdi ...	339	4297
181	Mallikerpara ...	340	4302
182	Giribardi ...	341	4304
183	Sonakhali ...	342	4238
184	Babrakpur ...	343	4239
185	Char Sofikhan ...	344	4240
186	Madhabpur ...	345	4241
187	Chhota Majherchar	346	4244
188	Chak Karamulla ...	347	4242
189	Birahimerkandi ...	348	4200
190	Bhagalpur ...	349	4216
191	Sachinapur ...	350	4217
192	Rahamatpur ...	351	4221
193	Asrafdi ...	352	4220
194	Sukardi ...	353	4192
195	Ulukanda ...	354	4193
196	Bhatipara ...	355	4191
197	Darugola ...	356	4194
198	A apdi ...	357	4195
199	Kofurdi ...	358	4199
200	Lal Alapdi ...	359	4198
201	Kukiartek ...	360	4197
202	Lalkrishnadi ...	361	4196
203	Menikhali ...	362	4209
204	Binnipara ...	363	4190
205	Kabilganj ...	364	4219
206	Khaliapara ...	365	4236
207	Damdama ...	366	4235
208	Bhairabdi ...	367	4218
209	Nebuchpara ...	368	4233
210	Barasadipur ...	369	4234
211	Muktespur ...	370	4232
212	Kususan ...	371	4231
213	Narayandia ...	372	4301
214	Chhotta Silmandi ...	373	4298
215	Kamargaon ...	374	4300
216	Jhagrakhoa ...	375	4299
217	Silmandi	376	4229
218	Satarajdi ...	377	4230
219	Mithadi ...	378	4227
220	Jagatdi ...	379	4228
221	Nagarsadipur ...	380	4226
222	Mithapur ...	381	4225
223	Solapara ..	382	4223
224	Baranagar ...	383	4224
225	Chhota Arjjundi ...	384	4257
226	Goalnagar ..	385	4256
227	Char Menikhali ...	386	4249
228	Habibpur ...	387	4250
229	Dihi Sonargaon ...	388	4248
230	Bari Majlis ...	389	4251
231	Majidbari ...	390	4255
232	Gohata ...	391	4254
233	Chhota Sadipur ...	392	4253
234	Chhota Bandara ...	393	4259
235	Ratandi ...	394	4258
236	Bandara ...	395	4252
237	Chilarbag ...	396	4247
238	Dalairbag ...	397	4295
239	Hatkopa ...	398	4286
240	Anantamuchha ...	399	4287
241	Bhabanathpur ...	400	4285
242	Krishnapura ...	401	4288
243	Krishnapura ...	402	4289
244	Sibnagar ...	403	4293
245	Chandana ...	404	4292
246	Khorda Chandana ...	405	4290
247	Kanainagar ...	406	4312
248	Chhota Tilar ...	407	4291
249	Khanjarbag ...	408	4294
250	Khasnagar ...	409	4313
251	Ichhapar ...	410	4311
252	Tajpur ...	411	4314
253	Chhakarbanda ...	412	4310
254	Bhiti Adampur ...	413	4309
255	Balarampur ...	414	4308
256	Bag Mahisha ...	415	4315
257	Matbari ...	416	4307
258	Bari Sriram ...	417	4328
259	Ranbhowal Gobindapur.	418	4326
260	Bari Syamkumar ...	419	4327, 4324
261	Bhiti Gobindapur ...	420	4324
262	Paschim Gopalpatti...	421	4322
263	Bhattapur ...	422	4321
264	Chak Sonargaon ..	423	4323
265	Joyrampur ...	424	4325
266	Baninathpur ...	425	4317
267	Bari Ramkrishnapur	426	4318
268	Bari Raghubhanga ...	427	4331
269	Sahapur ...	428	4283
270	Sathbaipara ...	429	4280
271	Chanderkirtti ...	430	4316
272	Purbagopalpatti ...	431	4319

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273	Sonargaon ...	432	4320
274	Dakshin Solapara ...	433	4329
275	Uttar Solapara ...	434	4330
276	Bazar Aminpur ...	435	4272
277	Khagatia ...	436	4274
278	Panam Dulapur ...	437	4269
279	Aminpur ...	438	4270
280	Nayabazar ...	439	4271
281	Lakshmipura ...	440	4273
282	Noail ...	441	4268
283	Balia Dighirpar ...	442	4276
284	Islampatti ...	443	4275
285	Panamgabtali ...	444	4284
286	Gabtali ...	445	4278
287	Gochat ...	446	4277
288	Hamchhadi ...	447	4476
289	Chak Damodardi ...	448	4447
290	Paschim Damodardi	449	4508
291	Purba Damodardi ...	450	4486
292	Tengerchar ...	451	4488
293	Basundardi ...	452	4487
294	Narasuldi ...	453	4472
295	Syampur ...	454	4471
296	Mabarakpur ...	455	4470
297	Mamrakpur ...	456	4482
298	Uttar Khansardi ...	457	4446
299	Dakshin Khansardi	458	4445
300	Kewar Pattan ...	459	4509
301	Dihi Chandpur ...	460	4507
302	Nakatibhanga ...	461	4485
303	Nagarpur ...	462	4475
304	Nagar Joar ...	463	4481
305	Purba Chandpur ...	464	4480
306	Haria ...	465	4282
307	Sonamai ...	466	4168
308	Dharmmadi ...	467	4296
309	Chhota Deobhog ...	468	4164
310	Ramchandi ...	469	4163
311	Bara Tilak ...	470	4281
312	Char Lanadi ...	471	4176
313	Bhatibanda ...	472	4161
314	Deara Menikhali ...	473	Nil
315	Char Babanathpur ...	474	4285
316	Narottampur ...	475	4170
317	Jainpur	476	4172
318	Chhay Hisya ...	477	4171
319	Nagergaon ...	478	4162
320	Char Ramjan-sonaulla. ...	479	4160
321	Ashariachar ...	480	4173
322	Char Chengakandi ...	481	4165
323	Pirijpur ...	482	4162
324	Dudhghata ...	483	4167
325	Itkhola ...	484	4180
326	Gudaragnat ...	485	4178
327	Mangalergaon ...	486	4174
328	Durgaprasadkandi ...	487	4212
329	Tahirpur Kazirgaon	488	4203
330	Chandhurirgaon ...	489	4206
331	Tatuakandi ...	490	4157
332	Baghiakandi ...	491	4205
333	Balerchak ...	492	4204
334	Bhitikandi ...	493	4393
335	Ramgobindagaon ...	494	4384
336	Ghoserchak ...	495	4207
337	Mugarchar ...	496	4169
338	Jhanchar ...	497	4208
339	Ekrampur ...	498	4336
340	Darichak ...	499	4335
341	Maharabanda ...	500	4375
342	Maharabanda chak ...	501	4376
343	Chak Barni ...	502	4377
344	Tindona ...	503	4378
345	Chairdona ...	504	4379
346	Balerchhat ...	505	4380
347	Bhatter chak ...	506	4382
348	Dakshin Bhaterchak	507	4381
349	Nabinagar ...	508	4383
350	Lamchari ...	509	4384
351	Bara Bhaterchak ...	510	4337
352	Majguni ...	511	4339
353	Hosenpur ...	512	4340
354	Bara Bibikhalisa ...	513	4341
355	Chelarchar ...	514	4395
356	Hosenpur ...	515	4340
357	Terakahania ...	516	4344
358	Gazariapar ...	517	4179
359	Char Gualdi ...	518	4211
360	Mirbaharkandi ...	519	4210
361	Panchkani ...	520	4159
362	Panchali ...	521	4158
363	Khodabakshapur ...	522	4180
364	Dasdona ..	523	4342
365	Chak Gazariapar ...	524	4179
366	Chhota Tindona ...	525	4354
367	Bhattacharjyachak ...	526	4353
368	Danichak ...	527	4189
369	Ghorarchak ...	528	4186
370	Bil Borda ...	529	4188
371	Imamdirchhat ...	530	4187
372	Char Arjjundi ...	531	4338
373	Lamcharitan ...	532	4181
374	Char Elahinagar ...	533	4282
375	Char Fatepur ...	534	4185
376	Nayachar Gobindapur	535	4411
377	Fardi ...	536	4184
378	Mahishkhola ...	537	4183
379	Madla ...	538	4363
380	Mainarkhan ...	539	4392
381	Sambhupura ...	540	4412
382	Nayanpur ...	541	4362
383	Jhagrarchar ...	542	4364
384	Dakshin Nayanpur ...	543	4362
385	Dakshin Banda ...	544	4361
386	Char Hogla ...	545	4372
387	Char Kishoriganj ...	546	4151

No. 12514P.—The 9th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*s*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications relating to the area included within the Narsingdi police-station, in the district of Dacca, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Dacca.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Rupganj.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Silmandi ...	275	5369
2	Isakpur ...	276	5280
3	Nandipara ...	277	5279
4	Bhelanagar ...	278	5365
5	Tarua ...	279	5274
6	Bilashdi ...	280	5368
7	Tauadi ...	281	5373
8	Ghoradia ...	282	5277
9	Sonatala ...	283	5323
10	Munsefer Char ...	284	5314
11	Nandalalpur ...	285	5371
12	Puranpara ...	286	5286
13	Jonarajipara ...	287	5287
14	Birpur ...	288	5311

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Rupganj.	Revenue Survey No.
15	Balunkandi ...	289	5372
16	Sarak Brahmandi ...	290	5366
17	Chhota Brahmanpara	291	5318
18	Bara Brahmanpara ...	292	5375
19	Satirpara ...	293	5374
20	Sridharpur ...	294	5317
21	Basni ...	295	5367
22	Bhagdi ...	296	5273
23	Dagaria ...	297	5376
24	Hugalia ...	298	5377
25	Khatra ...	299	5316
26	Baghata ...	300	5360
27	Tulshipur ...	301	5370
28	Khidirpur ...	302	5320
29	Kismat Baniadi ...	303	5275
30	Ganergaon ...	304	4688
31	Nagar Baniadi ...	305	4705
32	Shekerchar ...	306	4671
33	Ashtapaika ...	308	4901
34	Balusair ...	309	4704
35	Gazirgawn ...	310	4907
36	Chanderpara ...	311	4703
37	Mashasura ...	312	5319
38	Dilarpur ...	313	4914
39	Alinagar ...	314	4917
40	Karimpur ...	315	5326 4922
41	Alokbali ...	316	4924
42	Khodadila ...	317	4921
43	Char Madhabpur ...	318	4915
44	Kalikapur ...	319	4916
45	Char Ramprasadpur...	320	4924
46	Jitrampur ...	321	4920
47	Kholbandha ...	322	4919
48	Char Sibpur ...	323	4918
49	Char Dighaldi ...	324	4926
50	Begam Char ...	325	4916
51	Char Bhasania ...	326	4720
52	Puranchar ...	327	4909
53	Gopaldi ...	328	4717
54	Sadasardi ...	329	4712
55	Lakshmibardi ...	330	4713
56	Uttar Kalagachhia...	331	4714
57	Khadimer Char ...	332	4716
58	Bara Kumar Char ...	333	4718
59	Char Balapur ...	334	4709
60	Nareswardi ...	335	4715
61	Baniar Char ...	336	4670
62	Bhaterkandi ...	337	4333
63	Baher Char ...	338	4669
64	Kandarpadi ...	339	4692
65	Paiker Char ...	340	4710
66	Bangar Char ...	341	4711
67	Uttar Bhasania ...	342	4719
68	Bara Balapur ...	343	4753
69	Hosendi ...	344	4906
70	Bathuadi ...	345	4730
71	Choudda Paika ...	346	4902
72	Khanmurdi ...	347	4698
73	Kotawaler Char ...	350	4690
74	Nagar Daukadi ...	358	4668
75	Pathanerkandi ...	359	4706
76	Mollar Char ...	360	4707
77	Ratnagardi ...	361	4708
78	Jalakandi ...	408	4744
79	Ramchandradi ...	409	4890
80	Toksardi ...	410	4891
81	Dariadi Char ...	411	4892
82	Gazipura ...	412	4910
83	Bishnandi Char ...	413	4728
84	Dari Bishnandi ...	414	4727
85	Bishnandi ...	415	4729
86	Chukanda ...	416	4725
87	Tetia ..	417	4856
88	Sambhupura ...	418	4859
89	Chaitonkandi ...	419	4724
90	Manikpur ...	420	4908
91	Karaitala ...	421	4726
92	Mulukshahadi ...	422	4778
93	Sobharampur ...	528	4723
94	Lakshmipur ...	529	4722
95	Bijoynagar ...	530	4861
96	Dayakanda ...	531	4860
97	Naynabad ...	532	4873
98	Kamalapur ...	533	4905
99	Sinhergaon ...	534	4903
100	Chak Chariali ...	535	4904
101	Dengurkandi ...	536	4869
102	Hat Chakerkandi ...	537	4913
103	Jhaukandi ...	538	4912
104	Bibirkandi ...	539	4857
105	Sonakanda ...	540	4858
106	Kadmir Char ...	541	4911
107	Kalapaharia ...	542	4863
108	Nij Kalapaharia ...	543	4862
109	Char Kamalapur ...	544	4903

Mymensingh.

No. 12515P.—The 9th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*s*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications relating to the area included within the Katiadi police-station, in the district of Mymensingh, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Katiadi.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Char Lakshmi ...	1	172
2	Kaona or Char Kaona	2	171
3	Dagdaga ...	3	164
4	Jatgalia ...	4	163
5	Kazihati ...	5	159
6	Char Kati Mahadi-madhi or Char Teke.	6	170
7	Char Singarkol ...	7	169
8	Tarakandi ...	8	153
9	Banipatta ...	9	154
10	Jaybishnupur ...	10	155
11	Maziqpur ...	11	156
12	Tantrapara ...	12	157
13	Harshi ...	13	158
14	Amarpur ...	14	160
15	Chaychir ...	15	161
16	Bishwanathpur Basar-char.	16	165
17	Sailarghona ...	17	166
18	Khutar Jangalia ...	18	162
19	Sukhia Khalsikhali ...	19	148
20	Tenakora or Chilakora	20	142
21	Kodalia or Sailjani ...	21	141
22	Sakrahati ...	22	139
23	Hazrat Kodalia ...	23	140
24	Chandipasa ...	24	138
25	Ghagra Bir ...	25	137
26	Ghagra Alamkhan ...	26	146
27	Naranatia ...	27	126
28	Satkahania ...	28	113
29	Hanuadi ...	29	112
30	Juniail ...	30	114
31	Jatira ...	31	115
32	Bishuhati ...	32	122
33	Ajaldi Singur or Ajal-dipara.	33	129

Serial No.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Katiadi.	Revenue Survey No.
34	Baniaganti ...	34	123
35	Baniaganti ...	35	124
36	Salanka ...	36	125
37	Kamalpur ...	37	127
38	Agarpatta Sekandar Chandal.	38	136
39	Ajaldi Gangalia Sonakura. ...	39	149
40	Baram Khanpara ...	40	150
41	Kursakanda or Ajaldipara.	41	151
42	Anwarkhali ...	42	152
43	Sriramdi ...	43	134
44	Ajaldi Porabaria ...	44	135
45	Sanmania ...	45	128
46	Char Nalari or Narandi	46	133
47	Patuabhanga ...	47	130
48	Hasandi	48	131
49	Kayarpur ...	49	132
50	Baraipara or Machrabad.	50	19
51	Mangalbaria ...	51	46
52	Uttarpara ...	52	47
53	Nischintapur ...	53	44
54	Hapania ...	54	42
55	Lakshmia ...	55	41
56	Pakundia ...	56	40
57	Lakshmia Paik ...	57	39
58	Dardara ...	58	38
59	Baratia ...	59	37
60	Murura ...	60	36
61	Chaliaghop or Kuratala Maliganti.	61	35
62	Maliganti ...	62	34
63	Lakshmia ...	63	43
64	Baga ...	64	49
65	Chitrakhali ...	65	50
66	Darahat Paik Saidgaon	66	48
67	Darahat ...	67	54
68	Ramerganti ...	68	53
69	Saidganti ...	69	55
70	Bal Baira or Bil Bhara	70	52
71	Bhairadi or Bil Baira...	71	51
72	Phuldi ...	72	22
73	Mirzapur ...	73	24
74	Barsaganti ...	74	25
75	Chaliaghop ...	75	26
76	Hijlia ...	76	33
77	Char Faradi ...	77	32
78	Char Feratoki ...	78	31
79	Char Khursa ...	79	29
80	Charalbandh ...	80	30
81	Kursa ...	81	28
82	Kahi Dhandul ...	82	27
83	Char Mirzapur ...	83	23
84	Char Bahadia or Badia	84	21
85	Bahadia or Badia ...	85	20
86	Meherdi Bari ...	86	45
87	Kamorkana or Kamorkana Haribari.	87	16
88	Sukrabad ...	88	3
89	Chaturbhujpara ...	89	17
90	Mazidpur ...	90	18
91	Agrasindur ...	91	1
92	Char Diakandi ...	92	4
93	Jamalpur ...	93	2
94	Diakandi ...	94	5
95	Taldasi ...	95	6
96	Chamraid ...	96	15
97	Angiadi ...	97	14
98	Adityapasha ...	98	56
99	Kandarpadi ...	99	58
100	Alamdi ...	100	57
101	Mulnadi ...	101	13
102	Kaeterdia ...	102	12
103	Pabda ...	103	60
104	Bajudia ...	104	62
105	Ichhakhali ...	105	61
106	Char Mardi Gadar or Char Kagar.	106	11
107	Char Khama Gadar or Kagar.	107	7
108	Char Khama ...	108	8
109	Mardi ...	109	9
110	Narapati ...	110	10
111	Nagar Hazradi or Putia.	111	65
112	Digambardi ...	112	66
113	Mandarkandi ...	113	67
114	Char Kazi ...	114	70
115	Khidirpur or Bairagir Char.	115	72
116	Mukadia ...	116	71
117	Karcha or Kaira ...	117	69
118	Barudia Kalapara ...	118	68
119	Dhopadia ...	119	64
120	Samukmala ...	120	63
121	Saluadi or Saluadi Bhaterkhola.	121	59
122	Drum Beldia ...	122	81
123	Berlia ...	123	82
124	Ashutia ...	124	85
125	Ashutia Phul ...	125	84
126	Khakurpara ...	126	83
127	Mashua Bir ...	127	80
128	Charaldia ...	128	86
129	Mashua Pang ...	129	79
130	Ukrasul ...	130	92
131	Pachgatia ...	131	91
132	Nanbaria or Rupsa ...	132	90
133	Balia ...	133	87
134	Kumri ...	134	89
135	Majudpur or Mazidpur	135	88
136	Pachalghata ...	136	109
137	Bandigha ...	137	118
138	Koladia ...	138	119
139	Pilanpur ...	139	120
140	Masimpur ...	140	121
141	Simulia ...	141	117
142	Chitrakandi ...	142	116
143	Majnati ...	143	110
144	Adiatapara ...	144	102
145	Barikandi ...	145	111
146	Simulia or Pairakandi	146	104
147	Bhatipara or Bhati Simulia	147	105
148	Simulia Nehardi ...	148	254
149	Simulia or Dighirpar Simulia.	149	106
150	Nadna ...	150	107
151	Kursa ...	151	108
152	Pugli Kaet ...	152	101
153	Pugli Barsi ...	153	100
154	Gilakandi ...	154	99
155	Jamsed Bagpara ...	155	98
156	Madhyapara ...	156	97
157	Bir Chatalia or Bil Digha.	157	505
158	Paiksa Bil Huta ...	158	508
159	Harina ...	159	506
160	Taltala Chularganti	160	95
161	Baniagaon ...	161	96
162	Bhanjania ...	162	93
163	Bhitadia ...	163	78
164	Argherkona ...	164	77
165	Bil Khajul ...	165	76
166	Betal or Baital ...	166	75
167	Randi Garakandi ...	167	538
168	Manoharpur Adampur	168	537
169	Purbapara or Nanakandi.	169	536
170	Katiadi ...	170	534
171	Bhogpara ...	171	535
172	Kamarkona ...	172	533
173	Bograid ...	173	74
174	Shyamrayer Kandi ...	174	532
175	Masulla Halnapara ...	175	526
176	Kumarbhog ...	176	525
177	Haluapara ...	177	525
178	Bethair ...	178	524

Serial No	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana katisi.	Revenue Survey No
179	Ghagar ...	179	517
180	Ashtagharia ...	180	514
181	Induail Ichhail or Induail	181	516
182	Chairpara ...	182	75
183	Achmeta ...	183	515
184	Gangkulpora Satur ganti.	184	94
185	Ganirgaon Chular ganti.	185	507
186	Mamurdia Khurd Charaldia.	186	509
187	Taraganti ...	187	513
188	Langatia Umedpur ...	188	518
189	Boghan ...	189	519
190	Pipalia ...	190	520
191	Goatala ...	191	523
192	Pachita ...	192	522
193	Joaria ...	193	521
194	Kurikha Bade ...	194	487
195	Daricharia ...	195	475
196	Kurikhamagar ...	196	488
197	Magura ...	197	490
198	Chatal Charigaiti ...	198	489
199	Baghata ...	199	491
200	Dhankipara Khurd ...	200	511
201	Bil Purush Bahadia	201	512
202	Nagergaon ...	202	510
203	Dasergaon, Chuha Bhabanipur.	203	504
204	Bangram Nanapara ...	204	503
205	Nanagaon ...	205	502
206	Sahasram Dhuidha ...	206	501
207	Atartupa ...	207	500
208	Atartupa ...	208	499
209	Gachihata ...	209	498
210	Adkhola Durgapur ...	210	386
211	Shaterodron ...	211	497
212	Diajan ...	212	383
213	Raikala Birati ...	213	384
214	Naubaria ...	214	385
215	Adkhola Naukhoba ...	215	387
216	Naukhola Khurd ...	216	388
217	Purura ...	217	496
218	Dakul I ...	218	495
219	Naukhola ...	219	388
220	Dakul II ...	220	495
221	Bagjorkandi ...	221	389
222	Pachilapara	222	394
223	Dangargaon ...	223	393
224	Lahund ...	224	395
225	Saharmul ...	225	396
226	Nansri ...	226	398
227	Nansri Chang ...	227	397
228	Karpasa Majhilipur Karimabad Nashuti.	228	406
229	Kargaon ...	229	392
230	Mahammadpur II ...	230	415
231	Mahammadpur ...	231	415
232	Kaona ...	232	416
233	Deopasa ...	233	494
234	Konapara ...	234	391
235	Chamakpur ...	235	390
236	Bhatara ...	236	493
237	Karuapara II ...	237	417
238	Karuapara I ...	238	417
239	Bhuna ...	239	418
240	Chandpur ...	240	492
241	Mandalbhog ...	241	474
242	Charia ...	242	476
243	Bhagnadi ...	243	477
244	Boalia ...	244	486
245	Kaeterteki ...	245	528
246	Baraoia ...	246	529
247	Chariakona Dari ...	247	530
248	Chariakona ...	248	531
249	Jakalia ...	249	548
250	Char Pakhia or Khidirpur	250	545
251	Char Paratala Purba	251	544
252	Abdullapur Char Lakshmipur Char Bhati Jagat	252	547

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 11th November 1916.

No. 115.—The following extract from a Notification, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for information :—

No. 1302, dated the 3rd November 1916.

THE following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Infantry Branch.

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Charles Henry Trusler ... Dated 28th October 1916.

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ESTABLISHMENT.

The 13th November 1916.

No. 117.—The Governor in Council is pleased to make the following promotion and reversions in the Chief and Superintending Engineer classes with effect from the 26th October 1916 :—

Name.	From—	To—	Nature of promotion.
Cowley, F. A. A.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class.	Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, temporary.	Promotion.
Walsh, C. P. ...	Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Reversion.
Zorab, J. ...	Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Ditto.
Mitra, Beni Madhab.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, temporary.	Ditto.
Das, Amar Nath	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Ditto.
Dey, G. G. ...	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, temporary.	Ditto.
Hodgson, R. C....	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, temporary.	Officiating Superintending Engineer.	Ditto.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 13th November 1916.

No. 16.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to add, with effect from the 1st December 1916, the following rule to the Rules for Tolly's Nala published with Notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904 (published at pages 744-46, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*).

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Rule.

28. Whenever it is decided to close Tolly's Nala temporarily under section 3 of the Canals Act, 1864, for doing any act necessary for the improvement of the Nala, one month's notice of the intention to close it shall be given.

The 14th November 1916.

No. 17.—Notification.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of Notification No. 14, dated the 5th September 1916, published at page 1610, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem, the Governor in Council

is pleased to appoint Babu Prafulla Chandra Das Gupta (Deputy Collector in place of Babu Karali Charan Ganguly) to be a Deputy Collector—

(*a*) for the purpose of carrying out the survey ordered to be made in the first paragraph of Notification No. 7, dated the 18th June 1912, as amended by subsequent notification, and for all purposes of the said Bengal Survey Act, 1875, in relation thereto, and

(*b*) for the purpose of causing permanent boundary marks to be erected under section 15 of the said Act—

(*i*) on that portion of the Government lands, known as the Tolly's Nala surplus land, between the Hastings Bridge and the Tollygunge Bridge, which has been surveyed under the Calcutta Survey Act, 1887 (Bengal Act I of 1887), as directed by Notification No. 459M., dated the 31st January 1903, and under the said Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), as directed by Notification No. 1518T.R., dated the 11th July 1903, and

(*ii*) on that portion of the Government lands, known as the Tolly's Nala surplus land, between the Tollygunge Bridge and the Russa Toll Station, which is being surveyed under the said Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), as directed by Notifications Nos. 121T.M. and 122T.M., dated the 29th April 1912.

F. A. A. COWLEY.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 8th November 1916.

No. 16R.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 52P.—16, dated Simla, the 25th October 1916.

NOTIFICATION—By the Govt. of India, Railway Dept. (Railway Board).

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the agency of the Eastern Bengal Railway for a chord railway on the 5' 6" gauge from Khulna to Dum-Dum, a distance of about 80 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Khulna-Dum-Dum Chord Railway Reconnaissance Survey.

The 13th November 1916.

No. 17R.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 97P.-16, dated the 3rd November 1916.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the Eastern Bengal Railway for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Raiganj, a station on the Katihar-Parbatipur section of the Eastern Bengal Railway to Eklakhi, a station on the Katihar-Godagiri section of the same railway, a distance of about 28 miles.

2. This survey will be known as the Raiganj-Eklakhi Railway Reconnaissance Survey.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 10th November 1916.

No. 108Marine.—Mr. J. Hudson, Branch Pilot, is granted privilege leave for three weeks, under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 9th November 1916.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th November 1916.

No. 109Marine.—Mr. D. I. Halford, Junior Master Pilot, is promoted to act as a Senior Master Pilot, with effect from the 26th November 1916.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 11th November 1916.

No. 116.—The services of Mr. C. H. Trusler, Overseer, First Calcutta Division, who has been granted a commission in the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, are placed temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

H. H. GREEN,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8239A.

No. 4018A.D.—The 9th November 1916.—Babu Narendra Narayan Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Rajshahi Division.

Rajshahi Divn.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 12759, dated Calcutta, the 10th November 1916.—On being relieved of his present officiating duties as Resident Medical Officer, Police Hospital, Calcutta, second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Nath Gupta is placed on supernumerary duty at that Hospital until further orders.

W. R. EDWARDS, M.D., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR Mr. Mohima Nath Bhattacharjie has been placed in charge of the Howrah Sadar Treasury from the forenoon of the 31st October 1916, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

W. S. HOPKYNS, *for Collector.*

HOWRAH, *the 3rd November 1916.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

THE following rule having been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in exercise of the powers vested in it under section 107 (*c*) of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, Ch. 61), and sanctioned by the Governor-General in Council, is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.
CIVIL.
The 9th November 1916.

Rule.

1. *Cancel* clauses (*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) of rule 15, Chapter XI, pages 300-301, volume 1, of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, and *substitute* therefor the following :—

(*c*) No vakil or pleader shall receive a vakalatnama from any person other than the party himself, or his recognised agent, or a person duly authorised by power-of-attorney to act in this behalf, or his servant or relation or a pleader or vakil or mukhtar specially authorised in writing in that behalf.

(*d*) Where there are more parties than one, the vakalatnama may be received from one of them similarly authorised, unless they appear by one and the same vakalatnama.

(*e*) When a vakalatnama is filed by a vakil or pleader, he shall endorse on the back of it, the date of acceptance, the name of the person from whom it is received, and, if such person is neither the client himself nor a vakil, pleader or mukhtar, shall state the precise nature of the authority, with date, of that person.

(*f*) A vakalatnama which has been filed in Court may be subsequently accepted by a vakil or pleader whose name appeared in the vakalatnama at the time when it was first filed; in the case of such subsequent acceptance, an endorsement shall be made as in the case of the first acceptance.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1916 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

E. H. BRAY,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৬ সাল, তারিখ ২৭শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৬ সালের ২৯শে নভেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ই, এইচ, ব্রে,

সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 8th November 1916.

No. 700A.—Babu Kiran Chandra Banerji, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hooghly (class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fourty-four days, in extension of that already granted to him under this Department Notification No. 581-A., dated 9th September 1916.

He is also permitted, under article 220 of the Civil Service Regulations, to affix the Durga Puja holidays to his leave.

The 10th November 1916.

No. 701A.—Shamsul-ulama Maulvi Abul Khair Abdul Wahab, Assistant Maulvi, Arabic Department, Calcutta Madrasah (class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), is granted leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eight days, with effect from the 27th December 1915, in extension of that already granted to him under this Department Notification No. 18A., dated the 4th January 1916.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 3rd November 1916.

No. 83P.—Babu Harakanta Basu, Head Master, Hare School, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, was on privilege leave, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fourteen days with effect from the 4th September 1916.

The 11th November 1916.

No. 84P.—Babu Kalipada Sarkar, Officiating Assistant Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division (officiating in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for nineteen days with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

The 13th November 1916.

No 85P.—Babu Satis Chandra Sen, Head Master, Darjeeling High School (class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed substantively on probation for one year to be Head Master of the Hindu School and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment *vice*, Rai Rasamay Mitra Bahadur, retired

No. 86P.—Pending the arrival of Babu Satis Chandra Sen, Babu Tarini Prosad Mukerji, Assistant Head Master of the Hindu School (class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Head Master of the same school and in the Provincial Educational Service, on the usual allowance admissible under the rules, *vice* Rai Rasamay Mitra Bahadur, retired.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3756J.—Babu Hari Charan Banerjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, Balurghat, Dinajpur, is transferred to the Alipur subdivision of the Jalpaiguri district.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3765J.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Rajshahi Central Jail:—

1. Rai Rama Prosad Mallik Bahadur.
2. Maulvi Wajihuddin Ahmad.
3. Babu Hemendra Kumar Ray.
4. Dr. Akshay Kumar Bhaduri.
5. Maulvi Syed Tuffazal Hossain.
6. Babu Kunja Mohan Moitra.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 4th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 225R.G.—Babu Sat Couri Lal Dey, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted medical leave, under article 336, Rule I of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 10th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Nilphamari, in the district of Rangpur:—

1.	Subdivisional Officer, Nilphamari	...	*Ex-officio.*
2.	Munsif, 1st Court,	ditto ...	
3.	Munsif, 2nd Court,	ditto ...	
4.	Sub-Registrar,	ditto ...	
5.	Medical Officer, Nilphamari Dispensary	...	
6.	Babu Janaki Nath Biswas.		
7.	,, Brindaban Chandra Kundu.		
8.	,, Bisweswar Gupta.		
9.	,, Haro Lal Ghose.		
10.	,, Gopal Chandra Ghose, B.L.		
11.	Munshi Kasiruddin Ahmed.		
12.	Babu Mati Chand Bothera.		
13.	,, Harendra Chandra Lahiri.		

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 11th November 1916.*

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (2) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

Plan of proposed Public Street No. XXII (Kumartuli Ghat to Central Avenue).

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a proposed Public Street in Wards Nos. I and II, running eastwards from Strand Road, North, through Joy Mitra Ghat Lane, Nepal Chandra Neogi Street, Narayan Chandra Sur Street, along Neogi Lane, through Ganga Prasad Lane, Ram Sundar Kundu Street, Chitpur Road, Upper, along Raja Sir Radha Kanta Deb 1st Lane, through Raja Sir Radha Kanta Deb Lane, and terminating at the proposed Public Street No. IX (a portion of Central Avenue running between Shambazar Street to Gallif Street).

The plan provides for a road 60 feet wide throughout and for the widening of the junctions of several smaller streets through which the proposed Public Street will pass.

The proposed Public Street will pass through the following municipal holdings :—

Name of Street.		Number of municipal holdings.
Joy Mitra's Ghat Lane	...	1, 2, 2-1, 6, 7.
Nepal Chandra Neogi Street	...	2A, 3A.
Kebal Krishna Sur Street	...	6A.
Narayan Chandra Sur Street	...	2A.
Kumartuli Street	...	23B, 24A.
Banamali Sarker Street	...	1.
Chitpur Road, Upper	...	161, 260, 261, 262.
Gokul Mitra Lane	...	7-1, 8-5, 8-6, 8-7, 8-9, 9-1, 10, 10-1, 10-2, 11.
Hem Chandra Kar Lane	...	1, 1-1, 1-2, 1-2-1, 1-2-2, 1-2-3, 1-4, 2, 3, 4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 4-5.
Raja Rajballabh Street	...	18-4, 18-5.
Sitakanta Banerji Lane	...	2-1-1.
Khetra Dhol Lane	...	5.
Gobardhan Das Lane	...	7.

The plan of the proposed Public Street and the particulars of the lands through which the proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the Offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week-days between the hours of 11 and 4, Saturdays 11 and 2.

Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy, and of the plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 18th January 1917.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 15th November 1916.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 19Exc.—The 10th November 1916.—Mr. Kersang Shampa is promoted to the second grade of Inspectors of Excise and Salt with effect from the 1st November 1916, but will continue to officiate as Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Rangpur, until further orders.

No. 20Exc.—The 10th November 1916.—Babu Akhil Bandhu Maulik is promoted to the sixth grade of Inspectors of Excise and Salt with effect from the 1st November 1916.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 31st day of October 1916, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 31st October 1916.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government godas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 31ST OCTOBER 1916 INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	466,351	111,688	578,039	353,156	316,160	75,650	230,752
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	558,125	...	558,125	76,060	...	...	70,649
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	425,726	...	425,726	96,222	174,222	38,750	21,830
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	534,944	...	534,944	135,140	...	...	124,148
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Masawah salt ...	161,519	...	161,519	142,500	110,940	35,550	76,845
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat and Lingah rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	39 810	...	39,810	32,000(a)	50,345	...	9,150
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	20,000(b)	20,000	20,000	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	2,186,475	111,688	2,298,163	855,078	671,667	169,950	533,374

Written off during the half month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea godas	3,767
Abandoned and destroyed	30

In transit—

(a) Duty on 32,000 mds. Bombay Kerkuch was paid at Bombay.

(b) Duty on 20,000 mds. Madras salt was paid at Madras.

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,
Assistant Collector for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 6th November 1916.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 4th November 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 4th November 1916.

No. 10808-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, published with this Department's Notification (Commerce and Trade) No. 6200-W.-II., dated the 22nd July 1916, as subsequently amended, namely :—

For Rule 14 *substitute* the following rule :—

"14. In a winding up under the Ordinance no provision, save in accordance with the general or special orders of the Governor General in Council, is to be made for the payment by way of dividend or otherwise of the claims of creditors who are hostile foreigners or hostile firms." and in rule 29, *for* the words :—

"Next.—The dividend payable to creditors who are not hostile foreigners and whose proofs have been admitted."

substitute the words :—

"Next.—Subject to the provisions of rule 14 the dividend payable to creditors whose proofs have been admitted"

No. 10778W.-II.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R. I.

WHEREAS by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation :

And whereas by various Proclamations entitled Prohibition of Import Proclamations the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly :

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain other goods should be prohibited, and the existing prohibition imposed on the importation of certain goods removed :

NOW, THEREFORE, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows :—

(1) As from and after the date hereof, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, *viz.* :—

Aluminium powder.

Birds, live, other than poultry and game.

Bone, horn, ivory and celluloid, manufactures of.

Cotton hosiery.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

(2) As from and after the date hereof the prohibition imposed by the Prohibition of Import (No. 8) Proclamation, 1916, on the importation of the following goods shall be removed, and the said Proclamation amended accordingly, *viz.* :—

Oranges.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 10) Proclamation, 1916.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this Third day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 10781 W.-II.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL,

The 29th day of September, 1916.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars:

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect:—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same:—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted:—

(C) Feathers and down, except wing and tail feathers of the ostrich;

(A) Flax fabric, suitable for aircraft;

Linen manufactures, the following:—

(C) Canvas;
(C) Drills, woven;
(B) Ducks, woven;
(C) Linen piece goods woven from bleached yarns, but not bleached in the piece;
(C) Union cloths containing cotton in the proportion of 25 per cent. or upwards;

Metals and ores, the following:—

(A) Iron and steel plates and sheets;
(B) Steel, and steel articles containing chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium;
(A) Steel flats, rounds, and squares (except carbon steel for tools and steel for mining purposes);

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following:—

(C) Fruit, fruit preserves, and nuts used as fruit;
(C) Poultry and game;

(B) Rubber, gutta-percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of.

(2) That the following headings should be added:—

Chemicals, etc., the following:—

(B) Molybdic acid and its salts;

(C) Feathers and down, except ornamental feathers;
(B) Gauze manufactured of copper or its alloys;
(C) Hemp braid;

Linen manufactures, the following:—

(B) Cloth unbleached woven from bleached or unbleached flax yarns, whether the cloth or yarn is pure or mixed with any other material,

(i) being of a weight per square yard exceeding 8 ounces, or

(ii) if of a weight per square yard of 8 ounces or less, aggregating 96 threads or more per inch warp and weft combined;

(C) Cloth woven from bleached or unbleached flax yarns not otherwise specifically prohibited, whether the cloth or yarn is pure or mixed with any other material;

(C) Matches;

Metals and ores, the following:—

(B) Steel articles containing chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium;

(A) Steel flats, rounds, and other sections, with the following exceptions :—

(i) When made from crucible cast steel ;

(ii) Carbon steel for tools not manufactured in the United Kingdom by the Siemens or Bessemer processes ;

provided such crucible or carbon steel does not contain more than 5 per cent. of chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium :

(A) Iron and steel plates and sheets except when made from crucible cast steel or from carbon steel not manufactured in the United Kingdom by the Siemens or Bessemer processes ; provided such crucible or carbon steel does not contain more than 5 per cent. of chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium ;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—

(C) Fruit, fruit preserves (other than jam), and nuts used as fruit ;

(B) Jam ;

(C) Poultry and game (except venison) ;

(C) Sauces and condiments (except table salt) not otherwise prohibited ;

(C) Vegetables, canned ;

(B) Venison ;

(B) Rubber, gutta-percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of (except rubber hose covered with steel wire) ;

(A) Rubber hose covered with steel wire ;

(A) Valves, gas, steam and water ;

Woods, the following :—

(A) Rock elm ;

(A) Wood screws, made of brass, iron, or steel.

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

No. 10784-W-II.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

MAKING CERTAIN ADDITIONS TO AND AMENDMENTS IN THE LIST OF ARTICLES TO BE TREATED AS CONTRABAND OF WAR.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS on the 14th day of October, 1915, We did issue Our Royal Proclamation specifying the articles which it was Our intention to treat as contraband during the continuance of hostilities, or until We did give further public notice ;

And whereas on the 27th day of January, 1916, the 12th day of April, 1916, and the 27th day of June, 1916, We did, by Our Royal Proclamations of those dates, make certain additions to and modifications in the said list of articles to be treated as contraband :

And whereas it is expedient to make certain further additions to the said list :

Now, therefore, We do hereby declare, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, that during the continuance of the war or until We do give further public notice, the following articles will be treated as absolute contraband in addition to those set out in Our Royal Proclamations aforementioned :—

Insulating materials, raw and manufactured.

Fatty acids.

Cadmium, cadmium alloys, and cadmium ore.

Albumen.

And we do hereby further declare that as from this date the following amendments shall be made in Schedule I of Our Royal Proclamation of the 14th day of October, 1915, aforementioned :—

For item 6, "parafin wax," there shall be substituted "waxes of all kinds."

And We do hereby further declare that the following article shall as from this date be treated as conditional contraband in addition to those set out in Our Royal Proclamations aforementioned :—

Yeast.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this Third day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 4th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

Simla, the 30th October 1916.

No. 948.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following amendments shall be made in the description of the uniform to be worn by all officers of the Indian Police published with the Home Department Notification No. 612-C., dated the 2nd December 1914, as amended by the Home Department Notification No. 685, dated the 2nd June 1915 :—

Full Dress—Cold Weather.

(*a*) For the first sentence against *spurs* the following shall be substituted—

"For mounted duties steel swan-necked jack spurs with chain and leather straps."

(*b*) Below the description of *sword* the following shall be added :—

"*Scabbard*—Steel."

(*c*) In the description of *greatcoat* the following shall be added to the penultimate sentence :—

"and with the badges of rank."

Working Dress.

(*d*) The description of *scabbard* shall be amended as follows :—

"*Scabbard*—Brown leather steel mounted as worn with Sam Browne belt."

Horse Furniture.

(*e*) The words beginning with "*Bridoon bit*" and ending with "in length" shall be omitted, and the description of *Bridoon reins* shall be amended as follows :—

"*Bridoon reins*—Of bridle leather ¾ inch in width buckled on to the bit; the hand part to overlap and neatly sewn."

J. H. DUBOULAY,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 11th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

Simla, the 3rd November 1916.

No. 963.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Indian Arms Rules, 1909, namely :—

In schedule II as revised by the Home Department Notification No. 619, dated the 7th July 1916, in the first column of entry No. 16, for the words "The Province of Delhi," the words "The North-West Frontier Province and the Province of Delhi," shall be substituted.

J. H. DUBOULAY,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 11th November 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, th 11th November 1916.

No. 11063-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the entry "27. The Beechwood Estate Company, Limited" shall be deleted from the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 6806-W.-II, dated the 5th August 1916.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 4th November 1916.

No. 10877-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, viz :—

Item 46 "Coal (other than Welsh coal) and coke" shall be *deleted*, and in item 4 for the words "Coal, Welsh" the words "Coal and Coke" shall be *substituted*.

The 11th November 1916.

No. 11006-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916. viz :—

Additions.

Cheung Hing Tai	...	...	... Canton.
Yen Fuh, Dr.	...	...	... Canton.

No. 11107-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9954-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916 :—

After sub-clause (*f*) to proviso (*ii*) *add* as sub-clause

"(*g*) imports of sugar or petroleum."

No. 11108-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9961-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916 :—

In proviso (*ii*) (*f*) *omit* the words "Sugar and", and after the words "paving stones", *add* the word "petroleum."

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4811Emi.—The 14th November 1916.—The following Notification, issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 10664, dated Simla, the 4th November 1916.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

IN pursuance of section 116-A., sub-section (4) of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, as amended by the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to approve of the election of Mr. N. M. Ross as a member of the Assam Labour Board, as representative of the Indian Tea Association, Calcutta, and of the Indian Tea Association, London, *vice* Mr. G. F. A. Denne, resigned.

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1916.

PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2516M.—The 10th November 1916.—The following draft of by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons affected thereby.

Hooghly.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 8th December 1916, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

DRAFT BY-LAWS FOR THE HOOGHLY-CHINSURA MUNICIPALITY UNDER SECTION 350 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884 (BENGAL ACT III OF 1884).

DEFINITIONS.

Definitions.

1. In these by-laws—

(1) "Carriage" includes also a motor-car; and
(2) "Cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act (I of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTIONS.

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act (V of 1861) is in force, no act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under by-law 20, 37 or 47.

Police Act, 1861, section 34

PENALTIES.

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

Fines

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,
(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and
(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

Youthful drivers.

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under sixteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving more than one carriage or cart.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts securely fastened to one another, one being behind the other.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Rule of the road.

6. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lights.

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows:—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light;

(*c*) every elephant, camel, or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light;

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front.

Fine, Rs. 20.

Signals on motors and cycles

8. No person shall drive any motor-car, or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle, on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Maximum load for carts.

9. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of twenty maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with bamboos, planks, &c.

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which extend beyond the length of the cart, unless the cart be accompanied by another person and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 5.

Carriage laden with bamboos, planks, &c.

11. No person shall drive upon a road any carriage laden with bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character projecting beyond such carriage, unless the carriage be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 5.

Carts laden with bricks, stones, etc.

12. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 5.

Animal laden with bamboos or timber.

13. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 5.

Taking elephant or camels along road.

14. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners in writing, take any elephant or camel along any road.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Taking an elephant over a bridge

15. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sitting or sleeping

16. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON FOOT-PATHS OR ROADS.

Driving or riding on foot-path

17. No person shall wilfully drive or ride any cart, carriage, bicycle, horse or cattle on any foot-path set apart for the use of foot passengers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS, ETC., ON OR NEAR ROADS.

Breaking in horses.

18. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for such purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Abandoning or letting loose cattle

19. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing articles

20. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose:

Provided that, during the months of April, May and June, between the hours of 10 P.M. and 5 A.M., *khatias* may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to persons using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Diseased or worn-out cattle.

21. No person shall tether any animal or cause it to be tethered on any public highway.

Fine, Rs. 5.

Planting trees

22. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Excavations and enclosures on road.

23. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Removing turf or cutting grass.

24. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Discharge of water.

25. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building owned or occupied by him any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road, or into any drain in or near a road, except through a down-pipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 20; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Flying kites.

26. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way that it may fall on any road or any passenger, or frighten any animal passing by the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Playing games.

27. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Throwing stones or missiles.

28. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving across a drain.

29. No person shall drive any vehicle across an open public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Privies and urinals.

30. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *katti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Dust-bins.

31. No person shall—

(*a*) place burning materials in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin or on or near any road any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other materials, or

(*c*) throw any house sweepings, rubbish, paper, leaves, grass or other things on any part of the road not set apart for the deposit of such things.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Conveying sewage or offensive matter.

32. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely covered receptacle of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Killing cattle or poultry or cleaning carcasses.

33. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill or clean the carcass of any cattle or poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

34. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Closed road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

35. (1) No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on any road, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Letting off of firearms

(2) This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs or crackers.

Fine, Rs. 5.

REGULATIONS FOR THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCE IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

36. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Setting up obstruction.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as uesd in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

37. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Easing oneself

Fine, Rs. 10.

38. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply shall—

Cleanliness of banks and access for conservancy.

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorized in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

39. The owner of every well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Masonry platforms and drains for wells.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

40. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds or other plants taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Weeds.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

41. No person shall bathe or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other article within a distance of ten feet from the lowest platform of any public well or of any filtered water stand-pipe which is used by the public.

Bathing or washing near well or stand-pipe

Fine, Rs. 10.

Use of stand pipes and fountains

42. Except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and under such conditions as they may from time to time prescribe, no person shall use any stand-pipe or fountain, belonging to the Commissioners, for any purpose other than drawing water—

(*a*) for drinking on the spot, or
(*b*) for carrying away for domestic purposes.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Steeping jute, hemp, etc

43. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Washing in infected articles

44. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course, or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes, any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Bathing by infected person

45. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Bathing places reserved for females.

46. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTERS.

Depositing of nightsoil

47. No person shall deposit nightsoil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Manure.

48. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Removal of offensive matter from markets

49. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter or rubbish which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Access to municipal servants

50. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises, from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Disposal of carcasses

51. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after

sunrise, either remove the carcass at his own expense to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the conservancy overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

Latrine reserved for females

52. No male person above twelve years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

Obstruction to drains

53. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Constructing stalls, platforms, etc., over a drain.

54. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Excavations and enclosures in a public drain

55. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation in any public drain or enclose any drain or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

Covering of corpse.

56. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing corpse on or near road.

57. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Burial or burning obligatory.

58. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lines for graves.

59. When lines for graves in any burial-place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial-place except in such a line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of masonry graves.

60. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves.

61. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening graves.

62. No grave, except family vault, once used, shall be opened for the burial of another corpse, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs 50.

Complete cremation.

63. Any person burning or causing to be burnt any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

64. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land

65. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, rags, night-soil and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisance affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2

Sanitation of public places of charity or worship.

66. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawalli or person entrusted with the daily supervision or in charge of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 25.

Cleanliness of shops, markets and slaughter-house, etc.

67. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar, or slaughter-house, or any place where straw or any other similar substance is placed, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 25.

Sale of fish in market.

68. When any part of any municipal or other market has been paved and specially set apart for the sale of fish, no person shall sell or expose for sale any fish in any other part of such market.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Screening of meat.

69. No person shall expose for sale any meat without screening it so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sale of prepared articles of food.

70. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 25.

Easing oneself in market.

71. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 5.

Infected clothing.

72. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 25.

Disinfection of carriage.

73. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 25.

Picketing animals, collecting carts, or forming encampments.

74. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket or cause to be picketed animals, collect carts, or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Diseased or worn-out cattle

75. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

76. The by-laws which were confirmed by Government orders No. 1209M., dated the 4th March 1904, and No. 2298T.M., dated the 7th September 1905, are hereby cancelled.

Bakarganj.

No. 750T.-M.—The 4th November 1916.—The Commissioners of the Pirojpur Municipality, in the district of Bakarganj, having at a meeting requested Government to appoint their Chairman, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by section 23(2) of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), to appoint Maulvi Abdul Majid, M.A., B.L., to be the Chairman of that Municipality.

Calcutta.

No. 752T.M.—The 4th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*c*) of sub-section (1) of section 43 of the Calcutta Police Act, 1866 (Bengal Act IV of 1866), as amended by section 2 of the Calcutta and Suburban Police (Amendment) Act, 1907 (Bengal Act III of 1907), and upon the recommendation of the Municipal Commissioners of Calcutta, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare Beadon Street in the town of Calcutta to be a main thoroughfare for the purposes of that clause.

No. 2518M.—The 10th November 1916.—The following draft of by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Nabadwip Municipality in the district of Nadia, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of that Act, is published for the information of persons affected thereby.

Nadia.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st January 1917, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

DRAFT BY-LAWS FOR THE NABADWIP MUNICIPALITY UNDER SECTION 351 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884 (BEN. ACT III OF 1884).

DEFINITIONS.

Definitions

1. In these by-laws—

(1) "Carriage" includes also a motor-car; and

(2) "Cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTION.

Police Act, 1861, section 34

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force, no act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under by-law 16, 34 or 43.

PENALTIES.

Fines

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

Youthful drivers.

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under 14 years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving more than one carriage or cart.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Rule of the road.

6. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lights

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin on any road, between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows:—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light;

(*c*) every elephant, camel or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light :

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front :

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon, or the four nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Signals on motors and cycles

8. No person shall drive any motor-car, or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle, on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Cart laden with girders, etc.

9. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders rails, beams bullas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person, and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with bricks, stones, etc

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Animal laden with bamboos or timber.

11. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Taking an elephant over a bridge

12. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving bullock-cart on centre of road.

13. No person shall drive a bullock-cart on the centre of any road on which cart-tracks are provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sitting or sleeping

14. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

Abandoning or letting loose cattle.

15. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing articles.

16. No person shall, without the general or special permission or the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10.

17. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Planting trees

Fine, Rs. 10.

18. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road, or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Excavations and enclosures.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

19. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Removing turf or cutting grass.

Fine, Rs. 10.

20. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road, or into any drain in or near a road, except through a down-pipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Discharge of water.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

21. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Breaking in horses

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

22. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way that it may fall on any road.

Flying kites.

Fine, Rs. 10.

23. No person shall play any game on any road.

Playing games.

Fine, Rs. 10.

24. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Throwing stones or missiles

Fine, Rs. 10.

25. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Driving across a drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

26. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Barbed wire

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

27. No person shall—

Dust-bins

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

28. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

Conveying sewage or offensive matter

(*a*) in a closely-covered receptacle of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

29. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *tatti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Privies and urinals.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

30. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill, or clean the carcass of, any cattle or poultry.

Killing cattle or poultry or cleaning carcasses.

Fine, Rs. 10.

31. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Closed roads.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING-OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OF BOMBS.

32. No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except—

Letting off firearms, etc.

(i) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and
(ii) on payment of such fees as may be sanctioned at a meeting.

Fine, Rs. 10.

This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs or crackers.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANSES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

33. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Setting up obstruction.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing-traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction." as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

34. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Easing oneself.

Fine, Rs. 10.

35. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or water-course, which is a source of public water-supply, shall—

Cleanliness of banks and access for conservancy.

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and
(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorised in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

36. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Weeds

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

37. The owner of every well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Masonry platforms and drains for wells.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

38. No person shall bathe, or shall wash cloth, utensils or any other article, within a distance of ten feet from the lowest platform of any public well or of any filtered water stand-pipe which is used by the public.

Bathing or washing near well or stand-pipe

Fine, Rs 10.

39. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Steeping jute, hemp, etc

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

40. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course, or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes, any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Washing in infected articles

Fine, Rs. 50.

41. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Bathing by infected persons.

Fine, Rs. 10.

42. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Bathing places reserved for females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

43. No person shall deposit nightsoil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Depositing nightsoil.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

44. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises, from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Access to municipal servants.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

45. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period

Removal of offensive matter from markets

Fine Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

46. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the conservancy overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Disposal of carcasses

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

Latrines reserved for females

47. No male person above twelve years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrines intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS

Obstruction to drains.

48. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS, AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

Covering of corpse

49. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing corpse on or near road

50. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Burial or burning obligatory

51. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depth of coffin or corpse in masonry grave.

52. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of masonry grave

53. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves

54. No person shall build or dig, or cause to built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening grave

55. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Complete cremation

56. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

57. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land

58. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, nightsoil and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Sanitation of public places of charity or worship.

59. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawalli, or person entrusted with the daily supervision or in charge of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cleanliness of shops, markets and slaughter-houses.

60. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Sale of prepared articles of food.

61. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Easing oneself in market.

62. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Infected clothing.

63. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Disinfection of carriages

64. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Picketing animals, collecting carts or forming encampments.

65. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

66. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Diseased or worn-out cattle

Fine, Rs. 10.

BY-LAW GIVING EFFECT TO THE OBJECTS OF SECTION 103 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884.

67. When a ticket, showing the number of the holding on the register and the circle within which the holding is situated, has been affixed to a holding by the municipal authorities, and the same is disfigured, obliterated or removed, the owner or occupier of the holding shall, within two weeks from the time at which he becomes aware of the fact, report the matter to the Vice-Chairman.

Report of disfigurement, etc., of tickets.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS.

68. The by-laws which were confirmed by Government order No. 1388M., dated the 15th March 1897, are hereby cancelled.

Cancellation of former by-laws

No. 2549M.—The 13th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*d*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in pursuance of the recommendation made at a meeting by the Commissioners of the Halisahar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare his intention to subdivide the said municipality into two municipalities, namely :—

24-Parganas.

(1) Halisahar, and (2) Kanchrapara, the boundaries of which are to be as follows :—

BOUNDARIES OF THE HALISAHAR MUNICIPALITY.

North—Portion of Dangapara Road and Bager Khal.

East—A line running north-east from where the Balivara Road cuts the Ghoshpara Road to and along Shilarjungle Road, Eastern Bengal Railway line from Shilarjungle gate to Colonel Gupta's Road and along Colonel Gupta's Road to a point 200 feet east of the municipal tank and then almost due north to Panbustee Road.

South—Balivara Road.

West—The Hugli.

BOUNDARIES OF THE KANCHRAPARA MUNICIPALITY.

North—Bager Khal.

East—Present boundary of Ward No. IV and Eastern Bengal Railway from Halisahar Station Home Signal (Calcutta end) to where the present boundary crosses the line.

South—Colonel Gupta's Road from Halisahar Station to 200 feet east of the municipal tank.

West—From a point on Colonel Gupta's Road, 200 feet east of the municipal tank (Colonel Gupta's tank) running north-west to the present western boundary of Ward No. IV, following this boundary to the road through Bhandarkola village round the west side of the Shurey tank and north to the Bager Khal passing the Masjid to the east.

2. Any rate-payer or inhabitant of the Halisahar Municipality who objects to the proposed subdivision of the municipality should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate to the undersigned before the 10th January 1917.

No. 2552M.—The 14th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. J. Dixon, to be a Commissioner of the Garden-Reach Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. T. W. Hackly, resigned.

24-Parganas.

24-Parganas. *No. 2554M.—The 14th November 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Jainagar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 23(2) of that Act, electing Babu Kshetra Nath Mitra to be Chairman of that Municipality.

24-Parganas. *No. 2556M.—The 14th November 1916.*—Notification No. 2081-M., dated the 28th August 1915, extending the provisions of Part IX of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), to certain area of the Budge-Budge Municipality and certain holdings contiguous to that area, is hereby cancelled.

No. 747T.-L.S.-G.—The 2nd November 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on 15th December 1916, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order

Khulna. In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, into a Union :—

Name of the district within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Khulna ...	Bagerhat	Nine ...	Kati	149	*North.*	
			Gomati	150		
			Gobardiar	158	Muniganj	173
			Senatala	159	Harinkhola	174
			Gobardia	161	Krishnagar	176
			Radhaballavpur ...	162		
			Basabari	167	*South.*	
			Nagar	168		
			Khandwar	169	Gazihati	147
			Sarui	170	Katua	148
			Amlapara		Rampal thana.	
			Bagerhat			
					East.	
					Bishnupur	226
					Kalabaria	163
					Chituli	164
					Betpur	165
					River Bhairab	
					West.	
					Ranabijaypur (Kathal) ...	157
					Dowanbari	155
					Pachadighi	154
					Badekarapara ...	153
					Malancha	160
					Paikpara	151
					Karapara	143

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that as the Bagerhat Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union should consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

3. This cancels so much of Notification No. 150T.M., dated the 15th June 1895, as relates to this Union.

Midnapore.

No. 2546 L.S.-G.—The 12th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint the District Magistrate of Midnapore to be Chairman of the District Board of Midnapore.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE General Committee of the Corporation propose to amend clause (1) of the by-laws under section 559 (51) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, prescribing the scale of maximum loads for carts, and to frame an additional by-law prohibiting a bullock and a buffalo being yoked together. The existing and the proposed by-laws are shown below:—

Existing by-law.

1. Every proprietor or driver of a cart shall comply with such of the following provisions for regulating the maximum weight to be carried by carts as shall be applicable to such carts:—

	Mds
For lorries or 4-wheeled wagons drawn by 2 buffaloes or horses	80
For 2-wheeled carts drawn by 2 buffaloes ...	60
Ditto ditto by 1 buffalo ...	30
Ditto ditto by 2 bulls or bullocks ...	20
Ditto ditto by 1 bull or bullock ...	10

Proposed by-laws.

1. The maximum loads to be carried by carts shall be according to the following scale inclusive of the weight of the cart:—

	Mds
For each lorry or 4-wheeled wagon drawn by 2 buffaloes or horses	70
For each 2-wheeled cart drawn by 2 buffaloes ...	60
Ditto ditto by 1 buffalo ...	25
Ditto ditto by 2 Panjab, Bombay or Madras bullocks measuring 52 to 60 inches in height	45
For each 2-wheeled cart drawn by 2 Behar or United Provinces bullocks measuring 46 to 52 inches in height	30
For each 2-wheeled cart drawn by 2 local bulls or bullocks measuring 40 to 46 inches in height ...	25
For each 2-wheeled cart drawn by 1 bull or bullock	15
Ditto ditto by 1 horse ...	20
Ditto ditto by 1 pony ...	15

1(*a*) No proprietor or driver of a cart shall yoke or permit to be yoked a buffalo and a bullock together to draw any cart.

Any person having objections to the above proposals may submit the same to the undersigned on or before the 15th December 1916, after which date the matter will be further proceeded with.

C. C. CHATTERJEE,
Secretary to the Corporation.

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 13th November 1916.

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PART I C.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR, *the 9th March 1916.*

THE undermentioned students are declared to have passed the examination of the First year's Course of the Bengal Land Surveying School, Comilla, held in the month of September 1916 :—

FIRST YEAR.

Passed (in order of merit).

1.	Lalana Mohon Bose	... Prize for General Proficiency.
2.	Murari Dhar Pal	... Prize for Theory.
3.	Surendra Kumar Roy.	
4.	Khirod Lal Deb Burman.	
5.	Jogesh Chandra Choudhury.	
	Gajendra Narain Sarkar	... Prize for Drawing.
7.	Jogendra Chandra Chakravarti.	
8.	Jitendra Kumar Roy	... Prize for Practical.
9.	Jotish Chandra Bakshi	
	Upendra Chandra Kar.	
11.	Akhil Chandra Deb.	
12.	Benoyendra Nath Roy.	
13.	Akhoy Kumar Mondal.	
14.	Sarat Chandra Deb.	
15.	Benoy Bhusan Gupta.	
16.	Phanindra Chandra Mitra.	
17.	Atul Narayan Bose.	

J. C. NIXON,
Offg. Director of Surveys, Bengal.

THE undermentioned students are declared to have passed the examination of the Second year's Course (Final) of the Bengal Land Surveying School, held in the month of September 1916 :—

Passed (in order of merit)

1.	Chandra Kumar Nath	... Prize for General Proficiency.
2.	Bijoy Chandra Chakravarty.	
3.	Abdul Rahman.	
4.	Sita Nath Bose. ...	... Prize for Practical.
5.	Jogesh Chandra Burman.	
6.	Abhoy Charan Pal.	
7.	Rajani Kanta Chakravarti.	

J. C NIXON,
Offg. Director of Surveys, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

PLEADERS' SURVEY CLASSES, 1917.

1. Classes for the training of Pleaders in Surveying will be opened in January and February 1917 in connection with the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, the Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipur, the Dacca School of Engineering and the Survey School at Cuttack, provided sufficient candidates register their names at each centre.

2. The course will last for six weeks and will consist of practical work combined with class instruction. The routine and hours of attendance will be settled by the heads of the institutions, who will also decide the exact locality in which the classes will be held and the date of the opening.

3. Pleaders must make their own arrangements for attending this course. No tents or other residential accommodation will be provided.

4. Credit for attendance at these classes will not be given unless the pleader has been present for 80 per cent. of the working days and for the full working hours of each day.

5. Any candidate who desires to undergo the course of training must apply to the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than 30th November. His application must be endorsed by the District Judge. It should state the centre which the candidate wishes to join, *i.e.*, Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, and should be accompanied by a remittance receipt from the local treasury certifying that the fee of Rs. 100 has been paid into the treasury to the credit of the Engineering College.

6. The Secretary will allot candidates to the centres, consulting their wishes as far as possible, giving not more than 31 and not less than 8 to a centre. He will then inform the heads of the institutions of the names and addresses of the candidates registered at their centre and they will inform the candidates as to the locality and the date of opening.

7. The following is the syllabus of instruction. No definite text-books are prescribed :—

(*a*) Practical work—

Chain surveying, Prismatic compass surveying, plane tabling and levelling.

(*b*) Class work—

Use of mathematical instruments.		Variation of compass.
Construction of scales	..	Preparation of field books from maps.
Mensuration of areas	...	Elementary principle of levelling.
Plotting ...	...	Plotting of level sections.

Candidates who obtain the required percentage of attendance at this course of instruction are qualified to appear at the Practical Examination held in 1918, 1919 and 1920.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, and Secy. to the Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 2nd November 1916.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

REVISED LIST OF RECOGNISED EUROPEAN SCHOOLS IN THE BENGAL PRESIDENCY FOR THE YEAR 1916.

No.	Name of school.	Address.	Management.	Nature of school.	Class of school.	Average daily attendance during 1915.	Remarks.
	Higher Secondary Schools.						
1	St. Paul's School ...	Jalapahar, Darjeeling ...	C. E.	Aided ...	Boys' ...	103	Fully recognized as a Higher Secondary School by the Cambridge Local Examinations Syndicate.
2	St. Joseph's College ...	North Point, Darjeeling ...	R. C.	Unaided ...	Do. ...	219	
3	St. Xavier's College, School Department.	30, Park Street, Calcutta ...	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	340	
4	La Martinière School ...	11, Loudon Street, Calcutta ...	U.	Aided ...	Do. ...	243	
5	Ditto ...	14, Rawdon Street, Calcutta...	U.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	135	
6	Pratt Memorial School ...	168, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	C. E.	Do. ...	Do. ...	201	
7	Diocesan Girls' School ...	Darjeeling	C. E.	Do ...	Do. ...	133	
8	St. Joseph's School ...	69 and 70, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	340	
9	Loreto House ...	7, Middleton Row, Calcutta ...	R. C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	283	
10	Loreto Convent ...	Darjeeling	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	146	
11	Calcutta Girls' School ...	152, Dharamtala Street, Calcutta.	N. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	223	Temporarily recognized as a Higher Secondary School.
12	St. Patrick's School ...	Asansol	R.C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	192	
13	Queen's Hill School* ...	Darjeeling	N.C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	102	
14	St. Helen's Convent* ...	Kurseong	R.C.	Do. ..	Do. ...	145	
	Secondary Schools.						
1	Jewish Girls' School ..	8, Pollock Street, Calcutta ...	J.	Aided ...	Mixed ...	128	Fully recognized as a Secondary School.
2	St. Teresa's School ...	72, Diamond Harbour Road, Kidderpore, Calcutta.	R.C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	119	
3	Loreto Convent ...	Asansol	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	109	Recognized temporarily.
4	Calcutta Boys' School ...	72, Corporation Street, Calcutta.	N.C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	112	Recognition of this school as a Secondary School is temporary and provisional.
5	Victoria School ...	Kurseong	...	Owned and managed by Government.	Do. ...	176†	Fully recognized by the Cambridge Local Examinations Syndicate as a Secondary School.
6	Dow Hill School* ..	Ditto	...	Ditto ...	Girls' ...	112	
7	Goethals Memorial Orphanage.	Ditto	R.C.	Aided ...	Boys' ...	182†	

	Higher Elementary Schools.						
1	St. Paul's Mission School ...	13, Scott's Lane, Calcutta ...	C. E.	Aided ...	Mixed ...	127	Not yet permanently recognized as a Higher Elementary School: the present recognition of the school as a Higher Elementary School is only temporary.
2	Loreto Boarding School* ...	No. 1, Convent Lane, Entally, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	121	
3	Loreto Day School ...	169, Dharamtala Street, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	274	
4	Ditto ...	65, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	105	
5	Ditto ...	122, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	167	
6	Calcutta Free School, Boys' Department.	58, Free School Street, Calcutta.	C. E.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	207	
7	Calcutta Free School, Girls' Department.*	Ditto ..	C. E.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	161	
8	Catholic Male Orphanage ...	15, Portuguese Church Street, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	296	
9	St. Joseph's Free School ...	69 & 70, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	188	
10	Convent of the Immaculate Conception.	Chandernagore	R. C.	Unaided ...	Girls' ...	48	
11	Bengal-Nagpur Railway European School.	Kharagpur	U.	Aided ...	Mixed ...	100	
12	St. Andrew's Colonial Homes School.*	Kalimpong	C. S.	Do. ...	Do. ...	424	
13	Loreto Orphanage ...	No. 1, Convent Lane, Entally, Calcutta.	R.C.	Do. ...	Girls' ...	388	Not yet permanently recognized as a Higher Elementary School.
14	St. Francis Xavier's Girls' School.	Dacca	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	67	
15	St. Scholastica's Convent School.	Chittagong	R C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	98	
16	St. Agnes' School ...	2, King's Road Howrah ...	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	101	
	Elementary Schools.						
1	Loreto Free School ...	169, Dharamtala Street, Calcutta	R.C.	Aided ...	Mixed ...	129	
2	Ditto ...	65, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	151	
3	Ditto ...	122, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	R.C.	Do. ...	Do. ...	93	
4	St. Aloysius' Day School and Orphanage.	3, Cullen Place, Howrah ...	R.C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	70	
5	St. Thomas' School- ...	19, Grand Trunk Road (South), Howrah.	C.E.	Do. ...	Mixed ...	39	

* The school has a Technical Department for the teaching of such subjects as Cookery, Millinery and Dressmaking, Sick-Nursing, Child-Nursing, etc
† Not including the average daily attendance of students in the Sub-Overseer class.

No	Name of school	Address	Management.	Nature of school.	Class of school	Average daily attendance during 1915	Remarks
	Elementary Schools—concld.						
6	Wesleyan Preparatory School.	14-2, Sudder Street, Calcutta	N.C.	Aided ...	Mixed ..	40	
7	Gouldsmith Free Day School	288, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	C.E.	Do. ...	Do. ...	164	
8	St. James' Parochial School	Boswell Hall, St. James' Church Compound, Calcutta.	C.E.	Do. ...	Do. ..	119	
9	East Indian Railway School	Lillooah	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	29	
10	Ditto ...	Bandel	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	15	
11	Ditto ...	Ondal	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	6	
12	Ditto ...	Asansol	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	49	Incomplete Elementary School.
13	Ditto ...	Rampur Hât	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	9	
14	Bengal-Nagpur Railway Intermediate School.	Kharagpur	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	28	
15	Eastern Bengal Railway School.	Chitpore	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	17	
16	St. Paul's Boarding and Day School.	68, Diamond Harbour Road, Kidderpore, Calcutta.	R. C.	Do. ...	Boys' ...	164	
17	St. Elizabeth's Free School	169, Howrah Road, Howrah ...	R. C.	Do. ...	Mixed ...	67	
18	Christian Girls' School ...	Chinsura	U.	Do. ...	Do. ...	1	
19	European Day School ...	Kanchrapara, E. B. Railway	U.	.....	Do. ...	...	Opened in March 1916.
	Commercial and Technical School.						
1	Y. W. C A. Commercial and Technical Classes.	134, Corporation Street, Calcutta.	U.	Aided ...	For young women.	30	
	Technical (Engineering) Schools.						
1	The Calcutta Technical (Evening) School.	The classes are held at 58, Free School Street, Calcutta. The Secretary's office is at 105, Clive Street, Calcutta.	U.	Aided ...	For young men employed in Engineering firms, dock-yards, etc.	39	

2	The Bengal-Nagpur Railway Apprentices' Night School.	Kharagpur, Railway.	Bengal-Nagpur	U.	Do. ...	.....	43	
	Training College.							
1	Dow Hill Training College...	Kurseong	... ...	...	Government.	.....	16	Young European or Eurasian females who have passed the Cambridge Senior School Certificate or an equivalent examination are trained at public expense to become teachers.

NOTE 1.—The following schools (whose gradation has not yet been finally settled) have been under the jurisdiction of this office since the amalgamation of Western and Eastern Bengal in 1912:—
R. C (1) St. Gregory's School, Dacca
R C. (2) St. Placid's School, Chittagong
U. (3) European Day School, Saidpur, Eastern Bengal Railway.

NOTE 2.—The following Home has been temporarily recognised as an Orphanage only for boys:—
C E. (1) The Old Church Boys Parochial Home, 11, Kapalitollah Lane, Calcutta.

NOTE 3.—The following institution is now under the jurisdiction of this office; it is recognised as a European School, but its grade has not been yet decided:—
A (1) The Armenian College and Philanthropic Academy, 39, Free School Street, Calcutta.

NOTE 4.—"C. E" means that the school to which it refers is under the Church of England management.
"R. C." ditto ditto Church of Rome management.
"N. C." ditto ditto Non-Conformist management
"U" ditto ditto Undenominational management.
"C. S." ditto ditto Church of Scotland management.
"J" ditto ditto Jewish management.
"A" ditto ditto Armenian management.

NOTE 5.—The Welland Memorial School, 5-1, Grant's Lane, Calcutta, was closed on 31st December 1915.

CALCUTTA.
The 25th September 1916.

ALFRED MERCER,
Offg. Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

NOTICE.

City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

THE annual Technological Examinations of the City and Guilds of London Institute will be held in Bengal at the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, and the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta, in April and May 1917. The exact dates will be announced later in the issues of the *Calcutta Gazette* appearing from about the last week of March 1917. Candidates desiring to appear at any of the examinations should apply for registration forms, stating the subject or subjects in which they desire to appear. A fee of Rs. 5 has to be paid for each section or grade of a subject, and applications and fees must reach the undersigned not later than the 15th January 1917. The fee will in no case be refunded.

W. H. EVERETT,
Secretary, City and Guilds Examination Committee.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT,
WRITERS' BUILDINGS,
Calcutta, the 10th November 1916.

NOTIFICATION.

A State scholarship of £200 per annum tenable in the United Kingdom by European and Anglo-Indian Girls or Women domiciled in India.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the above scholarship. The scholarship will be granted for educational or medical training and will be tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries for a period of three to five years. It will, however, be granted in the first instance for three years. The scholarship will carry with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectation of such employment is held out.

2. The term "educational training" will be held to include (*a*) training of a secondary character for the teaching profession, (*b*) training in one or more branches of domestic sciences, (*c*) training as teachers of modern European languages, (*d*) training as music mistresses, (*e*) training as art teachers, (*f*) training in Kindergarten methods.

3. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates are requested to make application to the Inspector of European Schools, Bengal, No. 285, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta, from whom further particulars may be obtained, in time to reach the Director of Public Instruction not later than the 1st of February 1917. The applications should be accompanied by (1) evidence of having obtained a degree of an Indian University; (2) a medical certificate of physical fitness to undergo abroad the course of study proposed; (3) a certificate of age; (4) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that she is a native of India within the meaning of Statute 33 Vict., Cap. 3, section 6, and that her parents are not resident in India for temporary purposes only; (5) the names, addresses and other particulars of the candidate's friends or relatives in the United Kingdom willing to receive her during vacations, and (6) full details including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of her academic career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed in the United Kingdom.

4. The term "Native of India" is not to be interpreted as excluding a person who, though born in a Native State or temporarily residing in a Native State, is domiciled in British India.

5. The selected scholar will be provided with a second class passage to England, and also with a second class return passage if she carries out the instructions of the Secretary of State and completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th November 1916.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IN partial modification of this office notification dated the 28th July 1915, the Presidency College Graduate Scholarships of the year 1915 are awarded to the undermentioned candidates and are tenable at the Presidency College with effect from the 1st January 1916 up to the 31st May 1917 :—

(1) Mohit Kumar Sen Gupta, B.A., Burdwan scholarship of Rs. 50 a month.

(2) Hemanta Kumar Chakravarti, B.A., Hindu College Foundation scholarship of Rs. 40 a month.

(3) Abhoy Kali Ghosh, B.A., Bird scholarship of Rs. 40 a month.

(4) Pran Kumar Mukerji, B.Sc., half of Gopi Mohan Tagore scholarship of Rs. 30 a month.
Lakshmi Nath Das, B.Sc., half of Gopi Mohan Tagore scholarship of Rs. 30 a month.

(5) Pran Kumar Mukerji, B.Sc., half of Hindu College Foundation scholarship of Rs. 25 a month.
Lakshmi Nath Das, B.Sc., half of Hindu College Foundation scholarship of Rs. 25 a month.

(6) Binode Behari Dutt, B.A., Hindu College Foundation scholarship of Rs. 25 a month.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 8th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF PLEADERS IN SURVEYING.

(*See* Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909.)

(*Modified in Government Notification No. 320J.D., dated 16th July 1914.*)

1. The next examination will be held in February 1917 and will be conducted at the following centres (provided that not less than five names be registered at each centre) :—Sibpur and Dacca, in Bengal, and Bankipur and Cuttack, in Bihar and Orissa

2. Each examination is complete in itself. A candidate will be required to pass by every test and will not be exempted from any test on the ground that he has previously satisfied the examiner in it.

3. Candidates practising in the Courts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions will be required to present themselves at Sibpur, in Orissa at Cuttack, in Patna, Tirhoot, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions at Bankipur, and in Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions at Dacca.

4. In the event of more than 20 or less than 5 names being registered for examination at any one centre, the Secretary may direct the candidates to present themselves at any other centre.

5. No candidate will be admitted to the examination unless he has been enrolled as a Pleader and

(*i*) has obtained credit for attendance at the special course of instruction at Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, in 1913, 1914 and 1915, and has not previously appeared at the examination more than twice, or

(*ii*) has been registered for admission to the Intermediate Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University, or

(*iii*) has passed the Sub-Overseer Examination, or

(*iv*) has obtained the Surveyor's certificate of one of the Government Survey Schools, or

(*v*) has been specially exempted from the operation of this rule by the Board controlling the examination.

6. Candidates wishing to appear at the examination will apply upon the prescribed registration form, obtain the necessary countersignature of the District Judge in whose Court he is enrolled, and forward the same so as to reach the Secretary of the Examination Board at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than the 11th January 1917. The form may be had from the Principal, Civil Engineering College.

7. Each application must be accompanied by a receipt from the local treasury certifying to the receipt of the examination fee of Rs. 50, *which fee will in no case be returned.*

8. The exact date of the examination and the proposed programme will be published in the Calcutta, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam Gazettes.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,
and Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 2nd November 1916.*

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1916.

PART II.

Advertisements.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 6th November 1916

LIABILITIES		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,08,00,000	0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, see below 50,00,000	0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs 1,10,91,921	4 0			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,24,89,471	8 0	2,35,81,392	12	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		19,68,97,921	15	4
Bank Post Bills, etc		11,00,170	9	4
Sundries		13,45,860	6	6
		26,26,75,345	11	2

ASSETS			Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities			6,52,12,677	12	0
Other authorized Investments			1,11,72,465	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities			2,93,17,386	12	3
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...			6,28,13,687	14	8
Bills discounted and purchased			2,79,80,862	0	8
Balances with other Banks			46,42,085	13	2
Bullion			.....		
Dead Stock			29,88,666	9	8
Stamps			11,840	0	0
Sundries			3,69,877	1	2
			20,44,54,548	15	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs.		1,93,30,745 14 11			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs.		3,98,90,050 13 1	5,92,20,796	12	0
			26,26,75,345	11	2

* Includes Govt. & ₰ Govt.; value Rs. 3,51,510 0 0

† Do. do. do „ 8,62,447 8 0

Rs. 12,13,957 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 8 per cent.

Percentage, 26·56.

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 9th November 1916

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

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LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th December 1916, at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1916 which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Rauzan, Patiya, Town, and Satkania and Hathazari, kismat Ambika Babalta, taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 10 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Srimati Bama Sundari, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	182 1 6	.....
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abdul Fazal.	643 3 7	Ditto ...	.....	Abdul Rauf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi and others.	.....	190 15 6	.....
478	Thana Hathazari, Fatikcheri, Rauzan, Patiya and Town, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest of 6as. will be sold excluding the unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest of 9as. 1p. 6¾kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-8 and also paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10p. 13¾kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-8.	Himangan Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 6	.....	226 15 2
764	Thana Hathazari, Patiya, Rauzan and Town, taraf Darpa Narayan.	2,902 9 0	Only a share will be sold	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 5 to the extent of interest 6as. 5p. 16¾kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary shares and shares Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28 and 29 to the extent of interest 6as. 10p. 14¾kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,250-12-4 and also unpaid shares 4, 12, 25 and 26 to the extent of interest 2as. 7p. 9kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 475-3.	Ram Krishna Sen, Rasik Ch. Ray.	1,176 4 8	.....	185 5 6
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf mauza Harina Babalta, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Rouf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi.	.....	108 9 0	.....
1242	Thana Satkania according to recent cadastral survey Bashkhali, Patiya according to recent cadastral survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	Ditto ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	207 6 0	.....
1512	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, Patiya, Town and Satkania, taraf Krishna Kiroar Kanungoe.	645 6 7	Ditto ...	.....	Satish Ch. Rakhit, Atul Ch. Nandi and others.	.....	156 11 4	.....
1513	Thana Patiya, Sitakund, Rauzan, Satkania, Hathazari and Town, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	962 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Srimati Promoda Kumari for Ramesh Charan Ray, Srimati Soudamini Ray for Akhoy Kumar Ray.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1885	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, taraf Md. Raki Khansama.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De for self and on behalf of Kashi Chandra and others, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	273 6 11	.....
2388	Thana Fatikcheri, Hathazari according to recent cadastral survey Rauzan, taraf Oaz Abdul Hossain.	731 8 9	Ditto ...	.....	Sheik Hasi Md. Isa	.....	198 12 8	.....
2554	Thana Chakaria, Patiya, Town, Rauzan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share to the extent of interest 12as. and 10p. will be sold excluding paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 2as. 2p. paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Srimati Rahimunissa...	681 6 6	.....	201 4 0

Chittagong, the 25th October 1916.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Tippera, will be put up to sale at 1 o'clock on 10th January of the year 1917, corresponding with the 26th Paush 1323 Fusli, at Kamalasagar Railway station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Tippera ...	Pargana Nurnagar, mauza—(1) Tarapur, (2) Kalikapur.	90th	West ...	4 0	0 0 11	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By railway relinquished land proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha. *South*—By ditto. *East*—By railway land. *West*—By Ahamaddi, Alapail and others' low lands.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Nurnagar, mauza—Kalikapur.	Do.	Do. ...	9 11	0 0 26	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By railway relinquished land proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha. *South*—By Lot No. 3. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By Chara bhiti and bank of Mithapukur belongs to Suresh Chandra Chakravarty.
3	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	13 14	0 0 37	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Lot No. 2. *South*—By Lot No. 4. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By Mithapukur.
4	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	13 14	0 0 37	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Lot No. 3. *South*—By Lot No. 5. *East*—By railway land. *West*—By Mithapukur, Purna Chandra Kar (Latabaidya) and others' Chara bhiti.
5	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	13 14	0 0 37	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Lot No. 4. *South*—By Lot No 6. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By Purna Chandra Kar (Latabaidya), Kalisah Chandra Kar and others' Chara bhiti and Adhar Chandra Kar's betel garden.
6	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	13 14	0 0 37	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Lot No. 5. *South*—By railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By Adhar Chandra Kar's betel garden.
7	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do	Do. ...	17 3	0 1 5	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By lot No. 6. *South*—By lot No. 8. *East*—By railway lands. *West*—By railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha.
8	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.	Do. ...	17 3	0 1 5	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha. *South*—By railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha and plot No. 7. *East*—By railway lands *West*—By Nal lands of Judhistir and Dongoo Nama and railway relinquished lands already proposed to be made over to the original owners at Rs. 70 per bigha.

Comilla, the 31st October 1916.

T. EMERSON, Collector.

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal, on the 31st October 1916.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		Grand Total.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	
Balance of 15th October 1916 ...	29,26,700	96,94,700	4,80,30,200	1,52,18,900	68,46,000	24,00,400	8,21,90,200	.....	20,45,000	8,71,62,900
ADD— Amount of loan certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. 6201A., dated 3rd November 1908, into 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	97,600	97,600	.....	.....	97,600
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto at Calcutta between 16th and 31st October 1916.	20,000	.....	2,000	.....	.....	2,000	4,000	2,500	.....	26,500
	29,46,700	96,94,700	4,80,32,200	1,52,18,900	68,46,000	24,00,000	8,22,91,800	2,500	20,45,000	8,72,86,000
DEDUCT— Amount written off in the London Registers.	1,13,800	34,000	20,44,000	81,400	500	9,100	21,69,000	.....	.....	22,82,800
Balance on 31st October 1916 ...	28,32,900	96,60,700	4,59,88,200	1,51,37,500	68,45,500	24,90,900	8,01,22,800	2,500	20,45,000	8,50,03,200

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st August 1916—Enfaced from India, 12,364 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,336 lakhs.
" 1st September 1916 to 15th Sept. " " " " ... " " " 3 "
" 16th " " to 30th " " " " " 20 lakhs " " " ...
" 1st October " to 15th Oct. " " " " ... " " " ...
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " 1 lakh " " " 22 lakhs

12,385 lakhs. 12,364 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 3rd November 1916.*

P. A. SELFE, *Superintendent.*

N. H. Y. WARREN, *Secretary & Treasurer.*

In the Court of the 3rd Subordinate Judge, Tippera.

EXECUTION CASE No. 523 OF 1916.

Nowab Habibulla Bahadur and others, decree-holders, *versus* Abani Mohan Ray and others, judgment-debtors.

FOR sale for arrears of rent on the 6th December 1916, the taluk Joar Purbati within police-stations Nabinagar and Muradnagar, bearing annual rent of Rs. 6,870-2-8 and cesses Rs 389·9 payable to the decree-holders. The rent being subject to enhancement under the law.

GIRINDRA NATH MUKHERJEE,
Subordinate Judge.

Comilla, the 9th November 1916. (2432—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 194 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 12th July 1916, made by Sayed Afsarali, of 25, Gora Chand Road, thana Beniapukur, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2262—1—2531)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 196 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 14th June 1916, made by Ram Chandra Sen, of 23-3-1, Rup Narain Nandan Lane, Bhowanipur, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor and on reading the debtor himself and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of September 1916

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2263—1—2529)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 197 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 15th July 1916, made by Alpooram Halwai, *alias* Alguram Halwai, of Kamarhati, thana Kuthighat, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 14th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2264—1—2530)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 200 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 17th July 1916, filed by Ram Prokash Sing, of No. 2, Chitpur Bridge approach, thana Chitpur, 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2265—1—2540)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 201 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 18th July 1916, filed by Taher Ali Mollah, of Tetulkhali, pargana Balia, thana Behala, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2266—1—2533)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 211 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 21st July 1916, made by Dabiruddin Mandal, of Sultanpur, police-station Dum-Dum, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader on his behalf it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2267—1—2537)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 217 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 27th July 1916, made by Lakhi Das, 21, Annada Banerji's Lane, Bhowanipur, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2268—1—2532)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 173 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 21st June 1916, made by Rati Kanto Mandal, of Hazipur, thana Diamond Harbour, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 20th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2317—1—2521)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 206 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th July 1916, made by Thakur Prosad, son of late Duman, of Jagaddal, thana Jagaddal, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the application of the debtor and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 22nd day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2318—1—2517)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 210 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 21st July 1916, made by Priyanath Dutta, son of late Rajnarayan Dutta, of Cossipur, Narikelbagan, thana Cossipur, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 20th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2321—1—2520)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 220 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 29th July 1916, made by Mahadeb Das, of Pakparah Raipur, thana Budge Budge, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 20th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.
(2322—1—2522)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 223 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 31st July 1916, made by Shekh Jamaiuddin, of No. 9, Nurulla Doctor's Lane, thana Ballygunge, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 23rd day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.
(2323—1—2523)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 237 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 15th September 1916, made by Danes Biswas, of 133, Beliaghata Road, thana Beliaghata, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 25th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.
(2324—1—2524)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 80 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Alimaddi, son of late Sheik Rasid, of char Sohagdal, police-station Lohajang, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 2nd December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 10th November 1916. (2434—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 17 OF 1916.

ON the application of Hossen Bux, son of Pyr Buksh, deceased, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 30th November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing of the application.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Dacca, the 11th November 1916. (2436—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 87 OF 1916.

(INSOLVENCY.)

HEDLA MANDAL son of Binan Mandal, deceased, resident of Mahachusa, police-station Kotwali, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 5th December 1916 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner.

ASHUTOSH GUPTA,
Subordinate Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 11th November 1916. (2431—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATIONS Nos. 13 & 14 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 3rd July 1916, filed by Dayal Chandra Shaha and Amrita Lal Shaha, of Narayanpur, police-station Muksudpur, and on reading an affidavit and hearing Babu Surat Chandra Das Gupta, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Dated this 23rd day of September 1916.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.
(2393—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATIONS Nos. 16 AND 17 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 11th July 1916, filed by Matilal Kunda and Kailas Chandra Kunda, of Panchchar, police-station Sibchar, and on reading their affidavits and hearing Babu Bereswar Sen, pleader, it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated this 1st day of November 1916.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.
(2406—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 33, 34 AND 35 OF 1916.

(1) Kailas Chandra Mandal, (2) Udhab Chandra Mandal, (3) Purna Chandra Mandal, sons of late Govinda Chandra Mandal, of Baburchar, police-station Sadarpur, district Faridpur, petitioners.

TAKE notice that the persons named above have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents, and the 15th day of December has been fixed for hearing the petition and the examination of the debtors.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 11th November 1916. (2433—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 118 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ernest Henry Beverley, son of late H. Beverley, of No. 66, Church Road, Howrah, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, was on the 31st October 1916 adjudged an insolvent. The 1st December 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants prove their claims on that day.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th November 1916. (2423—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 90 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that C. H Simmon, son of late T. R. Simmon, of Ramongachhia, thana Salkhha, district Hooghly, was on the 15th September 1916 adjudged an insolvent. The 1st December 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants prove their claims on that day.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th November 1916. (2424—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 69 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Sashi Bhusan Mazoomdar, son of late Tradakshya Nath Mazoomdar, of Harkatwa Lane, Howrah, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, wa ob the 1st September 1916 adjudged an insolvent. The 1st December 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th November 1916. (2425—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 68 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Bijoy Krishna Dass, son of late Nandalal Dass, of Dhopapara Lane, Hooghly, thana Hooghly, district Hooghly, was on the 18th September 1916 adjudged an insolvent. The 1st December 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th November 1916. (2426—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Shaikh Lal Mahamud son of late Shaikh Mongru Miah of Shibpur, thana Shibpur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 139 of 1916, and that the 17th November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 9th November 1916 (2427—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Shaikh Mahabbat Ali, son of late Kasimuddi Shaikh, of Mahmudpur, thana Mogra, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No 136 of 1916, and that the 17th November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 9th November 1916. (2428—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 59 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Narayan Chandra Santra son of late Ananda Ch. Santra, of Sodepur, thana Arambagh, district Hooghly, was on the 11th September 1916 adjudged an insolvent. The 8th December 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants prove their claims on that day.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th November 1916. (2429—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri-Darjeeling.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 86 OF 1916

(INSOLVENCY).

HAR SADHU DAS, son of Bhakat Ram Das, deceased, resident of Jalas-gram Khalil Jota, police-station Fashidaha district Darjeeling, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 12th December 1916 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

ASHUTOSH GUPTA, Subordinate Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 8th November 1916. (2407—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 88 OF 1916.

(INSOLVENCY.)

JOGINDRA BARMAN, son of Hara Gobinda barman, deceased, resident of Kuchlibari, police-station Patgram, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 12th December 1916 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner.

ASHUTOSH GUPTA, Subordinate Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 11th November 1916. (2430—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 25th August 1916 by the debtor Abjel Hossain Biswas, son of late Hamidullah Biswas, of Sobhaipur, police-station Bongaon, in the district of Jessore, and on reading the said petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner, the said debtor Abjel Hossain Biswas was adjudged an insolvent on the 25th day of September 1916.

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge

Jessore, the 2nd November 1916. (2396—1—2563)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 33 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Abdul Sovan Khalipa, of Bakrigali Kuakhana, police station Murshidabad, district Murshidabad

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 25th November 1916

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 2nd November 1916. (2174—1—2564)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 32 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Miajan Shaikh, of Haranandapore, *alias* Mian, police-station Beldanga, district Murshidabad

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court, dated the 25th September 1916.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Bernampore, the 9th November 1916. (2422—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 26 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Nilkantha Saha Poddar, son of late Hari Nath Poddar, of Delua, police-station Belkochi, district Pabna, at present of Barahissya Bazar, Muktagacha police-station Muktagacha, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 18th November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 2nd November 1916. (2404—1)

Order of Discharge.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 70 OF 1914.

Re Bepin Behary Shaha, of Ultadingi, thana Ultadingi, insolvent.

ON the application of Bepin Behary Shaha adjudged insolvent on the 11th September 1914, and upon taking into consideration the report of the Receiver as to the insolvent's conduct and affairs and after hearing pleader for the insolvent and as no one appeared to oppose the application, it is ordered that the insolvent be discharged forthwith.

Dated this 16th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2325—1)

Order of Discharge.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 76 OF 1914.

Re Madan Mohan Shaha, of Ultadingi, thana Ultadingi, insolvent.

ON the application of Madan Mohan Shaha adjudged insolvent on the 11th September 1916, and upon taking into consideration the report of the Receiver as to the insolvent's conduct and affairs and after hearing pleader for the insolvent and as no one appeared to oppose the application, it is ordered that the insolvent be discharged forthwith.

Dated this 16th day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2326—1—2516)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 64 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Chandra Nath Pal and others of Pabna Bazar that the insolvency petition of Raj Chandra Das, son of late Ramlochan Das, of Shibrampur, police-station and district Pabna, has been filed and that the 25th November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 11th November 1916. (2435—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 19 OF 1916.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that (1) Dhuli Pramanik, son of late Shasti Pramanik, (2) Mosiruddin Pramanik, (3) Kosiroddin Pramanik, sons of Dhuli Pramanik, of Tanapara police-station Bagmara, district Rajshahi, were adjudged insolvents by this Court on the 23rd day of September 1916.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 25th September 1916. (2335—1—2548)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

IN OLVENCY CASE No. 23 OF 1916.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION).

(1) Bilatuh Sheik, (2) Ator Sheik, (3) Sheik Nosu, sons of late Umadali Sheik, of Gangair, police-station Harischandrapur dist ict Malda petitioners. debtors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

[*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 18th day of November 1916 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or befo e that date.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 23rd September 1916. (2336—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 110 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Rati Mamud, son of late Churkuta Shaikh, of Haringhat, police-station Pirgacha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 2nd day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 8th November 1916. (2415—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 77 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

TONGSHA NASHIYA, son of late Jamir Ulla, of Nekbakta, police-station Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 1st day of November 1916 adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 8th November 1916. (2416—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 108 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Haji Shaikh, son of late Habu Shaikh, of Vogdanga Gaurer Khamar, police-station Kurigram, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 25th day of November 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 8th November 1916. (2417—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 78 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

AMER ULLA, son of late Jair Mamud, of Nekbakta, police-station Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 1st day of November 1916, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 8th November 1916. (2418—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 109 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Bhaba Sankar Dutta, son of late Chandra Sekhar Dutta, of Naldanga, police-station Gaibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 2nd day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 8th November 1916. (2419—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 257 OF 1916.

Bhuban Chandra Mandal, of Kalinagar, thana Budge-Budge, applicant.

To Ram Charan Bhakli and others, creditors.

ON the 4th day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 20th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 1st November 1916. (2253—1—2534)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 258 OF 1916.

Krishnamari Pal, of Bansdhorpore, thana Jainagore, applicant.

To Manmath Nath Srimani and others, creditors.

ON the 6th day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 20th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 1st November 1916. (2254—1—2535)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 207 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th July 1916, made by Mohadev Ram, son of Thakur Prosad, of Jagaddal, thana Jagaddal, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the application of the debtor and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 22nd day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2319—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 259 OF 1916.

Binraj Kurnani, 85, Chetla Road, thana Tolligunge, applicant.

To Srikissen Das Kathari and another, creditors.

ON the 7th day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 20th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 1st November 1916. (2255—1—2536)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 208 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th July 1916, made by Prosadi Ram, son of late Duman of Jagaddal, thana Jagaddal, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 22nd day of September 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2320—1—2519)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 263 OF 1916.

Raj Kumar Ray, son of Giridhar Ray, of Footigoda, thana Jaynagore, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Kapil Chandra Ray and 7 others, creditors.

ON the 21st day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 20th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 25th September 1916. (2329—1—2527)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 264 OF 1916.

Shaikh Fakir Mistry, son of late Isup Mistry, of Udoy Rampur, thana Bistoopur, applicant.

To Gonapat Ram Bhakat and 7 others, creditors.

ON the 21st day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 20th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 25th September 1916. (2330—1—2528)

NOTICE

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 265 OF 1916.

Brojo Nath Chakravarty, of Dakshinbagpota, thana Budge-Budge, applicant.

To Akshoy Kumar Nuskar and others, creditors.

ON the 14th day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 20th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 25th September 1916. (2331—1—2538)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 267 OF 1916.

Hari Kiran Chatterjee, of Dhakhineswar, thana Barahanagore, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Messrs. Mahaliram Ramji Das and others, creditors.

ON the 23rd day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 20th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 30th October 1916. (2383—1—2546)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 268 OF 1916.

Hossain Bux Molla, of Jenta, thana Behala, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Sumermal Surana and others, creditors.

ON the 25th day of September 1916, it was ordered hat the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 20th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on hat date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 30th October 1916. (2384—1—2547)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 276 OF 1916.

R. Hamilton, 9, Dent Mission Road, Kidderpur, applicant.

To Bishal Singh and others, creditors.

ON the 23rd day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 31st October 1916. (2385—1—2545)

NOTICE.

Office of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

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ASAD-UZ-ZAMAN,

Personal Assistant to Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, the 11th November 1916.

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S. C. CHATTERJEE, B.E., District Engineer, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 28th October 1916. (2378—3)

Notice.

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BIJAY K. MITRA,

Vice-Chairman, District Board.

Jessore, the 9th November 1916. (2421—2)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

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By order of the Directors,

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 8th November 1916.

(2405—1)

Notice.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers and Engine Drivers of Inland Steam Vessels under Act VI of 1884 will be held at Chittagong on Monday, the 4th December 1916.

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H. MORLAND, Commander, R.I.M.,
Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 8th November 1916.

Bengal Coal Company, Limited.

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By order of the Directors,

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Calcutta, the 13th November 1916. (2437—1)

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February „
March „
April „
May „
June „

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15th February 1916.
29th „ „
15th March „
31st „ „
15th April „
30th „ „
15th May „
31st „ „
15th June „
30th „ „
15th July „
31st „ „
15th August „

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Prices of Wheat in India—Return showing the Wholesale and Retail—

2nd half of February 1916.
1st „ „ March „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ April „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ May „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ June „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ July „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ August „

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Rate Lists of Stores purchased in England for Government Departments in India for the quarter ending June 1914. As. 8.

Return showing the Imports into, and Exports from, chief ports of Wheat, Jute and Cotton for the week ending—

29th July 1916.
5th August „
12th „ „
19th „ „
26th „ „
2nd September „

6*p.* (6*p.*).

Revenue, Indian Customs—Return showing the total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue) as compared with the corresponding period of the preceding nine years.

April to June 1916-17.
„ July „
„ August „

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March „
April „
May „
June „
July „

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Accounts relating to the—of British India for the Calendar year 1914.

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„ III—

Monthly Accounts relating to the—of British India for the month of—

January	**1916.**
February	,,
March	,,
April	,,
May	,,
June	,,
July	,,
August	,,

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Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Monday.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 6th November 1916.*

MADAGASCAR—SOUTH COAST.

Karimboli (Carambules)—Coast reported to lie further South.

No. 333 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1012 of 1916), are republished :—

Position on chart.—Cape St. Mary, lat. 25° 39′ S., long. 45° 06′ E.

Details.—The Karimboli coast eastward of Cape St. Mary is reported to lie about 2 to 3 miles further south than charted, and a cautionary note to this effect, with the year date "*(1916)*," is to be placed on the chart.

Remarks.—The name "Carambules" is to be altered to "Karimboli" in the Admiralty publications.

Chart affected.—No. 760, Cape St. Mary to Bevato island and Matatane.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 318.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 1143 of 1916. (*H. 4945/16.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC—FIJI ISLANDS.

Levuka Harbour, South Entrance—Light established.

No. 334 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1019 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 40 yards, 267° (*S. 76° W. Mag.*), from the perch beacon at the northern end of Mbalavu reef.

Lat. 17° 41′ S., long. 178° 51¾′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Occ., *ev. 3 sec., 26 ft., vis. abt. 6 m.* (U).

Details:

Character.—An *occulting white* light *every three seconds*, thus:—

Light,	eclipse.
2 secs.	1 sec.

Elevation.—26 feet.
Visibility.—About 6 miles.
Structure.—White concrete pillar.
Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—11° E.
Charts affected.—No. 1244, Levuka harbour.
„ 905, Suva harbour to Levuka.
„ 440, Fiji islands—Eastern archipelago, northern portion.
„ 441, Fiji islands—Eastern archipelago, southern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 3156.
Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 119.
Authority.—Colonial Secretary, Suva. (*H. 2701/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LEITE ISLAND.

Port Palompon—Light established.

No. 335 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1020 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of $1\frac{8}{10}$ cables, 0° (*V. 1° W. Mag.*), from Palompon church.
Lat. 11° 02¾′ N., long. 124° 23¾′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 5 sec., 55 ft., vis. 8 m.* (U).

Details:

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every five seconds.*
Elevation.—55 feet.
Visibility.—8 miles.
Structure.—White concrete beacon.
Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No 957, Plan of Port Palompon.
„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1220.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 499.
Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notices Nos. 3848 of 1915, and 176 of 1916. (*H. 5262/16.*)

RED SEA—EASTERN SHORE.

Kunfida Southern Approach—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 336 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1033 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles, south-westward, from Makásir.
Lat. 18° 55′ 30″ N., long. 41° 06′ 30″ E.

Description.—A 2-fathom patch, about half a cable in extent.
Charts affected.—No. 8c, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red sea.
Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, page 314.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5218/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Warrnambool Harbour—Erratum in Sailing Directions.

No. 337 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1034 of 1916), are republished :—

In Australia Directory, Vol, I, 1907, page 401, line 2, from foot of page :—

For "N. by E.," *read* "N. ¼ E."

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5389/16.*)

CHINA, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Chifu (Yentai) harbour—Inner harbour under construction. Caisson laid; Navigation between southern end of breakwater and Tower Hill prohibited.

No. 338 (first publication).—With reference to Notices to Mariners Nos. 179 and 306 of 1916 issued by this Office in connection with the projected inner harbour at Chifu, the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given further Notice (No. 628 of 1916) that a caisson has been laid at the southern end of the breakwater under construction. This caisson is submerged at about half-tide A *white* light is exhibited from sunset to sunrise on the southern end of the caisson.

The navigation of the passage between the southern end of the breakwater and Tower Hill is strictly prohibited.

PERSIAN GULF.

Henjam Island Anchorage—Non-existence of Ras-al-Mashia Beacon.

No. 339 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 168M. of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 146-M. of 1916. (This office No. 299 of 1916.)

Position.—Ras-al-Mashia Beacon.
Lat. 26° 41′ 35″ N.
Long. 55° 53′ 32″ E. } On Chart No. 3599.

Details.—Information has been received that the temporary beacon which was marking the anchorage, has been carried away by high winds.

Remarks.—A permanent beacon is being erected.

Charts affected.—No. 3599, Plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 6th Edition, 1915, pages 209 and 210.

Authority.—D. P. G., Karachi, dated 16th October 1916.

The 30th October 1916.

BORNEO, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Deluar Shoals—Existence of Shoal westward of.

No. 328 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 982 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—The south-eastern end of the shoal is situated about 7¼ miles, westward, from the 2 ft. high rock on Deluar shoals.
Lat. 5° 53′ 00″ N., long. 115° 34′ 30″ E., on chart No. 2111.

Details.—From the foregoing position, in which a depth of 6¼ fathoms exists, the shoal extends in a north-westerly direction for a distance of about 3 miles over a breadth of about 2 cables; the general extent of the shoal being indicated by discoloured water.

Note.—A note "*Shoal water reported (1916)*" is to be placed against the above area on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2111, Nosong point to Ambong bay.
„ 2109, Barram point to Nosong point.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 119.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 185 of 1916. (*H. 5007/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, WEST COAST.

Pandan Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 329 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 998 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 17° 32′ N., long. 120° 22¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Occ. (2), *vis. 9 m.*

Details.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed red to *group occulting white* showing *two* eclipses *every thirty-two seconds*, thus :—

Light,	eclipse,	light,	eclipse.
17 secs.	4 secs.	7 secs.	4 secs.

Remarks.—The light has an elevation of 41 feet and is now exhibited from a white concrete pillar.

Charts affected.—No. 2454, Northern portion of the island of Luzon.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1313.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 268.

Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notices Nos. 638 and 2063 of 1916. (*H. 4787/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA, GEELONG OUTER HARBOUR.

Wilson Spit—Beacon constructing ; Alteration in Position of Buoys.

No. 330 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1003 of 1916), are republished :—

1. Beacon under construction :

Position.—At a distance of 9$\frac{3}{10}$ cables, 317° (*N. 51° W. Mag.*), from East Bellarine beacon.
Lat. 38° 08¼′ S., long. 144° 29¾′ E.

Description.—A pile beacon.

Remarks.—This beacon, whilst under construction, will be marked by a *white* light, and a note to this effect is to be inserted on the chart.

2. Alteration in position of buoys :

(*a*) Light-buoy :

New position.—At a distance of about 130 yards southward from former position, and 30 yards southward from the beacon referred to above.

(*b*) Black can buoy :

New position.—At a distance of about 150 yards eastward from former position, and 8¼ cables, 311° (*N. 57° W. Mag.*), from East Bellarine beacon.

Variation.—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.
Publications. List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2446 (Remarks).
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 465; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Authority.—The Port Officer, Department of Ports and Harbours Melbourne. (*H. 5131/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST—QUEENSLAND.

Inner Barrier Route—Beacon replaced.

No. 331 (second publication).—
Former Notice.—Calcutta Notice No. 247 of 1916.
Position.—Dee (*d*) Reef, black square beacon on north-west end.
Lat. 15° 30′ S., long. 145° 19¼′ E.
Remarks.—The beacon, which was recently destroyed, has been replaced.
Publications affected.—*Australia Directory*, Vol. II, 1907, page 350.
Charts affected.—
(a) Admiralty Chart No. 2923.—Hope Island to Turtle Group.
(b) „ „ 2764.—Coral Sea.—Sheet 2.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 9 of 1916.

INDIA WEST COAST—KATHIAWAR COAST.

Porbandar—Correction to Admiralty Publications.

No. 332 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 160M. of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Porbandar Light-House,
Latitude 21° 38′ 15″ N.
Longitude 69° 35′ 59″ E. } On Chart No. 1321.
Correction.—(*a*) The building shown on the existing plan of Porbandar as Administrator's House is now the Rajah's Palace.
(*b*) Administrator's House marked by a flagstaff as before is now situated about 3 cables North-West of the above building. The exact position of this flagstaff has not been obtained.
(*c*) Where sandhills are shown on the chart, there are now many new buildings extending towards State Engineer's House and the Rajah's Palace.
Remarks.—Mariners are warned accordingly to use the present position of the flagstaff as a mark for anchoring with caution.
Chart affected.—No. 1321, Káthiáwár Coast, Porbandar and Navibandar.
Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 5th edition, 1909, page 290.
Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 28th September 1196.

The 23rd October 1916.

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NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Light established.

No. 312 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 919 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 490 feet, 359° (*N. 16° W. Mag.*) from the black beacon on the end of the reef off the Bastion.
Lat. 36° 50½′ S., long. 174° 49½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *9 ft. vis. 5 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *fixed white* light.
Elevation.—9 feet.
Visibility—5 miles.
Structure.—A black pile beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—15° E.
Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland Harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2876*a*.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 38.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 42 of 1916 (*H. 4659/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, SOUTH COAST.

Tinaka Point—Light established.

No. 313 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 920 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 5° 33′ 15″ N., long. 125° 19′ 45″ E., on chart No. 2575.
Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 3 sec 140 ft., vis. 15 m.* (U.) (*posn. approx.*).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds.*
Elevation.—140 feet.
Visibility.—15 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 2575, Eastern part of Celebes sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.
„ 781, Pacific ocean, north-west sheet.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1151*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 689.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2059 of 1916. (*H. 4783/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

San Pedro Bay, Hinamok Island—Light established.

No. 314 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 921 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—On Tingib point.
Lat. 11° 16′ 08″ N., long. 125° 03′ 54″ E., on chart No. 2987.
Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *ev. 3½ sec. 78 ft., vis. 10 m.*

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three and four-tenths seconds.*
Elevation.—78 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete pillar.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 2987. San Pedro bay to Libukan islands.
„ 2577, Philippine islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, page 149.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 631.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2062 of 1916. (*H. 4786/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SULU SEA, PANGUTARANG PASSAGE.

North Ubian Island—Light established.

No. 315 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 922 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At the northern end of North Ubian island.
Lat. 6° 10′ 00″ N., long. 120° 27′ 30″ E., on chart No. 928.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 2 sec., vis. 10 m.* (U). *(posn. approx.).*

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every two seconds.*
Elevation.—35 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 928, Sulu archipelago.
„ 2576, Sulu archipelago and north-east coast of Borneo.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1139*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 293.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2058 of 1916. *(H. 4782/16.)*

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SAMAR ISLAND, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

San Pedro Bay, Marikitdakit Islet—Light established.

No. 316 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 927 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 11° 04′ 20″ N., long. 125° 09′ 10″ E.
Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 10 sec., 60 ft., vis. 10 m.* (U).

Details :

Character—A *flashing white* light *every ten seconds.*
Elevation.—60 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Structure—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, page 149.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 630.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2061 of 1916. *(H. 4785/16.)*

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Point Kauit—Light established.

No. 317 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 928 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 9° 17′ 30″ N., long. 126° 13′ 30″ E.
Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *ev. 3 sec., 55 ft., vis. 12 m. (posn. approx.).*

Details :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds.*
Elevation.—55 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1158*b*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 637.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2060 of 1916. (*H. 4784/16.*)

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND.

Gisborne Roads—Light-Buoy established.

No. 318 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 939 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ cables, south-eastward, from Temoana rock, in the position hitherto occupied by the black can buoy which it replaces.
Lat. 38° 41¼′ S., long. 178° 01¼′ E.
Description.—A light-buoy painted black exhibiting a *flashing red* light *every three seconds* :—

$$\frac{\text{Flash, } \frac{3}{10} \text{ sec.}}{\text{eclipse. } 2\frac{7}{10} \text{ secs.}}$$

Charts affected.—No 3321, Gisborne roads.
„ 3343, Gable-end foreland to Poverty bay.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 126.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 34 of 1916. (*H. 4975/16.*)

NEW GUINEA—ARU ISLANDS.

Ennu Island—Non-existence of Shoals westward of.

No. 319 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 958 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 3 miles, westward, from the western end of Ennu island.
Lat. 7° 05½′ S., long. 134° 25½′ E.
Description.—A 4-fathom shoal.
(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5 miles, westward, from the western end of Ennu island.
Lat. 7° 04½′ S., long. 134° 23½′ E.
Description.—A 3½-fathom shoal.
Remarks.—The above shoals are to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 470. Aru islands.
„ 942*b*, Eastern archipelago, sheet IV.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 209.
Authority.—Netherlands Government Chart. (*H. 4881/16.*)

NEW GUINEA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Milne (Tauwara) Bay—Caution.

No. 320 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 960 of 1916), are republished :—

Position on charts.—Copra station, lat. 10° 21′ S., long. 150° 20′ E.
Caution.—The coastline at the head of Milne bay is reported to lie 3 miles further to the westward than charted, and a cautionary note to this effect is to be inserted on the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 2123, Orangerie bay to Bramble haven.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I. 1908, page 93.
Authority.—Captain E. Kettle, Master of the S.S. *John Williams*. (*H. 4533/16.*)

NEW GUINEA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

(1) *Toulon Island—Shoal reported westward of.*

(2) *Hood Lagoon entrance—Caution.*

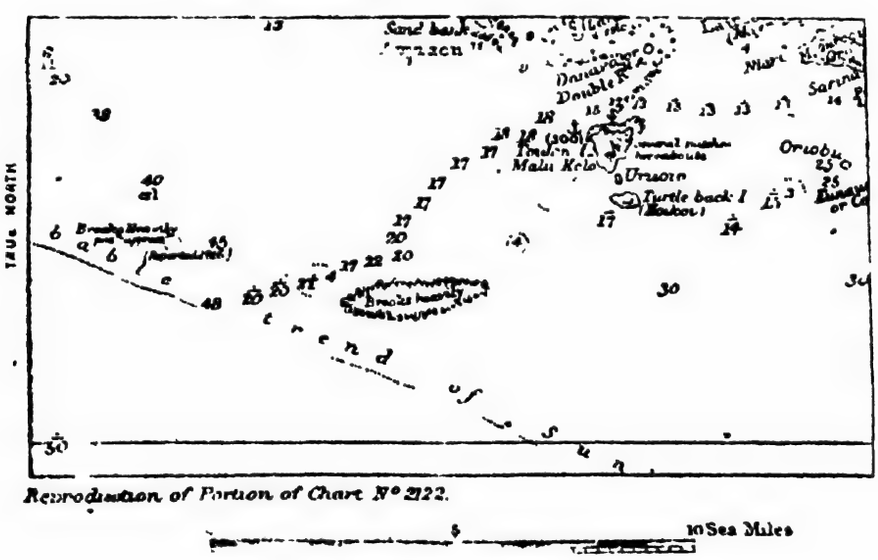
No. 321 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 961 of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Toulon Island.

Position.—Toulon island, lat. 10° 23½′ S., long. 149° 20¼′ E.
Details.—The approximate position of a shoal reported to exist about 9 miles westward of Toulon island, and information with regard to shoal patches eastward of the foregoing island, is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 2122.
Remarks.—It will be observed from the reproduction that the position of Toulon island Mission house has been altered.

(2) Hood Lagoon Entrance.

Position.—Lat. 10° 07′ S., long. 147° 50′ E.
Caution.—The entrance to Hood Lagoon should not be attempted without the assistance of a local pilot and a cautionary note to this effect is to be inserted on the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 2122, Round head to Orangerie bay.
„ 2764, Coral sea and Great Barrier reef, sheet II.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. I. 1908, pages 59, 66.
Authority.—Captain E. Kettle, Master of the S.S. *John Williams*. (*H. 4533/16.*)



Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 2122.

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SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—GILBERT ISLANDS.

Tapeteuea Island—Limits of Reef.

No. 322 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 962 of 1916), are republished :—

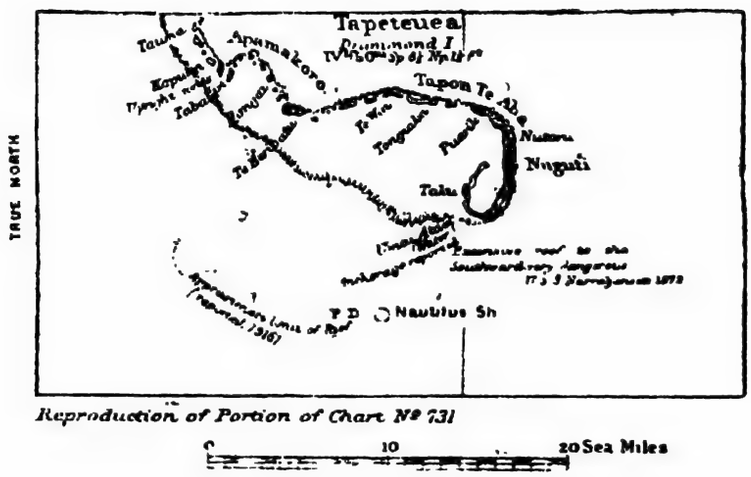
Position.—Nautilus shoal, lat. 1° 34′ S., long. 174° 55¼′ E.

Details.—The reef off the southern side of Tapeteuea island is reported to extend considerably further to the south-westward than charted; the approximate limit is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 731.

Charts affected.—No. 731, Gilbert islands.
„ 780, Pacific ocean, south-west sheet.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, pages 207, 208.

Authority.—Captain E. Kettle, Master of the S.S. *John Williams*. (*H. 4533/16.*)



Reproduction of Portion of Chart No 731

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

(1) Tiklin Strait and Approach—Amendments to Charts with regard to Shoals.

(2) Port Gubat—Amendments to charts with regard to shoals.

No. 323 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 971 of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Tiklin strait and approach—

Position.—Kalantas bank, lat. 12° 30¼′ N., long. 124° 04¼′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts with regard to shoals in Tiklin strait and southern approach, embodying the latest information, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 3475 and 3370.

Remarks.—From the reproductions it will be observed that the position of the wreck on the south-eastern part of Kalantas bank has been slightly amended..

(2) Port Gubat—

Position.—Gubat, lat. 12° 55¼′ N., long. 124° 07¼′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts with regard to shoals off the southern end of Kanauay reef, embodying the latest information, are shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 3475.

Remarks.—It will be seen from the reproduction that the position of the 3-fathom shoal, hitherto shown on the chart at a distance of about one mile eastward from Gubat Church, has been amended.

Charts affected.—No. 3475, Plans on the south-east coast of Luzon.
„ 3370, San Bernardino strait and approaches(1).
„ 3368, Batan island to San Bernardino island(2).

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, pages 504, 601.

Authority.—U. S. A. Government Chart. (*H. 4616/16.*)

Reproduction of Portion of Chart No 3475

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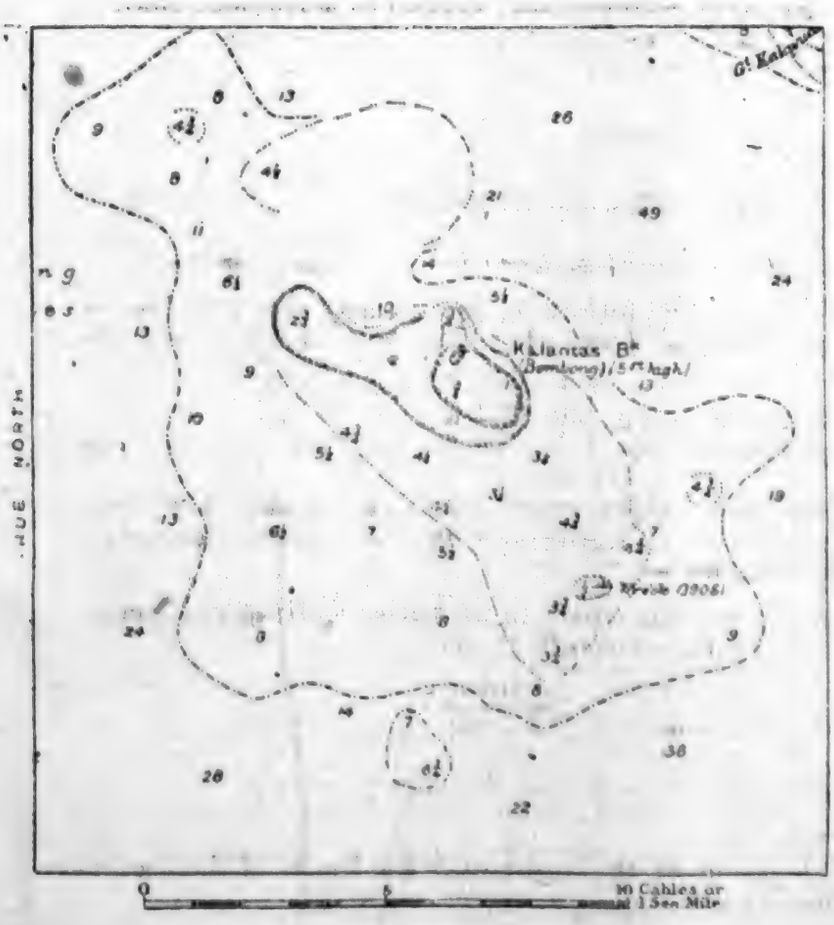

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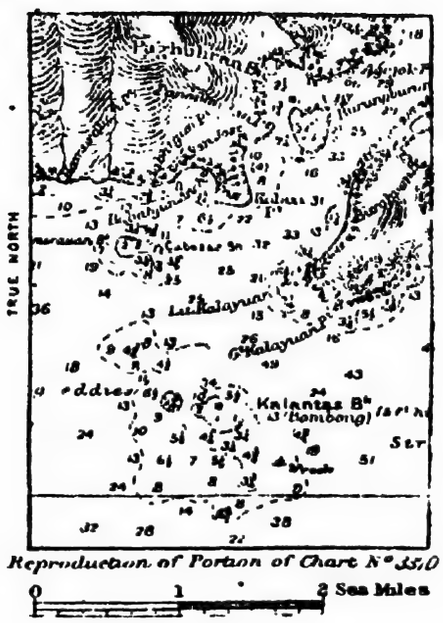
10 Cables or 1 Sea Mile



JAPAN, INLAND SEA—SUEVO NADA.

Motoyama Zaki—Wreck south-eastward of.

No. 324 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 973 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 5¼ miles, south-eastward, from Motoyama zaki.
Lat. 33° 52′ 45″ N., long. 131° 13′ 18″ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a schooner with two masts visible above water.

Charts affected.—No. 3225, Shimonoseki kaikyo to Maruyama zaki.
„ 2875, Naikai (seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 181 of 1916. (*H. 5004/16.*)

JAPAN—HOKUSHU, SOUTH COAST.

Mororan Ko, Daikoku Jima Light—Alteration in characteristics.

No. 325 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 978 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 42° 20¾′ N., long. 140° 55¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Occ., *W.R., ev. 4 sec., 134 ft., vis. 17 m.*

Details.—The fixed white light with fixed red sector has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—An *occulting white* light with *occulting red* sector, *every four seconds*, thus :—

Light,	eclipse.
2 secs.	2 secs.

Visibility.—17 miles.

Power.—750 candles.

Remarks.—The elevation of the light and the limits of the sectors remain unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 3507, Mororan ko.
„ 3591, Iburi wan or Uchiura wan.
„ 452, Hokushū island.
„ 2405, Kuril islands.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific ocean, &c.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2099.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 717.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 194 of 1916. (*H. 5009/16.*)

JAPAN—HONSHŪ, GULF OF TOKYO.

Uraga Channel—Non-existence of shoal depths.

No. 326 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 979 of 1916), are republished :—

Position on charts.—At a distance of about 2 miles and three quarters of a cable north-eastward from Kannon zaki light-house.
Lat. 35° 16¼′ N., long. 139° 46¼′ E.
Description.—Two patches of 5¼ fathoms.
Remarks.—The above depths, together with the 10-fathom lines encircling them, are to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 180 of 1916. (*H. 5003 16.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA, PORT PHILLIP.

Point Gellibrand Light—Alteration in characteristics.

No. 327 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 980 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 37° 52½′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.
New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *W.R., ev. 2 sec., 50 ft., vis. 12 m.*
Details.—The occulting and alternating occulting light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—
Character.—A *flashing* light, with *white* and *red* sectors, *every two seconds*, thus :—

Flash.	eclipse.
½ sec.	1½ secs.

Elevation.—50 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Sectors.—*White* from 191° (*S. 3° W. Mag.*) to 251° (*S. 63° W. Mag.*);
Red thence to 335° (*N. 33° W. Mag.*);
White thence to 47° (*N. 39° E. Mag.*);
Red thence to 71° (*N. 63° E. Mag.*).
Variation.—8° E.
Charts affected.—No. 624, Hobson bay, River Yarra and Melbourne.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.
„ 3169, Port Phillip to Gabo island.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2468.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1916, page 456.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 14 of 1916. (*H. 4988/16.*)

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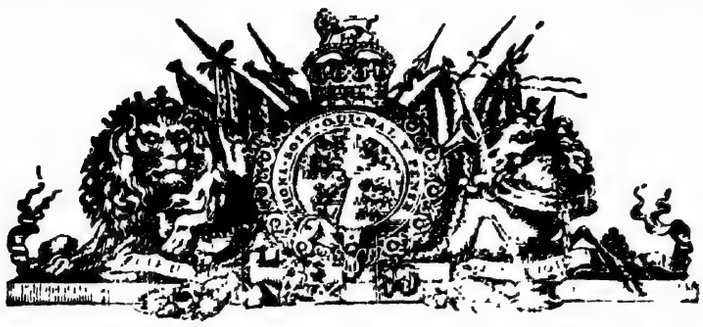

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MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR OCTOBER 1916.

I. *Character of the season.*—During the month under review the rainfall was in excess of the normal throughout the province. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—By the end of the month the transplantation of winter rice was over and weeding was proceeding briskly. Harvesting of jute and other *bhadoi* crops was approaching completion. The preparation of lands for and sowings of *rabi* crops continued.

III. *State of standing crops.*—The condition of standing crops was generally satisfactory except in places in the flood-affected areas of Murshidabad, Burdwan, Birbhum, Midnapore, Howrah, Dacca, Bakarganj, Chittagong, Tippera and Noakhali.

IV. *Prospects and probable outturn.*—The prospects of winter rice were reported to be, on the whole, good except in the flood-affected parts of the province, and a fairly good outturn is anticipated.

V. *Damage to standing crops.*—Damage to standing crops by excessive rainfall and floods was reported from most places in the Presidency, Burdwan, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions during the first three weeks of the month. The damage in Burdwan and Birbhum is reported to have been severe owing to sand deposits over considerable areas. In Noakhali about 60 per cent. of the *aman* paddy in the Feni subdivision is said to have been destroyed. Slight damage by insects was also reported from the 24-Parganas and Khulna during the last two weeks of the month.

VI. *Condition of agricultural stocks.*—Agricultural stocks are reported to be in fair condition. Cattle-disease was reported from parts of Murshidabad,

Jessore, Midnapore, Birbhum, Jalpaiguri, Darjeeling, Cooch Behar, Mymensingh and the Chittagong Hill Tracts. Cattle were reported to be dying from exposure in certain flooded villages in one thana in Burdwan in the middle of the month.

VII. *Failure of pasturage and fodder.*—Fodder scarcity was reported from Jessore throughout the month. Some insufficiency of fodder was also reported from Burdwan during the first part and from Dinajpur and Tippera during the latter part of the month.

VIII. *Prices of food grains.*—During the second fortnight of the month under review the price of common rice rose in four districts, fell in ten, and remained stationary in the remainder, varying from 6 seers 14 chitaks in Tippera to 9 seers 8 chitaks in Malda.

IX. *Condition of the agricultural people.*—The condition of the agricultural population throughout the province was fair except in the flood-affected tracts of Burdwan and Birbhum, where measures in the shape of gratuitous relief and agricultural loans had to be taken.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th November 1916.

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during October 1916.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of October.	Actual district rainfall for the month of October 1916	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	4·70	14·55	+ 9·85
	Calcutta ...	3·91	14·62	+10·71
	Nadia ...	3·95	9·38	+ 5·43
	Murshidabad ...	3·51	9·15	+ 5·64
	Jessore ...	4·35	12·13	+ 7·78
	Khulna ...	5·30	13·49	+ 8·19
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	3·03	8·82	+ 5·79
	Birbhum ...	3·18	11·61	+ 8·43
	Bankura ...	2·73	11·22	+ 8·49
	Midnapore ...	3·99	12·49	+ 8·50
	Hooghly ...	3·82	8·73	+ 4·91
	Howrah ...	3·51	15·74	+12·23
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	3·38	11·42	+ 8·04
	Dinajpur ...	3·10	7·23	+ 4·13
	Jalpaiguri ...	5·53	7·44	+ 1·91
	Darjeeling ...	4·27	9·22	+ 4·95
	Rangpur ...	4·49	7·27	+ 2·78
	Bogra ...	4·24	13·35	+ 9·11
	Pabna ...	4·75	14·54	+ 9·79
	Malda ...	2·71	9·19	+ 6·48
Dacca ...	Dacca ...	4·44	13·53	+ 9·09
	Mymensingh ...	5·07	12·74	+ 7·67
	Faridpur ...	4·39	14·59	+10·20
	Bakarganj ...	6·21	16·28	+10·07
Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	7·09	8·91	+ 1·82
	Tippera ...	4·87	14·49	+ 9·62
	Noakhali ...	7·92	12·95	+ 5·03
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	6·45	19·54	+13·09
	Cooch Behar ...	5·16	5·95	+ 0·79

REPORT ON FAMINE IN BANKURA DISTRICT FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 4th NOVEMBER 1916.

IN **Bankura district** the state of affairs in affected areas has improved. Prospects of standing crops are good. The harvesting of early *aman* paddy has commenced. The condition of people on relief-works is good. The relief measures are adequate. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 9 seers per rupee. The number of persons on relief-works was 831. Only six works remained open during the week.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DARJEELING, *the 8th November 1916.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 13th November 1916.

Summary.—During the latter part of the week there was heavy rainfall accompanied by wind storms in most districts of the Burdwan Division. Elsewhere the fall was light to moderate. Considerable damage has been done to the standing crops where the fall was heavy. Sowing of potatoes and pulses was also retarded. Sowings of spring crops and harvesting of early winter rice continue in the Eastern Bengal districts. Fodder is reported to be scarce in parts of Jessore, Khulna, Dinajpur and Tippera. Cattle-disease is reported from four districts only. The average price of common rice has fallen slightly from that of the preceding week.

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	1·07	8	8	Weather seasonable. Slight damage is reported to have been caused to the standing crops by the recent rain. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Rangoon and Singapur rice is being imported into Basirhat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	1·48	7½	7½	
	Barrackpore	1·01	6 3/16	6 3/16	
	Barasat ...	0·55	8½	7½	
	Basirhat ...	0·92	7½	7½	
2	Nadia ...	1·95	7	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good, but somewhat affected by the recent rain. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	0·62	7½	7½	
	Meherpur ...	3·50	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	5·35	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	0·13	6½	6½	
3	Murshidabad	2·41	7½	7½	Weather cloudy and stormy during latter part of the week and is unfavourable to sowing of *rabi* crops. The prospects of winter paddy are good. Steeping and washing of jute continue. The recent rainfall is likely to affect the outturn of winter paddy in the Kandi subdivision. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	2·10	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	1·10	9	8½	
	Kandi ...	5·72	8	8½	
4	Jessore ...	0·54	8	8	Weather seasonable. The recent rain has done good to *aman* paddy, but *rabi* crops have been damaged to some extent in the Bongaon subdivision. Cattle-disease is reported from the Magura subdivision. Fodder is scarce in Magura thana.
	Jhenidah ...	0·16	8	8	
	Magura ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Narail ...	0·18	8	8	
	Bangaon ...	0·48	7½	7⅞	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
5	KHULNA ...	0·66	8	8	Weather cloudy. The prospects of standing crops are fair except in one thana of Satkhira subdivision. Damage to winter rice by insects is reported in some parts of Satkhira. Fodder and water sufficient except in thana Assassuni. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Assassuni in Satkhira subdivision.
	Satkhira ...	1·37	6½	6½	
	Bagerhat ...	1·91	7	7	
6	BURDWAN ...	7·97	7½	7½	Weather bright. The heavy rain did great injury to the standing crops and retarded the sowing of potatoes and other *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aus* paddy, steeping and washing of jute are going on. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Memari. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	0·67	8	8	
	Katwa ...	4·95	7¾	7¾	
	Kalna ...	1·62	7⅞	7¾	
7	BIRBHUM ...	1·85	9	9	Weather seasonable. Distribution of gratuitous relief continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Rampurhat	1·95	7½	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	2·53	10	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. The recent rain has damaged them to some extent and has retarded the sowing of *rabi* crops. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	4·52	9	9	
9	MIDNAPORE	4·27	8 1/10	7¾	Weather seasonable. Serious damage has been caused to standing crops by recent storm in the Sadar and Ghatal subdivisions and only slight damage is reported so far from the Contai and Tamluk subdivisions. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	3·50	7½	7¾	
	Tamluk ...	2·75	8	7½	
	Contai ...	2·13	9	9	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0·25	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	0·80	6½	6½	
	Arambagh ..	2·21	7½	7½	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·35	7	7	The weather was rainy during the middle of the week but has since become seasonable. Harvesting of jute is over and steeping is going on. Condition of standing crops is good except in Uluberia where *aman* paddy is suffering from the rain. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Uluberia ...	0·89	7½	7½	

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	(*n*)	(*n*)	7	Report not received.
	Naogaon ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
	Nator ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	0·24	8 1/16	8⅜	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease. Scarcity of fodder is still reported from Itahar police-station.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	8⅜	8	
	Balurghat ...	0·46	8 9/16	8 7/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fields are being ploughed for tobacco and mustard. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	7	
15	DARJEELING	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. *Marua* and cardamom are being harvested. Sowing of potatoes has commenced
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	(*n*)	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
16	RANGPUR ...	0·22	7½	7½	Weather cloudy. Lands are under preparation for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	0·20	7½	7½	
	Kurigram ...	0·41	7	7	
	Gaibandha...	1·70	7½	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	3·04	8	8½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter rice are generally good, but the recent rain with high wind did some damage. Preparation of lands for the *rabi* crops and sowings of pulses continue. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
18	PABNA ...	0·99	7½	7½	Rainfall at Sara 2·42 inches. Weather cool and pleasant. Harvesting of winter rice is going on. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	4·29	7⅞	7	
19	MALDA ...	0·23	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEER PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
20	COOCH BEHAR	0·03	7	8	Weather cloudy. Washing of jute still continues. Fodder is sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	0·73	7 8†	7½ 8†	Weather drizzly and windy. The rainfall has improved the growth of all standing crops. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are available.
	Manikganj ...	0·50	7	(*n*)	
	Narayanganj	0·59	6½ 8†	(*n*)	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	7	7	
22	MYMENSINGH	(*n*)	(*n*)	6½	Report not received.
	Jamalpur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	6½	
	Tangail ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
	Netrakona ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	6½	
	Kishorganj...	(*n*)	(*n*)	6½	
23	FARIDPUR .	0·38	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of rice are sufficient.
	Goalundo ...	0·21	8	8	
	Madaripur ...	1·06	7½	7½	
	Gopalganj‡	0·15	8	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	1·80	7½	7½	Weather fair after two days' rain. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	3·11	6½	6½	
	Patuakhali ...	3·46	7	7	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	2·76	7	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	0·93	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of early winter rice has commenced. Outturn is expected to be fair. Cultivation of the *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	0·29	8	7½	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice

‡ Rainfall at Haridasdur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and sub-divisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
26	Tippera (Comilla).	0·27	7	7	Weather cloudy. Prospects of winter rice are good excepting in flooded areas. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced in early sown places. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder is sufficient except in Kotwali thana. Stocks of food-grains are normal.
	Brahmanbaria.	0·99	6	6	
	Chandpur ...	0·39	7½	7½	
27	Noakhali ...	1·34	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *Rajashail* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good, except in the flooded tracts.
	Feni ...	2·21	9½	8 3/16	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	0·47	7	7	Weather seasonable. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati.

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Calcutta, *the 14th November 1916.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the Second-half of October 1916.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency	1	Ghetla Hat ...	6 8	6 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	11 8	11 8	16 0†
	2	Magra Hat ..	7 4	7 10	7 2	7 10	8 0	7 6	6 11	7 5	8 0	6 3	6 10	5 13	13 14	13 14	16 0
	3	Calcutta-Beliaghata	5 14	5 14	5 5	5 12	5 12	5 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 1	7 1	6 2	11 0	11 0	16 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	6 10	6 10	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 4	5 5	5 5	6 4	6 0	6 6	13 8	13 0	16 0†
	5	Ranaghat ...	6 0	6 0	6 4	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 8	10 8	14 0
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur	7 4	7 0	6 12	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	14 0	14 0	16 0†
	7	Kandi	8 4	8 4	7 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 8	13 0	13 0	16 0
	8	Jangipur	7 12	7 8	7 0	8 8	8 4	7 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	15 0	15 0	17 8
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	8 0	7 8	7 2	8 8	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	10 0	12 0	12 0	15 8
	10	Bangaon	7 3	7 3	6 0	7 10	7 10	6 11	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 6	6 6	5 6	12 13	12 13	16 0
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	10 8	10 8	13 0
	12	Bagerhat	7 0	7 0	5 8	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 6	10 0	10 0	13 0
		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	7 8	7 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	7 8	8 0	6 8	13 0	13 0	19 0
	14	Kalna	7 8	7 4	6 10	7 12	7 8	6 14	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 4	5 4	6 4	13 0	13 0	16 0†
		Birbhum															
	15	Suri	8 0	7 8	6 8	8 8	8 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	12 12	12 12	16 0
	16	Rampur Hat ...	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 8	8 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	14 0	13 0	16 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 0	8 12	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	13 0	13 0	15 0
	18	Vishnupur	7 8	7 8	6 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 0	11 0	14 0
Burdwan.		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	7 11	8 1	6 8	8 1	8 6	6 14	6 0	5 8	9 0	6 8	6 8	5 12	10 8	10 8	15 0
	20	Contai ...	8 8	8 8	6 0	9 0	8 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 0	13 0	16 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar ...	7 0	6 8	5 4	7 8	7 8	6 4	7 8	7 8	6 4	7 8	7 8	5 0	12 8	11 0	13 0†
	22	Arambagh(a) ...	7 12	7 4	6 10	8 0	7 8	6 13	5 12	6 12	5 5	6 0	6 0	5 8	13 0	13 0	15 0
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	7 0	7 4	6 0	8 0	8 8	6 10	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	13 0	13 0	16 0
	24	Uluberia ...	7 8	7 8	6 4	8 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	5 12	14 10	13 12	16 0

† Karkatch. | (a) Return not received.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the Second-half of October 1916—contd.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*)			Arhar (dal) or Thur, Gadjan pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rajshahi.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 2	7 2	6 3	7 5	7 5	6 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 0	9 12	9 12	12 0
	26	Nator	6 12	7 0	6 8	7 8	8 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 0	5 2	9 0	9 0	12 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	8 6	7 13	6 0	9 5	8 6	6 10	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 10	6 10	6 10	11 0	12 0	14 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar	7 8	7 0	5 0	8 8	8 0	6 0	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	11 0	11 0	13 0
		Darjeeling															
	29	Sadar	6 0	6 0	5 0	7 0	7 8	6 4	5 0	5 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 8	9 0	10 8
	30	Siliguri . .	6 0	6 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	...	6 0	6 0	5 8	10 0	10 0	12 0
		Rangpur															
	31	Sadar	6 12	6 12	5 12	7 0	7 0	7 14	5 4	5 4	6 8	5 4	5 4	6 12	9 8	9 8	13 0
	32	Nilphamari ...	6 0	5 8	5 12	8 0	7 0	6 5	5 11	5 0	4 8	6 15	5 8	4 8	11 8	11 8	13 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	8 0	8 0	5 4	8 4	8 4	5 8	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 8	12 0	12 0	15 0
		Pabna															
	34	Sadar	7 4	7 2	6 0	7 9	7 8	7 2	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 8	9 12	9 12	12 0
	35	Sirajganj ...	7 1	7 0	...	7 10	7 8	...	6 8	6 12	...	6 0	6 4	...	12 0	12 6	...
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	7 0	6 8	6 12	8 8	7 8	7 4	6 0	7 0	7 8	7 0	7 4	5 12	12 0	12 0	13 0
	37	Haria-Nawabganj	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 4	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	16 0
		Dacca.															
Dacca	38	Sadar	6 8	6 12	5 8	8 0	8 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 4	6 0	6 0	5 0	12 0	11 0	13 8
	39	Munshir Hat ...	7 0	7 0	5 12	7 0	7 0	5 12	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	5 6	10 0	10 0	13 8
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad ...	6 14	7 0	5 4	7 1	7 4	6 0	5 0	5 4	6 6	6 0	5 0	5 13	11 12	11 12	13 8
	41	Netrakona ...	6 6	6 12	6 0	7 0	7 4	6 4	10 0	11 0	8 0	5 13	5 14	5 12	11 4	11 0	13 0†
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	5 8	8 0	5 8	6 8	5 0	12 0	11 4	12 8
	43	Goalando	7 6	7 6	6 6	7 6	8 0	6 13	8 0	8 0	6 13	6 6	6 6	5 5	10 15	10 15	13 5
		Bakarganj															
	44	Barisal ...	7 4	7 8	5 12	9 0	9 0	7 4	9 8	9 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	5 4	12 8	12 8	13 8
	45	Pirojpur	6 12	7 0	...	6 12	7 0	5 4	7 0	7 0	6 8	5 12	5 12	5 0	10 10	10 11	14 0

† Karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the Second-half of October 1916—concld.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice.						Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Tippera.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Chittagong.	46	Comilla	6 6	5 14	4 14	6 14	6 6	5 3	4 9	4 9	4 9	5 5	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	13 0
	47	Chandpur ...	6 8	6 8	5 5	8 12	8 12	5 12	10 0	10 0	5 8	5 0	5 0	5 10	15 0	15 0	15 0
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kallara Hât ...	7 8	7 8	5 4	7 12	7 12	6 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 5	10 8	10 8	14 8†
	49	Feni Hât ...	7 2	6 0	5 0	8 12	7 4	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 9	*	*	...	12 13	12 13	14 5
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 4	13 0	13 0	13 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	8 0	7 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 8	13 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	7 0	6 8	6 8	9 0	7 0	7 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	13 0

* This article is not at present sold here. † Crushed.

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CALCUTTA.

The 13th November 1916.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	7 14 0	7 14 0	8 4 0	6 2 0	6 3 0	7 8 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	..	..		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	
Burdwan	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 10 0	9 4 0	9 4 0	8 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 11 0	2 12 0	3 6 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	6 4 0
Chittagong	.....*	.....	... ..	.. ...	.....	.....	9 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0
Chandpur	.. ..	.....	... ..	....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 2 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 14 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	6 2 0	6 0 0	7 0 0
Narayanganj	... ..	.....	.. ...	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	. ...	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	...	.....	.. ...	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 12 0	5 6 0	5 8 0	6 2 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....
Rangpur	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	7 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	7 0 0

MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	6 4 0	5 13 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	7 4 0	7 0 0	8 4 0	14 0 0	13 0 0	18 0 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	8 2 0	21 0 0	20 0 0	18 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0 to 6 4 0	7 8 0	8 0 0 to 8 8 0	8 0 0 to 8 8 0	8 8 0	30 0 0	28 0 0	14 0 0
Chittagong	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	*	6 4 0	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	6 0 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	7 8 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	10 8 0	11 12 0	13 0 0	.....	.....	... ..
Narayanganj	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 10 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	8 11 0	8 11 0	10 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...
Rangpur	... ...	.....	.....	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....

* No sale.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1916.

WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 6 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Ghetia Hât.
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	6 8 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	4 4 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Raniganj.
5 0 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0	5 12 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	4 12 0	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	6 12 0	Midnapore.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
.....	.....	4 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 12 0	Pabna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	Rangpur.

JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.	
6 8 0	6 0 0	7 4 0	52 0 0	52 0 0	49 0 0	375 0 0	375 0 0	375 0 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Ghetia Hât.
9 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	51 0 0	50 0 0	47 0 0	42 0 0	Per maund. 42 0 0	42 0 0	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Raniganj.
6 12 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	55 0 0 to 58 0 0	55 0 0 to 58 0 0	51 0 0 to 56 0 0	350 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100. 350 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100. 325 0 0	550 0 0 450 0 0	Midnapore.
.....	.....	.....	54 0 0	54 0 0	53 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Chittagong.
7 8 0 to 11 0 0	7 8 0 to 11 0 0	6 0 0 to 8 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	55 0 0	60 0 0	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Dacca.
9 0 0 to 10 0 0	9 0 0 to 10 0 0	7 4 0 to 8 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
7 8 0 to 10 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	6 12 0 to 10 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
7 0 0 to 9 4 0	7 0 0 to 9 4 0	6 12 0 to 8 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
.....	.....	.....	55 0 0	55 0 0	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Pabna.
6 8 0 to 8 8 0	7 0 0 to 9 0 0	5 8 0 to 7 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
10 0 0	10 0 0	7 0 0	55 0 0	56 0 0	54 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	.....	Rangpur.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

MARTS.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSENE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	14 8 0	14 0 0	9 0 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 9 6	2 9 6	2 2 9(a)
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	12 8 0	13 0 0	7 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 4 6(a)
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	2 8 0 to 6 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 10 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	2 2 6(a)
Chittagong	15 0 0	16 0 0	10 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 6 0‡	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 6(b)
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	13 0 0	13 0 0	8 0 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0*	2 12 6	3 0 0	2 5 0(a)
Narayanganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	18 12 0	13 0 0	11 0 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	2 12 0	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 5 0(a) / 2 3 0(c)
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	13 0 0	13 0 0	7 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 8 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | (c) Serpent brand. | * Paugs. | ‡ Crushed.

CALCUTTA.

The 13th November 1916.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1916—concld.

MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).			MARTS.
Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding returns of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding returns of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding returns of last year.	
56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14 0 0	14 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 8 6	.....	.....	.....	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 3	Cheria Hat.
14 8 0	14 0 0	13 12 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 6	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 1 4	0 1 4	0 1 0	Raniganj.
15 0 0 to 15 8 0	15 0 0 to 15 8 0	15 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	.....	.....	.....	Midnapore.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
17 0 0	17 0 0	17 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Pabna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rangpur.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 11th November 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	8	0	5	12	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	6	0	0	6	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5	10	0	5	12	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	14	0	6	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5	12	0	5	14	0	0	2	3	0	2	9
„ medium ...	6	4	0	6	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6	2	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	4	13	3	5	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
(vi) Kajla	4	6	0	4	14	0	.....			.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	6	0	4	10	0	.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	4	0	4	5	0	.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	3	14	0	4	2	0	0	1	3	0	2	0
4. „ dal	4	12	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5	10	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	3	3
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	9	0	3	9
6. Arhar „	4	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
7. Masur „ (split) ...	5	12	0	6	4	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	6	4	0	7	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
8. Kalai „	5	4	0	5	10	0	0	2	0	0	2	9
9. Salt (Liverpool) ...	2	12	0	2	13	0	0	1	4½	0	1	6
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13	4	0	13	12	0	0	5	6	0	6	0
11. Gur (Bheli)	6	4	0	7	8	0	0	3	6	0	4	0
„ (Bhursut) ...	6	8	0	8	8	0	0	2	6	. ...		
12. Milk	10	0	0	12	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
13. Mustard oil	14	4	0	15	0	0	0	6	0	0	8	0
14. Flour (country) ...	5	9	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
15. Ata No. 3	4	6	0	4	8	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ 2½	4	10	0	.....								
„ „ B	6	4	0	6	8	0						
16. Suji	5	14	0	6	12	0	0	2	9	0	3	3
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	59	0	0	60	0	0	1	8	0	1	10	0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	56	0	0	57	0	0	1	6	0	1	7	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	49	0	0	50	0	0	1	2	0	1	5	0
18. Maize	2	12	0	3	0	0	.....			.....		
19. Potato	7	0	0	7	12	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
20. Patal	8	0	0	11	0	0	0	3	6	0	6	0
21. Brinjal	3	8	0	5	0	0	0	2	6	0	4	0
22. Onion	2	12	0	3	6	0	0	1	6	0	2	6
23. Fish, Rahu	18	0	0	28	0	0	0	8	0	0	12	0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	.....		
25. Beef (2nd & 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices recorded daily at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 13th November 1916.*

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 4th November 1916.

Date.	Time when recorded.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height of water above mean sea-level.	Height above zero of gauge on the same date last year.	Remarks.
29th Oct. 1916	At low tide.	60·7	Not connected with mean sea-level.	58·8	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
30th „ „	Ditto	60·5		58·5	
31st „ „	Ditto	60·4		58·2	
1st Nov. „	Ditto	60·2		58·0	
2nd „ „	Ditto	59·9		57·9	
3rd „ „	Ditto	59·7		57·7	
4th „ „	Ditto	59·5		57·9	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	...	70·50 Taken at high tide.
5th Sept.	1909	...	...	67·86 Ditto.
10th August	1910	...	...	69·86 Ditto.
1st „	1911	...	...	68·46 Ditto.
31st „	1912	...	...	67·16 Ditto.
26th „	1914	...	...	66·7 Ditto.
31st „	1915	...	...	69·7 Ditto.
18th „	1916	...	...	68·1 Ditto.
23rd Feb.	1907	...	...	51·06 Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	...	...	51·06 Ditto.
12th March	1912	...	...	51·06 Ditto.
6th „	1914	...	...	50·6 Ditto.
22nd Feb.	1915	...	...	50·3 Ditto.
15th „	1916	...	...	50·6 Ditto.

DACCA,
The 9th November 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 4th November 1916.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero, minus sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 49·00	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
29th Oct. 1916	8 A.M	5·60	54·60	54·00	R. L. of gauge post is 49·00.
30th „ „	8 „	5·40	54·40	53·70	B. M. on College step is 69·74.
31st „ „	8 „	5·20	54·20	53·50	
1st Nov. „	8 „	5·00	54·00	53·20	
2nd „ „	8 „	4·80	53·80	52·90	
3rd „ „	8 „	4·60	53·60	52·60	
4th „ „	8 „	4·40	53·40	52·30	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest „	..	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record ...	...	Highest „	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	...	Lowest „	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do ...	...	Ditto „	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	...	Ditto „	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 4th November 1916.

H. DUTT,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 4th November 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
29th Oct. 1916	7 A.M.	17·0	17·0	16·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
30th „ „	7 „	16·9	16·9	16·1	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a
31st „ „	7 „	16·8	16·8	15·9	pucca pillar between the passenger
1st Nov. „	7 „	16·6	16·6	15·6	ghât and Chandpore ghât.
2nd „ „	7 „	16·4	16·4	15·4	Its reduced level is 22·41.
3rd „ „	7 „	16·3	16·3	15·2	
4th „ „	7 „	16·1	16·1	15·0	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest „ ...	3·4 on 10th February 1915.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest „ ...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto „ ...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto „ ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto „ ...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	Lowest „ ...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	2·42 on 13th March 1908
Do.	Ditto „ ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do	Ditto „ ...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 4th November 1916.

NILMANI DE,
Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 4th November 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 4th November 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 6th November 1915.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	91	19,958	229	205	47,710	481
Jute	276	92,759*	1,318	409	98,195†	1,522
Firewood	45	35,750	544	71	41,150	660
Other articles	814	164,017	1,779	882	189,781	2,477
Total ...	1,226	312,484	3,870	1,567	376,836	5,140
Empty boats and rafts ...	570	...	1,212	641	...	1,085
Grand Total ...	1,796	312,484	5,082	2,208	376,836	6,225

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 100,575
† Ditto ditto 111,350

CALCUTTA,
The 13th November 1916.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 28th October 1916, on 1,639 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. (d)			
Total traffic for the week	680,750	2,96,410 0 0	2,967,240 0	(d) 5,05,990 0 0	22,300 0 0	8,24,700 0 0	99,841	(a) 66,637	166,478
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 431	(b) 187 0 0	1,823 0	309 0 0	(c) 9 0 0	(c) 494 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	2,030,010	9,14,160 0 0	8,381,290 0	13,95,200 0 0	47,580 0 0	23,76,940 0 0	296,826	200,288	499,114
Total for 4 weeks ...	2,710,740	12,10,570 0 0	11,268,530 0	19,01,190 0 0	69,880 0 0	32,01,640 0 0	396,667	266,925	665,592
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	669,040	2,93,900 0 0	2,832,095 0	4,50,851 0 0	19,307 0 0	7,64,058 0 0	101 896	53,691	155,587
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,639 miles)	(b) 423	(b) 186 0 0	1,728 0	275 0 0	7 0 0	461 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	2,607,560	11,50,718 0 0	10,373,251 0	16,00,994 0 0	68,795 0 9	28,00,497 0 0	413,528	244,404	656,932

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 7,910.
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,700
(d) Increase is chiefly due to Jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 28th October 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	58,290	18,060 0 0	173,670 0	12,770 0 0	3,060 0 0	33,890 0 0	7,000	(b) 2,982	9,982
Per mile of railway per week	492	152 0 0	1,457 0	106 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 262 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	175,860	60,330 0 0	422,300 0	33,760 0 0	8,230 0 0	82,920 0 0	21,010	8,025	29,035
Total for 4 weeks ...	233,850	68,390 0 0	594,870 0	36,530 0 0	11,290 0 0	1,16,810 0 0	28,010	10,957	38,967
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	53,070	15,630 0 0	116,813 0	8,133 0 0	2,054 0 0	23,890 0 0	6,686	2,108	8,794
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	456	132 0 0	985 0	69 0 0	1 0 0	185 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	206,105	60,765 0 0	513,402 0	27,662 0 0	8,006 0 0	96,251 0 0	26,778	8,383	35,161

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs 2,800.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 760.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 28th October 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,220	2,600 0 0	37,360 0	3,740 0 0	90 0 0	6,370 0 0	952	(a) 278	1,234
Per mile of railway per week	218	78 0 0	1,128 0	83 0 0	1 0 0	162 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	19,950	7,800 0 0	104,400 0	6,570 0 0	100 0 0	13,970 0 0	2,874	824	3,698
Total for 4 weeks ...	26,170	9,900 0 0	141,760 0	9,310 0 0	130 0 0	19,340 0 0	3,826	1,096	4,922
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,969	1,963 0 0	40,158 0	3,384 0 0	24 0 0	5,371 0 0	913	200	1,113
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	150	59 0 0	1,214 0	102 0 0	1 0 0	162 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	19,950	8,418 0 0	159,237 0	12,800 0 0	98 0 0	21,006 0 0	3,718	1,364	5,080

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 61

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 28th October 1916, on 55·66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	18,180	5,100 0 0	167,370 0	9,810 0 0	30 0 0	14,940 0 0	1,722	(a) 1,733	3,455
Per mile of railway per week	339	95 0 0	3,119 0	182 0 0	1 0 0	278 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	50,750	14,110 0 0	467,710 0	23,470 0 0	110 0 0	37,690 0 0	5,124	4,318	9,442
Total for 4 weeks ...	68,930	19,210 0 0	635,080 0	33,280 0 0	140 0 0	52,630 0 0	6,846	6,051	12,897
Total for the 17 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	369,189	77,397 0 0	2,646,462 0	1,36,416 0 0	582 0 0	2,04,375 0 0	31,219	23,208	54,427
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	19,724	5,544 0 0	94,581 0	5,417 0 0	35 0 0	10,996 0 0	1,992	897	2,889
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (55·66 miles)	368	103 0 0	1,763 0	101 0 0	1 0 0	205 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	77,713	22,564 0 0	452,480 0	22,236 0 0	144 0 0	44,934 0 0	9,106	4,221	13,327
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	284 004	84,861 0 0	1,781,657 0	87,968 0 0	592 0 0	1,73,421 0 0	34,300	16,651	50,951

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 100. (b) Audited figures to end of August 1916

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 28th October 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	9,770	3,020 0 0	44,970 0	2,540 0 0	30 0 0	5,590 0 0	1,428	(a)780	2,208
Per mile of railway per week	195	60 0 0	895 0	50 0 0	1 0 0	111 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	31,960	9,210 0 0	138,270 0	13,830 0 0	40 0 0	23,100 0 0	4,284	2,260	6,544
Total for 4 weeks ...	41,750	12,230 0 0	233,240 0	16,390 0 0	70 0 0	28,690 0 0	5,712	3,040	8,752
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	3 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (23 miles)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	25 0 0	45 0 0	70 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Ballast train miles, *nil*.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 28th October 1916, on 2,537·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	596,756	5,34,773 0 0	9 216,706 0	15,16,515 0 0	27,750 0 0	20,69,048 0 0	177,390	331,157	508,547
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	207 10 1	.....	600 0 5	10 15 8	818 10 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year ...	2,024,095	16,09,713 0 0	25,296,631 0	41,90,346 0 0	34,250 0 0	60,34,309 0 0	538,176	995,607	1,533,783
Total from 1st October ...	2,620,841	22,34 486 0 0	34,613,337 0	57,06,761 0 0	62,000 0 0	81,03,247 0 0	715,566	1,326,764	2,042,330
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	613,371	5,53,241 0 0	7,803,989 0	13,89,234 0 0	58,650 0 0	19,01,125 0 0	192,371	254,996	447,367
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	218 15 2	.....	510 3 7	23 3 4	752 6 1	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	2,891,049	22,67,074 0 0	31,596,893 0	50,80,707 0 0	2,21,875 0 0	75,49 656 0 0	725,715	1,074,984	1,800,699

(a) The increase is in coal.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,527·42	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	701,047	6,36,743	7,563,707	12,86,337	19,750	19,24,830	761	515,617	3 11 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	687,132	5,96,330	8,231,776	13,39,019	7,750	19,42,099	768	499,879	3 14 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	635,906	5,76,650	9,601,146	15,55,890	6,750	21,69,790	858	519,387	4 3 10
2,527·42	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	596,756	5,24,778	9,236,706	15,16,615	27,750	23,69,043	819	508,547	4 1 1
	Totals up to date ...	2,620,841	23,34,456	34,633,337	57,06,761	62 000	81,03,347	802	2,043,330	3 15 6

*Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 19'6-17 in comparison with 1915-16—*concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No	Rate Rs A. P
2,526·81	First 9 days of Oct. ...	836,023	7,48,935	11,564,913	18,56,027	60 845	26,67,810	821	591,965	4 8 1
2,526·81	Week ended 16th ,, ...	688,689	6,02,563	8,210,219	13,05,567	54,023	18,61,953	776	476,899	4 1 11
2,526·81	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	634,798	5,37,198	6,475,667	10,53,966	50,963	16,42,007	650	416,616	3 15 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	613,271	5,33,241	7,805,986	12,89,236	54,850	19 01,125	752	447,367	4 4 0
	Totals up to date ...	2,777,561	24,31,937	34,156,904	55,06,474	2,34,484	81,72,895	755	1,933,347	4 3 6

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 28th October 1916, on 191·64 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	35,647	34,926 0 0	542,067 0	44,940 0 0	250 0 0	80,056 0 0	10 991	9,847	20,838
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	182 4 0	.....	234 1 4	1 4 10	417 10 2	.....	.....	.....
Per previous 3 weeks of half-year	129,360	1,07,374 0 0	1,340,889 0	1,10,705 0 0	750 0 0	2,18,829 0 0	33,836	28,167	61,993
Total from 1st Oct. ...	165,347	1,42,300 0 0	1,882,946 0	1,55,645 0 0	1,000 0 0	2,98,885 0 0	44,817	37,714	82,531
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	40,062	35,853 0 0	440,612 0	41,488 0 0	251 0 0	77,542 0 0	12 080	8,765	20,845
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	187 1 6	.....	216 8 8	1 5 0	404 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	164,913	1,44 472 0 0	1,527,965 0	1,39 286 0 0	1,004 0 0	2,84,762 0 0	48,019	33 487	81,506

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage	
		No. of passengers.	Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,589	35,121	469,795	80,985	250	64,359	346	19,585	3 5 3
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	45,764	36,969	547,651	37,740	250	74,959	391	21,345	3 8 4
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	42,908	35,384	453,413	41,980	250	77,518	405	21,140	3 10 8
191 64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,087	36,926	542,087	44,930	250	80,056	418	20,838	3 14 4
	Totals up to date ...	165,347	1,42 300	2,082,946	1,55,645	1,000	2,98 865	390	82 831	3 9 11

*Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—*concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No	Rate Rs. A. P.
191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	52,764	44,612	499,604	45,266	336	90,203	366	20,736	3 8 1
191·64	Week ended 16th ,, ...	50,193	37,578	370,660	33,515	251	71,309	372	19,903	3 9 4
191·64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	43,662	34,962	328,372	29,163	251	64,316	336	20,745	3 1 7
191·64	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	40,063	36,858	440,612	41,488	251	77,542	405	20,844	3 11 6
	Totals up to date ...	175,682	153,010	1,638,348	1,49,384	1,089	3,03,352	369	82,232	3 7 8

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 28th October 1916, on (a) 800 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and on additional 22 miles for goods traffic only

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam boat	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	94,000	53,000 0 0	467,000 0	84,000 0 0	13,000 0 0	1,49,000 0 0	16,656	20,941	37,597
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	66·25	.....	105·19	16·60	183·04	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	268,000	1,57,000 0 0	1,284 000 0	2,15,000 0 0	26,000 0 0	3,98,000 0 0	49,731	55,932	105,663
Total for 4 weeks ...	362,000	2,10,000 0 0	1,751,0 0 0	2,99,000 0 0	39,000 0 0	5,47,000 0 0	66,387	76,873	143,260
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals...	101 039	36,382 0 0	445,059 0	70,206 0 0	13,487 0 0	1,39,025 0 0	15,822	19,339	35 151
Per mile of railway (b) ...	.....	72·38	.....	88·98	16·76	177·12	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	391,586	2 15,813 0 0	1,679,663 0	2,60,825 0 0	50,890 0 0	5,05 528 0 0	63,036	73,903	136,938

(a) Excludes 44 miles from Harsanga Jn. to Maibang on the Hill Section under reconstruction.
(b) Calculated on 789 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts

Receipts for week ending 28th October 1916.			Receipts for week ending 28th October 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 28th October 1916.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 28th October 1916	Total increase in 1916-17.	Total decrease in 1916-17.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts		
	Rs	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Rs.
822	1,49,000	183 04	789	1,39,025	177·12	39,21,635	38 54,815	66,820	.....

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 28th October 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,864	18,466 0 0	34,785 0	13,625 0 0	121 0 0	32,212 0 0	2,926	2,810	5,636
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	362 0 0	.....	267 0 0	2 6 0	632 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of the half-year ...	20,074	51,306 0 0	89,293 0	42,627 0 0	670 0 0	94,613 0 0	8,687	9,761	18,438
Total traffic up to 28th October 1916	26,938	69,672 0 0	1,24,066 0	56,252 0 0	791 0 0	1,26,725 0 0	11,453	12,591	24,074
(28 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	341 0 0	.....	276 0 0	4 0 0	621 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,839	16,071 0 0	33,975 0	16,735 0 0	174 0 0	32,980 0 0	2,100	4,129	6,229
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	315 0 0	.....	328 0 0	4 0 0	647 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	23,319	66,450 0 0	1,31 900 0	63,385 0 0	797 0 0	1,30,632 0 0	8,400	16,516	24,916
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	326 0 0	.....	310 0 0	4 0 0	640 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTE :—Difference for the week...		+ 2,596		— 3,110	— 51	— 768			
Difference up to date ...		+ 3,272		— 7,133	— 6	— 3,907			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Troops, Military baggage, and Parcels traffic.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Rice, Tea and Building Materials. The Potato traffic shows an improvement.
The earning of the first month of this half-year shows a little falling off from 1915.
The decrease is mainly under Rice, Iron and Tea.
As the traffic continues good it is expected that the estimated earnings for the half-year Rs. 5,60,000 will be fully realised.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 28th October 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.				Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.	Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,590	2,147 0 0	22,860 0	2,078 0 0	22 0 0	4,247 0 0	1,012	806	1,820
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	31 0 0	.....	30 0 0	.....	61 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of the half-year	21,517	6,832 0 0	55,720 0	4,495 0 0	56 0 0	11,373 0 0	2,998	2,466	5,460
Total traffic up to 28th October 1916	28,107	8 979 0 0	78,080 0	6,563 0 0	78 0 0	15,620 0 0	4,004	3,276	7,280
(28 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	32 0 0	.....	24 0 0	.....	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,734	1,636 0 0	25,187 0	1,963 0 0	39 0 0	3,670 0 0	310	939	1,249
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	23 0 0	.....	28 0 0	1 0 0	52 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	17,736	6,896 0 0	1,00,748 0	7,717 0 0	155 0 0	14,768 0 0	1,240	3,756	4,996
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	25 0 0	.....	27 0 0	1 0	53 0 0	.....	.....	.....

Notes:—Difference for the week + 509 + 85 — 17 + 577
Difference up to date + 2,183 — 1,154 — 77 + 853

The increase during the week in Coaching traffic is mainly in Local Passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods traffic is trifling.
The traffic during the first month of this half-year is not as good as it was expected to be. The Jute traffic is improving
It is expected that the earnings for this half-year will reach the estimated figure of Rs. 1,25,000.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 28th October 1916, on 30 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	541	485 0 0	4,967 0	1,008 0 0	11 0 0	1,504 0 0	198	342	540
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	16 0 0	.....	34 0 0	.....	50 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of the half-year	913	971 0 0	7,071 0	1,296 0 0	8 0 0	2,275 0 0	239	375	614
Total traffic up to 28th October 1916	1,454	1,456 0 0	12,038 0	2,304 0 0	19 0 0	3,779 0 0	537	617	1,154
(28 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.. ...	12 0 0	.....	19 0 0	.....	31 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	573	366 0 0	3,784 0	685 0 0	3 0 0	1,054 0 0	156	315	420
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	12 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	35 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	2,000	1,220 0 0	10,636 0	2,284 0 0	8 0 0	3,513 0 0	420	1,260	1,680
Or per week per mile of railway	... .	10 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	30 0 0	...	.....	.....

Notes—Difference for the week + 119 + 323 + 6 + 450
Difference up to date + 236 — 80 + 10 + 166

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Foreign Passengers and Luggage traffic.
The increase during the week in Goods is in public coal wool and cardamoms.
Notwithstanding the stoppage of bookings from 1st to 17th of this month on account of breaches on this Extension, there is every indication that the Traffic Earnings for this half-year will reach the estimated amount of Rs. 75,000.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 28th October 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	7,038	1,762 0 0	114,516 0	15,017 0 0	(a)784 0 0	17,563 0 0	514	(d)975	1,489
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	48 0 0	...	413 0 0	14 0 0	(c) 475 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year.*	21,295	5,629	194,916 0	30,965 0 0	815 0 0	37,409 0 0	1,222	2,547	3,769
Total for 4 weeks ...	28,333	7,391 0 0	309,432 0	45,982 0 0	1,599 0 0	54,972 0 0	1,736	3,522	5,258
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	6,559	2,102 0 0	98,543 0	11,661 0 0	(b)725 0 0	14,491 0 0	430	(c)954	1,384
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	58 0 0	...	320 0 0	12 0 0	(c) 398 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	26,473	7,652 0 0	349,527 0	40,042 0 0	1,723 0 0	49,417 0 0	1,612	3,377	4,989

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 267.
(b) Ditto 1915, Rs. 290.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 200.
(e) Ditto 1915, nil.

* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 28th October 1916, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week...	16,584	5,227 0 0	148,624 0	21,025 0 0	1,024 0 0	27,276 0 0	1,812	3,905	5,717
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	44 0 0	.....	180 0 0	9 0 0	233 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year *	52,889	15,909 0 0	311,451 0	46,450 0 0	82 0 0	62,441 0 0	5,734	9,150	14,884
Total for 4 weeks ...	69,223	21,136 0 0	460,075 0	67,475 0 0	1,106 0 0	89,717 0 0	7,546	13,055	20,601
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	15,956	5,380 0 0	151,109 0	24,151 0 0	88 0 0	29,619 0 0	1,408	(b)2,376	4,784
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	46 0 0	.....	206 0 0	1 0 0	253 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	56,570	20,142 0 0	518,212 0	78,306 0 0	115 0 0	98,563 0 0	5 7 8	12,450	18,188

(a) Ballast train-miles, 648.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, nil.

* Includes audited earnings for the month of

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 28th October 1916, on 2,067 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise, &c.	Total.
Total traffic for the week on 2,067 miles open ...	390,330	Rs. (a)1,47,070	Mds. 928,230	Rs. (b)1,57,490	Rs. 20,740	Rs. 3,25,300	61,782	(c)47,314	109,096
Or per mile of railway ...	188·84	71·15	449·07	76·19	10·04	157·38			
For previous 3 weeks of official half-year ...	1,325,780	4,75,660	2,793,040	4,22,990	61,880	9,60,430	183,683	1,29,396	313,079
Total for 4 weeks ...	1,716,110	6,22,730	3,721,270	5,80,380	82,620	12,85,730	245,464	1,76,610	422,074
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,044 miles open	418 330	1,68,763	896,303	1,45,774	20,189	3,34,726	63 414	(d)45 467	108,881
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	204·76	82·56	438·50	71·32	9·88	163·76	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	1,625,748	6,16,150	3,269,986	5,06,333	77,317	11,98,700	250,442	172,392	422,83
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		2·38		2·54	·19	5·06			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		2·66		3·21	·19	5·07			

(a) General decrease.
(b) Increase mainly under foreign traffic; local traffic decreased.
(c) Includes 2,552 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 6,151 miles of ballast trains.

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EXTRAORDINARY.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 14th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 14th November 1916.

No. 1-W.-II.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

1. After rule 11C the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"11D. (1) Where in the opinion of the Governor General in Council the output of any mine can be utilised in connection with the present war the Governor General in Council or any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf may, by order in writing, require the owner or any person in charge of such mine to place at the disposal of the Governor General in Council at such time and place as may be specified in the order the whole or any part which may be specified in the order of such output and the Governor General in Council may dispose of and use such output in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient.

Power to requisition output of mine

(2) Where in accordance with an order made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1) the output of any mine has been placed at the disposal of the Governor General in Council, the Governor General in Council

shall pay to the owner of such output such compensation for any loss immediately attributable to such order and for any services rendered or expenses incurred in complying therewith as in default of agreement may be decided to be just and reasonable, having regard to the circumstances of the case, by the arbitration of a person having knowledge of the particular class of mineral of which such output consists and of the trade therein to be nominated in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, and such decision shall be final.

(3) If the owner or any other person in charge of any mine disobeys or neglects to comply with any order made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1) such owner or other person shall be deemed to have contravened these rules and the authority making the order may forthwith take possession of the output specified in the order and may dispose of and use the same in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient."

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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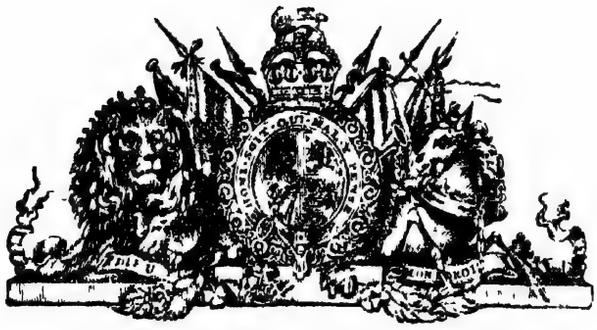

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EXTRAORDINARY.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 13th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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ORDINANCE

To amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment Act, 1916).

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916; IX of 1916

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, 5 & 6 Geo. V, c. 61 the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:—

ORDINANCE No. VI OF 1916.

1. This Ordinance may be called the Indian Paper Currency (Further Amendment) Ordinance, 1916. Short title

2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916, shall be construed as if for the words "sixty millions" the words "one hundred and eighty millions" were substituted. IX of 1916

Amendment of section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916

CHELMSFORD,

Viceroy and Governor General.

JAIPUR,

The 11th November, 1916.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secy. to the Govt. of India

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8365A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4032A.D.—The 11th November 1916.*—Mr. S. E. Stinton, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, on leave, is appointed to be Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 8241A.—The 14th November 1916.—Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Rajshahi district.

Rajshahi.

Dacca. *No. 8274A.—The 16th November 1916.*—Babu Upendra Chandra Dutt, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the Narayanganj subdivision of that district.

Nadia. *No. 8335A.—The 20th November 1916.*—Babu Surendra Mohan Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Ranaghat subdivision of the Nadia district.

Nadia. Tippera. *No. 8339A.—The 20th November 1916.*—Babu Nirod Krishna Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranaghat, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Tippera district.

Midnapore. *No. 8345A.—The 20th November 1916.*—The orders of the 25th October 1916, posting Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district, are cancelled.

Hooghly. Bakarganj. POLICE.—*No. 8280A.—The 16th November 1916.*—Mr. W. S. C. Macpherson, Officiatin Superintendent of Police, Hooghly, is appointed to act as Additional Superintendent of Police, Bakarganj, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. L. H. Stein, or until further orders, and, under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Calcutta. ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 8249A.—The 15th November 1916.*—The Hon'ble Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., I.C.S., is appointed to be President of the Committee of Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan, I.C.S., resigned.

Calcutta. 24-Parganas. JAILS.—*No. 8268A.—The 16th November 1916.*—Mr. C. R. Battersby, Deputy Superintendent, Government Printing, Bengal, is appointed to act as Deputy Superintendent of the Central Jail, Alipore, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. Gray, or until further orders.

LEAVE.

Tippera. GENERAL.—*No. 8287A.—The 16th November 1916.*—Babu Surendra Mohan Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tippera, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 29th September 1916.

No. 8310A.—The 17th November 1916.—Mr. E. M. Mannooch, I.C.S., has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough for three and half months.

No. 8343A.—The 20th November 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th November 1916.

Calcutta. POLICE.—*No. 8252A.—The 15th November 1916.*—Mr. Shiv Charan Das Mehta, Depnty Superintendent of Police, Intelligence Branch, Bengal Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th October 1916.

Bakarganj. *No. 8277A.—The 16th November 1916.*—Mr. G. L. H. Stein, Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Bakarganj, is allowed leave for one month and four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th November 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

JAILS.—*No. 8266A.—The 16th November 1916.*—Mr. J. Gray, Deputy Superintendent of the Central Jail, Alipore, is allowed combined leave for twelve months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st December 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

24-Parganas.

RESIGNATION.

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 8246A.—The 15th November 1916.*—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by the Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan, I.C.S., of his appointment as President of the Committee of Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

The following order is republished from the *Assam Gazette*, dated the 25th October 1916.

No. 6566J.—The 23rd October 1916.—The services of Mr. F. J. Jeffries, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Sylhet and Cachar, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 2nd March 1916.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9185L.R.—The 21st November 1916.—Khan Bahadur Ataur Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-three days with effect from the 1st December 1916.

Rajshahi.

No. 9205L.R.—The 21st November 1916.—Babu Chandra Kumar Sen Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector and Khas Tahsildar of Raojan, Chittagong, on leave, is appointed to be in charge of the Alipur Tahsil, Jalpaiguri, with effect from the date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Chittagong. Jalpaiguri.

No. 9210L.R.—The 21st November 1916.—Babu Uma Charan Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Khas Tahsildar, Chittagong Sadar, is appointed to be Khas Tahsildar of Patiya in the same district.

Chittagong.

No. 9214L.R.—The 21st November 1916.—Mr. Akshay Kumar Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong Sadar, is appointed to be Khas Tahsildar, Chittagong Sadar.

Chittagong.

No. 9083L.A.—The 17th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land, being part of premises No. 26 (1), Sahanagar Lane, and measuring, more or less, 8 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 4791L.A., dated the 12th January 1916, published at pages 97-98, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, and required for improving and widening the junction of Sahanagar Road and Sahanagar Lane, in village Sahanagar, pargana Dihi Panchannogram, district 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

Calcutta.

No. 9086L.A.—The 17th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48(*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 chitaks and 40 square feet of standard measurement, being the portion of premises No. 2, Bhowani Charan Dutta Lane, which was covered by Declaration No. 139L.A., dated the 4th January 1916, published at pages 4 and 5, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th January 1916 and was required for Scheme No. VIIA of the Calcutta Improvement Trust.

Calcutta.
24-Parganas.

No. 9156L.A.—The 20th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48(1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 4 chitaks and 35 square feet of standard measurement, being the premises noted below which were covered by Declaration No. 1827L.A., dated the 16th February 1915, published at pages 267-268, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem and were required by the Calcutta Improvement Trust for Scheme No. V in Wards Nos. XXI and XXII of the Calcutta Municipality:—

No. of premise.			Area.		
			CH.	S.	FT.
17	Roy Street (portion)	...	... 2		20
18	ditto (do.)	...	... 2		15

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 9039L.A.—The 16th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Kalna Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a play ground and a park on the station road-side in front of Jhapantola outpost, in the village of Syamganj Syambagh or Ambika, pargana Ambika, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas and 17 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·9255 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the waste land of Debendra Nath Mullik and others,

East—By the waste land of Debendra Nath Mullik and by a mango garden of Monimohun Toboshi, Rohit Kumari Debi and Shoroshi Das Bhattacharjya,

South—By the Dompara Municipal kutcha road,

West—By the station road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Syamganj Syambagh or Ambika.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Kalna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bakarganj.

No. 9046L.A.—The 16th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Barisal Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the trenching ground in the village of Kaunia, pargana Chandradwip, zilla Bakarganj, it is

hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the trenching ground, the land of Mahamad Sirdar, and the remaining portion of settlement plot No. 387,

East—By the drain to the west of the trenching ground road,

South—By Golam Husain's land and the remaining land of Mahamadjan in plot No. 656,

West—By Mahamad Sirdar's land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kaunia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bakarganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 9114L.A.—The 17th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a joint siding being laid to the oil depôts of the Burma Oil Co., Ld., and the Indo-Burma Petroleum Co., Ld., in the village of Patenga, thana Kotwali, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9·2172 acres, bounded on the—

North and South—By Makbul Ali's land,

East—By Burma Oil Co.'s land,

West—By the Kaonia khal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Patenga.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

Rajshahi.

No. 9029L.A.—The 16th November 1916.—In line 6 of Declaration No. 10227L.A., dated the 3rd November 1914, published at page 1989, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required for the construction of Sara-Serajganj Railway, in the district of Rajshahi, *for* the parganas "Dakshinjoar, Bajurash Mahabatpur and Khatta" *read* "Dakhinjoar and Tappe Chapila, Bajurash Mahabatpur, Khatta and Islampur."

Pabna.

No. 9032L.A.—The 16th November 1916.—In lines 5 and 29 of Declaration No. 7634L.A., dated the 8th August 1914, published at page 1540, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, in respect of the land required for a brickfield and its siding at mile 166-167, *for* the villages of "Karamsuti and Koilgati" *read* "Kurmosootee (locally called Karnasuti) and Koaleegatee (locally called Koaligánti)".

Pabna.

No. 9035L.A.—The 16th November 1916.—In lines 5 and 19 of Declaration No. 1116L.A., dated the 29th January 1914, published at page 213, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required for a brickfield at Serajganj in connection with the Sara-Serajganj Railway in the district of Pabna *for* "village of Chandalbaira" *read* "villages of Chandalbaira and Bangalpara."

No. 9143L.R.—The 18th November 1916.—In lines 2-3 of Government Notification No. 1566T.R., dated the 22nd September 1916, published at page 1829, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th October 1916, appointing Maulvi Ali Azam, Sub-Deputy Collector, to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, *for* the words "now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer" *read* "in charge of Butwara work".

Noakhali and Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 9098Regn.—The 17th November 1916.—Babu Nripendra Krishna Ray' Probationer of Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted leave on medical certificate, under rule 1 to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the date on which he avails himself of it.

24-Parganas

No 9110Regn.—The 17th November 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Qumar-uz-Zaman, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Gushkara, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the 12th October 1916, until further orders.

Burdwan.

No. 9112Regn.—The 17th November 1916.—Babu Nalini Kanta Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, grade V. is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Palong, in the district of Faridpur, with effect from the 12th October 1916, during the absence on leave, of Babu Mukunda Lal Gangali, or until further orders.

Faridpur.

No. 9162Regn.—The 20th November 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Habiluddin, Probationer of Howrah, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Raona, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the 3rd November 1916, until further orders.

Howrah. Burdwan.

No. 9164Regn.—The 20th November 1916.—Maulvi 'Abdur Rahim (No. II), Sub-Registrar of Koterhat in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Adhunagar in the same district.

Chittagong.

No. 9166Regn.—The 20th November 1916.—Maulvi Ayub Ali Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Adhunagar, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Koterhat in the same district.

Chittagong.

No. 9191Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Chakrabatti, Sadar Fourth Joint Sub-Registrar of Mymensingh, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 329T.R., dated the 15th May 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 9193Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Babu Shashi Bhusan Datta, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the date on which he avails himself of it.

No. 9195Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Babu Ramani Mohan Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 7850Regn., dated the 21st September 1916.

Dinajpur.

No. 9197Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Maulvi Khondkar Abdul Bari, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, with effect from the afternoon of the 17th October 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ramani Mohan Mazumdar, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

No. 9199Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Babu Manmatha Krishna Ray, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the afternoon of the 31st October 1916.

No. 9201Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Maulvi Habibur Rahman, Probationer of Noakhali, while officiating as Sub-Registrar of Amua, in the district of Bakarganj, was on medical leave, under rule 1 to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the afternoon of the 28th July 1916 to the 13th August 1916.

Noakhali. Bakarganj.

No. 9203Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Masud, Sub-Registrar of Fulgazi, in the district of Noakhali, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six months, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 784T.R., dated the 27th May 1916.

Noakhali.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 225Eccle.—The 17th November 1916.—The Revd. John Godber, Bishop's Chaplain, is appointed to be Junior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 4th November 1916 or from any subsequent date on which he took over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

No. 227Eccle.—The 18th November 1916.—The services of the Revd. A. C. Ridsdale, Chaplain of Darjeeling, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bihar and Orissa, with effect from the 8th November 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

Darjeeling.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON STEGOMYIA ENQUIRY IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

SANITATION.

CALCUTTA, THE 21ST NOVEMBER 1916.

RESOLUTION—No. 703San.

THE question of the measures to be taken to prevent the introduction of yellow fever into the Port of Calcutta through the medium of the stegomyia mosquito in consequence of the opening of the Panama Canal has recently

been under the consideration of Government. The Government of Bengal are advised that an essential preliminary to any scheme of anti-stegomyia work is to secure effective sanitary organization in the Port area At present there are a number of independent authorities having sanitary jurisdiction in the Port area, whereas it appears desirable that measures for the reduction of the stegomyia mosquito should be under the supervision of one controlling authority. It also appears that the legal powers of these bodies in respect of sanitation are insufficient for the measures required for an anti-stegomyia campaign.

In these circumstances the Governor in Council has decided, on the recommendation of the Sanitary Commissioner, to convene a conference representing the different bodies concerned to consider the measures necessary to establish homogeneous sanitary control throughout the Port area, with special reference to the action which should be taken to ensure the security of the Port from yellow fever. The conference will be constituted as follows :—

Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., I.C.S.	*Chairman.*
The Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal ...	*Members.*
The Vice-Chairman, Port Commissioners ...	
The Chairman or a representative of the Calcutta Corporation.	
The Chairman or a representative of the Howrah Municipality.	
The Chairman or a representative of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality.	
The Chairman or a representative of the Garden Reach Municipality.	
The Chairman or a representative of the Budge-Budge Municipality.	
The Health Officer of the Calcutta Corporation ...	
The Port Health Officer	
The Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal	*Secretary.*

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2386S.R.—The 20th November 1916.—Babu Jatindra Kumar Biswas, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Incometax, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Mymensingh and, under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Mymensingh.

No. 2390 S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1914-15, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 5th December 1916, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 820 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 29th November 1915, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes* except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 1,800 to Rs. 2,500 per chest from 1st July 1916 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 981S.R., dated the 29th April 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 20th December 1916, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 11th December 1916, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 20th December 1916.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 21st November 1916.*

Calcutta.

No. 4910Emi.—The 16th November 1916.—Under sub-section (*2*) of section 10 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1908 (XVII of 1908), the Governor in Council approves the resumption by Mr. R. P. Gibbes of the office of the Emigration Agent at Calcutta for British Guiana, Trinidad, Jamaica, Fiji and Mauritius, with effect from the 6th November 1916.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 4905Com.—The 15th November 1916.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government, under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz., for such portion of the Jatimatook siding of the East Indian Railway which takes off the main line at mile 124 feet 2,630 as lies between chain 2·84 and chain 40·00 and as is edged with pink on the plan L. A. M. A. No. 316 and whereas coal mines are situate under the said land, and whereas Kumar Promothanath Malia has given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the seam known as the Jamehari seam, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (*1*) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Kumar Promothanath Malia has agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for his siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (*2*), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act, XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Kumar Promothanath Malia in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.:—

(*a*) No gallery shall be driven and no coal shall be extracted where the distance from the natural surface of the ground to the top of the gallery, if driven, is under 50 feet.

(*b*) Where the distance between the natural surface and the top of the gallery, if driven, is 50 feet or more, galleries, not more than 12 feet wide by 12 feet high, leaving not less than 3 feet of roof coal may be driven at distances apart not less than 52 feet, centre to centre, forming pillars not less than 40 feet square, to be left unworked for the support of the acquired land.

(*c*) Manholes not exceeding 6 feet in height by 3 feet in width by 4 feet in depth may be made where required by any rule made under the Indian Mines Act, 1901.

(*d*) Any inrush of water, quicksand or soft material shall be reported to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India without delay.

(*e*) These restrictions apply to the Jamehari seam only and to the area edged with pink upon the plan, and Kumar Promothanath Malia shall give notice under section IV of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of his intention to work any other seam under this area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land,

and that in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L. A. M. A. No. 316 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8366A.

POWERS.

No. 8282A.—The 16th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct Maulvi Abdul Halim Chaudhuri, Probationary Deputy Magistrate, Noakhali, to take down evidence in the English language.

Noakhali.

No. 8313A.—The 17th November 1916.—Babu Bimal Chandra Sinha, Deputy Magistrate, Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Howrah.

No. 8345A.—The 20th November 1916.—The orders of the 25th October 1916, vesting Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Magistrate, with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, are cancelled.

No. 8358A.—The 21st November 1916.—Babu Adwaita Charan Samanta, Deputy Magistrate, under orders of transfer to Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Dacca.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3420J.—The 18th November 1916.—Babu Dhirendra Nath Guha, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Bankura, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Subodh Kumar Bhattacharji, or until further orders.

Bankura.

No. 3423J.—The 18th November 1916.—Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Khulna, to be ordinarily stationed at the sadar station, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Parada Kinkar Mukharji.

Khulna.

No. 3425J.—The 18th November 1916.—Babu Malati Nath Basu, Munsif of Chikandi, now employed at Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Bhanga.

Faridpur.

No. 3427J.—The 18th November 1916.—Babu Upendra Nath Chatarji, Officiating Munsif, Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to act until further orders, as a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Chikandi, but for the present to be employed at Madaripur.

Faridpur.

No. 3462J.—The 20th November 1916.—The orders of the 14th November 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, appointing Babu Banku Bihari Chatarji to act as a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Thakurgaon, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Thakur Das Banarji, or until further orders, are hereby cancelled.

Dinajpur.

No. 3464J.—The 20th November 1916.—Babu Tej Chandra Mukharji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Thakurgaon, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Thakur Das Banarji, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

LEAVE.

No. 3493J.—The 14th November 1916.—Babu Parada Kinkar Mukharji, Munsif of Khulna, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th November 1916.

Khulna.

No. 3494J.—The 17th November 1916.—Babu Thakur Das Banarji, Munsif of Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th November 1916.

Dinajpur.

RESIGNATION.

No. 3491J.—The 21st November 1916.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Sailendra Krishna Deb of his appointment as a Presidency Magistrate for the town of Calcutta.

Calcutta.

POWERS.

No. 3489J.—The 21st November 1916.—Mr. J. C. H. Macnair, I.C.S., Additional District Judge, Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of the Court under section 3, clause *(d)*, of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

Bakarganj.

No. 3495J.—The 21st November 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Khaliq, Munsif of Hooghly, is vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section *(1)* of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 12854P.—The 18th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section *(4)* of section 2 of the Police Act, 1888 (III of 1888), and in supersession of Bengal Government Notification No. 2369P., dated the 27th March 1911, and Eastern Bengal and Assam Government Notification No. 279Pl., dated the 3rd February 1911, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower every Circle Inspector and Station Sub-Inspector of the general police district created by Home Department Notfiication No. 246, dated the 6th April 1916, to exercise the powers of an officer in charge of a police-station throughout the local limits of any police-station in the province of Bengal or Assam or Behar and Orissa where any portion of such limits is traversed by the section of the railway line over which he has authority.

No. 12855P.—The 18th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*l*) (*s*) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, so far as they relate to the railway stations mentioned in this notification, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the railway police-stations mentioned in column 1 of the following table shall be police-stations within the meaning of that clause and shall include the areas and railway stations respectively mentioned in columns 2 and 3 :—

Police-station.	Areas according to mileage of Railway.	Railway stations within the jurisdiction of police-station.
1	2	3
	Miles from Sara—	
Nator ...	0 to 6¾	Saraghat to Gopalpur.
	0 to 3	Saraghat to Ishurdi *vid* C. Belhatt.
	1 to 3	C. Belhatt to Paksey Goods Office.
	Miles from Calcutta—	
	120 to 168¾	Paksey. Ishurdi Gopalpur. Abdulpur. Malanchi. Nator. Basudebpur. Madhnagar. Atrai. Raninagar.
Santahar ...	168¾ to 173	Santahar Junction. Tilakpur. Akkelpur.
	Miles from Santahar—	
	0 to 34¼	Jamalganj. Jaypur Hât. Panchbibi. Hili. Santahar transhipment yard.
	0 to 42¾	Adamdighi. Nasarntpur. Talora. Kahaloo. Bogra. Gabtali. Sukanpukur. Sonatola.
Parbatipur ...	34¼ to 66 (Northern Section.)	Chorkai. Phulbari. Bhowanipur. Parbatipur
	Miles from Parbatipur—	
	0 to 8¾ (Behar Section.)	Parbatipur to Manmathapur.
	0 to 5 (Assam Line.)	Parbatipur to Kholahati.
	Miles from Santahar—	
Saidpur ...	66 to 107¼	Saidpur. Daroani. Nilphamari. Domar. Chilhati.

Police-station.	Areas according to mileage of Railway.	Railway stations within the jurisdiction of police-station.
1	2	3
	Miles from Santahar—	
Siliguri ...	107¼ to 144¼	Haldibari. Mandal Ghat. Jalpaiguri. Belakoba. Siliguri.
	Miles from Parbatipur—	
Dinajpur ...	8¼ to 56¾	Chirir Bandar. Kaugaon. Dinajpur. Biral. Radhikapur. Dalimgaon. Kaliyaganj. Bangalbaree. Rayganj.
Lalmanirhat ... (E. B. Railway).	5 to 42¼ ¾ mile towards Annadanagar up to distant signal of Kaunia on Santahar Section.	Badarganj. Shampur. Rangpur. Bhutsara. Kaunia Junction. Teesta Junction. Mohendranagar. Lalmanirhat.
	Miles from Lalmanirhat Junction— 0 to 7	Mogalhat.
	Miles from Teesta Junction— 0 to 16 (Kurigram Branch.)	Singherdabri Hât. Rajar Hât. Tograi Hât. Kurigram.
	Miles from Santahar—	
Bonarpara ...	42¾ to 96¼	Mahimaganj. Bonarpara Junction. Badiakhali Road. Trimohini. Gaibanda. Kamarpara. Naldanga. Bamandanga. Chowdhurani. Pirgacha. Annadanagar.
	Miles from Bonarpara— 0 to 8¾ (Fulchari Branch).	Bharatkhali. Fulchari. Teestamukhghat. Ferry service between Teestamukhghat and Bahadurabad.
Golakganj ...	7 to 49¾ (Assam Line.)	Gitaldaha. Baman Hât. Bhurangamari. Pateswari. Sonahat. Golakganj Junction. Basbari.

Police-station.	Areas according to mileage of Railway.	Railway stations within the jurisdiction of police-station.
1	2	3
Golakganj—*(concld.)*	Miles from Parbatipur— 75½ to 88½	Balajan. Gauripur. Dhubri. Dhubri Ghat.
Basugaon ...	Miles from Lalmanirhat— 49¾ to 143½	Tipkai. Sapatgram. Fakiragram. Kokrajhur. Basugaon. Bongaigaon. Chaprakata. Bijni. Sorbhog. Sorupeta. Pathshala. Tihu. Nalbari.
Amingaon ...	143½ to 181	Ghograpur. Rangiya Junction. Putimari Siding. Baihata. Chutiapara. Amingaon. Ferry service between Amingaon and Pandu Ghat.
	Miles from Pandu— 0 to 5	Pandu. Kamakhya. Gauhati Junction.
	Miles from Rangia Junction— 0 to 24	Goresvar. Khoirabari. Tangla.
Narayanganj ...	Miles from Narayanganj— 0 to 4¾	Narayanganj. Chasara. Fatulla.
Dacca ...	4¾ to 86½	Dolaiganj. Dacca. Kurmitola. Tangi. Jaydebpur. Rajendrapur. Sripur. Satkhamair. Kaoraid. Moshakhali. Gafargaon. Dhala. Ram Amritaganj. Senbari. Kalirbazar. Sutiakhali. Mymensingh.

Police-station.	Areas according to mileage of Railway.	Railway stations within the jurisdiction of police-station.
1	2	3
	Miles from Narayanganj—	
Singhjani ...	86¼ to 141	Baiganbari. Bidyaganj. Piyarpur. Narundi. Nandina. Singhjani Junction. Kendua Kalibari. Bausi. Sarisabari. Jagannathganj.
	118¼ to 147¼	Dagi. Durmut. Dharmakura. Prodyotnagar. Bahadurabad Ghat.
Lalmanir Hat (B D. Railway).	0 to 64	Aditmari. Kakina. Tushbhander. Bhootemari. Hatibandha. Barakhata. Baura. Patgram. Changrabanda. Bhotepatti.
Mal Junction ...	64 to 136	Barnes Junction. Domohani. Lataguri Junction. Neora Naddi. Baradighi. Mal Junction. Chalsa. Nagrakata. Carron. Chengmari. Banarhat. Binnaguri. Dalgaon. Mujnai. Madari Hât. Ferry service between Barnesghat and Karlaghat.
	80 to 85	Lataguri to Ramshahi.
	92 to 103	Dam Dim. Oodlabari. Bagrakote.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

THIRD grade Inspector E. Jennings is promoted to the second grade of Inspectors from the 1st November 1916.

R. CLARKE, *Commissioner of Police.*

CALCUTTA, *the 16th November 1916.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18th November 1916.

No. 118.—Babu Trailokya Nath Mazumdar, Sub-Engineer, is granted furlough for two months and twenty-six days under articles 233 (*iii*) and 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave previously granted.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 17th November 1916.

No. 110Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 15 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. C. F. Beadel, of the Firm of Messrs Becker, Gray & Co., has been elected a representative of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce on the Calcutta Port Trust to fill the temporary vacancy caused by the extension of leave granted by the Port Commissioners to Mr. A. C. Patterson, for two months, from the 1st November 1916.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 20th November 1916.

No. 111Marine.—Mr. G. E. Champness, Acting Branch Pilot, is granted combined leave for six months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for two months and thirty days (or the amount due on the date of relief) under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations and special leave for the remaining period under article 673 of the Regulations, with effect from the 30th November 1916, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 21st November 1916.

No. 112Marine.—It is hereby notified, in pursuance of section 19 of the Chittagong Port Act (Bengal Act V of 1914), that Mr. A. R. Leishman of the firm of Messrs. James Finlay and Company, Limited, has been elected, in accordance with the provisions of section 16 of the Act, by the Chittagong Chamber of Commerce, to be a Commissioner for the Port of Chittagong, *vice* Mr. J. Reid Kay, resigned.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 21st November 1916.

No. 113Marine.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Moulmein is declared free from plague and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, which were imposed in the port of Chittagong against vessels arriving from Moulmein, are hereby withdrawn.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8367A.

No. 8333A.—The 20th November 1916.—Babu Satish Chandra Guha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Chittagong district on being relieved of the charge of the Patiya Tahsil in that district. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Chittagong.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 11272, dated Calcutta, the 16th November 1916.—Mr. John Gray, Press and Forms Manager, Bengal, made over the executive charge of the Alipore Central Jail to Lieutenant-Colonel John Mulvany, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 10th November 1916.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., C.I.E., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 12945, dated Calcutta, the 14th November 1916.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Joges Nath Sen did supernumerary duty at the Uttarpara Dispensary from the 24th to the 29th September 1916, both days inclusive.

No. 12947, dated Calcutta, the 14th November 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Chandi Charan Mitra acted at the Uttarpara Dispensary in the district of Hooghly, from the 24th to the 29th September 1916, both days inclusive, during the absence on deputation of Senior Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Datta.

No. 12949, dated Calcutta, the 14th November 1916.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Joges Nath Sen is appointed to act at the Uttarpara Dispensary in the district of Hooghly, with effect from the 30th September 1916, during the absence on deputation of Senior Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Datta or until further orders.

No. 12951, dated Calcutta, the 14th November 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Chandi Charan Mitra appointed temporarily to be Additional Assistant Surgeon, Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital at Bhowanipore, with effect from the 1st October 1916.

No. 13056, dated Calcutta, the 15th November 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Chandi Charan Mitra held charge of the Diamond Harbour Subdivision and Dispensary in the 24-Parganas temporarily from the 1st to the 3rd November 1916, both days inclusive, during the absence of third grade Assistant Surgeon Jamini Kanta Sen Gupta who appeared at the Departmental Examination.

No. 13138, dated Calcutta, the 17th November 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Sita Nath Ghosh is appointed to act at the Madaripur Subdivision and Dispensary, Faridpur district, with effect from the 17th October 1916, during the absence on leave of 1st grade Assistant Surgeon Tarak Nath Deb or until further orders.

No. 13242, dated Calcutta, the 20th November 1916.—Third grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Ongden of the Bengal Establishment, now on Military duty, having been exempted from appearing at the Professional Examination, is promoted to the 2nd grade with effect from 15th May 1915.

No. 13277, dated Calcutta, the 20th November 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Chandi Charan Mitra is placed on supernumerary duty at the Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital, Bhowanipore, with effect from the 14th November 1916, until further orders.

W. R. EDWARDS.
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABU JATINDRA KUMAR BISWAS, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Mymensingh Treasury with effect from the afternoon of the 15th November 1916 and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

J. A. WOODHEAD, *Collector.*

MYMENSINGH TREASURY, *the 16th November 1916.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU MALATI NATH BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bhanga Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 14th November 1916.

BABU BHUPENDRA NATH MITRA, Additional Munsif of Khulna, now acting as a Munsif of the same station, is temporarily vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Khulna.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 14th November 1916.

M. ABDUL KHALEQUE, Munsif of Hooghly, is appointed to be a District Delegate under section 235A of Act X of 1865 and section 52 of Act V of 1881, within the local limits of his jurisdiction.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
(CIVIL),
The 20th November 1916.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1916 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

E. H. BRAY,
Sheriff.

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৬ সাল, তারিখ ২৭শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে যুযে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৬ সালের ২৯শে নভেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী বিচিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ই, এইচ, ব্রে,
শরিফ।

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act IX of 1887, that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Dacca and Munshiganj will, in the months of January and February 1917, sit in the Courts on the undermentioned dates :—

Munshiganj Small Cause Court	...	From 15th January to 23rd January 1917 and from 12th February to 19th February 1917.
Dacca Small Cause Court	...	During the rest of the days of these months. Sundays and holidays excepted.

R. C. SEN, *Judge.*

DACCA, *the 17th November 1916.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act), for the month of January 1917, until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly, will hold his sitting as detailed below :—

January 1917.

Hooghly	...	From 1st to 11th.
Serampore	...	,, 12th to 21st.
Howrah	...	,, 22nd to 31st.

Sundays and holidays are excepted.

ASHUTOSH GHOSH, *Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly.*

SERAMPORE, *the 18th November 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 16th November 1916.

No. 702A.—Miss Hemaprova Bose, M.A., Mead Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School and part-time lecturer, Bethune College (class I, Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act on the pay of her own grade as a whole-time lecturer, Bethune College, *vice* Miss Surabala Ghosh, on deputation.

The 18th November 1916.

No. 703A.—Babu Priya Nath Brahmachary, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Murshidabad, class II of the Subordinate Educational Service, is granted leave on medical certificate from 3rd February to 2nd August 1916 in extension of the combined leave for six months granted to him under this office Notification No. 238A., dated 23rd March 1916.

No. 704A.—Maulvi Kabiruddin Ahmed, B.A., B.T., Officiating District Deputy Inspector of Schools, Chittagong (class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), is granted privilege leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

He is permitted to prefix the Xmas and New Year's day holidays to his leave.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 15th November 1916.

No. 87P.—Shamsul Ulama Maulvi Safiullah, Officiating Head Maulvi, Calcutta Madrasa (in class VI of the Provincial Educational Service), was absent on privilege leave on half pay, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, for nine days with effect from 20th September 1916.

No. 88P.—Maulvi Abdul Aziz, an outsider, acted for a period from 23rd to 28th September 1916 and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 200 a month, during the absence, on leave, of Shamsul Ulama Maulvi Safiullah.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6467.—Maulvi Zahurul Qaiyum, Sub-Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is transferred to the Cox's Bazar subdivision in the district of Chittagong.

K. C. DE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 18th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU JYOTISH CHANDRA GUPTA, Sub-Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is allowed privilege leave for four weeks, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th November 1916.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 19th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3901J.—Babu Narendra Narayan Chakravarty, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rajshahi Division, is posted to the Balurghat subdivision of the Dinajpur district.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 17th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 31M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 6th January 1917, is fixed as the date for holding a by-election in Ward No. V of the Meherpur Municipality in the district of Nadia, to elect a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Kali Pada Bhattacharji, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of this office notification, dated 19th October 1916, published at page 1949 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part I, of the 25th idem, it is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 15 of the Revised Election Rules, the next general election of the Commissioners of the Chandpur Municipality in the district of Tippera will be held on the 20th January (Saturday) 1917.

K. C. DE. *Offg, Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 15th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the rules framed under section 138(*a*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following dates are fixed for holding election of members of Local Boards in the several thanas of the Sadar and Arambagh subdivisions in the district of Hooghly :—

District.	Name of subdivision.	Name of thana.	Date of election
Hooghly ...	Sadar ...	Hooghly ...	9th February 1917.
		Polba ...	
		Pandua ...	
		Dhaniakhali ...	10th „ „
		Balagore ...	
	Arambagh ...	Goghat ...	15th January „
		Arambagh ...	
		Khanakul ...	

A. C. KAR, *for Magistrate.*

HOOGHLY MAGISTRACY, CHINSURA, *the 14th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5112J.—It is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on the 20th December 1916 in Ward No. III of the Narayanganj Municipality, in the district of Dacca, to elect a Commissioner in place of Babu Nityananda Dutta, deceased.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 18th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the rules made under clause (*a*), section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following date is fixed for holding a bye-election to elect two members of the Sadar Local Board for thana Kotwali in the district of Jessore :—

Name of district.	Name of Local Board	Name of thana.	Date fixed for bye-election.
Jessore ...	Sadar ...	Kotwali ...	12th February 1917.

B. N. RAU, *District Magistrate.*

JESSORE, *the 17th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2869M.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19, Act III (B.C.) of 1885, Maulvi Rahimuddin Ahmed has been elected to be a member of the Rajshahi District Board, *vice* Munshi Afzaluddin Ahmed, deceased.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 16th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5115J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, 1915, Babu Har Chandra Karmakar has been appointed to be a member of the Managing Committee of the Digpait Dispensary, in the district of Mymensingh, in addition to the members appointed by this office Notification No. 3796J., dated the 12th August 1916, published at pages 1181-82, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th August 1916.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 18th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3898J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the New Dispensary Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentleman has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Madla, in the district of Bogra, *vice* Babu Chandra Kanta Majumdar, resigned :—

Babu Krishnendra Nath Saha Chaudhuri.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 17th November 1916.*

ERRATUM.

IN this office Notification No. 51L.S.-G., dated the 3rd September 1916, appointing members of the Committee for the management of Daibagnahati, Katipara and Damodar Charitable Dispensaries in the district of Khulna, published at pages 1672-73, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th September 1916, *read* "Babu Rama Nath Brahma" *for* "Rama Nath Raha" against serial 4, Damodar Charitable Dispensary.

A. ISLAM, *Persl. Asst., for Commr.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Managing Committee of the Dacca Government Moshin High School under rule 3 of the Rules for the Managing Committees of Government High Schools:—

	1. The District Magistrate ...	*President.*
	2. The Head Master	*Vice-President and Secretary.*
For three years.	3. Maulvi Abul Maqsud, Assistant Head Master	*Representative of the teaching staff.*
For three years.	4. Khan Sahib Khaje Mahammad Azam	*Representatives of parents and guardians.*
For three years.	5. Khan Bahadur Kazi Alauddin Ahmad	*Representatives of parents and guardians.*
For three years.	6. Maulvi Hamidur Rahman, Deputy Collector	*Official member.*

The members other than the *ex-officio* members will hold office for three years.

S. G. HART, *District Magistrate.*

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE, DACCA, *the 14th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Committee for the Management of the Bogra Zilla School under rule 3 of the Rules for Managing Committees of Government High Schools:—

1. District Magistrate	*President.*
2. Head Master of the School ...	*Vice-President and Secretary.*
3. Babu Satish Narayan Chaudhuri, Assistant Head Master	*Elected representative of the teaching staff.*
4. Khan Bahadur Hafizar Rahamon Chaudhuri.	*Representatives of parents and guardians of pupils.*
5. Babu Lalit Chandra Datta, B.L. ...	*Representatives of parents and guardians of pupils.*
6. Babu Gopendra Kumar Ghose Chaudhuri, Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Bogra.	*An official other than an Educational officer.*

A. P. SEN, *Offg. Magistrate.*

BOGRA MAGISTRACY, *the 16th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the powers conferred on me by rule 2 of the Rules for the Managing Committees of Government High Schools, I appoint the following gentlemen as members of the Managing Committee of the Rajshahi Collegiate School. Members other than *ex-officio* members will hold office for three years from the date of this Notification :—

1.	The District Magistrate ...	*Ex-officio President.*
2.	The Head Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School	*Ex-officio Vice-President and Secretary.*
3.	Babu Sidheswor Ganguly, M.A., B.L., Assistant Head Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School	*Elected representative of the teaching staff.*
4.	The Hon'ble Babu Kishori Mohan Chowdhuri, M.A., B.L.	*Representatives of the parents and guardians of the school pupils.*
5.	Maulvi Emaduddin Ahmed, B.L. ...	
6.	Babu Jagadish Chandra Sen, M.A., Senior Deputy Magistrate ...	*Member.*

A. CASSELLS, *District Magistrate.*

RAJSHAHI, *the 15th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Managing Committee of the Dacca Collegiate School under rule 3 of the Rules for the Managing Committees of Government High Schools :—

1.	The Additional District Magistrate ..	*Ex-officio President.*
2.	The Head Master	*Ex-officio Vice-President and Secretary.*
For three years. 3.	Babu Ram Das Bhattacharjee, M.A., B.T., Assistant Head Master	*Elected representative of the Staff.*
For three years. 4.	Rai Kamala Nath Das Bahadur, Retired Sub-Judge	*Representatives of parents and guardians.*
For three years. 5.	Babu Ram Kumar Das, Honorary Magistrate	
For three years. 6.	Moulvi Naziruddin Ahmed, M.A., Personal Assistant to Commissioner, Dacca Division	*Official member.*

The members other than *ex-officio* members will hold office for three years.

S. G. HART, *District Magistrate.*

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE, DACCA, *the 15th November 1916.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 10755G.—The 17th November 1916.—The following finance statements of Central Co-operative Banks in the Bengal Presidency, for the quarter ending 30th September 1916, are published for general information :—

J. M. MITRA,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

CENTRAL

QUARTERLY

Part

Name of Bank.	LIABILITIES AND QUASI-LIABILITIES.										
	OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.				WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.						
	Deposits, fixed, current or savings bank, by non-members or by members in an individual capacity	Debentures.	Overdrafts from outside banks, e.g., Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items.	Fixed deposits or loans received from Societies or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Savings bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of bank itself.	Paid-up share capital	Other items.	Undrawn liabilities, *e.g.*, cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies.	
										To cover deposit.	For loans transaction.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.
I—PROVINCIAL BANK.											
Nil.											
II—CENTRAL BANKS.											
District Birbhum.											
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Union Bank, Ld.	1,08,416	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,280	12,760	1,579	...	.....
District Midnapore.											
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	94,642	.....	.....	.....	585	.....	2,400	23,850	18,334	.....	.....
Khelar Baharampur Union, Ld. ...	42,277	.....	.....	.....	564	.....	1,800	7,310	3,734	.....	.....
Belchera Union Bank, Ld. ...	8,865	.....	.....	.....	4,757	.....	2 000	9,660	7,293	.....	.....
District 24-Parganas.											
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,14,614	.....	4,144	.....	2,752	...	5,295	14,640	13 5*2	.....	13,800
District Nadia											
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,02,337	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	739	10,870	364	.....	.....
Kustia ditto ditto	14,140	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	434	14	.....	.....
District Jessore.											
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	51,103	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	432	17,075	537	.....	.....
District Khulna											
Raruli Union and Central Bank, Ld.	37,806	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,748	4,680	5,886	.....	...
District Murshidabad.											
Jangipur Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	54,990	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	800	10,143	72	... ...	.....
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	30,389	.....	.....	899	5	.....	100	9,495	2,267	.....	.....
District Dacca											
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,63,734	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,300	40,830	5,645	.....	.....
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	16,300	.....	.....	.....	4,000	... ..	120	4,247	.....	.....	.....
District Mymensingh.											
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	84,498	.....	.....	...	1,720	.....	717	9,795	1,184	.....	.....
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,30,331	.....	.....	.....	700	11,693	8,000	18,340	42 688	.....	.....
Bajitpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	6,100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	274	345	25	.....	.....
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	60,464	.....	.....	.....	5,010	.....	788	9,295	3,379	.....	... ...
Netrakona Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,010	... ...	... ..	.....	2,000	.....	.....	240	52	.....	.....
District Faridpur.											
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,82,068	18,600	694	.....	2,256	197	16,000	73,810	9 529	... .	.....
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,98,876	.....	38,602	406	.....	10,560	15,000	47,015	35,734	.....	.....
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,92,193	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	1,995	18,185	2,267	.....	.....
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,44,848	.....	261	.....	.....	370	2,000	26,800	2,698	.....	... ..
District Bakarganj.											
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,36,242	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,550	38,855	334	... .	.....

BANKS.

FINANCE STATEMENTS.

I.

ASSETS AND QUASI-ASSETS.													
OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.					WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.						RATES OF INTEREST ON WHICH MONEY IS USUALLY.		
Cash in hand and in outside banks.	Government paper.	Post Office Savings Bank deposits.	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.	Undrawn balance of assured cash credit. With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank.	Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Banks.	Uncalled share capital.	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year.	Borrowed.	Lent.	Last dividend declared.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
1,168	.....	2,881	.....	.....	1,17,438	2,925	.....	.....	.....	1,009	7½; 6¼	9⅜	9⅜
32	.....	20,908	.....	.....	77,111	1,082	40,702	35,800	.....	3,455	7⅜; 6¼, 5½; and 5.	7½ and 9⅜	9⅜
535	.....	2,345	.....	.....	46,728	450	.....	.....	5,636	1,193	6¼; 7 and 7½	9⅜	9⅜
299	.....	.....	.....	.....	63,613	.....	.....	.....	6,425	2,010	6¼ and 7½	9⅜	9⅜
5,010	.....	17,484	.....	45,856	1,36,473	.....	.....	.....	230	5,179	7½	10½	12½
2,418	1,655	7,381	.....	.....	1,03,315	.....	.....	28,880	461	1,026	6¼	10½	12½
4,804	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,782	.....	.....	1,040	11	.....	6¼ and 7½	10½	.....
1	.....	4,760	.....	.....	61,015	1,400	.....	17,050	.....	1,278	6¼	10½	8
119	.....	8,030	.....	.....	42,202	1,050	.....	.....	.....	808	4 and 7½	10 13/16	7½
4,402	.....	10,001	.....	.....	44,134	6,560	.....	26,657	.....	1,080	6 and 7½	10½	12½
634	.....	2,635	.....	.....	38,753	1,200	.....	24,555	.....	336	6¼ and 7	9⅜ and 10½	9⅜
17,381	.....	10,000	.....	.....	1,69,335	2,309	.....	.....	.....	4,754	6 to 7½	9⅜; 10½; and 12½.	10
4,906	.....	10,000	.....	.....	9,118	1,000	.....	1,453	.....	211	7½	10	9⅜
8,563	.....	12,616	.....	.....	73,960	.....	2,000	38,355	.....	1,722	6¼ and 7	10 13/16	7½
26,814	5,000	9,800	.....	.....	1,36,999	7,917	15,600	18,340	1,518	9,021	6¼	9⅜ and 10 13/16	12½
676	.....	82	.....	.....	6,173	.....	.....	3,105	.....	166	7½	9⅜	12½
5,570	.....	11,127	.....	.....	60,460	3,400	.....	9,505	.....	150	5, 6 and 7½	9⅜	6¼
.....	.....	641	.....	.....	2,575	.....	.....	2,160	.....	.....	6¼ and 7½	9⅜	.....
97,783	6,000	15,766	.....	79,306	2,52,480	14,448	.....	73,560	7,026	16,020	3⅜; 6¼; 7; 7½; 8 and 4.	10 13/16	12½
3,726	.....	19,075	20,246	41,398	2,90,292	.....	.....	47,015	6,227	19,539	3⅜; 6; 6½; 7 and 7½.	12	12½
18,074	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,92,570	1,000	.....	35,795	.....	3,125	6; 6½; 7 and 7½	10½	12½
25,580	.....	12,024	.....	24,639	1,34,951	491	.....	27,800	.....	4,316	6½	10½	12½
2,042	.....	7,659	.....	20,000	1,66,633	.....	.....	35,985	.....	4,598	6	10 13/16	9⅜

Name of Bank.	LIABILITIES AND QUASI-LIABILITIES.										
	OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.				WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.						
	Deposits, fixed, current or savings bank, by non-members or by members in an individual capacity.	Debentures.	Overdrafts from outside banks, *e.g.*, Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items.	Fixed deposits or loans received from Societies or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Savings bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of bank itself.	Paid-up share capital.	Other items.	Undrawn liabilities, *e.g.*, cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies, and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies.	
										To cover deposits.	For loans transaction.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
II—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
District Chittagong.											
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	31,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	6,660	730	.....	.....
District Noakhali.											
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	67,121	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,325	11,255	2,001	.....	.....
District Tippera.											
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,14,439	.....	.....	1,169	718	1,622	11,510	53,810	14,052	.....	.....
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	57,478	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,650	900	13,475	.....	.....	.....
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,76,038	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,123	28,840	2,999	.....	.....
District Rangpur.											
Gaibandha Central Banking Union, Ld.	99,593	.....	20,816	58	.....	.....	3,810	17,360	19,609	.....	.....
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	17,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	84	3,990	99	.....	.....
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	19,950	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150	2,645	28	.....	.....
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	37,064	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	4,750	46	.....	.....
District Bogra.											
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	66,498	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	310	7,835	689	.....	.....
District Pabna.											
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	8,34,806	...	11,*32	178	6,100	461	15,000	70,302	23,640	10,000	.....
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	13,533	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	6,815	525	.....	.....
Sirajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	8,907	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	49	945	.....	.....	.....
District Dinajpur.											
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	33,200	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	317	11,362	.....	.....	.....
District Darjeeling.											
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	3,550	.....	13,354	.....	.....	.....	105	8,315	848	.....	.....
Kalimpong Central Union Bank, Ld.	63,755	.....	7,47,040	78	.....	.....	10,505	31,337	8,620	.....	.....
TOTAL CENTRAL BANKS ...	38,13,064	18,600	2,36,243	2,788	34,767	26,542	1,19,960	6,87,310	2,31,318	10,000	13,[illegible]30

ASSETS AND QUASI-ASSETS.

OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.					WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.						RATES OF INTEREST ON WHICH MONEY IS USUALLY—		
Cash in hand and in outside banks.	Government paper.	Post Office Savings Bank deposits.	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.	Undrawn balance of assured cash credit: With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank.	Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Banks.	Uncalled share capital.	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year.	Borrowed.	Lent.	Last dividend declared.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
108	.....	1,052	.....	.....	27,991	10 600	.....	6,740	.....	489	6½ and 7½	10½	6½
26	... ..	1,507	.....	.....	80,783	.....	.....	33,695	.....	2,523	6½ ; 7 ; 7½ and 8.	10½	12½
15,202	10,829	10,370	.....	.....	1,56,391	.....	.....	53,810	644	6,784	6½ ; 7½	10½	12½
23,183	.....	21,206	.....	.....	51,002	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,905	6½ and 7	9½	12½
2,975	.....	20,551	4,939	.....	1,69,975	400	.....	48,160	.....	4,409	7	10½	12½
5,159	.....	16,188	.....	19,184	1,32,193	1,500	.....	28,790	.....	3,192	6 ; 6½ ; 7 and 7½.	10½	12½
172	.....	1,395	.....	.....	19,618	.....	.....	11,840	.....	141	7	10½	10
56	.....	2,229	.....	.....	20,375	.....	.....	6,605	.....	281	7	10½	9½
2,052	.....	10,001	.....	.....	29,882	.....	.....	16,000	.....	65	6 ; 7 and 7½	12	.....
1,815	.....	10,000	... ..	.....	63,237	.....	.....	7,835	.....	534	6 ; 7 ; 7½ and 8.	10½	10
6,408	.....	15,000	1,29,631	1,48,166	7,74,481	11,275	.....	1,13,498	.....	22,534	3½ ; 6½ ; 6½ ; 7 and 7½.	10½	12½
7,329	.....	1,166	.....	.....	17,025	.....	.....	6,815	.....	978	9½	13½	10½ Pref. 9½ Ordy.
5,237	.....	5,263	.....	.....	4,915	.....	.....	7,805	.....	.....	7	9½ and 10½	.....
233	.....	1	.....	.....	45,309	.....	.....	11,602	.....	767	5 ; 6 ; 6½ ; 7 ; 7½ and 8.	10½	6½ Pref. 3 Ordy.
154	.. ...	.....	.....	1,646	17,410	8,400	.....	8,605	.....	210	6 and 8	9½	5
646	.....	11,940	.....	12,960	2,43,387	.....	.....	213	814	5,955	4½ to 7	9½	9½
3,01,643	23,484	3,18,834	1,54,816	3,93,157	41,89,877	77,407	58,302	7,79,718	28,992	1,31,823	.....	... ..	.....

Part II.

Name of Bank.	DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I						REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES.		
			OTHER DEPOSITS AND DEBENTURES FALLING DUE—				ESTIMATED—		
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Nil.									
II—CENTRAL BANKS—									
District Birbhum.									
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Union Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	14,466	68,400	18,600	6,950	1,18,474	2,000	58,324
District Midnapore.									
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	77,166	3,602	5,234	8,640	.....	30,237	27,831	31,856
Khelar Balarampur Union, Ld.	.....	.....	31,177	10,500	200	400	20,156	12,900	17,820
Belebera Union Bank, Ld. ...	.....	8,865	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,565	12,565	13,591
District 24-Parganas.									
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	495	.....	48,115	66,004	.....	.....	69,406	15,080	35,614
District Nadia.									
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	22,424	79,913	.....	.....	42,777	33,273	52,014
Kustia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,140	.....	9,782	.....
District Jessore.									
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	51,105	.....	.....	16,821	12,554	9,357
District Khulna.									
Raruli Union and Central Bank, Ld.	10	.....	1,200	26,496	1,200	8,900	28,902	9,150	11,438
District Murshidabad.									
Jangipur Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	4,131	.....	35,264	8,590	.....	7,005	21,200	16,000	13,159
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	1,430	23,009	5,850	.....	17,680	14,309	1,816
District Dacca.									
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,313	.....	91,044	13,000	19,150	39,217	1,13,350	58,293	43,444
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	13,050	850	2,000	400	8,018	675	16,109
District Mymensingh.									
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	40,345	27,500	11,650	5,000	38,501	20,566	20,836
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	7,000	900	500	1,11,931	77,088	34,929	46,017
Bajitpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	3,600	.....	.....	2,500	4,493	1,620	3,152
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	700	.....	1,500	58,264	.....	.....	35,148	28,712	14,078
Netrakona Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	1,010	.....	.....	.....	1,800	775	250

Name of Bank	DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I.						REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES.		
			OTHER DEPOSITS AND DEBENTURES FALLING DUE—				ESTIMATED—		
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
II—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Rs
District Faridpur.									
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	35,103	2,416	20,325	1,48,191	16,250	78,383	83,652	74,034	1,06,193
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	27,932	.....	1,46,794	81,450	2,500	40,000	2,04,195	1,09,159	34,883
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	29,510	500	3,000	1,60,183	45 000	50,000	33,742
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	18,026	.....	63,995	12,827	20,000	.....	59 576	17,300	23,825
District Bakarganj.									
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	30	4,000	1 20,536	12,377	.....	.....	30,000	40,000	69,513
District Chittagong.									
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	16,800	4,500	4,000	6,600	15,830	14,690	10,778
District Noakhali.									
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	32,121	12,000	5,000	18,000	40,801	28,979	2,002
District Tippera.									
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	19,789	.....	61,308	.....	3,007	30,335	20,000	30,000	27,121
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	43,945	13,533	.....	. ...	40,165	5,917	.....
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	35,250	95,012	39,753	6,020	76,343	62,113	11,156
District Rangpur.									
Gaibandha Central Banking Union, Ld	.....	.....	3,726	2,000	5,5'0	88,369	70,000	17,500	17,369
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	12,600	5,000	.....	.....	8,000	5,500	2,082
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	19,950	.....	.. ..	5,562	5,912	2,775
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	18,060	9,000	10,004	.....	9,000	8,500	2,274
District Bogra.									
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	173	.....	7,000	18,000	17,600	23,725	15,059	16,598	5,899
District Pabna.									
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,70,360	.....	2,37,993	1,89,557	33,917	2,02,979	1,75,000	2,00,000	1,09,782
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	.....	.....	7,489	4,044	5,000	.....	8,618	2,853	5,476
Sirajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	8,907	.....	.....	.....	3,015	625	3,285
District Dinajpur.									
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	300	22,400	.....	10,500	27,659	15,550	15,991
District Darjeeling.									
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	.....	.....	3,550	.....	.....	.....	7,550	7,500	1,390
Kalimpong Central Union Bank, Ld	8,808	.....	40,949	8,533	5,465	.....	56,658	60,000	52 543
TOTAL CENTRAL BANKS ...	3,16,870	92,447	12,26,385	10,95,639	2,38,786	8,61,537	16,58,274	10,83,804	9,26,949

Part III.

Name of Bank	PORTION OF DEPOSITS OF DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I FALLING DUE IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (4TH COLUMN OF PART II).				REPAYMENTS OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES ESTIMATED IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (COLUMN 8 OF PART II)			
	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter	4th quarter
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
I—PROVINCIAL BANK	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Nil.								
II—CENTRAL BANKS								
District Birbhum								
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Union Bank, Ld.	5,000	6,000	1,000	2,466	1,184	1,17,290	.....	.....
District Midnapore								
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	600	2,002	1,000	....	83	471	28,833	100
Khelar Balarampur Union, Ld.	.....	.....	31,177	.....	.....	9,166	7,608	3,382
Belchera Union Bank, Ld ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,256	5,026	5,119	1,164
District 24 Parganas								
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	18,769	9,585	13,285	6,476	42,806	14,750	11,850	.....
District Nadia.								
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,000	12,105	5,189	3,130	21,608	750	21,019	.....
Kustea Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
District Jessore.								
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	.....	4050	5,580	1 473	4,818
District Khulna.								
Raruli Union and Central Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	1,200	.....	13,302	10,850	4,750	.....
District Murshidabad.								
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	5,900	10,050	5,678	12,736	5,000	8,000	6,400	1,800
Berhampur Central Co operative Bank, Ld	.. ...	.....	1,300	130	5,695	3,121	8 720	144
District Dacca.								
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	33,749	29,750	19,404	8,141	65,320	40,030	6,560	1,440
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,600	6,350	2,000	100	4 693	125	100	3,109
District Mymensingh.								
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank Ld.	6,080	8,150	15,235	10,880	31,888	6,613	.....	.....
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,000	500	4,500	.....	77,068	.....	.....	.....
Bajitpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	3,000	600	.....	.....	4,193	50	.....	250
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,500	.....	.....	.....	16,683	5,000	2,450	11,015
Netrakona Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	.....	.....	1,010	.....	1,800	.....	.....	.....

Name of Bank.	PORTION OF DEPOSITS OF DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I FALLING DUE IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (4TH COLUMN OF PART II).				REPAYMENTS OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES ESTIMATED IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (COLUMN 3 OF PART II).			
	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
II—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Faridpur								
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,100	8,376	5,850	1,999	31,045	7,622	.....	44,985
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	10,774	79,004	7,273	49,743	95,036	.....	.....	1,09,159
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,510	11,000	1,000	15,000	5,000	16,000	1,000	23,000
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	27,880	8,615	9,175	18,325	38,198	20,878	500	.....
District Bakarganj.								
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,625	.....	.....	1,14,911	3,000	20,000	4,000	3,000
District Chittagong.								
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	7,600	7,100	2,100	.....	4,470	5,230	2,725	3,405
District Noakhali.								
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	562	31,559	17,268	.....	.....	23,533
District Tippera.								
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,049	1,977	10,305	43,977	2,500	15,000	500	2,000
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	8,360	14,485	21,100	.....	16,355	4,294	.....	19,516
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	25,000	250	.....	10,000	20,914	55,429	.....	.....
District Rangpur.								
Gaibandha Central Banking Union, Ld.	1,050	1,500	.....	1,176	69,500	.....	500	.....
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	4,500	8,000	100	7,000	400	300	300
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,312	.....	.....	250
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	16,500	1,560	5,000	.....	4,000	.....
District Bogra.								
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	6,000	1,000	12,351	600	2,108	.....
District Pabna.								
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,10,730	35,966	51,699	39,598	25,000	75,000	25,000	50,000
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,399	730	1,360	.....	8,202	.....	.....	411
Sirajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	6,750	.....	2,157	2,165	300	.....	550
District Dinajpur.								
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	300	.....	.....	1,195	19,164	7,300	.....
District Darjeeling.								
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	1,000	1,200	1,200	150	3,400	1,300	1,550	1,300
Kalimpong Central Union Bank, Ld.	7,198	4,960	19,406	9,385	13,000	17,000	18,000	8,658
TOTAL CENTRAL BANKS ...	3,05,473	2,72,705	2,63,508	3,84,699	6,83,590	4,85,039	1,72,365	3,17,280

J. M. MITRA,
Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (2) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

Plan of proposed Public Street No. XXII (Kumartuli Ghat to Central Avenue).

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a proposed Public Street in Wards Nos. I and II, running eastwards from Strand Road, North, through Joy Mitra Ghat Lane, Nepal Chandra Neogi Street, Narayan Chandra Sur Street, along Neogi Lane, through Ganga Prasad Lane, Ram Sundar Kundu Street, Chitpur Road, Upper, along Raja Sir Radha Kanta Deb 1st Lane, through Raja Sir Radha Kanta Deb Lane, and terminating at the proposed Public Street No. IX (a portion of Central Avenue running between Shambazar Street to Gallif Street).

The plan provides for a road 60 feet wide throughout and for the widening of the junctions of several smaller streets through which the proposed Public Street will pass.

The proposed Public Street will pass through the following municipal holdings :—

Name of Street.		Number of municipal holdings.
Joy Mitra's Ghat Lane	...	1, 2, 2-1, 6, 7.
Nepal Chandra Neogi Street	...	2A, 3A.
Kebal Krishna Sur Street	...	6A.
Narayan Chandra Sur Street	...	2A.
Kumartuli Street	...	23B, 24A.
Banamali Sarker Street	...	1.
Chitpur Road, Upper	...	161, 260, 261, 262.
Gokul Mitra Lane	...	7-1, 8-5, 8-6, 8-7, 8-9, 9-1, 10, 10-1, 10-2, 11.
Hem Chandra Kar Lane	...	1, 1-1, 1-2, 1-2-1, 1-2-2, 1-2-3, 1-4, 2, 3, 4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 4-5.
Raja Rajballabh Street	...	18-4, 18-5.
Sitakanta Banerji Lane	...	2-1-1.
Khetra Dhol Lane	...	5.
Gobardhan Das Lane	...	7.

The plan of the proposed Public Street and the particulars of the lands through which the proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the Offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week-days between the hours of 11 and 4, Saturdays 11 and 2.

Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy, and of the plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 18th January 1917.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 15th November 1916.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under section 63 (5) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plan of a Proposed Public Street No. VIII (Ahiritola Street Widening), which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 12th April 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST, 5, CLIVE STREET. *the 16th November 1916.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 21Exc.—The 15th November 1916.—Babu Jogendra Nath Ghosh is promoted to the fourth grade of Inspectors of Excise and Salt with effect from the 1st November 1916.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with paragraph 1 of the Rules for the Recruitment of Sub-Inspectors of Excise and Salt, published in Notification No. 501S.R., dated the 15th March 1915, applications are called for from the following districts :—

Dinajpur. | Jalpaiguri. | Rangpur.

Applicants must be domiciled in one of the districts named, must have passed the Intermediate Examination of the Calcutta University and must not be under 20 or over 25 years of age. They must be of good character, physically fit, of active habits and not less than 5 feet 3 inches in height and 30 inches round the chest. Further particulars will be found in the rules referred to above and may be obtained from the Collectors of the above mentioned districts or from the undersigned. At least one-half of the appointments will be offered to duly qualified and suitable Muhammadan candidates should such apply.

Candidates who are finally selected will be appointed on a salary of Rs. 50 a month and will be subject to a period of probation, the minimum period of which will be one year.

Applications will be received by the Collectors of the districts mentioned above up to the 30th November 1916.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS,
CALCUTTA,
The 12th November 1916.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 11th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 9th November 1916.

No. 2561-Est.-A.—Mr. D. S. Fraser, I.C.S., officiating in the Political Department, was granted privilege leave for 18 days, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd October 1916.

J. B. WOOD,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 11th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 11th November 1916.

No. 11059.—The following reversions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified, with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr C. W. E. Cotton, I.C.S.	Collector, class II, officiating.	Collector, class III, substantive.	25th October 1916.

C. E. LOW.
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 11th November 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 10th November 1916.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No. 1371.—Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Whyte Clark, V.D., Supernumerary List, is granted the honorary rank of Colonel, on retirement, with permission to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated the 15th June 1916.

Second (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1376.—Captain James Vincent Bennett Raikes Bromage resigns his commission. Dated the 14th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Peter McLaren Rae resigns his commission. Dated the 27th September 1916.

Ernest Augustus John Chapman to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 15th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Geoffrey Dodleston Hope (Supernumerary List) resigns his commission. Dated the 7th October 1916.

Lieutenant Cecil Douglas Rae (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission. Dated the 14th October 1916.

Assam-Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1377.—Captain Thomas Richard Nolan to be Major, *vice* A. M. Berkeley, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Second Lieutenant Raymond Lewis Bliss to be Captain, *vice* K. H. H. Kennedy, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Robert George Manson to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* R. L. Bliss, promoted. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Robert Stephen Vipan to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Lieutenant Wilfred Petrock Field to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st August 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 14th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 14th November 1916.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1378.—A despatch by Lieutenant-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., on the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 30th April to the 27th August 1916, is published for general information.

No. 168-33-O., dated 27th August 1916.

From—LIEUTENANT-GENERAL SIR P. H. N. LAKE, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., Commanding, Indian Expeditionary Force "D.",

To—The Chief of the General Staff Army Headquarters, India, Simla.

On relinquishing command of Indian Expeditionary Force "D," I have the honour to submit a short despatch, dealing with the operations of this

Force since the fall of Kut on April 30th, and also describing in general terms the work carried out at the base and on the line of communications up to the present date.

1. *Operations.*—No operations on a large scale have been undertaken since the fall of Kut.

On the Tigris line the troops immediately facing the enemy were, with the exception of those actually on duty in the trenches, resting, recuperating and consolidating their position. Fatigues were very heavy, the heat of summer came on rapidly, and a good deal of sickness prevailed.

Nevertheless pressure on the enemy was never relaxed and every opportunity was taken to test his morale by bombardments and minor engagements whenever opportunity offered.

2. During May the pressure of the Russian advance from Persia towards Baghdad must have begun to make itself felt by the enemy, for on the 19th May General Gorringe reported his apparent withdrawal from his advanced positions at and in front of Es Sinn on the right bank, though the Sannaiyat position was still strongly held. This withdrawal was followed up, and by the evening of May 20th, General Gorringe was able to report that, except for small rearguards covering the bridges over the Hai river, the right bank of the Tigris as far as the Hai was clear of the enemy.

3. As the enemy's retention of the Sannaiyat position prevented the passage of our supply ships up the river, our troops operating on the other bank towards the Hai had to depend for food, forage, and in some cases even water, upon land transport.

Consequently General Gorringe's occupation of the positions evacuated in the enemy's retirement could only be gradual, and was largely dependent upon the construction of new roads and a reorganisation of his supply system.

These conditions have continued practically unchanged up to the present date. The abatement of the floods and the intense heat have dried up the ground, caused the marshes to recede and made movement easier. On the other hand water difficulties have increased, and drinkable water away from the river is difficult to find, the soil being usually impregnated with various salts.

The Turks still hold the Sannaiyat position, and have constructed other lines behind it, on the left bank, which they appear to hold in force.

On the right bank their outposts reach the Hai river, which is now fordable. We hold positions from which we dominate the Hai and can deny its passage ; while we could, if we pleased, bombard Kut itself.

4. One incident requires mention. On May 20th a strong Russian cavalry patrol of 3 officers and 110 other ranks arrived unexpectedly at Ali Gharbi. The patrol had started from the neighbourhood of Karind and had safely executed an adventurous march of some 200 miles, much of it through the Pusht-i-Kuh hills. The officers came to report themselves to me in person at Basrah, where, by command of His Majesty the King, I decorated them with the Military Cross, in recognition of their exploit, and of this the first meeting of British and Russian troops as allies in the field for 100 years.

The patrol left Ali Gharbi on their return journey on June 4th, and after skilfully surmounting various difficulties succeeded in reaching their main body in safety.

5. On July 11, General Gorringe was succeeded in the command of the Tigris column by General Maude who has held it up to date.

6. As regards aviation, the superiority of certain of the hostile æroplanes over any of our machines in the matter of speed, combined with a large reduction in the number of our pilots (due to sickness partly attributable to overwork), enabled the enemy in May and June to establish what was very nearly a mastery of the air.

With the arrival of more pilots from home matters improved, until in August three of our machines working together forced the best enemy machine, a Fokker, to descend, seriously damaged, in its own lines.

7. Operations on the Euphrates have been confined to raiding expeditions, carried out in order to punish attacks on our vessels, damage to the telegraph line, or attacks on tribes who are our allies. Ibn Rashid, the leading hostile desert Arab chief, was driven away southwards in July with much diminished prestige. A very successful raid undertaken against Ajaimi, the chief Arab Shaikh hostile to us on the Lower Euphrates, was carried out on August 15th. All these expeditions have been well organised by Major-General Brooking.

8. On the Karun Line the only incidents worthy of note have been attempts by pro-German Persian tribesmen, who had been co-operating with the Turks against the Russians, to escape to their own mountains where they were likely to make mischief. These attempts were frustrated by the 23rd Cavalry operating on the Kharkeh and Ab-i-Diz rivers. Lieutenant-Colonel Younghusband's arrangements were well conceived and resulted in the complete discomfiture of the tribesmen and the capture of their leaders.

9. During the hot season, now drawing to a close, the business of administration and the work of preparation for more active measures during the coming cold weather assumed relatively great importance. I make no excuse therefore for alluding at some length to the work performed.

10. The valuable co-operation of the Royal Navy under Captain W. Nunn has as usual been conspicuous during the period under review. The gunboats stationed on the Euphrates took a leading part in the successful minor operations referred to in paragraph 7 on that river and in the Hammar Lake.

I would also bring to notice the able assistance given by Mr. W. Grant, Admiralty Overseer, at Abadan in preparing river craft for service.

11. In my previous despatch I alluded to the difficulties against which the Medical Services have had to contend.

Much thought and hard work have been devoted to overcoming these difficulties and meeting the medical needs of the force. The advance made in this direction is clearly shown by the fact that the total accommodation for sick and wounded in Mesopotamia, which on January 21st (exclusive of Kut) was 4,700 beds and by May 13th had risen to 9,425, amounted on July 1st to 15,745, with 2,700 more in process of organisation.

The advent of the hot weather early in May, with a sudden rise in the temperature, increased the number of sick rapidly. The intense heat was aggravated at the front by the total absence of shade and by the failure of the "shamal" or north wind, which, usually due about the middle of June, did not commence to blow till July 19th. The admissions to hospital then at once lessened and are still decreasing. The majority of the cases are not serious.

An outbreak of cholera occurred at the Tigris front at the end of April, but was got under control in the course of a short time, since when only a small number of isolated cases are reported from time to time from various parts of the country.

I am much indebted to Surgeon-General F. H Treherne for the valuable assistance he has consistently rendered since his arrival in the country; also to Colonel W. H. Willcox, Consulting Physician, whose high professional knowledge has always been at the service of the force. Much credit is due to the Nursing Sisters, who have carried out their duties with great devotion, and have shown untiring zeal and energy in alleviating the sufferings of those who have passed through their hands.

By the untimely death of Colonel Sir V. Horsley, both the force and the medical profession sustained a severe loss.

12. In the Supply and Transport Corps much sickness followed by invaliding occurred, specially among the senior officers. As a result the duties of the corps fell heavily on those who remained, while the service of supply was much hampered by a shortage of river transport on a rapidly falling river. That the supply of food, clothing, etc, has nevertheless been maintained without serious deficiencies reflects credit upon the work of the crop.

13. During the flood season, from April to June, nine-tenths of the country round Basrah is under water, and in normal years a continuous belt of flood, from 6 to 9 miles wide and from 1 to 4 feet deep, separates the Basrah tract from the higher lying desert country to the south-west.

This flood water in 1915 forced its way into and inundated the Makina Masus Camp area. This year, in order to meet the needs of the constant stream of troops and stores pouring into Basrah, it was imperative to safeguard from floods the ground space required for camps, hutting, store depots and additional hospital accommodation. This was done by constructing, first, a main protective embankment or "bund" from the Tigris at Magil to the higher ground at Shaiba. This "bund" was 11 to 12 miles long, and completely shut off the belt of flood water above referred to.

It was supplemented by a second bund, which branched off from it about 2 miles from the river and was carried to the neighbourhood of the Zubair Gate of Basrah, some 3 miles. A series of smaller subsidiary bunds was

constructed along the river front and the intermediate creeks. The whole system, covering a total length of some 20 miles, safeguards an area of some 48 square miles in all and of 1¼ square miles at Magil and Makina Masus, which has been adopted as the main camp for troops in and near Basrah. Wharves have been constructed and ocean-going steamers are now able to come alongside and unload.

A large amount of hutting for hospitals and troops has been erected, providing accommodation for 8,700 sick and 15,000 troops ; water supplies for the troops have been installed at Basrah and Amarah, and many important miscellaneous works have been carried out.

The amount of valuable work brought to completion reflects credit on Major-General J. C. Remington, Chief Engineer, Colonel E. R. B. Stokes-Roberts, Director of Works, and those serving under them.

14. Two railways are now in course of construction. Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. White and his assistants are pushing on both lines with much zeal and energy in spite of considerable difficulties in the transport of materials.

15. A new powerful wireless station has been installed. Work was commenced on the 10th February 1916 and completed on the 25th August 1916. The rapid erection of this station is due to the energetic co-operation of the Director-General, Posts and Telegraphs, India, to Mr. E. L. Bagshawe, Director of Telegraphs, Force " D," and especially to the ability and energy of Mr. J. G. P. Cameron, Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs, the Engineer in charge of the construction work.

16. The Veterinary Services under Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. Anthony have done much to maintain the animals of the force in good condition in spite of hard work and unavoidable short commons in certain cases.

17. The administration of the Remount Services, the care and training of the horses reflects credit upon Captain J. F. H. Anderson, Army Remount Department.

18. I am anxious to place on record my deep sense of the good effect produced throughout this Force by the Army Chaplains of all denominations, whose devotion to duty and contempt of danger while performing it deserve the highest commendation.

19. Like other Departments, the Royal Indian Marine has suffered severely from sickness and invaliding, especially among its superior officers. The rapid growth of its duties may be gathered from the fact that whereas in January 1916 there were 19 permanent and 21 temporary officers and 525 other ranks employed, by July the number had risen to 40 permanent and 163 temporary officers and 3,981 other ranks besides native labourers. The necessity for assimilating this large influx of newly appointed officers and men threw a heavy strain on the permanent cadres, who were also faced with many unforeseen demands. That under these conditions its duties have been carried out with a considerable measure of success is distinctly creditable to the service.

20. The thanks of the whole force in Mesopotamia are specially due to the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, the British Red Cross Society, including its Indian branch, and the Young Men's Christian Association.

The two former through their representative, Lieutenant-Colonel J. Gould, have devoted their resources to supplementing the medical appliances and comforts provided by the state for the care of the sick and wounded. All officers and men who have passed through the hospitals at any time would desire to express their gratitude to these Societies.

The Young Men's Christian Association, on the other hand, through its able officials, among whom I would specially mention Mr. L. A. Dickson, Revd. B. H. McLain, Revd. T. S. Riddle, and Mrs. Webley, has contributed most materially to the well-being, physical and moral, of the troops in general outside the hospitals in a manner deserving of the highest admiration.

21. The appointment of Sir G. C. Buchanan to the Force as Director-General of Port Administration and River Conservancy has been of undoubted value. Owing to the difficulty experienced in obtaining certain stores and equipment from India and Burma, and to sickness among the supervising staff, the work of developing the Port of Basrah, and of dredging and improving the water communications generally, was at first delayed. It is now, however, well in hand and the results already achieved are sufficient to show that the projected measures will have far-reaching effect on the business of the port and our all-important river communications. Sir G. Buchanan especially desires to mention the assistance he has received from Lieutenant J. G. Grant, R.E.

22. My thanks are due to Captain the Honourable Malik Sir Umar Hayat Khan for many valuable services rendered in connection with the Army of Occupation: also to 2nd-Lieutenant E. Ezra, I. A. R. O., attached General Headquarters, who held his fast motor launch at all times at my disposal.

23. The able services of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir P. Z. Cox and the officers of the Political Department, to which I referred in my previous despatch, have continued to be of high value to the state during the period under review

24. The administration of the lines of communication has throughout been extremely arduous and difficult; to Major-General G. F. McMunn, Inspector-General of Communications, and his staff, I am greatly indebted for the manner in which they have handled the many intricate problems of supply and demand with which they have been constantly confronted. The administration of the base depôts under Lieutenant-Colonel d'A. C. Brownlow, Base Commandant, has been carried out in a highly satisfactory manner.

25. In conclusion I desire to bring again to your notice the able and devoted assistance that I have at all times received from the general and administrative staffs at General Headquarters and from my personal staff, to all of whom I am deeply indebted. In this connection I would especially mention Major-General M. Cowper and Major-General A. W. Money, heads respectively of the administrative and general staffs, Brigadier-General O. B. S. F. Shore, Sub-Chief (now officiating as Chief) of the general staff, Lieutenant-Colonels W. H. Beach and H. R. Hopwood of the general staff and Captain L. G. Williams, Assistant Military Secretary. The work of all these officers has been of high value to the state.

The clerical establishment have one and all shown untiring zeal and energy in the performance of their arduous and responsible duties.

26. I have, in my previous despatch, submitted a list of officers and men whose services were deserving of reward. That despatch covered a period of active operations and the bulk of the names were those of officers and men who had distinguished themselves actively at the front.

I now submit a list composed chiefly of those officers and others who deserve commendation and reward for services, less interesting, but equally essential to the well-being of this force, rendered in connection with its administration.

LIST OF OFFICERS BROUGHT TO NOTICE.

Bingham, Commander A. G., R.I.M.
Birch, Rev. O. W., Chaplain.
Blaker, Major W. F., R.F.A.
Bridge, Revd. H. N., Chaplain.
Campbell, Lieutenant C. R., R.I.M.
Campbell, Lieutenant-Colonel W. N., I.A. (Ret.).
DeCourcy, Captain Hon. M. W. R., I.A.
Dent, Captain W., D.S.O., I.A.
Dick, Major R. N., Royal Sussex Regiment.
Dobbs, Mr. H. R. C., I.C.S., C.I.E., Political Department.
Douglas, Colonel (T.) A. P, Ordnance Department.
Edwardes, Major A. C., I.A.
Ewbank, Colonel W., Royal Engineers.
Fell, Brevet-Colonel M. H. G., R.A.M.C.
Fulton, Colonel (T.) F. C. R., Supply and Transport Corps.
Gaunt, Lieutenant-Colonel (T.) C. R., Reserve of Officers.
Gregson, Mr. E.G., C.I.E., Indian Police.
Hoskyn, Major J. C. M., I.A.
Ingram, Major C. R., R. W. Kent Regiment.
James, Lieutenant-Colonel S. P., I.M.S.
Jones, Commander B. H., R.I.M.
Knox, Lieutenant-Colonel S. G., C.I.E., Political Department.
Lewis, Captain (temporary) R. F, I.A.
Lindsay, Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. P., Supply and Transport Corps.
Noel, Captain E. W. C., Political Department.
Pirrie, Lieutenant-Colonel F. W., Survey of India.
Robertson, Chief Engineer H., R.I.M.

Rowland Hill, Mr. D., Postal Department.
Swiney, Colonel (T.) A. J. H., Royal Engineers.
Thomson, Mr. A. B., Postal Department.
Thyne, Commander W. K., R.I.M.
Ward, Lieutenant J. C., R.I.M.
Wilson, Captain A. T., C.M.G., D.S.O., Political Department.
Wilson, Captain R. C., I.A.
Winter, Lieutenant-Colonel C. B., I.A.
Wood, Lieutenant-Colonel C. B., Reserve of Officers.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 14th November 1916.

No. 1-W.-II.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, as subsequently amended, namely:—

1. After rule 11C the following rule shall be inserted, namely:—

Power to requisition output of mine

"11D. (1) Where in the opinion of the Governor General in Council the output of any mine can be utilised in connection with the present war the Governor General in Council or any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf may, by order in writing, require the owner or any person in charge of such mine to place at the disposal of the Governor General in Council at such time and place as may be specified in the order the whole or any part which may be specified in the order of such output and the Governor General in Council may dispose of and use such output in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient.

(2) Where in accordance with an order made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1) the output of any mine has been placed at the disposal of the Governor General in Council, the Governor General in Council shall pay to the owner of such output such compensation for any loss immediately attributable to such order and for any services rendered or expenses incurred in complying therewith as in default of agreement may be decided to be just and reasonable, having regard to the circumstances of the case, by the arbitration of a person having knowledge of the particular class of mineral of which such output consists and of the trade therein to be nominated in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, and such decision shall be final.

(3) If the owner or any other person in charge of any mine disobeys or neglects to comply with any order made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1) such owner or other person shall be deemed to have contravened these rules and the authority making the order may forthwith take possession of the output specified in the order and may dispose of and use the same in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient."

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The 18th November 1916.

No. 8-W.-A-G.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, viz.:—

Additions.

Cantorovitch, Is.
Cotta, J. M.
Joseph, R. M.
Rasool, C. G., and Sons.
Sadikoff, H. H. K.
Takaiwa, K., and Company.
Vaid, K. Edulji.
Wa Sun, ... Canton.
Yue Loong Hing Kee, ... Canton.

Alteration.

"Hong Sun, C." should read "Hong Sun."

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

The 18th November 1916.

No. 23-W.-II-C.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, and in supersession of this Department Notification No. 10307-W.-II, dated the 23rd October 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Wool) Rules, 1916, published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 5134-W.-II, dated the 28th June 1916, namely :—

At the commencement of rule 3 *before* the word "No" the words "Save as otherwise provided in this rule" shall be inserted and *after* the words "the Dhond-Baramati Railway" the following words shall be inserted, namely :—"the Bengal and North-Western, Oudh and Rohilkhund, Rohilkhund and Kumaun, Delhi-Umbala-Kalka, Kalka-Simla and North-Western Railways (the prohibition in the case of these six railways extends to Thibet wool only)."

CUSTOMS.

The 18th November 1916.

No. 22-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or land into British India of any goods in which or in the production, export or insurance of which the Chief Customs Officer at the place of import has reasoh to believe that any person, firm or body of persons residing, established or carrying on business in enemy territory, or any person, firm or body of persons to whom the export or from whom the import of goods has or may hereafter be specifically prohibited, is or has been as producer, exporter, insurer or otherwise interested :

Provided that nothing in this notification shall apply to goods in respect of which a certificate of interest or a certificate of origin and interest is required by the terms respectively of Notifications Nos. 9954-W.-II, or 9961-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916.

(TELEGRAPHS.)

The 18th November 1916.

No. 11169.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that, with effect from the 1st December 1916, the follow-

ing amendments shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6975-137 (Telegraphs), dated the 16th September 1909, as subsequently amended, namely :—

"In rule 4½, for the words 'six annas' the words 'eight annas' shall be substituted."

"In the third column of the statement appended to rule 59, against 'Ordinary,' 'annas 8' shall be substituted for 'annas 6'."

"In rule 93 for the words 'not less than six annas' the following shall be substituted 'not less than eight annas'."

"In rule 107 for the words 'six annas' the words 'eight annas' shall be substituted."

"In rule 121(3) for the words 'with a minimum of six pence or six annas' the words with a minimum of nine pence or nine annas' shall be substituted."

In the same rule the following shall be substituted for the illustrative table of charges :—

	If sent as Express.	Ordinary.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
(1) *On Indian Section.*—18 words (including the instruction "*c/o Telegraphs, Bombay*").	1 12	0 11
(2) Postage (including registration) from Bombay to London	0 1	0 1
(3) *On British Section*—15 words (excluding the instruction "*c/o Telegraphs, Bombay*").	0 10½	0 10½
Total ...	2 7½	1 6½

A. H. LEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th November 1916.

No. 10706-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, viz. :—

Additions.

Gerolimatos, D.	... ...	... Yunnan Fu.
Moore, J. H.	... .	... Shanghai.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2588M.—The 21st November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the following by-laws framed by the Commissioners of the Jhalakati Municipality in the district of Bakarganj :—

Bakarganj.

BY-LAWS FOR THE JHALAKATI MUNICIPALITY UNDER SECTION 350 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884.

DEFINITIONS.

Definitions. In these by-laws—

(1) "carriage" includes also a motor-car, and

(2) "cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871).

PENALTIES.

Fines. 2. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

Youthful drivers. 3. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving more than one carriage or cart. 4. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lights.

5. No person shall drive any cart and cycle between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows :—

(*a*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light,

(*b*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front :

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon or on the four nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Signals on motors and cycles

6. No person shall drive any motor-car, or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle, on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Cart laden with bricks, stones, etc.

7. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sitting or sleeping.

8. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

Depositing articles.

9. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose :

Provided that during the months of April, May and June, between the hours of 10 P.M and 5 A.M., *khatias* may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to persons using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Exposing articles for sale.

10. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause any obstruction on or near any road by exposing any article for sale on such road or on any of its slopes, drains or side-lands, or on any bridge or platform over a public drain adjoining such road.

Fine, Rs. 10 : on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Planting trees.

11. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Excavations and enclosure.

12. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Removing turf or cutting grass.

13. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

14. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road, or into any drain in or near a road, except through a down-pipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Discharge of water.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

15. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Throwing stones or missiles.

Fine, Rs. 10.

16. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Driving across a drain

Fine, Rs. 10.

17. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

18. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

Dust-bins.

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

19. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

Conveying sewage or offensive matter

(*a*) in a closely covered receptacle of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

20. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *tatti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Privies and urinals.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

21. No person shall kill, or clean the carcass of, any cattle or poultry on any road.

Killing poultry or cleaning carcasses

Fine, Rs. 10.

22. No person shall commit a nuisance by easing himself on or within sight of any road.

Easing oneself

Fine, Rs. 10.

23. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Closed roads

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING-OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

24. (1) No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Letting off firearms, etc.

(2) This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs and crackers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

Setting up obstruction.

25. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10: daily fine, Rs. 2.

Easing oneself.

26. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Throwing rubbish, sewage or offensive matter.

27. No person shall throw, deposit or discharge any rubbish, sewage or offensive matter into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cleanliness of banks and access for conservancy.

28. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply shall—

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorized in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Weeds.

29. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Steeping jute, hemp, etc.

30. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10: on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Washing in infected articles.

31. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Bathing by infected persons.

32. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER AND MANAGEMENT OF PRIVIES.

Depositing nightsoil.

33. No person shall deposit nightsoil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Access to municipal servants.

34. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier shall give free access to the servants of the Municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Removal of offensive matter from markets.

35. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10: on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

Disposal of carcasses.

36. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the conservancy overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Obstruction to drains.

37. No person shall deposit or cause to be deposited in or on the side of any public drain any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Constructing stall, platforms, etc., over a drain.

38. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Easing oneself.

39. No person shall ease himself at the side of any drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

Covering of corpse.

40. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing corpse on or near road.

41. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Burial or burning obligatory.

42. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depth of coffin or corpse in masonry grave.

43. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of non-masonry graves.

44. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves.

45. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening graves.

46. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Complete cremation.

47. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

48. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land.

49. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, nightsoil and other filth and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Cleanliness of shops, markets and slaughter-houses.

50. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Sale of prepared articles of food.

51. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food and every vendor or hawker of such articles shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Easing oneself in market

52. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Easing oneself at public places.

53. When places for the performance of offices of nature have been provided by the Commissioners, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any other place outside private premises.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Picketing or grazing cattle on public road.

54. No person shall picket or tether animals or graze cattle on any road or on the side or slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 5.

Infected clothing.

55. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Diseased or worn-out cattle

56. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS.

Cancellation of former by-laws

57. The by-laws which were confirmed by Eastern Bengal and Assam Government Notification No. 1800M., dated the 11th March 1908, and Bengal Government Notification No. 1786M., dated the 29th June 1914, are hereby cancelled.

Tippera.

No. 2561M.—The 15th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Comilla Municipality, in the district of Tippera, namely :—

The Civil Surgeon ... *Ex-officio.*
Mr. P. J. DeLauney.
Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Jabbar.
Babu Khetra Mohan Ray.
Nawab Saiyid Husain Haidar Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur.
The Rev. W. Barry.

Calcutta.

No. 2569M.—The 18th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (3) of section 72 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), Mr. A. C. Banerji Barrister-at-Law, has been re-appointed by the Corporation of Calcutta, with effect from the 18th November 1916, to be an Assessor of the Tribunal constituted under the said section for the purpose of performing the functions of the Court in reference to the acquisition of land for the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894.

Mymensingh.

No. 2575M.—The 20th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Sharafat Ali Khan to be a Commissioner of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, *vice* Munshi Mofizuddin Ahmad, deceased.

Faridpur.

No. 2567L.S.-G.—The 18th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Ballakandi Union in the district of Faridpur (as reconstituted by Notification No. 2565L.S.-G., dated the 18th November 1916), shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

This cancels notification No. 1911L.S.-G., dated the 12th August 1915.

Faridpur.

No. 2666L.S.-G.—The 18th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle Trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Baliakandi Union, in the district of Faridpur (as reconstituted by Notification No. 2565L.S.-G., dated the 18th November 1916), all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the same Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

This cancels notification No. 1904L.S.-G., dated the 12th August 1915.

Faridpur.

No. 2565L.S.-G.—The 18th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of mauzas in thana Baliakandi, in the district of Faridpur, into a Union:—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their jurisdiction list numbers.		Boundaries of the Union.
Faridpur ...	Baliakandi	7, of whom 4 to be elected and 3 appointed.	Chamta	... 16	*North*—Bil Pakuria, Bil Indurdi, Padamdi and Indurdi. *East*—Raipur, Hiskol and Madhupur. *South*—Paikkandi, Bhimnagar and Sukhua. *West*—Jangal, Garalkola, North Salmara Sonakuri and Beruli.
			Bhar Jabarkol	... 53	
			Bhar Indurdi	.. 54	
			Nischintapur	... 56	
			Irsulbari	.. 57	
			Bakchar	... 76	
			West Maukuri	... 75	
			East Maukuri	... 59	
			Baliakandi	... 58	
			Sripur	... 12	
			Jabarkol	... 11	
			Durgabardi	... 13	
			Deokol	... 14	
			Arazi Jabarkol	... 15	
			Banagram	... 17	
			Salki	... 55	
			South Salmara	... 78	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Baliakandi Union is not ripe for a solely elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of seven members, of whom three are to be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and four to be elected by the residents of the Union.

3. This cancels Notification No. 1896L.S.-G., dated the 12th August 1915.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR, *the 9th March 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

A State Scholarship of £200 or £250 per annum for European and Anglo-Indian Boys domiciled in India.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the above scholarship for the year 1917. The scholarship will be awarded for the purposes of general study and will be tenable for three or four years in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries. It carries with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectations of such employment are held out. The value of the scholarship will be £250 when held in a College at Oxford or Cambridge; otherwise £200.

2. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among the candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates are requested to forward their applications to the Inspector of European Schools, Bengal, No. 285, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta, from whom further particulars may be obtained, in time to reach the Director of Public Instruction not later than the 1st February 1917. The application should be accompanied by (1) evidence of the candidate having passed the European High School Examination or obtained a degree of an Indian University; (2) a certificate of the candidate's age being over 18 years and under 21 years on the 31st March 1917; (3) a medical certificate of physical fitness to undergo a course of study abroad; (4) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that he is a native of India within the meaning of Statute 33 Vict., cap. 3, section 6; and (5) full details, including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of his academic career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed in the United Kingdom.

3. The term "Native of India" in paragraph 2 above is not to be interpreted as excluding a person who, though born in a Native State or temporarily residing in a Native State, is domiciled in British India.

4. The selected scholar will be provided with a second class passage to England, and also with second class return passage if he carries out the instructions of the Secretary of State and completes the full period of residence, or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th November 1916.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IN partial modification of this office notification dated the 28th July 1915, the Presidency College Graduate Scholarships of the year 1915 are awarded to the undermentioned candidates and are tenable at the Presidency College with effect from the 1st January 1916 up to the 31st May 1917 :—

(1) Mohit Kumar Sen Gupta, B.A., Burdwan scholarship of Rs. 50 a month.

(2) Hemanta Kumar Chakravarti, B.A., Hindu College Foundation scholarship of Rs. 40 a month.

(3) Abhoy Kali Ghosh, B.A., Bird scholarship of Rs. 40 a month.

(4) Pran Kumar Mukerji, B.Sc., half of Gopi Mohan Tagore scholarship of Rs. 30 a month.
Lakshmi Nath Das, B.Sc., half of Gopi Mohan Tagore scholarship of Rs. 30 a month.

(5) Pran Kumar Mukerji, B.Sc., half of Hindu College Foundation scholarship of Rs. 25 a month.
Lakshmi Nath Das, B.Sc., half of Hindu College Foundation scholarship of Rs. 25 a month.

(6) Binode Behari Dutt, B.A., Hindu College Foundation scholarship of Rs. 25 a month.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 8th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

A State scholarship of £200 per annum tenable in the United Kingdom by European and Anglo-Indian Girls or Women domiciled in India.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the above scholarship. The scholarship will be granted for educational or medical training and will be tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries for a period of three to five years. It will, however, be granted in the first instance for three years. The scholarship will carry with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectation of such employment is held out.

2. The term "educational training" will be held to include (*a*) training of a secondary character for the teaching profession, (*b*) training in one or more branches of domestic sciences, (*c*) training as teachers of modern European languages, (*d*) training as music mistresses, (*e*) training as art teachers, (*f*) training in Kindergarten methods.

3. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates are requested to make application to the Inspector of European Schools, Bengal, No. 285, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta, from whom further particulars may be obtained, in time to reach the Director of Public Instruction not later than the 1st of February 1917. The applications should be accompanied by (1) evidence of having obtained a degree of an Indian University; (2) a medical certificate of physical fitness to undergo abroad the course of study proposed; (3) a certificate of age; (4) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that she is a native of India within the meaning of Statute 33 Vict., Cap. 3, section 6, and that her parents are not resident in India for temporary purposes only; (5) the names, addresses and other particulars of the candidate's friends or relatives in the United Kingdom willing to receive her during vacations, and (6) full details including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of her academic career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed in the United Kingdom.

4. The term "Native of India" is not to be interpreted as excluding a person who, though born in a Native State or temporarily residing in a Native State, is domiciled in British India.

5. The selected scholar will be provided with a second class passage to England, and also with a second class return passage if she carries out the instructions of the Secretary of State and completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

CALCUTTA.
The 13th November 1916.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

PLEADERS' SURVEY CLASSES, 1917.

1. Classes for the training of Pleaders in Surveying will be opened in January and February 1917 in connection with the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, the Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipur, the Dacca School of Engineering and the Survey School at Cuttack, provided sufficient candidates register their names at each centre.

2. The course will last for six weeks and will consist of practical work combined with class instruction. The routine and hours of attendance will be settled by the heads of the institutions, who will also decide the exact locality in which the classes will be held and the date of the opening.

3. Pleaders must make their own arrangements for attending this course. No tents or other residential accommodation will be provided.

4. Credit for attendance at these classes will not be given unless the pleader has been present for 80 per cent. of the working days and for the full working hours of each day.

5. Any candidate who desires to undergo the course of training must apply to the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than 30th November. His application must be endorsed by the District Judge. It should state the centre which the candidate wishes to join, *i.e.*, Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, and should be accompanied by a remittance receipt from the local treasury certifying that the fee of Rs. 100 has been paid into the treasury to the credit of the Engineering College.

6. The Secretary will allot candidates to the centres, consulting their wishes as far as possible, giving not more than 34 and not less than 8 to a centre. He will then inform the heads of the institutions of the names and addresses of the candidates registered at their centre and they will inform the candidates as to the locality and the date of opening.

7. The following is the syllabus of instruction. No definite text-books are prescribed :—

(*a*) Practical work—

Chain surveying, Prismatic compass surveying, plane tabling and levelling.

(*b*) Class work—

Use of mathematical instruments.		Variation of compass.
Construction of scales	...	Preparation of field books from maps.
Mensuration of areas	...	Elementary principle of levelling.
Plotting ...	...	Plotting of level sections.

Candidates who obtain the required percentage of attendance at this course of instruction are qualified to appear at the Practical Examination held in 1918, 1919 and 1920.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, and Secy. to the Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 2nd November 1916.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF PLEADERS IN SURVEYING.

(*See* Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909.)

(*Modified in Government Notification No. 320J.D., dated 16th July 1914.*)

1. The next examination will be held in February 1917 and will be conducted at the following centres (provided that not less than five names be registered at each centre) :—Sibpur and Dacca, in Bengal, and Bankipur and Cuttack, in Bihar and Orissa

2. Each examination is complete in itself. A candidate will be required to pass by every test and will not be exempted from any test on the ground that he has previously satisfied the examiner in it.

3. Candidates practising in the Courts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions will be required to present themselves at Sibpur, in Orissa at Cuttack, in Patna, Tirhoot, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions at Bankipur, and in Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions at Dacca.

4. In the event of more than 20 or less than 5 names being registered for examination at any one centre, the Secretary may direct the candidates to present themselves at any other centre.

5. No candidate will be admitted to the examination unless he has been enrolled as a Pleader and

(*i*) has obtained credit for attendance at the special course of instruction at Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, in 1913, 1914 and 1915, and has not previously appeared at the examination more than twice, or

(*ii*) has been registered for admission to the Intermediate Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University, or

(*iii*) has passed the Sub-Overseer Examination, or

(*iv*) has obtained the Surveyor's certificate of one of the Government Survey Schools, or

(*v*) has been specially exempted from the operation of this rule by the Board controlling the examination.

6. Candidates wishing to appear at the examination will apply upon the prescribed registration form, obtain the necessary countersignature of the District Judge in whose Court he is enrolled, and forward the same so as to reach the Secretary of the Examination Board at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than the 11th January 1917. The form may be had from the Principal, Civil Engineering College.

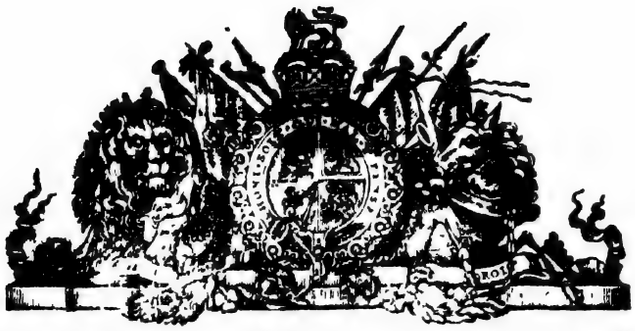
7. Each application must be accompanied by a receipt from the local treasury certifying to the receipt of the examination fee of Rs. 50, *which fee will in no case be returned.*

8. The exact date of the examination and the proposed programme will be published in the Calcutta, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam Gazettes.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,
and Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 2nd November 1916.*



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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notices of Sale.

NOTIFICATION A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
339-0	Mallari, pargana Plassy.	.....	.....	2a. 9g. 3c. 1kag annas share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Tarak Das Dasi, mother, on behalf of Kali Das and others.	1,121 0 0	.....	14 10 9
2	Satkarchandra, pargana Shahnasial.	.....	.....	1 anna share ... ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukerjee	685 5 2	.....	174 5 9

Krishnagar, the 18th November 1916.

BISWESWAR BHATTACHARYA, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Jessore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 4th January 1917, at noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
8041-1	Dihi Karora, pargana Rajpur.	.....	No ...	18a. 3g. 1c. 1k.	Gopi Devi and others	Rs. A. P. 685 12 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 20 11

Jessore, the 16th November 1916.

B. N. RAU, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2466 Rjmail	Manada Sundari and others, pargana Govindapur.	Rs. A. P. 653 13 0	No	13a. 8g. 1c. 3k. 12 tils shares only The remaining 2a. 11g. 2c. 8 tils share of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Manada Sundari Dasi, guardian of Atul Chandra Ghose minor, and others.	Rs. A. P. 550 13 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue— 24 3 9 Cess— 4 14 9 29 2 6

Rajshahi, the 17th November 1916.

A. CAMBELLS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrear due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
284	Taluk Char Panchash Hazari, pargana Shahajapur.	Rs. A. P. 1,595 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jadob Chandra Bagchi and others	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P. 65 12 0	Rs. A. P. .....
285	Ditto ditto ...	2,526 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Roy Parvati Sankar Choudhuri and others.	.....	190 0 1	.....

Faridpur, the 17th November 1916.

K. B. GOSSAIN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th December 1916, at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1916 which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Raozan, Patiya, Town, and Satkania and Hathazari, kismat Ambika Bahalta, taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 10 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Srimati Bama Sundari, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	182 1 6	.....
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abdul Fazal.	643½ 3 7	Ditto ...	.....	Abdul Rauf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi and others.	.....	490 15 6	.....
478	Thana Hathazari, Fatikchari, Raozan, Patiya and Town, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,468 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest of 6as. will be sold excluding the unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest of 0as. 1p. 6¾kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-6 and also paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10p. 13¼kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-13-2.	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	923 8 6	.....	228 15 2
764	Thana Hathazari, Patiya, Raozan and Town, taraf Darpa Narayan.	2,902 9 0	Only a share will be sold	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 5 to the extent of interest 6as. 5p. 16¾kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary shares and shares Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28 and 29 to the extent of interest 6as 10p. 14¼kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,280-12-4 and also unpaid shares 4, 13, 25 and 26 to the extent of interest 2as. 7p. 9kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 478-8.	Ram Krishna Sen, Rasik Ch. Ray.	1,176 4 8	.....	185 5 6
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf mauza Harina Bahalta, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Rouf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi.	.....	108 4 9	.....
1242	Thana Satkania according to recent cadastral survey Bashkhali, Patiya according to recent cadastral survey Anwara, taraf Inambox.	697 5 4	Ditto ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	207 8 0	.....
1512	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town and Satkania, taraf Krishna Kishore Kanungoe	645 6 7	Ditto ...	.....	Satish Ch. Rakhit, Atul Ch. Nandi and others.	.....	135 11 4	.....
1513	Thana Patiya Sitakund, Raozan, Satkania, Hathazari and Town taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	862 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Srimati Promoda Kumari for Ramesh Charan Ray, Srimati Soudamini Ray for Akhoy Kumar Nag.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1885	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, taraf Md. Rahi Khansama.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De for self and on behalf of Kashi Chandra and others, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	273 6 11	.....
2868	Thana Fatikchari, Hathazari according to recent cadastral survey Raozan, taraf Ona Abdul Hossain.	721 8 9	Ditto ...	.....	Sheik Hasi Md. Isa ...	.....	182 12 8	.....
2884	Thana Chakaria, Patiya, Town, Raozan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share to the extent of interest 12as. and 10p. will be sold excluding paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3as. 2p. paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Srimati Rahimunissa...	681 6 6	.....	201 0 0

Chittagong, the 25th October 1916.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

DISTRICT CHARITABLE SOCIETY.

Cash Account for the month of September, 1916.

Budget for 1916.	Income.	September 1916.	Total.	Total from January to September 1916.	Budget for 1916.	Expenditure.	September 1916.	Total.	Total from January to September 1916.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	GRANT-IN-AID—					POOR RELIEF—			
14,400	Government of India	1,200 0 0		10,800 0 0	25,565	Through Indian Committee, Pensions.	1,992 6 0		18,987 15 0
3,000	,, ,, Bengal	250 0 0		2,250 0 0					
4,000	Sunday fees	.....		7,110 0 0					
699	Corporation to Alma House.	.....		91 7 0	1,900	Through Indian Committee, Establishment.	155 0 0		1,388 7 0
2,000	Royal Calcutta Turf Club.	.....		.....	22,000	Central Office, Pensions.	1,767 0 0		15,284 0 0
			1,450 0 0		4,000	Central Office, Schooling.	231 8 0		2,131 8 0
					8,500	Central Office, Casual Relief.	556 13 0		8,760 15 9
	PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTIONS—				1,200	Central Office, Training and Outfit.	94 0 0		544 10 6
6,000	Recurring	261 0 0		4,509 0 0					
6,000	New Subscriptions and Donations.	588 0 0		7,290 12 6	1,500	Central Office, Private Orders.	81 14 6		780 0 0
180	Contribution towards rent.	15 0 0		135 0 0	200	Central Office, A. G. Apcar's Charity.	.....		158 12 0
600	Xmas Dinner collections.	.....		.....	600	Central Office, Xmas Dinner account.	.....		4 2 0
			864 0 0		780	Howrah Committee	.....		.....
								4,788 9 6	
	DONATION TO INDIAN COMMITTEE—								
100	Received by the Central Office.	.....		.....		ALMS HOUSE—			
			.....		3,564	Establishment and Enquiry Officer.	332 0 0		2,958 0 0
					15,000	Dieting	1,073 10 6		9 984 10 9
					2,000	Contingencies ...	157 3 0		1,855 13 5
	INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS—				1,000	Clothing and Bedding.	.....		776 7 0
600	General Fund ...	.....		280 0 0	1,500	Repairs	.....		599 0 0
21,000	Trust Funds "A" ...	353 6 2		21,910 15 7	5,800	Bakery account ...	425 15 9		3,862 7 9
19,000	,, ,, "B" ...	.....		12,107 11 9	8,000	Oil-crushing account	124 2 0		7,361 10 6
			353 6 2					2,112 15 3	
	RELIEF FUNDS—								
1,500	Private orders ...	110 6 0		794 9 0		ESTABLISHMENT—			
200	Apcar's Charity ...	.....		200 0 0	9,174	Central Office, Staff and Menials.	752 8 0		7,654 8 0
			110 6 0		300	Auditing	150 0 0		300 0 0
					1,200	Rent	100 0 0		900 0 0
					750	Contingencies ...	299 13 3		840 5 0
	ALMS HOUSE—				550	Printing and advertising.	37 6 0		775 15 0
5,800	Bakery account ...	471 9 9		4,398 9 6				1,339 11 3	
9,000	Oil-crushing account	541 13 6		5,176 8 0					
			1,013 7 3						
5,000	DeSouza Home ...	539 15 9		5,461 12 3		SUNDRY CHARGES—			
	Deposit account ...	.....		2,933 11 10	100	Bank of Bengal ...	.....		65 6 3
			539 15 9					... ...	
			4,321 3 2	84,749 1 5					
	Stock Account Ram Sebuk Chatterjee's Fund.	.....	.....	500 0 0					
	Mrs. R. A. Claudius' Fund.	.....	.....	1,600 0 0	8,000	DeSouza Home ...	600 14 3		5,523 0 9
					2,005	Deposit account ...	483 13 0		4,761 6 4
								1 084 11 3	
								9,326 15 3	98,509 0 0
						Bank of Bengal Safe Custody Deposit Account.	.....		2,100 0 0
								... ...	
1,12,779	Total ...	.....	4,321 3 2	86,849 1 5	1,26,428	Total ...	.....	9,326 15 3	98,509 0 0

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance	.....	17,234 11 10	Total payments from 1st January to 30th September 1916.	....	98,509 0 0
			Cash in hand	674 11 9	
Total Receipts from 1st January to 30th September 1916.	.....	86,849 1 5	Balance at Bank	4,798 1 8	
					5,474 13 5
Total ...	.....	1,04,083 13 3	Total ...	.....	1,04 083 13 3

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd October 1916.

S. K. BHUTTACHARJEE,
Accountant.

T. R. MILLETT,
for *Secretary.*

			Rs.	Rs.
1915	Donations and New Subscriptions,	January to August ...	12,963	
	,, ,, ,,	September	573	
				13,536
1916	,, ,, ,,	January to August ..	13,905	
	,, ,, ,,	September	588	
				14,493

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 14th November 1916.

LIABILITIES	Rs.	A	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,08,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs 1,10,27,583 3 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,04,82,175 12 4	2,15,09,709	0	2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	20,69,89,178	7	1
Bank Post Bills, etc	14,18,486	12	8
Sundries	13,64,138	4	9
	27,20 81,512	8	3

ASSETS	Rs	A	P.
Government Securities	6,52,79,147	12	0
Other authorized Investments	1,11,08,145	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	2,98,46,180	1	10
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	5,94,40 255	9	8
Bills discounted and purchased	2,80,69,669	13	7
Balances with other Banks	89,20,972	3	11
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	29,23,066	2	11
Stamps	11,911	7	0
Sundries	3,69,673	4	2
	20,09,69,021	7	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...Rs. 3,26,94,548 8 4			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs 3,84,17,942 8 10	7,11,12,491	1	2
	27,20,91,512	8	3

* Includes Nova & ½ Nova.; value Rs 3,51,555 0 0
† Do do do „ 8,61,907 8 0

Rs 12,13,462 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans. 8 per cent
Percentage, 30·74

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 16th November 1916

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant

N. H. Y. WARREN.
Secretary and Treasurer

(2464—1)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 25th day of November 1916, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the decrees made in suit No. 1169 of 1911 (wherein Balkissen Das Daga and others are the plaintiffs and Hari Das Ghose and others are the defendants), and dated respectively the 1st day of April 1912 and 10th day of January 1916, the undermentioned property belonging to the defendants :—

Lot I.—All that partly three-storied and partly two-storied brick-built messuage, tenement, hereditaments and premises, together with the land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by measurement 2 cottahs and 15 square feet, situate, lying at and being premises No. 10, Sunker Halder's Bye Lane (formerly No. 13, Sunker Halder's Lane) in Ahiritolla in the northern division of the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded on the north by premises No. 15, Sunker Halder's Lane, on the east by premises No. 9, Sunker Halder Bye Lane, on the south by Sunker Halder Bye Lane and on the west by premises No. 11, Sunker Halder Bye Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at the office of Messrs. O. C. Gangoly & Co., the Attorneys for the plaintiffs, at No. 7, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the time of the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

O. C. Gangoly & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 25th day of August 1916. (2420—1—2571)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court in his sale-room in the Court House on Saturday, the 25th day of November 1916, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the preliminary and final decrees made in suit No. 649 of 1909 (wherein The Bhowanipore Banking Corporation Limited is the plaintiff and Jogendra Nath Sircar and others are the defendants) and dated respectively the 30th day of August 1909 and the 13th day of March 1911, the undermentioned properties described in the mortgage in suit as follows :—

Lot 1.—In district Hooghly, pargana Balia, thana Jagatbullubpore, Sub-Registry Jagatbullubpore, included in Tauji No. 79, Putni Taluk No. 5, mouzah Modham Maju, Uttar Maju, Santosh Bati, Kajirhate, Chongghurali, Mullickpore, Kashi Bati, Gabberia, and thana Chanditolla, Sub-Registry Jonai, mouzah Chhita Santosh Bati, better known as Bhadua, in respect of 9 annas share whereof an annual rent Rs. 2,465-7-4 has to be paid to the estate of the zamindar Srijut Babu Manick Lall Seal Mohasoy, and in respect of the remaining 7 annas share Rs. 1,917-8-3 as rent to the estate of the zamindar Srijut Babu Preo Nath Chattopadhaya Mohasoy

Also—

Lot 2.—The rent-free land measuring 4 cottahs 5 chittacks and 16 square feet more or less with the single-storied brick-built house consisting of 2 rooms or godowns standing on a part thereof, together with the boundary walls situate at and being premises No. 21, Durga Churn Mukhopadhya's Street, Baghbazar, in the town of Calcutta, bounded as follows:—on the North by Durga Churn Mukhopadhya's street, on the East by Galliff Lane, on the south by Annoda Prasad Neogi Lane, and on the West by premises No. 20, Durga Churn Mukhopadhya Lane, belonging to Narayan Chunder Shaha.

The abstracts of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at No. 10, Hastings Street, Calcutta, at the office of Babu Subodh Chandra Mitter, attorney for the plaintiff Bank, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

Subodh Chandra Mitter,

Attorney for the plaintiff Bank.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 4th September 1916. (2468—1—2611)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 54 of 1915.

Re Rash Behary Dass, *ex parte* the creditor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter, and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 2nd day of January 1917 except Saturday and Sunday.

Like notice in the matter of Robin Ezra Gubboy, *ex parte* the debtor, No. 47 of 1916.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee of Calcutta.

Calcutta, the 16th November 1916 (2466—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 218 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 27th July 1916, made by Roma Nath Ghosh, son of late Digambar Ghosh, of Syampur, thana Budge-Budge, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 31st day of October 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2401—1—2600)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 219 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 28th July 1916, made by Sital Chandra Mandal, son of Muchiram Mandal, of Paikparah, thana Budge-Budge, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 31st day of October 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2402—1—2601)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1916.

In the matter of Goetha Behari Pal, Rakhal Chandra Pal and Niharon Chandra Pal, sons of late Kunjo Behari Pal, of Sonamukhi, thana Sonamukhi, district Bankura, petitioners.

PURSUANT to the petition dated 17th May 1916 of the debtors themselves, and on reading their statements and hearing Babu Mohendra Nath Mukherji, pleader, it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents

C. TINDALL, District Judge.

Bankura, the 13th November 1916. (2447—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Asutosh Chakravarti, son of late Chandra Mohun Chakravarti of Rashiara, thana Onda, district Bankura, has been admitted by this Court as No. 6 of 1916, and that 9th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

C. TINDALL, District Judge.

Bankura, the 13th November 1916. (2446—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1916 (SUMMARY).

NOTICE is hereby given that Jotindra Lal Datta, son of late Ishan Chandra Datta, of Dubrajpur, thana Dubrajpur, district Birbhum, applicant in the above case, was adjudged an insolvent by this Court on the 1st November 1916.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Suri, the 18th November 1916. (2474—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 68 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Satyandra Nath Das, son of Nilkamal Das, of Kashiaish, thana Patiya, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 23rd September 1916, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 11th December 1916 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 11th November 1916. (2438—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 70 OF 1916

WHEREAS Mosan Ali, son of Umar Ali, of Fatehabad, thana Hathazari, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 25th September 1916, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 12th of December 1916 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 11th November 1916. (2439—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 73 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Chand Mirjan, son of late Asgar Ali, of Masajidya, thana Sitakund, has applied to this Court by a petition dated the 2nd November 1916 to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th of December 1916 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 17th November 1916. (2472—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 65 OF 1916

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 18th September 1916, filed by Lalmiah Sadagar, son of Wasimiah Sadagar, of Kutgar, Joy Nagar, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 14th day of November 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2473—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 53 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 23rd of August 1916, filed by Chandra Kumar Nandy, son of Swarup Chandra Nandy, of Habilasdip, thana Patiya, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed receiver.

Dated this 17th day of November 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2479—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 26 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 5th April 1916, made by debtor Shaik Kaudooni, son of late Shabhu Khan, of Tilli, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 11th day of November 1916.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJEA, Sub-Judge.

(2441—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the Additional District Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 8 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th March 1916, filed by Bhuvan Mohan Talukdar, son of Kista Mangal Talukdar, of Taratia, police-station Lohajong, district Dacca, debtor, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 9th day of November 1916.

J. JOHNSTON, Addl. District Judge.

(2448—1)

NOTICE.

In the First Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 89 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Ananda Chandra Saha, son of late Gobinda Chandra Saha, of Narasingdi, police-station Narasingdi, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 19th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 16th November 1916. (2471—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Deputy Commissioner at Darjeeling.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 21 OF 1916.

Swarath Ram of Sukiapokhari, applicant.

TAKE notice that the Court has fixed the 23rd day of November 1916 for the consideration of a composition (or scheme of arrangement) submitted by Swarath Ram, the debtor in the above insolvency petition. No creditor who has not proved his debt before the aforesaid date will be permitted to vote on the consideration of the above matter, if any one desire to be represented at the above mentioned hearing, you should be present in person or by duly instructed pleader with your proofs.

LIONEL BURROWS, *for* Deputy Commissioner.

Darjeeling, the 11th November 1916. (2465—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 89 OF 1916 (INSOLVENCY).

FUTU MISTRY, son of Satghoria Mistry, resident of Nakhapara, police-station Pirganj, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 7th December 1916 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner.

ASHUTOSH GUPTA, Subordinate Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 13th November 1916. (2440—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 71 OF 1916 (INSOLVENCY).

TARA CHAND SARKAR, son of Jonaku Sarkar, deceased, resident of Mirjapur, police-station Kaliaganj, district Dinajpur, was, on 15th September 1916, adjudicated an insolvent.

ASHUTOSH GUPTA, Subordinate Judge in charge.

Dinajpur Judge's Office, the 16th November 1916.

(2467—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 63 OF 1916 (INSOLVENCY)

AMIRADDIN SARKAR, son of Aley Mahamed Sarkar, resident of Dhakdhole, police-station Kusamandi, district Dinajpur, was, on the 14th September 1916, adjudicated an insolvent.

ASHUTOSH GUPTA, Subordinate Judge in charge.

The 17th November 1916. (2469—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 64 OF 1916
(INSOLVENCY).

ALEY MAHAMMED SARKER, son of Panaulla Sarker, deceased, resident of Dhakdhole, police-station Kusumandi, district Dinajpur, was, on the 14th September 1916, adjudicated as insolvent.

ASHUTOSH GUPTA, Subordinate Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 17th November 1916. (2470—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 19, 20, 21 OF 1916.

(1) Bipin Haldar, (2) Basudeb Haldar, (3) Ramdev Haldar, sons of late Guru Charan Haldar, of Nagardi, police-station Rajoir, district Faridpur, petitioners.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed persons have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents. The 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the petition and examination of the debtors.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 11th November 1916. (2458—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 50 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 31st July 1916, filed by Nibaran Jana, day-labourer of Chaipat, pargana Khariji Mondalghat, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Mohini Mohon Das, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 23rd November 1916 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 23rd November 1916 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 13th day of November 1916.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

(2459—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Bijay Krishna Ray, of Baluchar, Beguuganj, police-station Jiaganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 2nd December 1916.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 14th November 1916. (2463—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 54 OF 1916
(ACT III OF 1907.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Bidhu Bhusan Ghose and others, of Jaipurhat, district Bogra, that the insolvency petition of Shyama Charan Ghose, son of late Iswar Chandra Ghose, of Sara, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 11th December has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 14th November 1916. (2475—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 58 OF 1916
(ACT III OF 1907.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Rajani Sarder and others, of Hemrajpur, police-station Sujanagar, district Pabna, that the insolvency petition of Trailakhya Nath Khan, son of late Ramsundar Khan, of Nischintapur, police-station Sujanagar, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 14th November 1916. (2476—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 109 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Upendra Narayan Chakravarty and others, of Atgharia, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, that the insolvency petition of Kandu Sheik, son of Andharia Sheik, of Hajipur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 2nd December next has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 14th November 1916. (2477—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 110 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Mahiruddin Talukder, of Dhupil, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, that the insolvency petition of Rahimuddin Sheik, son of late Sakhat Sheik, of Hajipur police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 2nd December has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 14th November 1916. (2478—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 261 OF 1916.

Abdul Aziz Khan, *alias* Ekbal Hossain Khan, son of late Sarfaraz Khan, of 32, Phulbagan Road, thana Beniapooker, district 24-Parganas, applicant

To Ulfat Bibi and 5 others, creditors.

ON the 16th day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 17th November 1916. (2327—1—2525)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 262 OF 1916.

Mahamad Tahid, of Khiderpur Manashtolah, thana Watgunge, applicant.

To Musaji Ahamad Saleji and others, creditors.

ON the 12th day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 17th November 1916. (2328—1—2526)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 269 OF 1916

Nobo Gazi, son of late Ekabbar Gazi, of Faridkati, thana Baduria, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Provat Chandra Chakraburty and two others, creditors.

ON the 16th day of September 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 17th November 1916.

(2332—1—2539)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 190 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 5th July 1916, made by Surja Kumar Biswas, son of late Brindaban Biswas, of 40, Kamardanga Road, thana Entally, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 31st day of October 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2397—1—2602)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 204 OF 1916

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th July 1916 made by Hridoy Nath Karmakar, son of late Darpa Narain Karmakar, of Khidirpur, Munshigunge, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 31st day of October 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2398—1—2597)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 209 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 20th July 1916, made by Jamini Kanto Pal, son of late Umakanto Pal, of Bhowanipur, Jagu Babu's Bazar, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Dated this 31st day of October 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2399—1—2598)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 216 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 26th July 1916, made by Horendra Nath Chattopadhya, of 76-3, Rusa Road North, Bhowanipur, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 31st day of October 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2400—1—2599)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 224 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition dated the 4th August 1916, made by Nogendra Nath Singha, son of late Dhakur Das Singha, of village Beniapukur, thana Ballygunge, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 31st day of October 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2403—1—2596)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 271 OF 1916.

Sheik Bhutai Kalaikor, son of Shaik Dorab, of Enathnagore, thana Bistupur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Paraboi Jamadar and others, creditors.

ON the 31st day of October 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1916.

(2409—1—2604)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 272 OF 1916.

Durgadas Chandra, son of late Ram Kumar Chandra, of Talligunge, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Biman Behari Kundu and others, creditors.

ON the 31st day of October 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1916. (2410—1—2605)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 273 OF 1916.

Jotindra Nath De, son of late Debendra Nath De, of No. 10, Beniapukur Road, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Bejoy Kristo Gupta and others, creditors.

ON the 31st day of October 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1916. (2411—1—2606)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 274 OF 1916.

Baikuntha Nath Kundu, son of late Ramdhan Kundu, of 5-1, Tengra Road, thana Entally, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Baidya Nath Routh and others, creditors.

ON the 1st day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1916. (2412—1—2607)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 277 OF 1916.

Kshetra Mohan Haldar, son of late Sukhamoy Haldar, 40, South Road, Entally, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Sarat Chandra Sadhukhan and others, creditors.

ON the 31st day of October 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1916. (2413—1—2608)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 278 OF 1916.

Baharuddin Biswas, of Mathura, police-station Aindanga, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Taibulla Mandal, creditor.

ON the 1st day of November 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 27th day of November 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1916. (2414—1—2603)

Notice.

WANTED by the Jessore District Board one Sub-Overseer for 4 months on a salary of Rs. 25 and consolidated allowance of Rs. 15 a month for taking census of sources of water-supply in the Jhenidah sub-division. Applications from intending candidates stating qualifications, age and particulars of past services, if any, with copies of testimonials and full address, will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th instant.

BIJAY K. MITRA,
Vice-Chairman, District Board.

Jessore, the 17th November 1916. (2421—2)

Notice.

WANTED a qualified Sanitary Inspector by the District Board, 24-Parganas, for six months for the present on a monthly salary of Rs. 50 and a fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15.

Applications with copies of testimonials, stating age and past services, will be received by the undersigned up to 30th November 1916. The selected candidate will have to join at once.

J. LANG, Chairman, District Board,
24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 14th November 1916. (2445—2)

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department will be held on 1st February 1917 at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital, at these stations and from—

Calcutta.	Simla.
Dinapur.	Rangoon.
Allahabad.	Madras.
Agra	Ootacamund.
Lucknow.	Bangalore.
Meerut.	Trichinopoly.
Bareilly.	Jhansi.
Jubbulpore.	Sialkot.
Ambala.	Fyzabad.
Lahore Cantonment.	Aden.
Rawalpindi.	Maymyo.
Secunderabad.	Karachi.
Wellington.	Bombay.
Quetta.	Mhow.
Shillong.	Poona.
Peshawar.	Kamptee.
Kasauli.	Mandalay.
Ajmer.	

(1) The Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service, Simla.

(2) The Personal Assistants to the Surgeons General with the Governments of Bengal, Madras and Bombay.

(3) All Administrative Medical Officers and the Principals of the Medical Colleges at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

H. F. CLEVELAND, COL., I.M.S.,
Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 1st November 1916.

Notice.

SEALED tenders for the supply of meat (beef and mutton best grass fed) at all the Cantonment Stations in the 8th (Lucknow) Division from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1918, will be received by the Deputy Assistant Director of Supplies, 8th (Lucknow) Division up to 12 noon on the 12th December 1916.

2 Further particulars, forms of tenders and schedules can be obtained on application in writing to the above officer up to 30th November 1916 on payment of Re. 1 for each set of forms. No tenders will be received except on forms issued from his office

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 056705 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 500 originally standing in the name of Hari Das Sreemaney and last endorsed to Aswini Kumar Das Gupta, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Aswini Kumar Das Gupta.
Residence—Bhatia, P.O. Siddhakati, Dist. Barisal.

(2481—3—2610)

Notice.

A MEETING of the creditors of the Premier Assurance Company, Limited (in Liquidation), will be held on Sunday, the 10th December 1916, at 1-30 P.M. in the Company's Registered Office at premises No. 227, Harrison Road, Calcutta.

BARODA PROSAD CHAKRAVARTY,
Pleader, Uluberia ; and Liquidator of the Premier Assurance Company, Limited (in Liquidation).

(2461—1—2595)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, and In the matter of the Sramajibi Samavaya, Ld.

IT is hereby notified that the above Company was voluntarily wound up by an Extraordinary Resolution passed in the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 8th November 1916 and Mr. M. K. Dandeker, Incorporated accountant, has been appointed liquidator.

DEBENDRA NATH BAGCHI, President.

90-2A, Harrison Road, Calcutta, the 15th November 1916. (2462—1)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act and In the matter of the Shramajibi Samavaya, Ld. (In Liquidation).

A MEETING of the creditors in the above matter will be held on the 4th December 1916 at 3 P.M. at 12, Dalhousie Square Calcutta, to consider the matter arising out of section 209 (1) of the Indian Companies Act of 1913.

M. K DANDEKER,
Incorporated Accountant, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 20th November 1916. (2480—1—2609)

The Premier Assurance Co., Ld. (In Liquidation.)

AT the Extraordinary General Meeting of the shareholders of the Premier Assurance Company, Limited, held on Sunday, the 12th November 1916, the following Resolution was confirmed :-

That this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Babu Baroda Prosad Chakravarty, pleader, Uluberia, be hereby appointed Liquidator of such winding up.

THAKURDAS GHOSE, Chairman.

(2460—1—2594)

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office		
* United Kingdom, Allied countries, and West Africa. Also South Africa (if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom).	Friday ..	7-15 P.M	
N.B.—Money-orders for the United Kingdom, Europe and America are accepted up to 4 P.M. on Thursday at any office, and parcels up to 1 P.M. on mail day at the G P.O.			
Egypt, America, and other countries	Wednesday	7-15	,,
Ceylon	Daily ...	6-30	,,
† Straits Settlements, Siam, Cochin China, Annam, Cambodia, Tonquin China, Japan, etc., per SS. "Sulsang."	Nov. 21	7-30	,,
† Straits Settlements, Siam, Cochin China, Annam, Cambodia and Tonquin *vid* Negapatam.	,, 22	7-30	,,
Burma	,, 23	7-30	,,
Port Blair (direct)	,, 26	7-30	,,
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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 13th November 1916.*

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip Entrance—Information with regard to Depths.

No. 340 (first publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1045 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Point Lonsdale, lat 38° 17¾′ S., long. 144° 37′ E.

Details.—The fairway at the entrance to Port Phillip has been deepened to 40 feet for a width of 1,000 feet, eastward of the line of Shortland bluff leading lights, and extending from the line of leading lights to the line of the Obelisk and Shortland bluff high light.

Except under the most favourable circumstances of sea and tide, it is considered dangerous to navigate any vessel having a greater draught than 32 feet through the entrance.

Note.—The cautionary note on the charts is to be amended to read :—
"*It is dangerous to navigate any vessel having a greater draught than 32 ft. through the entrance to Port Phillip (1916).*"

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, pages 424, 428, 475; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice, No. 15 of 1916. (*H. 5382/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SULU SEA.

Tub Bataha Reefs—Amendments to Charts.

No. 341 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 1047 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—North rock, lat. 8° 55¼′ N., long. 120° 02′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts respecting the position and extent of the Tub Bataha reefs, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 967, 2578, 943, 2660*b* and 1263.

Remarks.—It will be observed that the elevation of Tub Bataha light is 65 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.

„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.

„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1136.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 72.

Authority.—U.S.A. Government Chart. (*H. 5300/16*).

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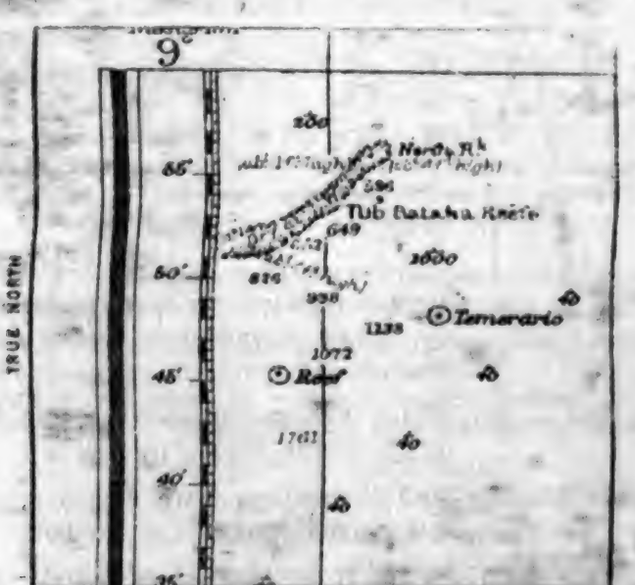

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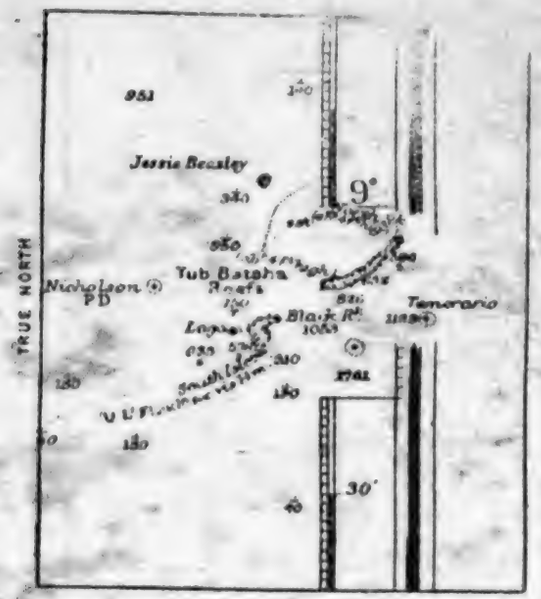

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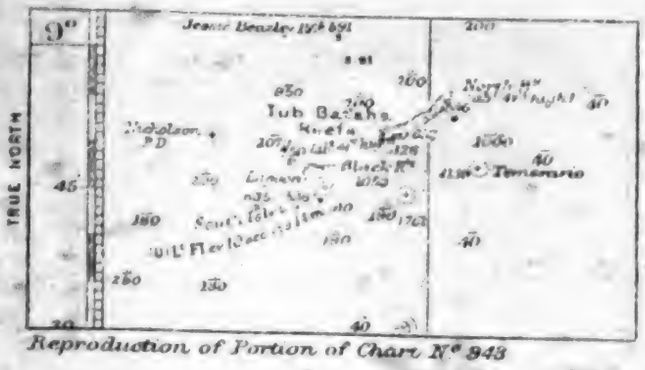

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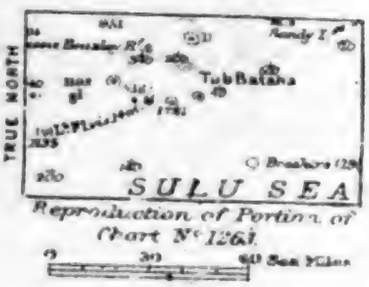

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PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Palawan Island, North-East Coast—Existence of Shoals.

No. 342 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1048 of 1916), are republished :—

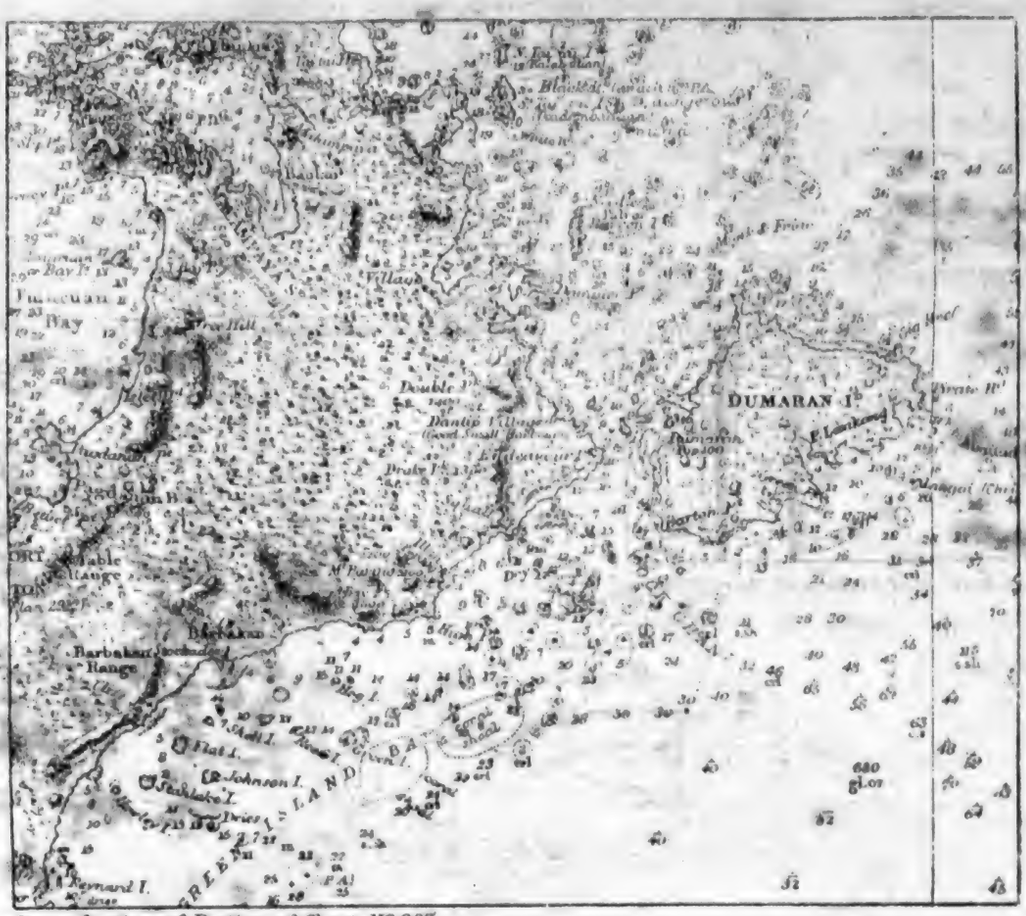
Position.—North point of Palawan island, lat. 11° 26′ N., long. 119° 29′ E.

Details.—The existence of numerous shoals, and amendments to the charts with regard to existing shoals off the north-east coast of Palawan island, and westward of Kalamion (Kulion) island, embodying the latest information, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 967, 2577, 2661*b*, 943 and 2660*b*.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.
„ 2577, Philippine islands, between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion, eastern sheet.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion, eastern sheet.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, pages 53 to 95.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, pages 207, 208.

Authority.—U.S.A. Government Chart. (*H. 5263/16.*)



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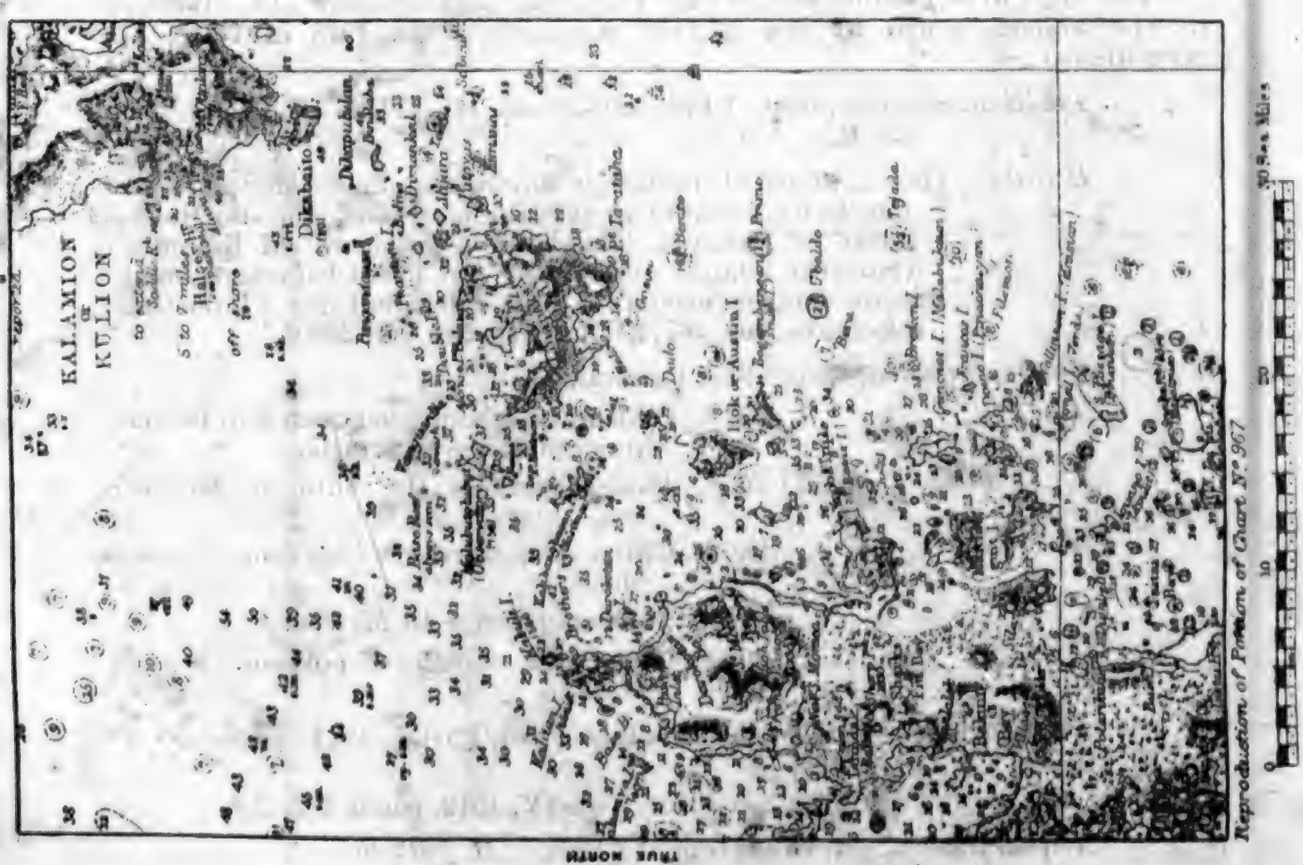

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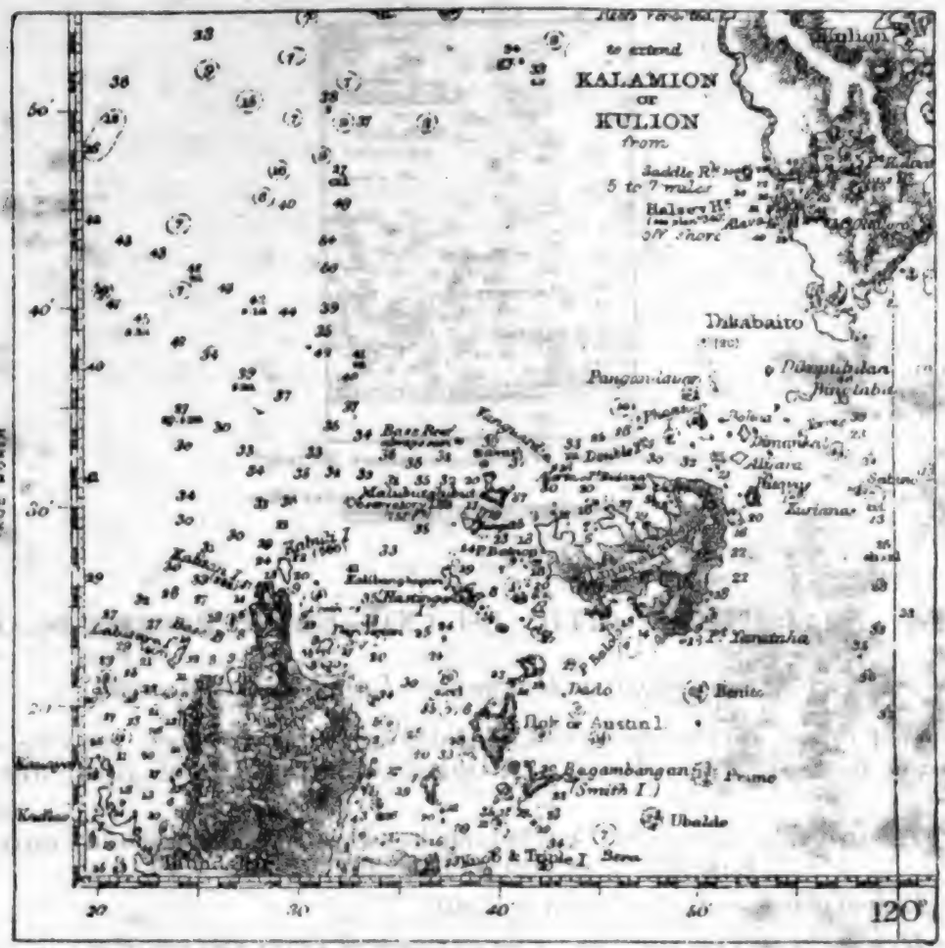

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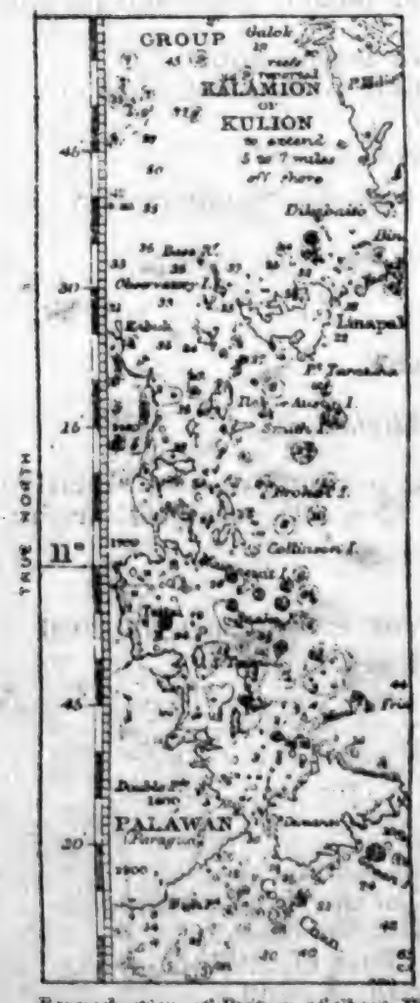

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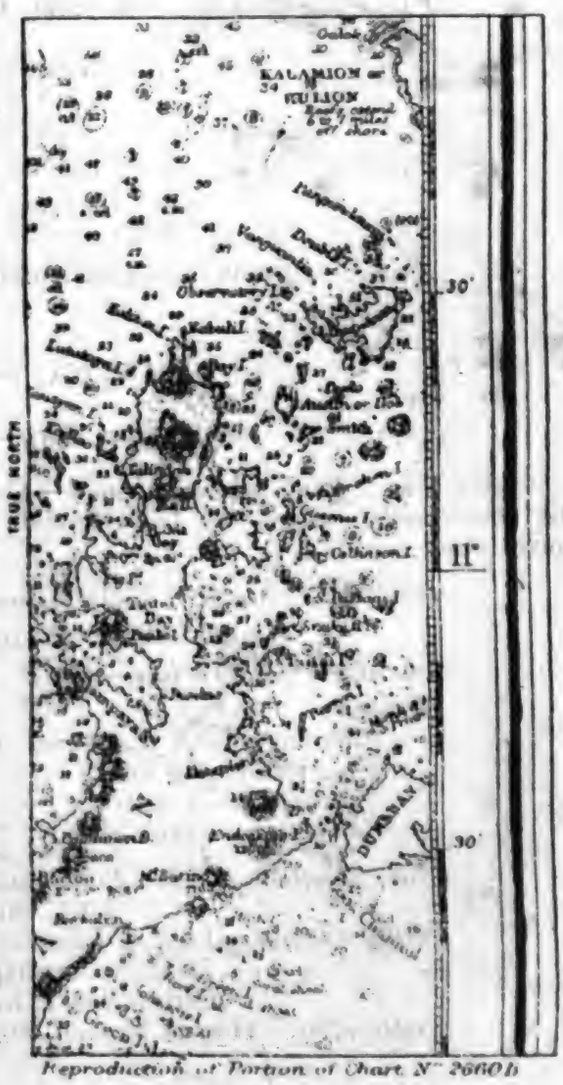

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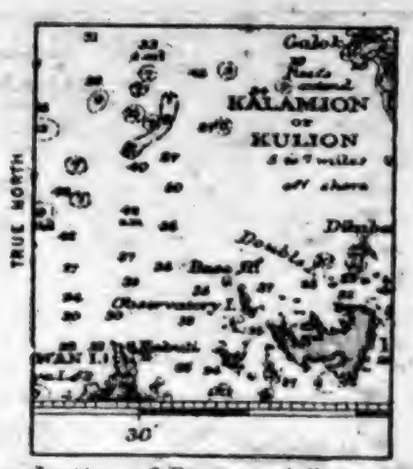

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NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—GREAT BARRIER ISLAND.

Wangaparapara Harbour—Light discontinued.

No. 343 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1056 of 1916), are republished—

Position.—On the north-western headland of the harbour entrance.
Lat. 36° 15′ S., long. 175° 23½′ E.

Description.—A fixed white light.

Remarks.—The light is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2559, Great Barrier island, ports and anchorages.
,, 3565, Bream head to Tepaki point.
,, 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour.
,, 1212, New Zealand.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2872.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 96; Supplement No. 2, 1915.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 58 of 1916. (*H. 5568/16.*)

SUMATRA, SOUTH COAST.

Semangka Bay—Light established.

No. 344 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1057 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At New Kota Agung.
Lat. 5° 29′ 30″ S., long. 104° 36′ 20″ E., on chart No. 2056.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *Red, 33 ft. vis. 3 m.*

Details :
Character.—A *fixed red* light.
Elevation.—33 feet.
Visibility.—3 miles.
Structure.—Iron pole.

Charts affected.—No 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.
,, 2761, Chingkuk bay to the Strait of Sunda.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 856*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 45.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 49.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1223 of 1916. (*H. 5391/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—East Coast.

Island Point, Port Douglas—Intended alteration of light.

No. 345 (first publication).—

Subject.—The Fixed red light on Island Point, Port Douglas, will be altered to Fixed White on or about 2nd January, 1917.

Position.—Lat. 16° 28′ S., long. 145° 29′ E.

Character.—Fixed White Light.

Remarks.—The remaining details of the light are unaltered.

Publications affected.—*Admiralty List of Lights and Time Signals*, Part VI, 1916, No. 2734.
Sailing Directions and other information for the Ports and Harbours of Queensland, 1916.
List of Lighthouses, Lighted Beacons and Floating Lights on the Queensland Coast, 1901.

Charts affected.—
Admiralty Chart No. 2924.—Cape Grafton to Hope Islands.
" " 2764.—Coral Sea and Great Barrier Reefs, shewing Inner and Outer Routes to Torres Strait—Sheet 2.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 10 of 1916.

The 6th November 1916.

MADAGASCAR—South Coast.

Karimboli (Carambules)—Coast reported to lie further South.

No. 333 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1012 of 1916), are republished :—

Position on chart.—Cape St. Mary, lat. 25° 39′ S., long. 45° 06′ E.

Details.—The Karimboli coast eastward of Cape St. Mary is reported to lie about 2 to 3 miles further south than charted, and a cautionary note to this effect, with the year date "*(1916)*," is to be placed on the chart.

Remarks.—The name "Carambules" is to be altered to "Karimboli" in the Admiralty publications.

Chart affected.—No. 760, Cape St. Mary to Bevato island and Matatane.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 318.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 1143 of 1916. (*H. 4945/16.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC—Fiji Islands.

Levuka Harbour, South Entrance—Light established.

No. 334 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1019 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 40 yards, 267° (*S. 76° W. Mag.*), from the perch beacon at the northern end of Mbalavu reef.

Lat. 17° 41′ S., long. 178° 51¾′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Occ., *ev. 3 sec., 26 ft., vis. abt. 6 m.* (U).

Details:

Character.—An *occulting white* light *every three seconds*, thus:—

Light.	eclipse.
2 secs.	1 sec.

Elevation.—26 feet.

Visibility.—About 6 miles.

Structure.—White concrete pillar.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—11° E.
Charts affected.—No. 1244, Levuka harbour.
„ 905, Suva harbour to Levuka.
„ 440, Fiji islands—Eastern archipelago, northern portion.
„ 441, Fiji islands—Eastern archipelago, southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 3156.
Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 119.

Authority.—Colonial Secretary, Suva. (*H. 2701/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LEITE ISLAND.

Port Palompon—Light established.

No. 335 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1020 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of $1\frac{5}{6}$ cables, 0° (*V. 1° W. Mag.*), from Palompon church.
Lat. 11° 02¾′ N., long. 124° 23¾′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 5 sec., 55 ft., vis. 8 m.* (U).

Details:

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every five seconds.*
Elevation.—55 feet.
Visibility.—8 miles.
Structure.—White concrete beacon.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected.—No. 957, Plan of Port Palompon.
„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1220.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 499.

Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notices Nos. 3848 of 1915, and 176 of 1916. (*H. 5262/16.*)

RED SEA—EASTERN SHORE.

Kunfida Southern Approach—Existence of a Shoal

No. 336 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1033 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles, south-westward, from Makásir.
Lat. 18° 55′ 30″ N., long. 41° 06′ 30″ E.

Description.—A 2-fathom patch, about half a cable in extent.

Charts affected.—No. 8c, Red sea, sheet III.
" 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot. 1909, page 344.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5218/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Warrnambool Harbour—Erratum in Sailing Directions.

No. 337 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1034 of 1916), are republished :—

In Australia Directory, Vol, 1, 1907, page 401, line 2, from foot of page :—

For "N. by E.," *read* "N. ¼ E."

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5389/16.*)

CHINA, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Chifu (Yentai) harbour—Inner harbour under construction. Caisson laid; Navigation between southern end of breakwater and Tower Hill prohibited.

No. 338 (second publication).—With reference to Notices to Mariners Nos. 179 and 306 of 1916 issued by this Office in connection with the projected inner harbour at Chifu, the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given further Notice (No. 628 of 1916) that a caisson has been laid at the southern end of the breakwater under construction. This caisson is submerged at about half-tide. A *white* light is exhibited from sunset to sunrise on the southern end of the caisson.

The navigation of the passage between the southern end of the breakwater and Tower Hill is strictly prohibited.

PERSIAN GULF.

Henjam Island Anchorage—Non-existence of Ras-al-Mashia Beacon.

No. 339 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 168M. of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 146-M. of 1916. (This office No. 299 of 1916.)

Position.—Ras-al-Mashia Beacon.
Lat. 26° 41′ 35″ N.
Long. 55° 53′ 32″ E. } On Chart No. 3599.

Details.—Information has been received that the temporary beacon which was marking the anchorage, has been carried away by high winds.

Remarks.—A permanent beacon is being erected.

Charts affected.—No. 3599, Plans in the Persian Gulf.
" 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 6th Edition, 1915, pages 209 and 210.

Authority.—D. P. G., Karachi, dated 16th October 1916.

The 30th October 1916.

BORNEO, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Deluar Shoals—Existence of Shoal westward of.

No. 328 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 982 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—The south-eastern end of the shoal is situated about 7¼ miles, westward, from the 2 ft. high rock on Deluar shoals.
Lat. 5° 53′ 00″ N., long. 115° 34′ 30″ E., on chart No. 2111.

Details.—From the foregoing position, in which a depth of 6¼ fathoms exists, the shoal extends in a north-westerly direction for a distance of about 3 miles over a breadth of about 2 cables; the general extent of the shoal being indicated by discoloured water.

Note.—A note "*Shoal water reported (1916)*" is to be placed against the above area on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2111, Nosong point to Ambong bay.
„ 2109, Barram point to Nosong point.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 119.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 185 of 1916. (*H. 5007/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, WEST COAST.

Pandan Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 329 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 998 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 17° 32′ N., long. 120° 22½′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Occ. (2), *vis. 9 m.*

Details.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed red to *group occulting white* showing *two* eclipses *every thirty-two seconds*, thus :—

Light,	eclipse,	light,	eclipse.
17 secs.	4 secs.	7 secs.	4 secs.

Remarks.—The light has an elevation of 41 feet and is now exhibited from a white concrete pillar.

Charts affected.—No. 2454, Northern portion of the island of Luzon.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1313.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 268.

Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notices Nos. 638 and 2063 of 1916. (*H. 4787/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA, GEELONG OUTER HARBOUR.

Wilson Spit—Beacon constructing ; Alteration in Position of Buoys.

No. 330 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1003 of 1916), are republished :—

1. Beacon under construction :

Position.—At a distance of 9 $\frac{3}{10}$ cables, 317° (*N. 51° W. Mag.*), from East Bellarine beacon.
Lat. 38° 08¼′ S., long. 144° 29¾′ E.

Description.—A pile beacon.

Remarks.—This beacon, whilst under construction, will be marked by a *white* light, and a note to this effect is to be inserted on the chart.

2. Alteration in position of buoys :

(*a*) Light-buoy :

New position.—At a distance of about 130 yards southward from former position, and 30 yards southward from the beacon referred to above.

(*b*) Black can buoy :

New position.—At a distance of about 150 yards eastward from former position, and 8¼ cables, 311° (*V. 57° W. Mag.*), from East Bellarine beacon.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publications. List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2446 (Remarks).
Australia Directory, Vol I, 1907, page 465 ; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Department of Ports and Harbours Melbourne. (*H. 5131/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST—QUEENSLAND.

Inner Barrier Route—Beacon replaced.

No. 331 (third publication).—

Former Notice.—Calcutta Notice No. 247 of 1916.

Position.—Dee (*d*) Reef, black square beacon on north-west end. Lat. 15° 30′ S., long. 145° 19¼′ E.

Remarks.—The beacon, which was recently destroyed, has been replaced.

Publications affected.—*Australia Directory*, Vol. II 1907, page 350.

Charts affected.—

(a) Admiralty Chart No. 2923.—Hope Island to Turtle Group.
(b) „ „ 2764.—Coral Sea.—Sheet 2.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 9 of 1916.

INDIA WEST COAST—KATHIAWAR COAST.

Porbandar—Correction to Admiralty Publications.

No. 332 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 160M. of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Porbandar Light-House.
Latitude 21° 38′ 15″ N.
Longitude 69° 35′ 59″ E. } On Chart No. 1321.

Correction.—(*a*) The building shown on the existing plan of Porbandar as Administrator's House is now the Rajah's Palace.

(*b*) Administrator's House marked by a flagstaff as before is now situated about 3 cables North-West of the above building. The exact position of this flagstaff has not been obtained.

(*c*) Where sandhills are shown on the chart, there are now many new buildings extending towards State Engineer's House and the Rajah's Palace.

Remarks.—Mariners are warned accordingly to use the present position of the flagstaff as a mark for anchoring with caution.

Chart affected.—No. 1321, Kâthiâwâr Coast, Porbandar and Navibandar.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 5th edition, 1909, page 290.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 28th September 1196.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORTS ON INLAND EMIGRATION UNDER THE ASSAM LABOUR AND EMIGRATION ACT, 1901 (VI OF 1901), FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE 1916.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

EMIGRATION.

CALCUTTA, THE 15TH NOVEMBER 1916.

RESOLUTION No. 4887Emign.

READ—

The Reports on Inland Emigration under the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), for the year ending the 30th June 1916, submitted by the Superintendent of Emigration, Calcutta, and the District and Assistant Superintendents of Emigration

IN the Resolution recorded on the reports of the year 1914-15 reference was made to the several administrative changes introduced at the beginning

of the year under review, the most important of which were the abolition of penal labour contracts and the discontinuance of the system of recruitment by contractors. While seeking to purify the recruitment of labour for Assam by these measures, Government have also done much to encourage and facilitate *bonâ fide* recruiting operations by garden sardars. Concessions previously allowed only to a few approved associations have now been extended to individual employers who appoint duly licensed local agents to supervise the work of their sardars in the recruiting districts. Instructions have also been issued to local officers to see that the legitimate operations of garden sardars are not unduly interfered with, and that the unnecessary detention of emigrants in transit to the labour districts is avoided as far as possible. In view of the general rise in the price of food-grains, the diet money of repatriated emigrants and their escorts, prescribed in the rules relating to the repatriation of emigrants, has been raised from annas 2 to annas 4 per diem.

2. Recruiting operations were conducted, as in the previous year, by garden sardars in the districts of Burdwan, Bankura, Birbhum, Midnapore, and the 24-Parganas, where 10,876 emigrants were recruited during the year as against 2,011 in the year 1914-15. Of these, 10,579 were engaged by sardars working under the control of local agents, and the remaining 297 by independent garden sardars working under the ordinary procedure of Chapter IV of the Act. The districts of Bankura, Midnapore and Burdwan supplied the largest numbers, viz., 5,940, 3,412, and 1,098, respectively.

3. Seven local agents' licences were granted during the year as compared with 9 granted in the year 1914-15. The work of these agents was generally satisfactory. Two thousand nine hundred and seventy-one garden sardars (including 603 sardarnis) were employed in this Presidency during the year under report, as against 786 garden sardars (including 172 sardarnis) in the previous year. Of these, 23 only worked independently, while the remainder were under the supervision of local agents.

4. The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas reports that ex-contractors were found to be supplying emigrants to independent sardars working in his district. The certificate of one sardar was cancelled on this account. Other sardars were called on to show cause why their certificates should not be cancelled, but it was found that they had returned to the gardens and had discontinued recruiting. These steps seem to have stopped the practice for the time, but vigilance will still be necessary to prevent its recurrence. The number of criminal cases instituted in this Presidency in connection with recruiting operations decreased during the year to 9 from 24 in the preceding year, the number of persons convicted being 10 as against 22 in the year 1914-15.

5. The number of emigrants of all classes recruited in Madras, the United Provinces, the Central Provinces, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, who embarked at Goalundo during the year under review, was 94,057 as compared with 60,215 in the preceding year. The nearest approach to this number—which is the highest on record—occurred in the year 1907-08, when 81,587 emigrants were despatched. This great increase may be explained partly by high prices due to the war, partly by scarcity in some of the recruiting districts, and partly by the abolition of the labour contract.

6. The places of accommodation and rest-houses for emigrants were properly inspected and maintained in good sanitary condition. The sanitary arrangements on steamers which conveyed emigrants to the labour districts were in accordance with the rules and were generally adequate. Proposals for more up-to-date medical arrangements on those steamers are now under the consideration of Government. Among the 93,415 sardari emigrants who arrived at Goalundo, 42 deaths were reported during their transit to that place and 10 deaths after their arrival there; of the remainder, 69,766 embarked for the Assam Valley districts, and 23,503 for Cachar and Sylhet. During the voyage to the labour districts in the Brahmaputra Valley there were 90 deaths, while there were 2 deaths during the steamer journey to Chandpur.

7. Thirty-two emigrants were repatriated through Goalundo from the labour districts, and 89 who refused to embark at that station and 4 who were rejected as physically unfit to labour in a tea estate were also repatriated.

8. There was a falling off both in receipts and expenditure in connection with the transport of labour to Assam, the figures being Rs. 2,805 and Rs 23,519 as against Rs. 4,765 and Rs. 29,425 in the year 1914-15.

9. The thanks of the Governor in Council are due to the local officers and to Dr. Banks for their assistance in the administration of the Act.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON FAMINE IN BANKURA DISTRICT FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 11TH NOVEMBER 1916.

IN **Bankura District** the state of affairs in affected areas has improved. Prospects of standing crops are good. The harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Prices are falling. The price of rice is 10 seers per rupee. The number of persons on relief-works was 788. All relief-works have been closed since 6th November.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 15th November 1916.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 20th November 1916.

Summary.—The week under review was almost rainless. A few light scattered showers fell in Mymensingh district. Sowing of *rabi* crops is progressing satisfactorily. Harvesting of early winter rice has commenced in places, and that of jute is nearing completion. The prospects of winter rice and other standing crops are reported to be generally satisfactory. Fodder is scarce in parts of Jessore, Faridpur and Tippera. Cattle-disease prevails in five districts. The average price of common rice has fallen by about 1·6 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of early variety of winter rice has commenced in the Basirhat subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Basirhat. Rangoon and Singapur rice is being imported into Basirhat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	7½	7½	
	Barrackpore	Nil	6 3/8	6 3/8	
	Barasat ...	Nil	7½	8½	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	7½	7½	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	0·96	6¾	6¾	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. The prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	7	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	9	9	
	Kandi ...	Nil	9	8	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. The prospect of *aman* paddy is fair, but that of *rabi* crops is poor in the Bangaon subdivision. Fodder is scarce in the Narail subdivision.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	8	8	
	Magura ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Narail ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	7⅞	7½	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair except at Asasuni in the Satkhira subdivision. Damage to winter rice by insects is reported from Asasuni in Satkhira. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	7	7	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and sowing of potatoes and other *rabi* crops are going on. Harvesting of jute is nearly over. Winter paddy and sugarcane are doing well. Cattle-disease is reported from thanas Memari and Jamalpur. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	8½	8	
	Katwa ...	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9½	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Rampurhat ...	Nil	8½	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	9	9	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	8 1/16	8 11/16	Weather seasonable. Prospect of winter rice is fair. Outturn of jute is fair. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8	7⅞	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	8	8	
	Contai ...	Nil	9	9	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7 31/32	6⅞	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	7½	7½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is over. Condition of standing crops is good. Harvesting of *aman* rice has commenced in Ulubaria subdivision. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	7½	7½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	7½	(*n*)	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair and those of winter rice are good. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
	Nator ...	Nil	6½	(*n*)	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	8 1/16	8 1/16	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	8⅛	8⅛	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8 9/16	8 9/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Transplanting of tobacco and sowing of mustard have commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·01	8	8	Weather seasonable. *Marua* and cardamom are being harvested. Sowing of potatoes continues. Cattle-disease is prevalent at Kalimpong.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Nilphamari	Nil	7½	7½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7½	7	
	Gaibandha ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	8¼	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter rice are good; reaping has commenced in places. Preparation of lands for the *rabi* crops and sowings of pulses continue. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	7⅞	7¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is going on. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	0·01	7⅞	7⅞	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8¼	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good; harvesting has commenced. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7 9/16	7	Weather seasonable. Washing of jute is finished. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	0·02	7¼ / 8†	7 / 8†	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are available.
	Manikganj ...	0·02	7	7	
	Narayanganj	(*n*)	(*n*)	6¼ / 8†	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	7	7	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	6¼	(*n*)	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops has resumed. Condition of winter rice is good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease.
	Jamalpur ...	0·45	6⅜	(*n*)	
	Tangail ...	0·16	7⅛	(*n*)	
	Netrakona ...	0·07	6⅜	(*n*)	
	Kishorganj...	0·15	6⅜	(*n*)	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEER PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ..	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Water is sufficient, but fodder is insufficient in Rajore police-station. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of rice are sufficient.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8	8	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	7¾	7½	
	Gopalganj‡	Nil	8	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7	7½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient. Prospects of winter rice are fair.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7	6¾	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7	7	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of early winter rice is in progress. Outturn is expected to be fair. Cultivation of the *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	8	8	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter rice are good excepting in Kotwali thana. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder is sufficient except in Kotwali thana. Stocks of food-grains are normal.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	6	6	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	8	7½	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	8½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy has commenced and sowing of *rabi* crops are in progress. Prospects of winter rice are good, except in the flooded tracts. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	9½	9½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st November 1916.*

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Presidency.	24-Parganas ...	Saugor Island	1·17	0·11	0·20	1·06	2·80	0·40	0·01	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·10	0·03	0·42
		Diamond Harbour.	*	*	*		*	*	*	*	*	*		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Budge-Budge	0·49	2·36	2·46	2·03	0·48	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·12	0·05	0·60	0·30	...	0·94	...	...	...
		Canning Town	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Allipore (Obsy.)	0·42	0·33	2·48	2·20	0·48	0·13	0·01	...	...	...	1·27	0·15	0·02	0·87	0·15	...	0·82	0·57	...	...
		Barrackpore ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Dum-Dum ...	0·81	0·38	1·48	1·35	0·92	0·22	0·03	...	0·02	...	0·06	...	...	0·02	...	0·03	...	...	...	...
		Barasat ...	0·70	1·20	1·30	0·95	1·23	0·08	0·10	...	...	...	0·25	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Basirhat ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Nadia	Ranaghat ...	0·15	0·55	0·57	0·32	0·20	0·85	...	...	0·18	0·93	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...
		Krishnagar ...	0·08	1·35	1·00	0·20	0·35	0·45	0·08	...	...	0·03	0·10	0·07	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...
		Chuadanga ...	0·70	3·56	0·51	0·21	0·02	0·41	0·09	0·05	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	0·79	...	...	...	...
		Meherpur ...	1·35	1·80	0·72	...	...	...	0·63	0·25	...	...	0·38	1·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Hatinghata ...	...	...	...	0·90	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad ...	Kandi ...	...	0·14	1·59	0·60	0·04	0·85	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Berhampore ...	...	0·66	1·21	0·49	1·00	0·38	0·43	0·36	...	1·25	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·88	...	...	...	...
		Lalbagh ...	...	0·41	1·00	1·00	0·27	2·51	0·32	0·22	...	2·22	...	0·02	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj ...	0·12	0·40	0·68	0·89	0·37	0·31	0·48	0·25	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jangipur ...	...	0·70	1·70	2·00	0·83	0·63	1·06	1·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola ...	0·20	0·65	0·50	2·05	1·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Akriganj ...	...	0·62	0·94	0·26	1·54	0·40	0·70	0·68	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Patkabari ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Dumkal ...	...	...	1·30	...	0·34	0·90	1·20	2·70	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	0·10	...	...	...	...
		Kaliyaganj ...	..	0·35	2·00	0·70	0·80	0·30	0·30	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	1·35	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore	Narail ...	2·71	2·60	1·12	0·90	0·07	1·62	0·12	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore ...	1·05	3·61	1·82	0·21	0·21	2·31	0·05	0·67	0·61	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jhenida ...	1·45	4·00	1·90	0·04	0·08	0·50	0·06	...	...	0·02	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Magura ...	0·30	3·12	2·04	1·30	0·30	0·80	...	0·30	2·21	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bangaon ...	0·62	0·70	0·32	0·65	0·26	1·08	...	0·40	0·14	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khulna ...	Satkhira ...	1·58	0·15	2·94	0·81	0·18	0·40	0·09	0·09	0·09	...	0·04	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagerhat ...	3·72	0·27	0·50	1·51	0·23	0·55	2·37	0·27	0·20	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Kaliganj ...	1·42	2·05	0·50	3·10	0·12	2·50	0·40	...	...	...	...	1·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nakipur ...	..	2·25	...	1·20	1·05	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumuria ...	4·00	0·22	4·02	1·44	0·10	0·18	0·33	...	0·12	0·58	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampal ...	2·05	1·20	0·48	2·90	0·52	1·40	0·32	0·60	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...
		Kalaroa ...	1·18	0·98	1·50	0·52	0·09	0·49	0·02	...	...	...	0·18	...	0·60	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...
		Paikgachha ...	3·10	0·50	0·97	2·77	0·66	1·53	0·24	...	...	0·39	0·12	0·59	...	...	0·32	0·04	...	...	...	...
		Mollahat ...	...	1·11	0·61	1·75	0·61	0·42	0·52	1·12	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Morelganj ...	1·74	0·11	0·34	3·12	0·46	1·96	0·47	1·11	0·09	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tala ...	1·50	0·52	1·40	1·64	0·62	1·10	...	0·05	0·52	1·54	0·02	0·12	0·04	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Kalna ...	0·20	0·37	0·98	0·36	0·32	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	0·21	...	...	...
		Burdwan ...	0·12	3·86	0·18	2·46	...	0·76	0·14	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Katwa ...	0·51	0·89	2·00	2·21	...	1·18	0·22	0·14	...	...	...	0·42	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Asansol ...	0·67	0·11	1·65	0·44	...	0·76	0·44	0·11	...	0·47	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	0·09	...
		Mankar ...	...	2·42	3·25	1·15	0·85	...	0·72	...	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	...
		Mangalkot ...	0·50	0·20	1·00	1·03	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Royna ...	1·12	0·03	0·70	0·12	0·90	0·15	..	0·05	0·05	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15
		Montaswar ...	2·25	3·20	...	3·25	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Birbhum	Suri ...	...	0·50	0·50	1·40	0·20	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hetampur ...	0·16	0·98	3·75	0·42	1·17	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72
		Rampur Hât	.	...	0·35	2·99	1·22	0·56	1·00	0·44	0·46	...	..	...	...	0·23	0·41	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur ...	0·20	1·75	1·80	4·50?	5·00	0·80	0·36	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·24	2·80	0·40	0·80	...	1·24	0·30	...
		Murari ...	...	2·50	0·50	...	...	0·75	0·90	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Labpur ...	0·02	0·58	1·12	1·01	0·04	0·78	0·41	...	...	...	0·16	...	0·04	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bankura ...	Bankura ...	0·06	0·55	1·41	0·23	...	1·65	0·55	0·05	...	...	...	0·27	0·16	...	...	0·31	...	...	0·13	...
		Vishnupur ...	0·42	1·03	1·28	0·26	1·06	0·40	0·24	0·03	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mallara ...	0·07	0·70	4·35	0·42	0·24	0·69	0·40	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khatra ...	1·00	1·88	0·93	...	..	0·45	0·33	0·20	0·07	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	...
		Indas ...	...	1·26	0·42	0·74	0·05	1·20	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kotalpur ...	0·22	0·85	1·20	1·32	0·22	0·80	0·28	...	...	1·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Onda ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Gangajalghati	1·78	0·62	4·25	0·33	0·57	0·94	0·49	...	...	...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raipur ...	1·05	1·95	3·95	...	0·12	0·65	0·15	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sonamukhi ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Taldangra ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Surenga ...	0·75	0·64	3·05	...	0·71	0·20	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...
		Indpur ...	1·72	1·75	..	...	0·64	0·88	...	...	...	0·47	...	1·12	...	...	0·36	...	...	...	...	...
	Midnapore ...	Contai ...	0·01	0·55	0·93	1·59	1·68	0·26	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	0·06	...
		Tamluk ...	0·23	1·52	2·20	1·61	2·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore ...	0·01	0·29	1·41	0·24	0·70	0·13	0·07	...	0·68	...	...	0·15	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ghatal ...	...	0·89	1·29	2·14	0·20	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	0·24	...	...	...
		Kukrahati ...	1·50	2·82	0·46	2·12	1·42	0·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amlagura ...	...	2·97	1·88	0·53	0·06	0·41	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panskura ...	...	...	2·65	1·65	0·72	0·07	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·57	...	0·04	...	...	0·08	...	...	...
		Dantan ...	...	...	2·77	1·35	0·60	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...
		Chandrakona	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Pachet ...	...	...	1·69	1·80	2·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagwanpur ...	0·08	1·15	2·68	3·21	1·50	0·15	...	...	0·81	...	...	0·15	...	0·19	...	...	...	0·14	...	...
		Kultikri ...	...	2·20	1·18	3·10	0·12	...	...	...	...	1·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mayabasan ...	...	...	1·55	0·45	0·22	...	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35
		Binda ...	0·58	0·28	0·96	0·04	0·05	0·11	0·16	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	1·02	0·02
		Chandri ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Goaltore ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Salboni ...	...	2·12	0·45	0·22	0·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narainagarh ...	...	...	0·75	2·15	2·05	0·10?	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	...
		Ramnagar ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Mohanpur ...	...	...	0·78	2·72	2·22	0·72	...	...	...	...	...	1·29	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...
		Heria ...	...	0·42	1·59	1·17	3·31	0·20	...	...	0·60	...	...	0·55	...	...	0·42	0·05	...	...	...	...
		Jenka (Khejari)	0·34	1·50	0·70	0·82	2·12	1·24	...	...	0·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nandigram ...	0·65	1·81	0·05	0·80	2·00	0·20	...	0·10	0·20	0·10	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·05	0·20	...
		Moyna ...	0·15	0·52	2·35	1·22	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	0·33	...
		Pingla ...	...	2·00	1·45	0·87	...	...	...	1·42	...	...	0·80	...	...	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narajole ...	...	0·71	0·57	0·84	1·12	...	...	...	...	0·41	0·11	1·72	...	...	...	...	...	0·93	...	...

* Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1916.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st to 31st Oct. 1916.	Average rainfall from 1st to 31st Oct.	Station.	District.	Division.
1·66	...	2·92	5·67	1·25	0·24	...	0·12	1·08	0·61	3·31	19	7·5	22·76	7·91	5·67	22·76	7·91	Saugore Island	24-Parganas ...	Presidency.
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	5·6	*	4·85	*	*	4·85	Diamond Harbour.		
...	...	0·37	1·03	0·55	...	...	...	1·18	0·36	1·31	17	6·1	14·98	3·86	2·46	14·98	3·86	Budge-Budge.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	5·5	*	4·31	*	*	4·31	Canning Town.		
...	...	0·24	0·81	0·12	...	...	0·08	0·30	0·06	1·41	17	5·9	14·62	3·91	2·48	14·62	3·91	Alipore (Obsy.)		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	5·3	*	3·75	*	*	3·75	Barrackpore.		
...	0·13	1·16	...	...	0·84	...	0·64	...	1·50	...	11	5·2	9·62	4·33	1·50	9·62	4·33	Dum-Dum.		
...	0·50	0·30	...	...	0·50	...	...	1·10	0·52	0·68	14	5·3	9·76	4·31	1·30	9·76	4·31	Barasat.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	5·6	*	4·53	*	*	4·53	Basirhat.		
0·01	...	0·18	0·40	0·25	0·44	0·20	...	...	...	1·30	15	4·7	7·18	3·46	0·93	7·18	3·46	Ranaghat ...	Nadia	
...	...	0·07	0·21	1·38	1·65	1·35	...	...	0·03	2·30	11	4·5	11·10	3·94	1·65	11·10	3·94	Krishnagar.		
...	...	...	0·30	0·02	...	0·72	...	...	0·14	2·62	11	4·9	10·10	4·30	2·56	10·10	4·30	Chuadanga.		
...	...	...	...	0·15	1·45	...	...	...	...	1·10	10	4·7	9·13	3·83	1·80	9·13	3·83	Meherpur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	5·2	*	4·23	*	*	4·23	Kushtia.		
...	...	0·80	...	...	0·90	0·90	...	...	0·10	0·75	8	(n)	3·45	(n)	0·90	3·45	(n)	Haringhata.		
...	...	...	...	0·14	0·13	0·48	0·22	...	...	1·63	10	4·4	6·01	3·53	1·63	6·01	3·53	Kandi ...	Murshidabad ...	
...	...	...	...	1·15	0·37	0·16	0·03	...	0·05	1·30	13	4·5	8·96	3·56	1·30	8·96	3·56	Berhampore.		
...	0·06	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	0·31	0·05	1·41	13	4·9	10·58	4·17	2·51	10·58	4·17	Lalbagh.		
...	...	...	...	0·22	0·34	0·14	...	...	0·36	1·26	14	4·7	6·64	3·88	1·26	6·64	3·88	Azimganj.		
2·44	...	...	...	...	1·48	...	...	...	0·41	0·60	11	3·9	12·86	3·25	2·44	12·86	3·25	Jangipur.		
1·25	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·25	0·40	0·76	...	10	4·1	7·71	3·93	2·06	7·71	3·93	Lalgola.		
0·16	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·30	1·47	12	4·2	8·87	3·30	1·54	8·87	3·30	Akriganj.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	3·4	*	2·51	*	*	2·51	Patkabari.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·80	0·87	...	...	...	0·80	10	3·6	9·02	3·36	2·70	9·02	3·36	Dumkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	1·37	1·92	...	...	...	1·31	11	4·2	11·70	3·84	2·00	11·70	3·84	Kaliyaganj.		
...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	0·56	0·39	0·28	11	5·2	11·72	4·10	2·72	11·72	4·10	Narail ...	Jessore ...	
...	...	0·07	0·34	...	0·41	...	0·50	0·28	1·06	0·69	15	5·7	14·29	4·81	3·61	14·29	4·81	Jessore.		
...	...	0·02	0·04	...	0·56	0·19	...	...	0·36	1·78	8	5·4	11·00	4·42	4·00	11·01	4·42	Jhenida.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	0·10	0·30	2·60	13	4·9	13·82	3·94	3·12	13·82	3·94	Magura.		
...	...	0·86	0·36	1·32	0·14	...	...	...	0·02	1·82	15	5·4	9·81	4·47	1·82	9·81	4·47	Bangaon.		
0·02	...	0·58	0·89	0·03	0·70	...	...	1·68	0·51	1·46	13	5·7	13·36	4·67	2·94	13·36	4·67	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...	
...	...	...	1·07	0·57	...	...	...	0·66	1·26	...	14	5·5	15·42	5·03	2·72	15·42	5·03	Bagerhat.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	6·0	*	4·57	*	*	4·57	Khulna.		
...	0·29	0·90	1·05	0·10	0·10	1·30	0·80	0·60	0·70	1·00	18	5·6	17·78	7·32	3·10	17·78	7·32	Kaliganj.		
...	...	...	2·77	0·90	...	0·10	0·90	0·50	0·12	0·80	12	5·1	11·93	5·23	2·77	11·93	5·23	Nakipur.		
...	...	1·50	1·61	0·12	0·19	0·04	0·31	0·44	0·53	...	17	5·4	15·99	4·23	4·02	15·99	4·23	Dumuria.		
...	...	0·65	0·86	0·54	...	...	...	0·32	0·50	...	12	5·2	12·79	5·06	2·90	12·79	5·06	Rampal.		
...	...	1·78	1·22	0·59	0·69	...	0·28	0·24	1·22	0·86	16	6·0	12·59	4·71	1·78	12·59	4·71	Kalaroa.		
...	...	0·39	1·86	0·21	0·23	...	...	0·44	0·96	0·90	18	6·2	16·47	6·11	3·10	16·47	6·11	Paikgachha.		
...	...	0·05	1·30	0·09	2·10	...	...	0·70	0·18	0·19	13	5·9	10·86	5·87	2·10	10·86	5·87	Mollahat.		
...	...	0·84	1·75	0·26	0·99	...	...	0·21	0·04	...	14	6·2	12·01	5·74	2·13	12·01	5·74	Morelganj.		
...	...	0·80	1·04	0·57	0·40	0·66	...	1·15	0·15	0·96	17	5·9	14·82	5·01	1·64	14·82	5·01	Tala.		
0·04	...	0·98	0·48	0·58	0·37	0·11	...	...	...	1·45	14	4·5	6·72	3·64	0·98	6·72	3·64	Kalna ...	Burdwan	Burdwan.
...	...	0·35	0·50	1·04	0·07	1·38	0·03	...	0·01	1·31	13	4·0	12·09	2·91	2·86	12·09	2·91	Burdwan.		
...	...	...	0·13	1·19	0·17	0·22	...	...	...	1·41	14	4·7	11·19	2·81	2·21	11·19	2·81	Katwa.		
...	0·30	0·30	0·22	0·04	0·34	0·90	...	...	0·56	2·93	15	3·6	9·87	2·31	2·93	9·87	2·31	Asansol.		
...	...	0·22	...	...	0·61	0·26	0·72	...	0·96	2·50	18	3·3	14·24	2·47	2·26	14·24	2·47	Mankar.		
...	0·40	1·00	1·50	...	...	...	...	0·40	1·00	1·50	11	(n)	8·70	(n)	1·50	8·70	(n)	Mangalkot.		
...	0·70	0·66	1·16	0·19	...	...	...	...	1·05	...	12	(n)	6·96	(n)	1·16	6·96	(n)	Royna.		
...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	...	6	(n)	11·10	(n)	2·50	11·10	(n)	Montaswar.		
...	...	...	...	0·10	0·10	0·55	...	...	0·02	1·00	10	4·4	5·39	2·34	1·40	5·39	2·34	Suri	Birbhum	
0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	2·50	11	3·9	10·64	2·91	2·75	10·64	2·91	Hetampur.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·54	0·29	...	...	0·06	0·36	12	4·2	8·81	3·54	2·90	8·81	3·54	Rampur Hât.		
1·20	...	0·56	...	1·90	0·10	0·50	...	...	0·24	1·90	21	3·6	26·93	2·76	4·50	26·93	2·76	Bolpur.		
...	...	...	...	1·65	...	...	...	...	0·60	1·50	8	3·2	9·30	2·84	2·50	9·30	2·84	Murari.		
...	...	...	...	0·40	0·53	0·50	...	...	0·16	2·16	13	4·0	6·84	2·66	2·16	6·84	2·66	Labpur.		
...	0·78	0·32	0·22	0·04	0·14	3·24	...	...	...	2·60	15	4·0	12·81	2·73	3·24	12·81	2·73	Bankura ...	Bankura	
0·02	0·17	0·42	0·45	0·90	0·14	0·16	...	...	...	1·40	15	4·3	8·66	2·84	1·40	8·66	2·84	Vishnupur.		
...	0·11	0·47	0·08	0·07	0·88	0·13	...	...	0·12	2·40	15	4·2	10·96	2·75	4·36	10·96	2·75	Mailara.		
...	2·17	0·40	0·40	0·30	...	...	...	0·07	0·07	1·38	12	4·0	10·40	2·21	3·17	10·40	2·21	Khatra.		
...	...	...	0·62	0·34	...	1·38	...	...	...	1·62	10	3·5	8·04	2·29	1·82	8·04	2·29	Indas.		
0·08	...	0·60	0·45	0·46	...	1·24	...	0·01	...	2·70	13	3·9	11·44	2·80	2·70	11·44	2·80	Kotalpur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	3·7	*	2·34	*	*	2·34	Onda.		
...	0·90	0·31	0·11	0·18	0·17	1·50	...	...	0·26	1·41	16	3·1	14·22	2·34	4·25	14·22	2·34	Gangajalghati.		
...	...	0·50	0·30	...	...	1·82	...	0·40	...	3·28	12	4·2	12·32	2·34	3·95	12·32	2·34	Raipur.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4·6	*	2·75	*	*	2·75	Sonamukhi.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*	*	(n)	Taldangra.		
0·09	0·03	0·26	0·21	0·26	...	2·28	...	...	0·01	1·98	10	(n)	10·37	(n)	3·06	10·37	(n)	Saranga.		
2·04	0·62	0·71	0·47	...	...	0·25	...	...	2·60	0·17	14		12·29	(n)	3·60	12·29	(n)	Indpur.		
...	...	1·40	6·62	1·61	...	...	...	1·46	0·36	0·89	13	6·5	18·61	6·96	6·62	18·61	6·96	Contai ...	Midnapore	
...	...	1·12	1·91	0·06	...	...	...	1·10	1·60	1·02	10	4·6	15·12	4·07	2·75	15·12	4·07	Tamluk.		
...	...	0·29	0·60	0·18	...	...	...	0·60	0·20	0·65	14	5·0	6·39	3·39	1·61	6·39	3·39	Midnapore.		
...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	2·36	9	4·2	8·52	3·08	2·36	8·52	3·08	Ghatal.		
...	...	1·60	2·58	...	...	...	...	2·16	0·29	1·70	10	5·2	16·69	4·13	2·62	16·69	4·13	Kukrahati.		
...	...	0·30	0·61	0·11	...	2·50	...	...	...	1·43	10	4·4	12·26	2·77	3·97	12·26	2·77	Amlagorah.		
...	...	0·72	1·00	0·10	...	...	...	1·43	0·78	0·74	10	4·7	10·63	3·26	2·65	10·63	3·26	Panskura.		
...	0·10	1·52	2·25	0·38	...	...	...	0·60	0·40	0·85	13	4·8	11·34	4·37	2·77	11·34	4·37	Dantan.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*	*	(n)	Chandrakona.		
...	2·00	2·71	0·45	0·32	0·06	1·00	1·18	0·44	2·05	0·08	11	(n)	17·63	(n)	2·71	17·63	(n)	Pachet.		
...	...	1·37	1·62	0·58	...	...	...	0·40	0·61	0·70	15	(n)	15·64	(n)	5·61	15·64	(n)	Bhagwanpur.		
...	1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·67	8	(n)	10·30	(n)	2·10	10·30	(n)	Kultikri.		
...	...	1·08	0·62	...	...	...	...	0·24	0·20	0·41	10	(n)	5·70	(n)	1·55	5·70	(n)	Nayabasan.		
0·15	...	...	0·32	0·05	...	0·28	...	0·52	0·36	1·16	13	(n)	6·22	(n)	1·02	6·22	(n)	Binda.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*	*	(n)	Chandri.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*	*	(n)	Goaltore.		
...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	0·96	7	(n)	5·66	(n)	2·13	5·66	(n)	Salbani.		
...	...	1·06	1·74	...	...	...	...	0·45	3·35	0·45	11	(n)	10·09	(n)	3·15	10·09	(n)	Naraingarh.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	(n)	*	(n)	*	*	(n)	Ramnagar.		
0·25	...	1·70	2·10	0·70	...	...	2·80	2·10	...	2·22	13	(n)	21·13	(n)	2·82	21·13	(n)	Mohanpur.		
...	...	1·55	2·75	0·45	...	...	...	1·50	0·26	1·04	14	(n)	15·79	(n)	3·21	15·79	(n)	Heria.		
...	...	2·20	2·85	1·18	...	...	...	0·45	0·65	1·50	13	(n)	17·56	(n)	2·65	17·56	(n)	Jouka (Khejari)		
...	...	1·90	3·00	0·20	...	...	0·10	1·85	0·80	1·80	17	(n)	15·81	(n)	3·00	15·81	(n)	Nandigram.		
...	...	1·64	1·31	...	...	...	0·86	0·64	0·85	0·04	12	(n)	11·55	(n)	2·55	11·55	(n)	Moyna.		
...	0·20	1·87	0·95	...	...	...	2·00	0·25	0·78	...	13	(n)	12·89	(n)	2·00	12·89	(n)	Pingla.		
...	...	...	0·21	1·75	...	...	0·92	0·22	0·54	1·35	14	(n)	11·42	(n)	1·75	11·42	(n)	Narajole.		

* Return not received. (n) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN—concld.	Hooghly ...	Serampore ...	0·45	0·20	0·35	0·78	0·63	0·11	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·85	0·30	0·01	0·44	...	...	...	...	...
		Hooghly ...	2·05	2·25	0·40	1·05	0·75	0·64	...	...	...	...	...	1·80	0·10	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...
		Arambagh ...	0·10	0·71	0·35	2·45	0·24	1·50	0·09	...	0·02	0·05	...	0·10	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	Howrah ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Mohesreka ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Uluberia ...	...	2·30	1·88	1·47	1·02	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·85	...	...	0·15	...	...	1·40	...	...	...
		Amta ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
RAJSHAHI.	Rajshahi ...	Boalia ...	...	0·96	1·24	0·65	1·17	2·12	0·94	0·96	...	...	0·30	...	0·61	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Natore ...	0·12	0·26	2·75	0·47	0·35	1·01	0·69	0·53	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Naugaon ...	1·55	0·25	1·65	0·57	4·66	1·24	1·82	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bilmaria ...	0·29	2·12	0·39	0·16	0·72	0·69	0·62	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Manda ...	0·16	1·39	1·43	1·19	2·12	2·18	1·04	1·00	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahadebpur ...	...	0·58	1·36	2·71	1·40	1·92	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	1·00
		Tanore ...	0·35	0·65	1·67	4·00	1·07	2·76	1·76	1·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dinajpur ...	Nitpur ...	0·50	1·00	2·00	0·20	0·60	1·50	2·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Gangarampur	0·25	...	0·23	1·91	...	2·95	2·85	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Churaman ...	...	...	0·26	2·07	1·50	0·80	3·95	0·50	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raiganj ...	...	0·10	0·16	0·82	0·95	0·40	2·30	0·31	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dinajpur ...	0·24	0·37	0·31	1·50	1·12	0·52	3·62	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...
		Balurghat ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Thakurgaon	...	...	0·12	0·80	0·45	0·02	2·59	0·41	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Setabganj ...	...	...	0·20	1·60	1·40	0·10	2·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj ...	...	...	0·08	1·61	0·40	0·03	2·49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Atwari ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Birganj ...	0·35	...	0·27	2·97	0·53	0·04	2·95	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Parbatipur ...	0·10	0·35	0·45	1·20	0·24	0·75	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri ...	...	...	0·20	0·58	1·34	4·60	0·72	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·26	0·84	...	...
		Alipur Duars	0·05	0·45	0·57	0·20	3·25	2·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·10	2·16	...	1·85
		Falakata ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Debiganj ...	...	0·22	0·41	0·57	0·10	0·95	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagatpur (Nagrakatta).	...	0·84	...	0·84	0·45	0·75	0·25	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·06	...	0·79	1·39	1·19	0·08
		Buxa ...	...	0·53	...	0·10	0·81	1·12	0·50	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·11	...	0·68	0·23	...	0·13
		Kalchini ...	0·25	0·25	...	0·10	0·73	1·47	0·25	0·15	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	1·64	0·57	0·70	...	...	...
		Kumargram ...	0·53	0·40	...	...	0·44	4·19	1·09	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	2·00	...	...
	Darjeeling ...	Siliguri ...	...	...	...	2·42	1·53	1·70	0·47	2·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·15	...	1·65	1·30	0·11	...
		Darjeeling ...	0·01	0·20	0·11	2·08	0·47	0·90	1·08	1·21	...	...	0·14	...	0·01	...	0·19	...	0·12	0·08	0·17	...
		Kalimpong ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Mongpoo ...	0·03	0·11	1·64	0·02	2·64	0·75	0·76	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	...	0·08	...
		Kurseong ...	0·57	1·53	0·34	2·88	0·98	1·23	0·14	1·63	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·49	...	...	...	0·23	...	...
		Pedong ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Rangpur ...	Bhawaniganj (Gaibandha).	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Rangpur ...	0·05	0·05	0·24	0·51	0·27	0·59	2·31	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirganj ...	...	...	0·20	0·40	0·80	1·40	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurigaon ...	0·02	0·01	...	0·78	0·44	0·45	1·74	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...
		Gobindganj ...	...	0·60	2·00	2·05	2·00	1·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagdogra (Nilphamari).	0·84	...	0·40	1·28	1·05	0·60	1·90	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ulipur ...	...	0·05	0·06	0·42	1·20	0·30	1·90	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sundarganj ...	0·40	0·20	0·24	0·28	0·38	0·22	2·08	0·44	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saidpur ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Bogra ...	Sherpur ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Nowkhilla ...	1·18	1·50	...	0·15	1·55	1·65	3·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bogra ...	1·35	0·59	1·59	1·32	2·19	2·64	1·45	0·32	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panchbibi ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Khetlal ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Pabna ...	Shahzadpur ...	2·40	1·96	1·14	0·46	1·05	0·47	...	1·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pabna ...	0·71	2·58	1·75	0·77	...	0·65	0·71	0·58	1·07	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sirajganj ...	0·18	1·04	0·40	0·49	1·45	5·12	2·62	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bera ...	0·60	1·05	2·80	0·75	0·60	0·13	0·85	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·02	...	...	...	...
	Malda ...	Malda ...	...	0·17	0·08	1·47	0·30	1·00	3·90	...	1·00	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chanchal ...	...	...	0·26	1·26	0·65	0·55	2·42	0·68	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gazol ...	...	...	0·16	1·74	0·60	0·65	1·35	0·26	0·10	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sibganj ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Gomastapur ...	...	...	0·60	1·94	2·16	0·75	2·06	0·60	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj ...	...	...	1·50	1·96	2·65	0·93	1·02	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DACCA.	Dacca ...	Munshiganj ...	2·27	2·32	1·52	2·65	1·21	1·15	3·36	1·03	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dacca ...	0·64	2·04	0·47	1·91	3·45	1·41	0·42	0·02	0·01	0·63	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...
		Nawabganj ...	...	0·06	1·60	1·96	3·58	0·93	1·02	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayanganj	1·29	1·29	0·43	2·54	1·69	0·50	2·64	0·49	0·47	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	...
		Narsingdi ...	1·60	1·04	0·24	0·93	2·56	1·29	1·95	0·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Manikganj ...	0·57	2·04	1·00	1·62	2·10	0·87	0·21	0·24	0·67	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joydebpur ...	1·05	0·71	0·17	1·40	3·81	1·30	2·00	0·24	1·64	0·02	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kapasia ...	2·05	0·60	1·17	0·85	4·19	2·75	1·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh ...	Kishorganj ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Atia (Tangail)	1·90	2·45	0·46	0·30	1·96	1·40	0·85	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sarisabari ...	...	1·26	0·30	5·50	1·18	4·05	0·72	0·30	0·45	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mymensingh...	0·42	1·86	0·35	1·15	1·02	2·88	2·49	0·04	0·06	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jamalpur ...	0·30	0·34	0·35	2·00	1·70	1·37	1·08	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Netrakona ...	0·95	1·68	0·16	1·28	2·24	3·44	1·35	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pingna ...	0·90	0·50	0·60	0·80	5·20	3·60	5·10	2·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Durgapur ...	0·15	2·10	0·22	1·10	2·75	4·35	6·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sherpur (Town)	0·07	0·58	0·71	2·22	2·10	1·27	1·07	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dewanganj ...	...	0·41	0·29	1·35	[illegible]	0·90	1·22	0·08	0·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nalitabari ...	...	1·00	1·01	1·30	2·00	1·07	1·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1916—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st to 31st Oct. 1916.	Average rainfall from 1st to 31st Oct.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	0·12	0·86	...	...	...	...	1·22	0·05	1·11	12	5·5	7·06	4·20	1·82	7·06	4·20	Serampore ...	Hooghly ...	BURDWAN—*contd.*
...	...	0·18	0·30	0·16	0·14	0·66	...	0·19	0·04	0·90	16	5·1	13·06	3·76	2·25	13·06	3·76	Hooghly		
0·12	...	0·26	0·45	0·01	...	0·26	...	0·02	0·06	3·40	13	4·6	10·40	3·51	3·40	10·40	3·51	Arambagh.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	5·7	*	3·98	*	*	3·98	Howrah ...	Howrah	
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4·6	*	3·58	*		3·58	Mohesreka.		
...	...	0·28	1·04	1·17	...	...	...	0·80	0·90	1·42	12	4·7	15·74	3·19	3·20	15·74	3·19	Uluberia.		
*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4·5	*	*	*			Amta.		
...	0·63	...	...	0·19	3·02	0·04	...	...	0·35	1·06	14	4·1	14·38	3·14	3·03	14·38	3·14	Boalia ...	Rajshahi ...	RAJSHAHI.
...	0·37	...	...	0·22	0·45	1·14	...	0·49	0·35	...	15	4·7	9·57	3·07	2·75	9·57	3·07	Nator.		
...	0·35	...	...	...	1·82	...	...	...	0·69	1·47	12	3·8	16·35	3·56	4·66	16·35	3·56	Naugaon.		
...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	1·11	...	11	3·9	7·70	3·21	2·13	7·70	3·21	Bilmaria.		
0·33	0·41	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·53	0·61	15	3·3	13·01	2·94	2·15	13·01	2·94	Manda.		
...	...	0·15	1·75	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	...	10	4·1	12·19	3·68	2·71	12·19	3·68	Mahadebpur.		
1·44	...	...	...	0·36	0·60	...	...	...	0·45	0·16	13	3·4	16·79	3·35	4·00	16·79	3·35	Tanor.		
0·26	0·75	...	...	...	2·00	...	...	...	...	0·60	11	3·8	12·70	3·65	3·00	12·70	3·65	Nitpur ...	Dinajpur ...	
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0·55	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	9	2·8	9·87	2·89	2·95	9·87	2·89	Gangarampur.		
0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·67	9	3·3	9·84	2·73	2·95	9·84	2·74	Churaman.		
...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·59	0·72	11	3·3	7·22	3·02	2·20	7·22	3·02	Raiganj.		
0·04	...	...	...	0·90	1·30	...	...	...	0·39	1·65	12	3·6	12·65	3·06	3·32	12·66	4·06	Dinajpur.		
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...	...	...	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3·2	5·01	3·34	2·59	5·01	3·34	Thakurgaon		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·80	...	...	6	3·1	7·10	2·40	3·00	7·10	2·40	Setabganj.		
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*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	3·5	*	3·74	*	*	3·74	Atwari.		
...	...	0·47	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	1·62	...	7	3·5	9·29	2·79	2·97	9·29	2·79	Birganj.		
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...	0·25	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	10	4·4	9·28	4·41	4·60	9·28	4·41	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	4·2	10·12	3·77	3·23	10·12	3·77	Alipur Duars.		
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...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	6	3·4	2·59	3·26	0·95	2·59	3·26	Debiganj.		
...	...	...	...	0·48	0·29	1·04	...	...	...	...	13	8·1	8·82	8·56	1·29	8·82	8·56	Bhagatpur (Nagrakatta).		
0·12	...	...	...	0·12	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	12	9·3	6·41	10·11	2·11	6·41	10·11	Buxa.		
...	...	...	...	0·56	1·77	...	...	...	...	...	13	8·7	8·66	5·29	1·77	8·66	5·29	Kalchini.		
...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	(n)	8·97	(n)	4·10	8·97	(n)	Kumargram.		
...	...	...	0·11	...	0·26	0·30	...	...	...	...	12	5·5	12·40	3·36	2·90	12·40	3·36	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling ...	
...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	11	4·3	6·34	4·49	2·08	6·34	4·49	Darjeeling.		
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0·01	...	...	...	0·02	0·40	...	...	...	0·64	0·30	8	3·8	5·70	4·19	2·31	5·70	4·19	Rangpur.		
...	...	...	...	0·50	0·52	...	...	...	0·80	...	8	3·5	4·82	3·99	1·40	4·82	3·99	Pirganj.		
...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·55	0·58	6	3·7	4·63	4·79	1·74	4·63	4·79	Kurigaon		
...	...	...	1·16	...	...	...	2·40	...	...	1·01	9	4·1	12·66	4·78	2·00	12·65	4·78	Gobindganj.		
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...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	0·28	9	4·7	12·44	4·54		12·44	4·84	Nowkhilla		
0·10	...	...	...	0·68	0·06	1·08	...	...	0·21	0·59	14	4·9	14·26	4·22	3·64	14·26	4·22	Bogra.		
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0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·88	...	10	(n)	10·33	(n)	2·40	10·33	(n)	Shahzadpur ...	Pabna ...	
...	...	...	0·34	...	1·07	...	...	...	...	2·53	12	4·3	13·96	4·82	2·96	13·96	4·82	Pabna.		
0·02	0·62	...	...	0·01	0·79	0·43	0·01	...	0·43	0·79	12	4·6	15·10	4·59	6·72	15·10	4·59	Sirajganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·01	...	...	0·15	0·98	12	(n)	7·90	(n)	2·80	7·90	(n)	Sara.		
0·20	0·07	...	...	...	0·36	...	...	...	0·50	0·42	11	3·9	9·62	3·85	3·90	9·62	3·85	Malda ...	Malda ...	
...	...	...	...	0·22	0·02	...	...	...	0·03	0·25	6	3·1	6·86	3·46	3·42	6·86	3·46	Chanchal.		
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...	0·40	...	...	...	2·30	...	...	...	...	0·47	10	4·1	12·07	4·40	3·16	12·07	4·40	Gomastapur.		
...	1·93	...	...	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	0·65	9	3·1	10·63	3·58	3·53	10·83	3·58	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	0·96	0·12	...	2·26	...	...	...	0·54	12	6·9	21·70	5·14	3·85	21·70	5·14	Munshiganj ...	Dacca ...	DACCA.
...	...	...	0·45	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	5·8	12·12	4·24	3·46	12·12	4·24	Dacca.		
...	1·93	...	...	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	0·85	9	(n)	10·83	(n)	2·53	10·83	(n)	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	0·69	0·59	0·03	...	...	...	0·08	0·12	13	5·5	14·04	4·38	3·54	14·04	4·38	Narayanganj.		
...	...	...	0·06	...	...	1·09	...	...	...	...	9	(n)	11·48	(n)	3·56	11·48	(n)	Narsingdi.		
...	...	...	0·13	0·02	...	0·45	...	...	...	0·37	12	5·0	10·34	3·86	2·10	10·34	3·86	Manikganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	5·1	12·41	4·29	3·81	12·41	4·29	Joydebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5·5	12·81	4·43	4·19	12·81	4·43	Kapasia.		
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...	0·09	...	...	...	0·15	0·30	...	0·17	0·09	...	11	4·6	9·96	4·23	2·45	9·96	4·23	Atia (Tangail)		
...	...	...	...	0·61	0·91	...	...	...	0·52	0·44	13	(n)	16·47	(n)	5·50	16·47	(n)	Sarishabari.		
...	0·01	...	...	0·19	0·21	0·02	...	...	2·81	1·22	11	5·5	16·29	5·20	2·85	16·29	5·20	Mymensingh.		
0·03	0·26	...	...	0·05	0·45	...	...	...	0·42	0·18	12	4·8	8·92	4·82	2·00	8·92	4·82	Jamalpur.		
0·06	0·05	...	0·02	0·02	0·06	...	...	...	0·34	0·10	9	6·8	12·02	6·43	3·44	12·02	6·43	Netrakona.		
...	...	...	0·10	0·20	...	...	...	0·70	0·20	...	12	4·8	17·10	4·27	5·20	17·10	4·27	Pingna.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	0·45	...	9	4·8	10·07	6·11	4·25	10·07	6·11	Durgapur.		
0·09	0·42	...	0·12	0·20	0·30	0·27	...	...	0·59	0·16	13	5·7	10·38	4·31	2·22	10·38	4·31	Sherpur (Town).		
1·23	0·40	...	...	...	1·30	...	...	...	0·9	0·35	11	3·8	10·11	4·69	1·84	10·11	4·69	Dewanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	1·30	0·10	9	5·1	10·76	4·80	3·00	10·76	4·80	Nalitabari.		

* Return not received. (n) Not ascertained.

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Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Dacca—contd.	Faridpur ...	Kadaripur ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Faridpur ...	1·08	4·04	0·62	0·72	0·80	1·05	0·81	0·80	0·05	0·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari (Goalundo). ...	2·60	4·80	1·58	3·65	1·05	0·49	...	0·09	...	2·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haridanpur ...	1·22	2·53	1·23	1·27	0·30	0·44	0·60	0·59	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Takirhat ...	0·79	1·12	0·51	2·17	0·58	1·12	0·90	0·71	...	0·62	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	0·32	...	...	...
		Bhanga ...	2·50	2·45	2·30	2·58	0·52	0·48	0·16	0·38	0·14	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pangsa ...	1·75	2·83	2·02	2·17	...	0·51	0·53	0·72	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Baliakandi ...	2·50	3·30	2·10	1·90	0·86	0·95	2·10	1·10	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rhuma ...	0·95	1·05	1·15	1·30	1·03	0·30	0·05	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palong ...	...	1·65	1·15	1·15	1·14	0·65	5·35	0·15	1·15	2·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bakarganj ...	Patuakhali ...	2·67	0·05	0·55	4·20	1·55	2·18	0·30	0·80	...	0·17	0·64	...	...	...	...	0·56	...	...	...	...
		Barguna ...	2·25	0·65	1·00	3·04	1·87	2·26	0·15	0·30	1·10	1·60	0·90	...	...	...	...	2·58	...	...	...	...
		Pirozpur ...	1·44	0·34	2·09	0·77	1·13	1·44	0·99	0·79	0·06	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...
		Barisal ...	1·29	0·45	1·19	1·58	2·20	1·40	0·85	0·51	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gaurnadi ...	1·65	0·18	1·41	1 41	0·82	0·92	1·10	1·58	...	0·98	0·75	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·40	...	...	...
		Bhola ...	3·72	4·91	1·00	3·76	1·61	2·80	0·47	0·11	0·83	2·80	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·07	...	...
		Daulatkhan ...	3·58	0·75	1·88	0·95	1·26	1·20	1·18	0·32	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bamphal ...	1·36	2·00	2·00	2·10	2·00	0·28	0·40	0·67	0·06	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Cox's Bazar ...	0·25	0·47	0·40	0·12	3·45	0·45	0·44	0·10	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...
		Chittagong ...	1·61	0·48	0·41	0·40	1·28	2·78	1 29	3·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kutubdia ...	1·80	1·78	0·20	0·48	0·32	1·42	1 88	0·30	2·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Satkania ...	0·40	0·35	0·20	0·15	0·50	2·24	0·48	4·40	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kodala ...	0·08	0·41	0·21	1·11	2·21	2·80	5·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mirsarai ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·20	...	...	0·10	...
	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	1·03	0·50	0·81	1·35	2·51	3·84	5·02	5·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandpur ...	1·40	3 40	1·29	2·80	3·30	0·70	4·00	...	0·80	1·00	...	...	...	..	...	0·22	0·30	...	...	...
		Brahmanbaria ...	0·61	1·28	0·17	0·29	1·60	2·04	1·86	0·28	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramchandrapur ...	0·91	0·63	2·20	2·50	1·60	2·90	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·71	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar ...	...	0·10	0·28	2·26	3·18	3·04	1·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·45	...	...	...	1·35	0·46
		Daudkandi ...	...	1·98	3·02	2·05	2·10	3·05	1·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kasba ...	1·50	0·38	0·37	0·75	1·40	0·96	1·66	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...
		Laksam ...	0·18	0·78	0·47	1·40	1·43	1·91	3 39	1·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·45	...	...	0·19	...
	Noakhali ...	Noakhali ...	1·56	0·98	0·58	1·46	1·02	0·92	1·15	0·77	0·65	0·05	0·24	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	...	...
		Feni ...	0·26	1·55	0·75	1 83	1·30	2·35	2·70	1·42	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya ...	...	1·44	...	0·70	3 25	3·86	0 34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj ...	1·02	0 68	2·27	1·56	1·12	3·45	0·02	0·48	0 29	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	0·26	...	...	...
		Chhagalnaia ...	0·25	0·47	0·07	2·23	1·35	3·46	3·55	3 75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya ...	2·65	0·95	0·24	1·47	1·27	2 64	0·20	0·04	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Laklipur ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	...	0·55	1·12	0·92	2·57	3·10	3·52	4·60	0·69	0·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bandarban ...	0·25	0·55	1·07	0·60	1·64	1·15	0·55	7·80	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barkal ...	0·38	0·01	1·54	1·22	1·36	3·10	4·02	10·80	0·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lama ...	0·45	0·88	...	1·50	0·90	1·38	0·72	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	0·92	0·70	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramgarh ...	...	0·48	...	0·53	1·32	0·96	0·96	2·67	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahalchari ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Hill Tippera ...	Agartala ...	0·66	0·58	0·26	1·43	0·93	1·60	0·65	0·24	0·20	0 06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cooch Behar.	Cooch Behar ...	Dinhata ...	0·15	0·01	0·65	0·15	0·28	0·44	2·24	0 03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	...	...
		Cooch Behar ...	...	0·62	0·55	0·03	0·75	0·61	1·45	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	0·30	0·31	...
		Mekliganj ...	...	0·03	0·21	0·24	1·62	0·35	0·93	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...
		Mathabhanga ...	0·11	0·15	0·22	0·08	0·98	1·65	1·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·15	0·12	...
		Fulbari ...	...	0·06	0·20	0·18	1·04	0·75	2·53	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·56	...

(a) Not
* Return not

CALCUTTA,
The 17th November 1916.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1916—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st to 31st Oct. 1916.	Average rainfall from 1st to 31st Oct.	Station.	District.	Division.
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5·5	"	4·43	"	"	"	Madaripur ...	Faridpur ...	DACCA—*concld.*
...	...	...	0·33	0·06	...	0·40	...	0·09	...	1·56	12	5·4	11·85	4·55	4·04	11·85	4·55	Faridpur.		
...	...	...	0·06	...	0·08	0·50	...	...	...	0·90	9	5·5	17·34	4·30	4·30	17·34	4·30	Rajbari (Goalundo).		
...	...	0·05	1·88	0·01	0 75	...	...	0·40	0·30	0·04	13	(a)	11·86	(a)	2·53	11·86	(a)	Haridaspur.		
...	...	0·04	0·61	0·07	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	13	(a)	9·74	(a)	2·17	9·74	(a)	Takirhat.		
...	...	...	0·35	...	0·14	...	...	0·88	...	0·43	9	(a)	9·29	(a)	2 20	9·29	(a)	Bhanga.		
...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·34	10	(a)	13·51	(a)	2·82	13·51	(a)	Pangsa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	1·30	...	11	(a)	17·01	(a)	3·30	17·01	(a)	Ballakandi.		
...	...	...	2·30	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	15	(a)	15·65	(a)	3·58	15·65	(a)	Bhuson.		
...	...	...	2·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	(a)	17·41	(a)	45 45	17·41	(a)	Palong.		
...	...	1·05	0·58	0·81	...	...	...	2·31	0·35	...	15	7·2	18·37	7·51	4·20	18·37	7·51	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj ...	
...	...	1·20	1·66	0·50	...	...	...	0·90	0·75	...	17	7·0	22·50	6·08	3·04	22·50	6·08	Barguna.		
...	...	0·08	0·81	0·76	0·14	...	...	0·15	0·07	...	13	6·1	12·13	5·51	3·07	12·13	5·51	Perospur.		
...	...	0·24	0·80	1·13	0·10	...	...	0·40	0·14	...	14	6·2	13·11	5·93		13·11	5·93	Betiaul.		
...	0·08	0·50	0·42	...	0·20	...	0·11	...	...	...	15	5·5	13·57	4·34	1·82	13 57	4·34	Gaurnadi.		
...	...	0 31	0·26	0·26	0·06	...	...	0·48	...	0·15	16	6·4	24·11	6·00	3·76	24·11	6·00	Bhola.		
...	...	0·93	...	...	...	...	1·08	...	...	...	11	7·1	13·35	6·89	3·54	14·25	6·89	Daulatkhan.		
...	0·87	0·25	0·71	0·38	...	...	0·50	...	0·40	...	15	6·4	14 04	7 41	2·10	14·04	7·41	Bauphal.		
...	...	0·31	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·28	...	...	11	6·7	8 84	3·26	3·45	6·84	3·26	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong ...	CHITTAGONG ...
...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	1·12	...	9	6·9	13·37	6·22	3·46	13·37	6·22	Chittagong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	0·30	11	6·2	10 98	7·23	3·00	10·98	7 23	Kutubdia.		
...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	9	6·2	9·86	6·35	4·40	9·86	6·35	Satkania.		
...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	0·76	8	7·4	13·06	6·53	5·05	13·06	6·53	Kodala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	3	6·9	2·40	8·09	2·30	2·40	8·09	Mirsaraf.		
...	...	...	0·09	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6·1	20·38	6·54	5·70	20 94	6·04	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
...	...	0·12	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	6 2	19·64	5·51	4 00	19·64	5·51	Chandpur.		
...	...	...	0·15	...	1·40	...	...	...	0·45	...	11	6·1	11·68	4·72	3·04	11·68	4·72	Brahmanbaria.		
...	...	0·45	0 04	0·17	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	11	4·8	13·94	4·63	3·90	13·94	4·63	Ramchandrapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	...	0·16	11	4·7	14 55	4·89	3·18	14·55	4·89	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	...	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	7	4·6	14·59	3·78	3·05	14·59	3·78	Daudkandi.		
...	...	...	0·10	...	0·35	0·30	...	...	0·52	...	13	4·8	8·58	4·02	1·06	8·58	4·02	Kasba.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	11	4·8	12·96	5·24	3·39	12·96	5·24	Laksam.		
...	...	0·17	0·28	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	13	7·3	10·25	7·96	1·56	10·25	7·96	Noakhali ...	Noakhali ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	10	7·4	13·71	6·89	2·70	13·71	6·89	Feni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	...	6	7·9	9·93	9·13	3·36	9·93	9·13	Harishpur.		
...	...	0·08	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5·9	16·65	5·89	3·45	16·65	5·89	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7·0	15·22	6·87	3·75	15·22	6·87	Chhagalnaia.		
...	...	1·64	0·60	...	...	...	1·06	0·11	...	...	11	8·5	13·86	9·13	3·65	13·86	9·13	Hatiya.		
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6·2	"	9·60	"	"	9·60	Lakhipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·81	...	10	9·1	20·60	6·38	6·40	20·60	6·38	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	10	7·9	14·67	6·93	7·80	14·67	6 93	Baudarban.		
...	...	0·02	0·11	0·01	...	...	...	3·13	0·04	...	10	7·4	23·46	6·04	10·80	23·46	6·04	Barkal.		
...	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·13	0·06	...	...	0·90	13	(a)	9·31	(a)	1·80	9·31	(a)	Lama.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	(a)	7·85	(a)	3·37	7 85	(a)	Ramgarh.		
"	...	"	"	"	...	"	"	"	"	"	"	(a)	"	(a)	"	"	(a)	Mahalchari.		
...	...	...	...	1·45	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	11	5·5	8·97	4·90	1·60	8·97	4·90	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera ...	
...	0·64	...	...	0·55	0·08	...	...	...	0·03	0·10	10	4·6	7·23	5·07	3·24	7 23	5 07	Dhubri ...	Cooch Behar ...	COOCH BEHAR.
0·09	0·95	...	...	0·80	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·20	11	4·8	6·46	6·03	1·45	6·46	6·03	Cooch Behar.		
...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4·1	3·88	4·31	1·62	3·88	4·31	Mickligunj.		
...	0·15	...	...	1·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	4·8	6·32	5·34	1·43	6·32	5·34	Mathabhanga.		
...	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	10	5·1	6 06	6·03	2·53	6·06	6·03	Futbari.		

ascertained,
received.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 18th November 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
1. Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5 8 0	5 12 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ medium ...	6 0 0	6 2 0	0 2 6	0 3 6
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5 14 0	6 0 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ medium ...	6 2 0	6 4 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	6 4 0	.....	0 2 3	0 2 9
„ medium ...	6 8 0	.....	0 2 6	0 2 9
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6 4 0	.....	0 2 6	0 2 9
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	4 13 0	5 5 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
(vi) Kajla	3 14 0	4 7 0	.....	.....
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4 6 0	.....	.....	.....
„ Gangajali ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ Jamali ...	4 4 0	4 5 0	.....	.....
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3 15 0	4 5 0	0 1 3	0 2 0
4. „ dal	4 8 0	5 0 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5 10 0	6 4 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5 4 0	5 8 0	0 2 9	0 3 9
6. Arhar „	4 0 0	6 0 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
7. Masur „ (split) ...	5 14 0	6 8 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
„ „ (khanri) ...	6 4 0	8 0 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
8. Kalai „	5 4 0	5 12 0	0 2 0	0 2 9
9. Salt (Liverpool) ...	2 12 0	2 13 0	0 1 4½	0 1 6
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13 12 0	14 0 0	0 5 6	0 7 0
11. Gur (Bheli)	6 8 0	7 8 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
„ (Bhursut) ...	6 8 0	8 8 0	0 2 6	.....
12. Milk	9 0 0	11 0 0	0 1 0	0 5 0
13. Mustard oil	14 10 0	15 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0
14. Flour (country) ...	5 10 0	6 6 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
15. Ata No. 3	4 7 0	4 8 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
„ „ 2½	4 10 0	4 11 0		
„ „ B	6 8 0	.....		
16. Suji	6 0 0	6 12 0	0 2 9	0 3 3
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	59 0 0	62 0 0	1 8 0	1 10 0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	56 0 0	58 0 0	1 6 0	1 8 0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	49 0 0	53 0 0	1 4 0	1 7 0
18. Maize	2 10 0	3 0 0	.....	.....
19. Potato	6 0 0	7 12 0	0 2 6	0 4 0
20. Patal	9 8 0	11 8 0	0 3 6	0 6 0
21. Brinjal	3 8 0	4 8 0	0 2 0	0 4 0
22. Onion	3 4 0	5 0 0	0 1 6	0 2 6
23. Fish, Rahu	18 0 0	22 0 0	0 10 0	0 12 0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	.....
25. Beef (2nd & 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 5 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices recorded daily at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1916.*

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 11th November 1916.

Date.	Time when recorded.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height of water above mean sea-level.	Height above zero of gauge on the same date last year.	Remarks.
5th Nov. 1916	At low tide.	59·2	Not connected with mean sea-level.	58·0	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
6th „ „	Ditto	58·8		58·1	
7th „ „	Ditto	58·7		58·0	
8th „ „	Ditto	58·6		57·8	
9th „ „	Ditto	58·7		57·6	
10th „ „	Ditto	58·8		57·4	
11th „ „	Ditto	58·9		57·2	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th Sept.	1909	...	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	...	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	...	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	...	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	...	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	...	69·7	Ditto.
18th „	1916	...	68·1	Ditto.
23rd Feb.	1907	...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	...	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	...	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	...	50·6	Ditto.
22nd Feb.	1915	...	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	...	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 11th November 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 11th November 1916.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero, minus sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 49·00	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
5th Nov. 1916	8 A.M.	4·20	53·20	52·00	R. L. of gauge post is 49·00.
6th „ „	8 „	4·00	53·00	51·90	B. M. on College step is 69·74.
7th „ „	8 „	3·80	52·80	51·60	
8th „ „	8 „	3·40	52·40	51·50	
9th „ „	8 „	3·20	52·20	51·25	
10th „ „	8 „	2·80	51·80	51·00	
11th „ „	8 „	2·70	51·70	50·90	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest „	...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record	...	Highest „	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do.	...	Lowest „	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do	...	Ditto „	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 11th November 1916.

H. DUTT,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 11th November 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
5th Nov. 1916	7 A.M.	15·9	15·9	14·8	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
6th ,, ,,	7 ,,	15·5	15·5	14·7	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghât and Chandpore ghât.
7th ,, ,,	7 ,,	15·3	15·3	14·5	
8th ,, ,,	7 ,,	15·0	15·0	14·3	
9th ,, ,,	7 ,,	14·8	14·8	14·1	Its reduced level is 22·41.
10th ,, ,,	7 ,,	14·7	14·7	13·9	
11th ,, ,,	7 ,,	14·5	14·5	13·7	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest ,, ...	3·4 on 10th February 1915.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest ,, ...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto ,, ...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto ,, ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto ,, ...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	Lowest ,, ...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 11th November 1916.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 18th November 1916.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 49·00.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
12th Nov. 1916	8 A.M.	2·30	51·30	50·70	R. L. of gauge post is 49·00.
13th ,, ,,	8 ,,	2·10	51·10	50·50	B. M. on College step 69·74.
14th ,, ,,	8 ,,	1·90	50·90	50·35	
15th ,, ,,	8 ,,	1·60	50·60	50·10	
16th ,, ,,	8 ,,	1·40	50·40	50·00	
17th ,, ,,	8 ,,	1·20	50·20	49·90	
18th ,, ,,	8 ,,	1·10	50 10	49·65	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto ..	Lowest ,, ...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record	Highest ,, ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do.	Lowest ,, ...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	39 28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 18th November 1916.

H. DUTT,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Division.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 18th November 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
12th Nov. 1916	7 A.M.	14·2	14·2	13·3	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
13th ,, ,,	,,	13·8	13·8	13·1	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
14th ,, ,,	,,	13·4	13·4	12·8	
15th ,, ,,	,,	13·1	13·1	12·5	
16th ,, ,,	,,	12·9	12·9	12·3	Its reduced level is 22·41.
17th ,, ,,	,,	12·6	12·6	12·1	
18th ,, ,,	,,	12·4	12·4	12·0	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	3·4 on 10th February 1915
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).		Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	... ...	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 18th November 1916.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 11th November 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 11th November 1916			Week ending Saturday, the 18th November 1916		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	188	23,461	366	197	36,660	411
Jute	319	103,008*	1,481	359	103,566†	1,445
Firewood	26	12,805	169	46	25,055	363
Other articles	795	149,956	1,873	812	131,710	1,717
Total ...	1,328	289,230	3,889	1,414	296,991	3,936
Empty boats and rafts ...	652	...	1,126	652	...	1,383
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,980	289,230	5,015	2,066	296,991	5,319

	Mds.
* Weight by canal measurement	114,250
† Ditto ditto	114,5374

CALCUTTA.
The 20th November 1916.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of September 1916, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1916-17.						1915-16.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Major Works.												
Midnapore Canal ...	4,854	34,158	...	3,900	2,591	20,021	6,375	42,238	...	3,903	2,940	19,707
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	7,300	47,380	22	1,454	4,471	31,442	5,254	31,619	...	843	3,506	23,478
Total ...	12,154	81,538	22	5,354	7,062	51,463	11,629	73,857	...	4,746	6,446	43,185
II.—Minor Works and Navigation.												
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	25,563	137,221	1,345	14,864	16,204	95,128	25,351	144,992	359	10,361	17,248	1,02,382
Tolly's Nala ...	12,035	79,909	2,445	14,645	4,031	23,623	14,411	84,190	2,200	10,495	4,797	25,306
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	149,140	566,234	11	2,972	46,238	1,66,120	113,479	324,860	16	123	29,994	93,419
Total ...	186,738	783,364	3,801	32,481	66,473	2,84,871	153,241	554,042	2,575	20,979	52,039	2,21,107
Magrahat Channels ...	915	4,571	...	.....	1,431	9,219	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,347	16,946	25	6,377	854	5,918	1,501	11,358	228	6,223	582	3,768
Nadia Rivers ...	6,859	27,300	18,800	95,366	1,179	6,356	6,975	31,388	66	5,300	1,403	6,276
Grand Total ...	196,859	832,181	22,626	134,224	69,937	3,06,364	161,717	596,788	2,869	32,502	54,024	2,31,151

Calcutta,
The 21st November 1916.

A. N. Mitra,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1916-17.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of September 1916.

Circle	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED. SEASON LEASES. Long-term leases.	Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.	Grand Total.	RAINFALL, 1916-17. During month.	RAINFALL, 1916-17. Up to end of month.	RAINFALL, 1915-16. During month.	RAINFALL, 1915-16. Up to end of month.	Remarks.
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
South-Western	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	566	518	77,378	67,724	65,437*	11,816	...	...	...	11,816	77,253	15·23	56·66	15·18	47·26	
		Panchkura	522	56	51	8,059	7,206	6,793	1,543	...	...	...	1,543	8,336	11·30	49·26	11·68	47·54	
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches. Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8·14	50·57	13·03	51·79	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	85,437	74,930	72,230	13,359	...	...	...	13,359	85,589	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	68,982	6,173	...	...	...	6,173	75,155	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	285	285	26,945	23,194	26,127	*953	97	7	...	1,057	27,184	10·74	44·57	7·00	37·52	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	24,201	801	...	7	...	808	25,009	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	112,382	98,124	98,357	14,312	97	7	...	14,416	112,773	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	91,183	6,974	...	7	...	6,981	100,164	...	...	...	...	

* of which 37 acres are "single watering."

CALCUTTA.

The 21st November 1916.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 4th November 1916, on 1,639 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. (d)			
Total traffic for the week	706,720	3,34,610 0 0	2,864,490 0	4,60,020 0 0	22,340 0 0	8,16,970 0 0	99,790	(a) 66,173	165,963
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 447	(b) 212 0 0	1,748 0	281 0 0	(c) 9 0 0	(c) 494 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	2,710,740	13,10,670 0 0	11,368,530 0	19,01,190 0 0	89,880 0 0	33,01,640 0 0	398,667	266,925	665,592
Total for 5 weeks ...	3,417,460	16,45,180 0 0	14,133,020 0	23,61,210 0 0	1,12,120 0 0	40,18,510 0 0	498,457	333,098	831,555
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	585,169	3,00,201 .. 0	2,749,151 0	3,95,837 0 0	18,759 0 0	7,14,797 0 0	103,867	58,879	162,746
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,639 miles)	(b) 370	(b) 190 0 0	1,677 0	242 0 0	8 0 0	431 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	3,192,729	14,30,919 0 0	13,123,402 0	19,96,321 0 0	87,554 0 0	35,15,394 0 0	516,395	303,282	819,677

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 7,710.
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,720
(d) Increase is chiefly due to Jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 4th November 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	67,540	21,590 0 0	166,640 0	12,230 0 0	2,940 0 0	36,760 0 0	7,003	(a) 3,127	10,129
Per mile of railway per week	572	182 0 0	1,423 0	103 0 0	(a) 1 0 0	(a) 286 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	233,850	88,390 0 0	594,870 0	38,530 0 0	11,890 0 0	1,16,810 0 0	26,010	10,957	36,967
Total for 5 weeks ...	301,710	89,980 0 0	763,510 0	48,760 0 0	14,830 0 0	1,53,570 0 0	33,012	14,084	49,096
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	51,541	16,807 0 0	165,903 0	11,395 0 0	2,319 0 0	30,451 0 0	6,692	2,338	9,030
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	435	142 0 0	1,315 0	95 0 0	2 0 0	239 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	257,644	77,570 0 0	669,395 0	38,807 0 0	10,236 0 0	1,26,702 0 0	33,470	10,721	44,191

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs 2,800.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 750.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 4th November 1916, on 33·00 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,780	2,740 0 0	55,110 0	3,050 0 0	40 0 0	5,830 0 0	932	(a) 270	1,202
Per mile of railway per week	205	83 0 0	1,665 0	92 0 0	1 0 0	176 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	26,170	9,900 0 0	141,750 0	9,310 0 0	130 0 0	19,340 0 0	3,826	1,096	4,922
Total for 5 weeks ...	32,950	12,640 0 0	196,860 0	12,360 0 0	170 0 0	25,170 0 0	4,758	1,366	6,144
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,770	2,673 0 0	86,673 0	3,351 0 0	26 0 0	6,050 0 0	1,048	399	1,447
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·00 miles)	144	81 0 0	1,713 0	101 0 0	1 0 0	183 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	33,820	11,091 0 0	215,910 0	15,851 0 0	114 0 0	27,056 0 0	4,764	1,763	6,527

(a) Including ballast train-miles, nil.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 4th November 1916, on 53·00 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	21,410	6,100 0 0	188,080 0	9,940 0 0	30 0 0	16,070 0 0	1,672	(a) 1,853	3,725
Per mile of railway per week	399	114 0 0	3,505 0	185 0 0	.....	299 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	68,930	19,210 0 0	635,080 0	33,280 0 0	140 0 0	52,630 0 0	6,846	6,051	12,897
Total for 5 weeks ...	90,340	25,310 0 0	823,160 0	43,220 0 0	170 0 0	68,700 0 0	8,518	7,004	16,122
Total for the 18 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	290,599	84,307 0 0	2,834,542 0	1,36,356 0 0	592 0 0	2,20,345 0 0	32,891	24,761	57,652
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	19,038	4,548 0 0	150,779 0	7,817 0 0	26 0 0	12,391 0 0	2,056	1,310	3,366
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·66 miles)	280	85 0 0	2,810 0	146 0 0	.....	231 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	92,751	27,112 0 0	603,259 0	30,043 0 0	170 0 0	57,325 0 0	10,162	5,531	15,693
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	299,042	89 409 0 0	1,932 436 0	95,785 0 0	618 0 0	1,85 812 0 0	36,356	17,961	54.317

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 90. (b) Audited figures to end of August 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 4th November 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	11,410	3,760 0 0	46,410 0	3,540 0 0	10 0 0	7,310 0 0	1,428	(a)700	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	227	75 0 0	924 0	71 0 0	.....	146 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	41,780	12,230 0 0	223,240 0	16,390 0 0	70 0 0	28,690 0 0	5,712	3,040	8,752
Total for 5 weeks ...	53,160	15,990 0 0	279,650 0	19,930 0 0	80 0 0	36,000 0 0	7,140	3,740	10,880
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	167 0 0	3 0 0	170 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (25 miles)	.....	.....	.....	7 0 0	.....	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	192 0 0	48 0 0	240 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Ballast train miles, nil.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 4th November 1916, on 2,537·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	679,376	6,11,341 0 0	8,805,710 0	14,84,704 0 0	24,800 0 0	21,20,845 0 0	176,919	315,396	492,315
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	241 14 2	.....	587 7 0	9 13 0	839 2 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year ...	2,620,841	23,34,486 0 0	34,622,337 0	57,06,761 0 0	62,000 0 0	81,03,247 0 0	715,866	1,326,764	2,042,330
Total from 1st October ...	3,300,217	29,45 827 0 0	43,429,047 0	71,91,465 0 0	86,800 0 0	1,02,24,093 0 0	892,485	1,642,160	2,534,645
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	597,131	5,31,715 0 0	8,787,840 0	14,03,241 0 0	63,806 0 0	19,98,762 0 0	186,165	278,956	465,121
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	210 6 10	.....	555 5 6	25 4 0	791 0 4	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	3,158,180	27,98,789 0 0	40,384,732 0	64,83,948 0 0	2,85,681 0 0	95,68,418 0 0	911,880	1,353,940	2,265,820

(a) The increase is in Military traffic. (b) The increase is in coal.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A P
2,527·42	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	701,047	6,36,743	7,563,707	12,66,537	19,750	19,23,030	761	515,617	3 11 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	687,132	5,96,390	6,231,776	13,28,019	7,750	19,49,089	768	493,879	3 14 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	635,906	5,76,650	9,601,148	15,88,890	6,750	21,69,290	858	519,287	4 2 10
2,527·42	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	596,756	5,24,773	9,228,706	15,16,515	37,750	20,69,038	819	508,547	4 1 1
2,527·42	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	679,376	6,11,341	8,805,710	14,84,704	34,800	21,20,845	839	492,315	4 4 11
	Totals up to date ...	3,300,217	29,45,897	43,429,047	71,91,465	86,800	1,02,24,092	809	2,534,845	4 0 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A P
2,526·81	First 9 days of Oct. ...	836,025	7,48,935	11,566,943	18,58,037	60,848	26,67,810	821	591,965	4 8 1
2,526·81	Week ended 16th ,, ...	692,469	6,02,583	8,310,319	13,05,367	54,022	19,61,953	776	476,299	4 1 11
2,526·81	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	634,796	5,27,196	8,475,657	10,53,946	60,963	16,42,007	650	416,616	3 15 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	413,271	3,53,941	7,902,989	12,89,234	58,630	19,01,125	752	447,367	4 4 0
2,526·81	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	597,131	5,31,715	8,787,940	14,03,241	63,606	19,98,762	791	465,121	4 4 9
	Totals up to date ...	3,374,694	29,63,652	43,948,748	69,09,715	2,98,290	1,01,71,657	762	2,397,368	4 3 11

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 4th November 1916, on 216·56(a) miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. N.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	44,337	37,785 0 0	673,111 0	52,981 0 0	200 0 0	90,966 0 0	1,806	9,480	21,286
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	174 7 8	.....	244 10 5	0 14 9	420 0 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year.	165,247	1,42,300 0 0	2,082,946 0	1,55,565 0 0	1,000 0 0	2,98,865 0 0	44,817	37,714	82,531
Total from 1st Oct. ...	209,584	1,80,085 0 0	2,756,057 0	2,08,546 0 0	1,200 0 0	3,89,831 0 0	56,623	47,194	103,817
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	43,472	38,625 0 0	404,921 0	27,086 0 0	330 0 0	66,041 0 0	12,537	8,133	20,670
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	201 8 9	.....	141 8 5	1 11 7	344 9 9	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	206,785	1,88,097 0 0	1,953,186 0	1,66,372 0 0	1,334 0 0	3,50,803 0 0	60,556	41,620	102,176

(a) Increase of 34·92 mean mileage is due to the opening of the Jhind-Panipat section (43·61 miles) of the Delhi-Umbala-Kalka Railway from 1st November 1916.

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,588	35,124	489,795	30,985	250	66,359	346	19,868	3 6 3
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	45,784	36,962	587,651	37,740	250	74,952	391	21,285	3 8 4
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	42,208	35,288	483,413	41,980	250	77,518	405	21,140	3 10 8
191·64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,667	34,926	542,087	44,860	250	80,036	418	20,538	3 14 4
216.56	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	44,337	37,785	673,111	52,981	200	90,966	420	21,286	4 4 5
	Totals up to date ...	209,584	1,80,085	2,756,057	2,08,546	1,200	3,89,831	397	103,817	3 12 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P
191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	52,764	44,612	499,804	45,258	336	90,206	366	25,736	3 8 1
191·64	Week ended 16th ,, ...	39,193	47,523	370,660	33,515	251	71,289	372	19,903	3 9 4
191·64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	43,663	34,922	325,372	29,143	951	64,316	336	20,748	3 1 7
191·64	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	40,062	35,893	440,612	41,428	251	77,542	405	20,845	3 11 6
191·64	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	43,472	38,625	404,921	27,086	330	66,041	345	20,670	3 3 1
	Totals up to date ...	218,154	191,535	2,041,169	1,76,440	1,419	3,69,394	365	107,893	3 6 9

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 4th November 1916, on (a) 800 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 22 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	110,000	58,000 0 0	482,000 0	85,000 0 0	9,000 0 0	1,52,000 0 0	15,751	21,084	36,835
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	72·50	.....	103·41	10·95	186·76	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	362,000	2,10,000 0 0	1,721,000 0	2,99,000 0 0	34,000 0 0	5,47,000 0 0	66,387	76,973	143,360
Total for 5 weeks ...	472,000	2,68,000 0 0	2,203 000 0	3,84,000 0 0	47,000 0 0	6,99,000 0 0	82,138	97,957	180,095
Comparison,									
Corresponding week of previous year:—									
Proportionate actuals...	106,084	60,419 0 0	474,596 0	73,090 0 0	13,752 0 0	1,47,261 0 0	16,063	20,004	36,067
Per mile of railway (b) ...	.....	77·56	.....	93·64	17·63	187·63	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	497,670	2,74,233 0 0	2,154,259 0	3,35,915 0 0	44,642 0 0	6,53,789 0 0	79,099	93,906	173,005

(a) Excludes 44 miles from Harangajao to Maibang on the Hill Section under reconstruction.
(b) Calculated on 739 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 4th November 1916.			Receipts for week ending 4th November 1915.			Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 4th November 1916.	Total receipts from 1st April 1915 to 4th November 1915.	Total increase in 1916-17.	Total decrease in 1916-17.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
822	1,52,000	186·76	789	1,47,261	187·63	40,73,635	40,02,076	71,559	.....

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 4th November 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,346	19,330 0 0	32,818 0	14,143 0 0	115 0 0	33,786 0 0	3,378	2,883	6,261
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	383 0 0	.....	278 0 0	2 0 0	663 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of the half-year	26,958	69,672 0 0	1,24,066 0	56,362 0 0	791 0 0	1,26,725 0 0	11,483	12,591	24,074
Total traffic up to 4th November 1916	33,304	89,002 0 0	1,56,884 0	70,405 0 0	906 0 0	1,60,513 0 0	14,861	15,474	30,335
(35 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	351 0 0	.....	276 0 0	3 0 0	629 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,607½	15,593 0 0	37,021 0	17,584 0 0	113 0 0	33,290 0 0	1,757	4,000	5,757
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	306 0 0	.....	345 0 0	2 0 0	653 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	28,926½	83,043 0 0	1,68 941 0	80,969 0 0	910 0 0	1,63,922 0 0	10,157	20,516	30,673
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	322 0 0	.....	318 0 0	3 0 0	643 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week...	+ 3,937		— 3,441		+ 2	+ 498			
Difference up to date ...	+ 7,159		— 10,564		— 4	— 3,409			

The increase during the week in Coaching traffic is mainly under Foreign Passengers and Troops.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Rice, Tea and Building Materials.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 4th November 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,539	2,789 0 0	19,229 0	1,653 0 0	10 0 0	4,452 0 0	996	824	1,820
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	40 0 0	.....	24 0 0	.....	64 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of the half-year	28,107	8,979 0 0	78,080 0	6,563 0 0	78 0 0	15,620 0 0	4,004	3,276	7,280
Total traffic up to 4th November 1916	36,146	11,768 0 0	97,309 0	8,216 0 0	88 0 0	20,072 0 0	5,000	4,100	9,100
(35 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	34 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	57 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,349	1,630 0 0	25,110 0	2,873 0 0	21 0 0	4,524 0 0	330	990	1,320
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	24 0 0	.....	41 0 0	.....	65 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	22,085	8,826 0 0	1,25,855 0	10,590 0 0	176 0 0	19,292 0 0	1,570	4,746	6,316
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	24 0 0	.....	31 0 0	.....	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....

NOTES:—Difference for the week + 1,159 — 1,220 — 11 — 72
Difference up to date + 3,242 — 2,374 — 88 + 780

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Local Passengers.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Rice, Potato and Jute traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 4th November 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	631	954 0 0	6,311 0	1,308 0 0	2 0 0	2,259 0 0	122	418	540
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	32 0 0	.....	43 0 0	.....	75 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of the half-year	1,454	1,456 0 0	19,088 0	2,304 0 0	19 0 0	3,779 0 0	537	617	1,154
Total traffic up to 4th November 1916	2,285	2,410 0 0	19,249 0	3,607 0 0	21 0 0	6,038 0 0	659	1,035	1,694
(35 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	16 0 0	.....	24 0 0	.....	40 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	544½	365 0 0	4,617 0	1,172 0 0	4 0 0	1,541 0 0	105	387	492
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	12 0 0	.....	39 0 0	.....	51 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	2,634½	1,585 0 0	15,453 0	3,556 0 0	13 0 0	5,154 0 0	525	1,647	2,172
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	10 0 0	.....	24 0 0	.....	34 0 0	.....	.....	.....

NOTES:—Difference for the week + 589 + 131 — 2 + 718
Difference up to date + 825 + 51 + 3 + 884

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Foreign Passengers and Parcels traffic.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Tea and Wool traffic.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 4th November 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	8,760	2,438 0 0	80,570 0	13,579 0 0	(a)280 0 0	16,297 0 0	514	(d)738	1,252
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	67 0 0	...	373 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 441 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year.*	28,323	7,321 0 0	309,432 0	45,982 0 0	1,599 0 0	54,972 0 0	1,736	3,522	5,258
Total for 5 weeks ...	37,083	9,829 0 0	390,011 0	59,561 0 0	1,979 0 0	71,269 0 0	2,250	4,260	6,510
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	7,477	2,127 0 0	98,399 0	14,320 0 0	(b)484 0 0	16,931 0 0	413	(e)866	1,279
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	59 0 0	...	393 0 0	5 0 0	(c) 457 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	33,950	9,779 0 0	447,926 0	64,362 0 0	2,307 0 0	66,348 0 0	2,025	4,243	6,268

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 233.
(b) Ditto 1916, Rs. 290.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 105.
(e) Ditto 1915, 19.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 4th November 1916, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	19,158	6,691 0 0	116,490 0	21,561 0 0	22 0 0	28,274 0 0	1,812	(a) 3,138	4,950
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	57 0 0	.....	184 0 0	.....	241 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year.*	69,223	21,136 0 0	460,075 0	67,475 0 0	1,106 0 0	89,717 0 0	7,546	13,055	20,601
Total for 5 weeks ...	88,381	27,827 0 0	576,565 0	89,036 0 0	1,128 0 0	117,991 0 0	9,358	16,193	25,551
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	15,141	5,060 0 0	150,445 0	30,108 0 0	45 0 0	35,213 0 0	1,712	(b)3,259	4,971
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year	...	43 0 0	.....	257 0 0	1 0 0	301 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	71,711	25,202 0 0	668,667 0	105,414 0 0	160 0 0	130,776 0 0	7,460	15,709	23,169

(a) Ballast train-miles, 343.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, 37.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 4th November 1916, on 2,067 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings	Traffic Train Miles Run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds	Rs	Rs	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,067 miles open ...	446,340	(a)1,65,510	1,046,000	(b)1,73,930	(c)24,670	3,64,110	62,127	(d)(f)50 213	112,339
Or per mile of railway ...	215 94	80·07	506·05	84·15	11 93	176·15			
For previous 4 weeks of official half-year ...	1,716,110	6,22,730	3,721,270	5,80,380	82,690	12,85,730	245,464	1,76,610	422,074
Total for 5 weeks ...	2,162,450	7,88,240	4,767,270	7,54,310	1,07,290	16,49,480	307,591	2,26,822	534,413
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,058 miles open	416,594	1,58,431	946,383	1,42,429	18,674	3,19,534	64 324	(e)45 792	110.116
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	202·48	76·98	460·83	69·21	9·07	155 26	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	2,042,342	7,74,581	4,218,369	6,47,762	95,891	15,18,234	314,766	218,184	532,950
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		2·66		3·46	·33	8·24			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		2·46		3·11	17	2·90			

(a) Increase mainly under local passengers; foreign passengers decreased.
(b) Increase chiefly under foreign traffic; local traffic decreased
(c) Increase chiefly under steam-boats.
(d) Includes 2,016 miles of ballast trains
(e) Includes 4,735 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Pure goods train miles increased.

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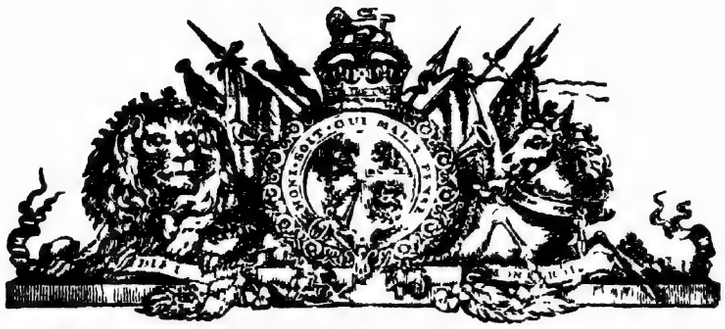

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13115P.—The 24th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (*1*), of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (I of 1910), the Governor in Council hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a Bengali leaflet entitled "Sandhya"-"Ram Thela", beginning with the words "Galo, Galo—Hoya Galo [Gone, Gone—it is almost all over (with them)], etc., and ending with the word "Chalou Mauser *katakat*" (kat kat let Mauser pistols go), etc., and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet, on the ground that the said leaflet contains exhortations to rebel against the British Government in India and to commit murder, and contains words which have a tendency to incite to acts of violence and to bring into hatred and contempt and excite disaffection towards the Government established by law in British India, and therefore appears to the Governor in Council to be of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (*1*), clauses (*a*) and (*c*) of the said Act.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8514A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 8373A.—The 22nd November 1916.*—Mr. L. S. Bingemann, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Chittagong district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan and Midnapore.

Burdwan. Midnapore. Chittagong.

No. 8390A.—The 24th November 1916.—Babu Nagendra Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district with effect from the 8th November 1916.

Dacca.

No. 8400A.—The 25th November 1916.—The orders of the 19th September 1916, posting Babu Girijabhusan Ghoshal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district, are cancelled.

Midnapore.

No. 8423A.—The 27th November 1916.—Mr. C. Tindall, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Bankura, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

Bankura.
Calcutta.

No. 8425A.—The 27th November 1916.—Mr. J. Johnston, I.C.S., Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District and Sessions Judge, Bankura.

Dacca.
Bankura.

No. 8431A.—The 27th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tippera and Chittagong, to be Additional District Magistrate, Dacca, for a period not exceeding six months and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Tippera.
Chittagong.
Dacca.

No. 8450A.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Satyendra Nath Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bakarganj district.

Bakarganj.

No. 8454A.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Hiran Lal Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Faridpur district.

24-Parganas.
Faridpur.

No. 8457A.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Rajmohan Gangali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district.

Jessore.
Midnapore.

No. 8460A.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Harendra Nath Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Nadia district.

Midnapore.
Nadia.

No. 8463A.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Ashutosh Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district.

Nadia.
Dacca.

No. 8466A.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Nagendra Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is appointed to have charge of the Manikganj subdivision of that district.

Dacca.

No. 8476A.—The 27th November 1916.—The Probationary Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and are posted temporarily to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names:—

Maulvi Abdul Halim Chaudhuri, B.A., Noakhali.
„ M. H. M. Furrokh, B.A., Howrah.

No. 8506A.—The 28th November 1916.—Rai Ambika Prasad Sen Bahadur, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Bogra, is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the third grade with effect from the 8th October 1916.

Bogra.

No. 8509A.—The 28th November 1916.—Mr. J. C. Nixon, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors and to have charge of the Chandpur subdivision of the Tippera district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Director of Surveys, Bengal.

Calcutta. Tippera.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 8415A.—The 25th November 1916.*—Second-Lieutenant Albert Edward Swann, Assam-Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles, is appointed to be Paymaster of the Corps with effect from the 1st June 1916.

No. 8488A.—The 27th November 1916.—The Reverend Charles Alfred Newbery is appointed to be Honorary Chaplain of the Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps, with effect from the 6th November 1916, *vice* the Most Reverend G. A. Lefroy, D.D., Lord Bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan in India, resigned.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 8435A.—The 27th November 1916.*—Mr. J. A. Ezechiel, I.C.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for ten months and fourteen days.

No. 8484A.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Narendra Kumar Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for one month and nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th November 1916, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

No. 8504A.—The 28th November 1916.—Maulvi 'Abdul Majid (No. I), Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pirojpur, Bakarganj, is allowed leave for twelve days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th December 1916.

Bakarganj.

RESIGNATION.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 8491A.—The 27th November 1916.*—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by the Most Reverend George Alfred Lefroy, D.D., Lord Bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan in India, of his commission as Honorary Chaplain, Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps, with effect from the 6th November 1916.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No 9306L.R.—The 23rd November 1916.—Whereas by Notification No. 9076L.R., dated the 13th September 1915, an order was made under section 101(*1*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), for a survey and record-of-rights of all lands within 5 miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, including also the entire areas of villages partly falling within this limit in that portion of the district of Pabna which lies opposite the district of Nadia, and in those portions of the districts of Murshidabad and Nadia which lie opposite the districts of Rajshahi and Pabna :

Murshidabad.

And whereas, in pursuance of the said order, a survey was made of the said lands within thanas Lalgola and Damkal, in the district of Murshidabad :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause 10(*b*) of section 3 of the said Act, read with section 3 of the Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam Laws Act, 1912 (VII of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that that survey shall be adopted as defining villages for the purposes of the said clause in the aforesaid area comprised in thanas Lalgola and Damkal in the district of Murshidabad.

No. 9334L.R.—The 24th November 1916.—Whereas by Notification No. 2787R., dated the 8th December 1908, an order was made, under section 101 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands falling within the administrative boundaries of the district of Mymensingh :

Mymensingh.

And whereas, in pursuance of the said order, a survey was made of the said lands :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by clause (10) (*b*) of section 3 of the said Act, read with section 3 of the Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam Laws Act, 1912 (VII of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that that survey be adopted as defining villages for the purposes of the said clause in the area comprised in the undermentioned thanas of the aforesaid district—

(1) Jamalpur.
(2) Phulpur.
(3) Gopalpur.
(4) Gafargaon.
(5) Durgapur.
(6) Netrakona.
(7) Kendua.
(8) Nandail.
(9) Kishorganj.
(10) Kalihati.
(11) Tangail.

No. 9351L.R.—The 24th November 1916.—Whereas by Notification No. 9076L.R., dated the 13th September 1915, an order was made under section 101 (*1*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), for a survey and record-of-rights of all lands within 5 miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, including also the entire areas of villages partly falling within this limit in that portion of the district of Pabna which lies opposite the district of Nadia, and in those portions of the districts of Murshidabad and Nadia which lie, opposite the districts of Rajshahi and Pabna :

Nadia.

And whereas, in pursuance of the said order, a survey has been made of the said lands falling within thanas Kushtea and Karimpur in the district of Nadia :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by clause 10 (*b*) of section 3 of the said Act, read with section 3 of the Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam Laws Act, 1912 (VII of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that that survey shall be adopted as defining villages for the purposes of the said clause in the aforesaid area comprised in thanas Kushtea and Karimpur, in the district of Nadia.

No. 9354L.R.—The 24th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (16) of section 3 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Jatindra Kumar Biswas, Deputy Collector, to discharge, within the Sadar subdivision of the district of Mymensingh, the functions of a Collector under sections 12, 13, 15, 69 and 70 of the said Act.

Mymensingh.

No. 9370L.R.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Ben. Act V of 1875), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Mahiuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, to be a Deputy Collector for all purposes of Part V of the said Act in respect of all lands comprised within the mauzas Mud Point and Lohar Char in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 9415L.R.—The 28th November 1916.—Notification No. 6007L.R. dated the 29th July 1916, published at page 1383, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd August 1916, granting privilege leave for one month and twenty-six days to Maulvi Muhammad Ilahad, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, is hereby cancelled.

Rajshahi.

No. 9368 Regn.—The 25th November 1916.—Notification No. 7897 Regn. dated the 23rd September 1916, published at page 1793, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, granting privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 12th October 1916, to Babu Jogendra Nath Chatarji, Sub-Registrar of Nandail, in the district of Mymensingh, is hereby cancelled.

Mymensingh.

No. 9398 Regn.—The 27th November 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Taha Khan, Sub-Registrar, grade II, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Chakdah (Birohi), in the district of Nadia, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kumarkhali in the same district.

Nadia.

No. 9396 Regn.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Harendra Krishna De Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar of Meherpur, in the district of Nadia, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Kumarkhali in the same district, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Chakdah (Birohi) in that district.

Nadia.

No. 9400 Regn.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Sharat Chandra Banarji, Sub-Registrar, grade III, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Meherpur, in the district of Nadia, is confirmed in that station.

Rangpur.

No. 9374 Regn.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Act I of 1876, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Karim, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar of Nilphamari, in the district of Rangpur, to act as Muhammadan Marriage Registrar of thana Dimla in the same district, in addition to his own duties, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Fazlur Rahman, deceased.

Rangpur.

No. 9375 Regn.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Karim, Kazi of Nilphamari, in the district of Rangpur, to act as Kazi of thana Dimla in the same district, in addition to his own duties, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Fazlur Rahman, deceased.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 230 Eccle.—The 28th November 1916.—The following Notification of the Government of Punjab, Home (General), is republished for general information.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

No. 259 General, dated Lahore, the 11th November 1916.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of the Punjab, Home (General).

THE services of the Revd. H. F. F. Williams, 2nd Chaplain of Rawalpindi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal for service with the troops in Mesopotamia, with effect from the date on which he makes over charge of his duties at Rawalpindi.

No. 232 Eccle.—The 28th November 1916.—The services of the Revd. H. F. F. Williams, a Junior Chaplain of the Church of England, of the Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Army Department with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties at Rawalpindi.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Copy of a letter No. 6297F., dated the 27th November 1916, to the Accountant-General, Bengal.

IN continuation of Government order No. 5971F., dated the 10th November 1916, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the grant of grain compensation allowance of Re. 1 a month to all whole-time servants under this Government on the Civil establishment, drawing Rs. 12 or less per month, who were employed in the districts of Bengal, except the Chittagong Hill Tracts, in which cheapest common rice was dearer than 10 seers per rupee during the month of October 1916. These orders will have effect for the month of October 1916.

No. 2390 S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1914-15, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 5th December 1916, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 820 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 29th November 1915, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes* except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 1,800 to Rs. 2,500 per chest from 1st July 1916 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 981S.R., dated the 29th April 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 20th December 1916, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 11th December 1916, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 20th December 1916.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 21st November 1916.*

Calcutta. *No. 2403S.R.—The 22nd November 1916.*—Babu Indu Bhusan Sinha, M.A., B.L., Probationary Inspector of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, employed on prosecution work in Excise cases, is confirmed and appointed to be an Inspector of Excise and Salt of the fourth grade with effect from the 1st December 1916.

Calcutta. *No. 2405S.R.—The 22nd November 1916.*—Mr. R. A. Stephen, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, on leave, is posted to Calcutta temporarily until further orders.

No. 2420S.R.—The 24th November 1916.—The following officers are confirmed in their appointments with effect from the 1st November 1916:—

(1) Mr. W. B. S. Nyss, Probationary Superintendent of Excise and Salt.

(2) Babu Panchu Gopal Sen, Probationary Superintendent of Excise and Salt.

No. 9424L.R.—The 28th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 108A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Girish Chandra Das, Sub-Deputy Collector employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Mymensingh, to make corrections in the records-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands in the district of Mymensingh and the revenue survey mauzas of the districts of Rangpur, Pabna, Bogra and Tippera, which fall wholly or partly within five miles from the main stream of any river which forms the administrative boundary between the said districts and the district of Mymensingh, in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions of the said section.

Mymensingh. Rangpur. Pabna. Bogra. Tippera.

No. 9256L.A.—The 22nd November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48(1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a portion of land measuring, more or less, 15 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 10201L.A., dated the 5th October 1915, published at page 1685, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem, and required for the Inspection Bungalow compound at Bhurungamari, in the village of Bagbhandar, pargana Goyabari, zilla Rangpur.

Rangpur.

No. 9413Agri.—The 28th November 1916.—Maulvi B. W M. Abdur Rahman, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Inspector of Co-operative Societies, is allowed privilege leave for thirty-eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th November 1916.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9259L.A.—The 22nd November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for opening a Mehtor's passage at Mogaltooly in Dacca town, in mahalla Mogaltooly, pargana Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8·4 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the remaining homestead land of late Shirish Chandra Das,

East—By the Moulvi Bazar Road,

South—By the homestead land of Daneswar Roy,

West—By the homestead land of Har Mohan Sil,

is required within the aforesaid mahalla of Mogaltooly.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9321L.A.—The 23rd November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for gang-huts at mile T. 32—7-8 between Habra and Maslandapur, Eastern Bengal Railway (Central section), in the village of Woloodanga, pargana Ukhra, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above

24-Parganas.

purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 cottahs and 4 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·169 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Hanif, Momtaz Mandal, Panchu Bibi and others,

East—By the land of Hanif, Momtaz Mandal, Panchu Bibi and others, and borrow-pit,

South—By the Eastern Bengal Railway land and borrow-pit,

West—By the land of Halalanga Mandal, Panchu Bibi and others,

is required within the aforesaid village of Woloodanga.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta Division, Eastern Bengal Railway.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Hooghly.

No. 9292L.A.—The 23rd November 1916.—In line 8 of Declaration No. 6333L.A., dated the 8th August 1916, published at page 1423, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, in respect of the acquisition of the land required by the Howrah-Amta Light Railway Company for the loop siding at Jangipara station of the railway, in the district of Hooghly, *for* the words "0·35 of an acre" *read* "·035 of an acre."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Midnapore.

No. 9243Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Babu Satya Ranjan Das Gupta, District Sub-Registrar of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month with effect from the 9th November 1916.

Burdwan.
Midnapore.

No. 9245Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Maulvi 'Abdur Rashid, Sub-Registrar of Memari, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Midnapore, with effect from the 9th November 1916, during the absence on leave of Babu Satya Ranjan Das Gupta, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Burdwan.

No. 9247Regn.—The 21st November 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Halim, Probationer of Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Memari, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the 8th November 1916, during the absence on deputation of Maulvi 'Abdur Rashid, or until further orders.

Murshidabad.
Birbhum.

No. 9290Regn.—The 23rd November 1916.—Babu Satish Chandra Gupta, Sub-Registrar of Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Nalhati, in the district of Birbhum.

No. 9332Regn.—The 24th November 1916.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Das, Sub-Registrar, grade III, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eight months and twenty-five days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 4065Regn., dated the 25th April 1916, as amended by Erratum No. 977T.R., dated the 2nd June 1916.

No. 6352Mis.—The 28th November 1916.—Under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, the Governor in Council hereby declares the following days to be public holidays during the year 1917 :—

January 27th	Sri Panchami.
March 8th	Doljatra.
April 7th	Easter Saturday.
„ 9th	Easter Monday.
„ 13th	Chaitra Sankranti.
May 31st	Dasahara.
July 21st	Id-ul-fitr.
August 9th	Janmastami
September 27th	Id-uz-zuha.
October 15th	Mahalaya.
„ 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 29th and 30th	Durga and Lakshmi Pujas.
„ 27th	Muharram.
November 14th and 15th	Kali Puja.
„ 23rd	Jagadhatri Puja.
December 24th	Christmas Eve
„ 26th and 27th	The first and second days following Christmas day.
„ 31st	The last day of the year.

(*a*) Sundays, New Year's day, Good Friday (6th April) and Christmas day are public holidays under the Act.

(*b*) The day which may be fixed for the celebration in India of the birthday of His Majesty the King Emperor of India shall also be a public holiday and will be notified separately in due course.

No. 6353Mis.—The 28th November 1916.—With reference to the above Notification, the Governor in Council hereby notifies that on the following days during 1917, which are not declared to be "public holidays," the offices under the Government of Bengal and all Revenue and Magisterial Courts in Bengal, with the exception of the offices of the Collector of Customs, Shipping Master, the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, and the Opium Sale Branch of Government, shall be closed :—

*1.—Muhammadan Holidays.**

Fatiha Duwazdaham ...	On the 7th January (Sunday), but if the moon be visible on the 25th December 1916, then on the 6th January.
Id-ul-fitr	On the 22nd July (Sunday).
Muharram	On the 26th October which is also a holiday on account of the Hindu festivals Durga and Lakshmi Pujas.
Fatiha Duwazdaham ...	On the 28th December, but if the moon be visible on the 15th December, then on the 27th December.

* Muhammadan officers and employés in all Government offices and Magisterial Courts in Bengal, with the exception of the offices of the Collector of Customs, the Shipping Master, the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, and the Opium Sale Branch of Government, may be allowed to absent themselves from office on the following days, in addition to the seven days allowed by the above notifications :—

Muharram	... ...	... 3 days.
Akhiri Chahar Shamba	...	... 1 day.
Shabibarat	... ..	... 1 „
Id-uz-zuha	... ...	... 1 „
		6 days.

II.—Hindu Holidays.

Sri Panchami	...	... January 28th (Sunday).
Durga and Lakshmi Pujas	...	October 19th, 20th, 21st (Sunday), 26th and 28th (Sunday).
Jagadhatri Puja ...	...	November 24th.

October 27th is a holiday on account of the Durga Puja. As, however. it is also a holiday under the Act on account of the Muhammadan festival Muharram, it is not separately notified as a holiday.

III.—Other Holidays.

The third, fourth and fifth days following Christmas day, *i.e.*, the 28th, 29th and 30th December (Sunday).

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3240Medl.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Bijitendra Basu, L.M.S., a passed student of the Medical College, Calcutta, is temporarily admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon with effect from the 14th November 1916.

Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8515A.

POWERS.

No. 8400A.—The 25th November 1916.—The orders of the 19th September 1916, vesting Babu Girijabhusan Ghoshal, Deputy Magistrate, with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, are cancelled.

No. 8476A.—The 27th November 1916.—Maulvi M. H. M. Furrokh, Probationary Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and posted to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Howrah.

No. 8497A.—The 28th November 1916.—Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (2), section 8, of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Governor in Council is pleased to invest Babu Sushil Kumar Ghosh, Subdivisional Officer, Bangaon, Jessore, with the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of the said section.

Jessore.

No. 8499A.—The 28th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Abu Ahmad Abdul Basit, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Tippera, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

Tippera.

Maulvi Abu Ahmad Abdul Basit is also vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 8509A.—The 28th November 1916.—Mr. J. C. Nixon, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Chandpur subdivision of the Tippera district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Tippera.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3535J.—The 24th November 1916.—Babu Sitesh Chandra Sen, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at Hathazari, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Gopal Das Ghosh, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

No. 3549J.—The 27th November 1916.—Mr. G. P Shelton is appointed, under section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to be a Presidency Magistrate for the town of Calcutta.

Calcutta.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 13021P.—The 22nd November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act of 1915 (Act IV of 1915), the Governor in Council directs that the following persons, namely:—

(1) Anil Chandra Ghosh, son of Ramesh Chandra Ghosh, who is accused of offences punishable under sections 395, 397 and 398 of the Indian Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860), by section 120B of the same Code and under sections 395, 397 and 398 by section 109 of the Indian Penal Code, and
(2) Debendra Kumar Biswas, son of Janaki Nath Biswas,
(3) Arabinda Bose, son of Rajani Kanta Bose,
(4) Lalit Mohan Ghosh, son of Dwarka Nath Ghosh,
(5) Bhuban Mohan Das Gupta, son of Umesh Chandra Das Gupta,
(6) Nalini Ranjan Gupta, son of Guru Charan Gupta, and
(7) Profulla Ranjan Raha, son of Dakhina Ranjan Raha, who are accused of offences punishable under sections 395, 397 and 398 of the Indian Penal Code, by section 120B of the same Code,

shall be tried by Commissioners appointed under the said Act, IV of 1915.

No. 13191P.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 4 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following persons to be Commissioners for the trial, under the said Act, of the persons charged with the offences specified in this Government's Notification No. 13021P., dated the 22nd November 1916, namely:—

(1) Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge.

(2) Babu Suresh Chandra Singh, Deputy Magistrate.

(3) Mr. P. K. Bose, Barrister-at-Law.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by rule 2 (*a*) of the rules made under section 10 of the same Act (published under Notification No. 1198P.D., dated the 2nd June 1915, as amended by Notification No. 10873P., dated the 11th September 1915), to nominate the said Mr. M. Smither to be the President of the aforesaid Commissioners.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 12981P.—The 23rd November 1916.—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang of dacoits and burglars ordinarily residing in the district of Bakarganj, and commonly known as members of the Birangal-Kushangal gang are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences:

Bakarganj.

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a criminal tribe for the purposes of that Act.

No. 12982P.—The 23rd November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of the Birangal-Kushangal gang, which has been declared by Notification No. 12981P., dated the 23rd November 1916, to be a criminal tribe, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals and notify his place of residence and any change or intended change of residence and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

Bakarganj.

No. 13022P.—The 23rd November 1916.—Babu Birendra Kumar Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Asansol, Burdwan, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer, and is posted to the Jangipur subdivision of the Murshidabad district.

Burdwan.
Murshidabad.

No. 13166P.—The 28th November 1916.—The Rev. Father P. Carbery, S. J., is appointed to be a member of the Committee of Visitors appointed for the control and management of the House of Detention, in Notification No. 4912P., dated the 22nd May 1914, *vice* the Rev. Father Van De Mergel, deceased.

Calcutta.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 114Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 10, sub-section (2), clauses (*f*) and (*k*), of the Bengal Smoke Nuisances Act, 1905 (Bengal Act III of 1905), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules published under Notification No. 73-Marine, dated the 27th August 1907, at page 153 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem, namely :—

1. *For* rule 25 *substitute* the following :—

"25. The furnaces of the main boilers of ocean-going steamers when raising steam prior to leaving port or to moving from one part to another thereof shall be allowed, for half-an-hour before moving and for one hour after moving, thrice the times prescribed in the table in rule 23. Tugs while actually towing or assisting in the transportation of ocean-going steamers within the limits of the port shall also be allowed thrice the times prescribed in the said table."

Furnaces of ocean-going steamers.

2. *After* rule 29 *add* the following new rule :—

"30. (*1*) Every person who intends to construct, reconstruct or alter or add to a furnace, flue or chimney must make an application at the office of the Commission with plans of the furnace, flue or chimney for the approval of the Commission.

Construction of furnace, flue or chimney.

(*2*) Every such application must be accompanied by two copies of the plans of the furnace, flue or chimney, one of which shall be retained in the office of the Commission.

(*3*) Full particulars as to the dimensions and material of the furnace, flue or chimney must be shown on the plans submitted, and the plans must be adhered to after approval.

(*4*) The areas of flues and chimneys must not be less than as follows :—

Back and only flue	45	per cent. of the total grate area.
Bottom flue	40	
Side flues	33	
Delivery flue to main	33	
Main flue connected to grate having an area of less than 150 square feet	30	
Main flue connected to grate having an area of 150 square feet or more	25	
Chimney connected to grate having an area of less than 150 square feet	25	
Chimney connected to grate having an area of 150 square feet or more	20	

Provided that, in the case of boilers of the marine, locomotive, vertical and other similar type, the flues and chimneys must not be of less area than the corresponding smoke outlets of the smoke-box or uptake forming an integral part of the structure.

(*5*) The flues and chimneys must be air-tight and of substantial design and material, and must be fitted with air-tight dampers of the same area as the flue passages arranged to control each set of furnaces separately.

(*6*) All flues must be of easy lead to the chimneys with corners well-rounded, and have a minimum width of 11 inches.

(*7*) The height of fire grate from stoking platform must not be more than 3 feet and 6 inches.

(*8*) Furnace doors must be substantial and a good fit, and have an air-regulating apparatus.

(*9*) Chimneys must be of the required height and of substantial construction and, where made of iron or steel, must not be less than one-eighth of an inch thick.

(*10*) Nothing contained in this rule shall apply to any steam-vessel, railway or road locomotive, or to any existing furnace, flue or chimney, except when the owner proposes to make an alteration in, or addition to, any such furnace, flue or chimney."

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

(Revised draft rules.)

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

The 27th November 1916.

No. 115Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub-section (*l*), clause (*p*), of the Indian Ports Act, 1908 (XV of 1908), as amended by the Indian Ports (Amendment) Act, 1911 (IV of 1911), and in supersession of so much of all existing rules on the subject as relate to dangerous, infectious or contagious diseases and the disposal of dead bodies on vessels, the Governor in Council proposes to make the following regulations in respect of the following diseases: (1) Small-pox, (2) Chicken-pox, (3) Measles, (4) Plague, (5) Cholera, (6) Yellow Fever, (7) Sleeping Sickness, (8) Typhus, (9) Scarlet Fever and (10) Jigger, occurring on vessels coming to or leaving ports in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal or for the time being in port therein, and in respect of any death on a vessel not carrying a medical officer coming to or leaving any port within the said area or for the time being in any port therein.

In the draft rules the changes which it is proposed to make have been printed in thick lead type, the matter which it is proposed to omit, being scored out.

The draft rules will be taken into consideration on or after the 29th December 1916, and any objections or suggestions with regard thereto, which are received by the undersigned before that date, will be duly considered.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PART I.—DEFINITIONS.

1. In these regulations—

(1) "Health Officer" means any person appointed by Government, either by name or by virtue of his office, to be Health Officer of a port, and includes an Additional or Assistant Port Health Officer and, any officer appointed by Government, either by name or by virtue of his office, to perform any of the duties of a Health Officer of a port;

(2) (*a*) Except as provided in clause 1 (3) "healthy vessel" means a vessel which, even though coming from an infected port, has not had on board any death from, or any person suffering from, any of the diseases enumerated in the preamble either at the time of departure, or during the voyage from the last port of call, or on arrival;

(*b*) "infected vessel" means a vessel which has on board one or more cases of any of the diseases enumerated in the preamble, or on board of which a case of any of those diseases has occurred either during the voyage from the last port of call or in the event of such voyage exceeding 12 days, within the 12 days or (in the case of plague **and cholera** seven days) immediately preceding her arrival at a port in British India;

(*c*) "suspected vessel" means a vessel on board of which there has been a case of any of the diseases enumerated in the preamble, at the time of departure or during the voyage from the last port of call, but on board of which no fresh case of such disease has occurred within the twelve days or (in the case of plague **and cholera** seven days) immediately preceding her arrival;

(3) (*a*) Every vessel which has come from the east coast of Africa within the limits of Port Sudan and Durban or from any other locality declared to be infected with sleeping sickness or jigger is a "suspected vessel" for the purposes of these regulations, unless during the voyage there has been one or more cases or suspected cases of either of these diseases on board, when it will be considered an "infected vessel;"

(*b*) Every vessel which has within a period of two months immediately preceding her arrival started from, or touched *en route* at, a port infected with yellow fever or communicated (except orally

without contact or by signal) with a vessel either infected or which has left an infected port within that period is a "suspected vessel" for the purposes of these regulations, unless within the same period there has been on board a case or suspected case of yellow fever, when it will be considered an "infected vessel;"

(4) The term "infected,' when used with reference to any articles, means articles which Government may, by notification, declare to be infected with any of the diseases in question;

(5) The term "infected port" means any port which Government may, by notification, declare to be infected;

(6) "Master," when used with reference to a vessel, means any person (except a pilot or harbour master) having for the time being charge or control of the vessel;

(7) "Port Officer" includes any person acting under the authority of Government in charge of port discipline;

(8) "Medical Officer" (of a vessel) means any person holding medical charge of a vessel who is in possession of a certificate or diploma in medicine and surgery of a recognised university or medical school and registered in the country in which he obtained it.

PART II.—VESSELS ARRIVING AT PORTS IN THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL.

2. The master of every suspected or infected vessel arriving at any port subject to these rules shall hoist a signal which shall be—

by day the Code Flag over Flag L of the Commercial Code, which is a square flag of yellow and black borne quarterly, and

by night three lights, at a height of not less than 20 feet above the hull of the ship, which shall be arranged at a distance of not less than six feet apart in the form of an equilateral triangle, and of which the light at the apex of the triangle shall be white and the lights at the ends of the base shall be red,

and shall report every such case or death that may have occurred from any of the causes enumerated above, or in the case of a vessel not carrying a medical officer any death from any cause, to the pilot or other boarding officer at the earliest opportunity, and shall also comply, on arrival at such place as may be appointed in this behalf by Government, with such regulations as may be made by Government in regard to—

(*i*) signalling the name of the port from which the vessel has come,

(*ii*) stopping at a particular place,

(*iii*) refraining from communication with the shore, and

(*iv*) taking measures for giving effect to the present regulations.

3. If the vessel be at anchor within port limits when such disease first breaks out or such death occurs, the master shall hoist the signals specified in Regulation 2.

4. The pilot or other boarding officer shall promptly report the circumstances of the case to the Port Officer, who shall immediately forward any report so made or give notice of any signal hoisted to the Port Health Officer.

5. (1) When any healthy vessel **except as otherwise provided in clause (3)** is within sight of a port in British India, the master shall intimate the fact by signal.

(2) Such intimation shall ordinarily be accepted by the Port Officer; and if so accepted, the Health Officer need not visit the vessel, which may be considered to have pratique.

(3) The master of a healthy vessel on which unusual mortality among rats has been observed shall hoist the signals specified in Regulation 2.

PART III.—BERTHING OF VESSELS.

6. (*a*) If the number of deaths from or cases of the diseases enumerated in the preamble, with the exception of plague and yellow fever, does not exceed two, the vessel will not be prohibited from taking up the usual place of anchorage in the harbour or port, except that she may not enter the docks

without the written permission of the Health Officer, and the passengers and crew not suspected of having any of the diseases in question need not, except in the case of pilgrim and emigrant ships and those not carrying a medical officer, be detained on board pending the inspection of the Health Officer. The master of the vessel shall be responsible that no one of the passengers or crew, except those referred to above, is allowed to leave the vessel before inspection by the Health Officer, and shall prevent the landing of infected bedding, clothes, or other personal effects which he has reasonable cause to consider likely to be infected.

(*b*) If the number of cases or deaths within the previous twelve days has exceeded two, or when from their occurrence on pilgrim or emigrant ships or for other special reasons further precautions may be deemed advisable, the pilot, or in his absence the master, shall keep hoisted by day or night, as the case may be, the signals prescribed by Regulation 2 and shall anchor the vessel in the place appointed for the purpose and shall not allow any of the passengers or crew to leave the vessel except with the permission of, or under such instructions as may be issued by, the Health Officer.

7. If a case of yellow fever or of plague or unusual mortality among rats has occurred on board, the vessel shall not take up the usual place of anchorage pending the visit of the Health Officer; in the meanwhile the vessel shall stop at such place as Government may by order provide.

8. So long as the signals prescribed by Regulation 2 are shown, no tindal or other person in charge of or navigating any boat shall, without the permission of the Health Officer, attempt to take it alongside such vessel.

PART IV.—INSPECTION OF VESSELS.

9. Whenever the Health Officer receives the notice referred to in Regulation 4, he shall without unnecessary delay proceed on board and examine the vessel, and the master shall give him every facility for the examination of the passengers, crew, personal effects, cargo, and any part of the ship the Health Officer thinks necessary. The Health Officer may require a declaration on oath from the medical officer (if any) of the vessel or from the master or from both, whether any death or sickness from an unknown or suspicious cause or any case of any of the diseases enumerated in the preamble has occurred on board the vessel either during the voyage or before her departure, and with reference to plague, whether any unusual mortality has been observed among rats. If the Health Officer is satisfied that such deaths as may have occurred were not due to any of the causes enumerated in the preamble, he shall permit the vessel to proceed to the usual place of anchorage and to discharge passengers and cargo without any further restrictions. If he is not so satisfied he shall proceed as provided in these regulations. The inspection by the Health Officer will ordinarily take place between sunrise and sunset.

10. As a result of every inspection the Health Officer shall classify the vessel as infected, suspected or healthy, in accordance with the definitions given in Part I.

11. On the completion of the inspection prescribed by Regulation 9, such of the passengers and crew as have been detained under Regulation 6(*a*) but who are found to be free from any of the diseases in question and unlikely to carry infection shall be allowed to land. All baggage, personal effects and cargo, except such articles as the Health Officer is entitled to disinfect, may also be landed.

12. If a case of any of the diseases enumerated in the preamble occurs on any vessel after she has entered dock or has been moored at a wharf, the master shall forthwith cause information thereof to be given to the dock master or superintendent of the wharf, who shall communicate the information to the Health Officer (through the Port Officer) and to the Superintendent of Police, and shall be responsible that the sick person shall be isolated as much as possible, and that free communication with the wharf is stopped until the Health Officer has inspected the vessel.

PART V.—REMOVAL OF THE SICK.

13. When on inspection the Health Officer considers it necessary in order to prevent the spread of disease, he shall take the measures indicated in Part VI of these regulations as the case may be.

14. Unless a vessel shall have had communication with the shore under the proviso to Regulation 44, and except as provided for under Regulation 19 (2) and 34, the removal of sick passengers is not to be enforced in the case of persons bound for an onward port unless under the clearest necessity of which the Health Officer shall be the judge, and in every such case a special report explaining the reasons for the action taken must be submitted by the Health Officer to Government.

15. The Health Officer shall inform the Municipal Health Officer in all cases in which he arranges for the conveyance of a patient to a sanitarium or hospital or other place within municipal limits, and shall furnish the Municipal Health Officer with the address of any private residence to which he permits the removal of a patient.

16. Where small-pox is the disease on account of which the vessel is deemed to be infected, the Health Officer shall offer, without charge, vaccination or revaccination to all persons willing to be operated upon, and shall cause to be vaccinated, if their guardians or those in charge of them consent, all children below 10 years and over 6 months of age who do not bear marks of vaccination or of small-pox. In the case of plague inoculation may similarly be offered free of charge to all willing to be inoculated.

PART VI.—MEASURES TO BE TAKEN IN THE CASE OF HEALTHY, INFECTED AND SUSPECTED VESSELS.

17. Vessels classed by the Health Officer after inspection as healthy, shall be given free pratique, save as otherwise provided in rules 23 **and 24.** Other vessels will be dealt with in accordance with rules contained in Parts VI (A), VI (B), VI (C), VI (D), or VI (E), according to the disease on account of which they are declared suspected or infected.

PART VI-A.—SMALL-POX, CHICKEN-POX, MEASLES, CHOLERA, TYPHUS AND SCARLET FEVER.

18. In the event of a vessel being classed either as infected or suspected on account of any of the above mentioned diseases, the Health Officer—

(1) shall arrange for the conveyance of any person suffering or suspected to be suffering from such disease to a sanitarium or hospital unless the sick person or his friends can make adequate provision elsewhere of which the Health Officer must satisfy himself; but he shall not enforce the removal from the vessel of any person or persons bound for an onward port except as provided for in Regulation 14;

(2) shall either himself undertake, or direct the master of the vessel to undertake, the destruction or disinfection of all clothing, bedding, and other articles that he may consider infected;

(3) may, when a vessel with one or more of the above-mentioned diseases on board has in his opinion passengers or crew in a filthy and unwholesome condition, cause the clothing and personal effects of such persons to be disinfected before allowing them to leave the vessel;

(4) may, in the case of undecked craft, direct the disinfection, or in special cases the destruction, of food-stuffs which have been exposed to contamination and are considered likely to be infected;

(5) may order that any portion of the vessel that has actually been exposed to contamination or is in a filthy or insanitary condition, or which he considers likely to be infected, should be disinfected and cleansed as he may direct and may prohibit the discharge of bilge-water or water ballast within port limits without previous disinfection;

(6) may, in the case of cholera, direct the master to have the bilges and water tanks emptied, cleaned and disinfected.

PART VI-B.—PLAGUE.

19. In the case of infected vessels the following measures shall be taken :—

(1) All persons on board shall be medically examined as prescribed in Regulation 9.

(2) All persons suffering from plague shall immediately be disembarked under the directions of the Health Officer and isolated in the camp or hospital, whether ashore or afloat, appointed by Government for the purpose.

(3) At the discretion of the Health Officer other persons may also be disembarked and be subjected to observation* or surveillance* or **to a period of** observation followed by surveillance **provided that the total duration of these measures** shall not exceed five days **from the time of arrival.**

(4) Such soiled linen, wearing apparel and articles belonging to the crew and passengers as are, in the opinion of the Health Officer, infected, shall be disinfected.

(5) All parts of the vessel which have been occupied or frequented by plague patients shall be disinfected ; and any other parts of the vessel that, in the opinion of the Health Officer, are infected, shall be disinfected.

(6) The rats on board shall be destroyed, either before or after discharge of the cargo, in either case as quickly as possible, and in such manner as to avoid as far as possible damage to merchandise and to the ship's plating and engines. **The operation, in any case, must not last longer than forty-eight hours.** In the case of ships in ballast this process must be carried out as soon as possible, before embarking cargo.

(7) Passengers arriving by an infected ship and subjected to the provisions of clauses (2), (3) and (4) above are entitled to obtain from the Health Officer a certificate showing the date of their arrival and the measures taken as regards themselves and their baggage.

20. When the measures prescribed in Regulation *19* have been duly taken in respect of any vessel the Health Officer shall, by written order, grant pratique, provided that, if a case of plague or of illness suspected to be plague occurs on board subsequent to the grant of the above certificate, the certificate shall become invalid and the vessel again become subject to the requirements of the regulations regarding infected vessels.

21. In the case of suspected vessels the following measures shall be taken :—

(1) All persons on board shall be medically examined as prescribed in Regulation 9.

(2) The destruction of rats may be ordered at the discretion of the Health Officer, and if ordered shall be carried out in the terms of Regulation *19* (6).

(3) All soiled linen, wearing apparel and personal effects of the crew and passengers which are or are suspected to be infected, shall be disinfected.

(4) All parts of the vessel which have been occupied or frequented by plague patients shall be disinfected ; and any other parts of the vessel that, in the opinion of the Health Officer, are infected, shall be disinfected.

22. When the measures prescribed in Regulation 21 have been taken in respect of any vessel, the Health Officer shall, by written order, grant pratique.

* "Observation" means isolation either on board the ship or in a sanitary station appointed for the purpose before the grant of pratique. Passengers under "surveillance" are not isolated ; they receive pratique at once and are at liberty to proceed to their destinations, but the authorities at those places are informed of their coming and they are subjected to medical examination for such period as may be fixed in these regulations.

23. In the case of healthy vessels, **other than those referred to in rule 24,** pratique shall ordinarily be given at once as provided for in Regulation *17* but the Health Officer may, in his discretion, if special circumstances appear to him to require it, impose any or all of the following measures :—

(1) medical examination as prescribed in Regulation 9 ;
(2) disinfection of soiled linen, etc., as prescribed in Regulation *19* (4) ;
(3) destruction of rats as prescribed in Regulation 19 (6); but the process of deratisation **when applied in the case of a healthy ship from a plague-infected port** must not occupy more than 24 hours **and should be carried out in such a manner as not to interfere with the coming and going of passengers and crew between the ship and the shore.**

24. In the case of a healthy vessel on which unusual mortality among rats has been observed, the following measures shall be taken:—

(1) medical examination as prescribed in Regulation 9 ;
(2) bacteriological examination of rats for plague as far and as quickly as possible ;
(3) destruction of rats as prescribed in Regulation *19* (6) when considered necessary by the Health Officer or when rats are found on bacteriological examination to have plague ;
(4) in case of rats having plague, disinfection of such parts of the ship and such articles as the Health Officer considers infected ;
(5) surveillance of passengers and crew for a period not exceeding five days from the time of arrival.

25. In exercise of the functions imposed upon him by Regulations 9, 19 and 21, the Health Officer shall :—

(*a*) attach due importance to the presence on board the vessel of a medical officer and to the provision of apparatus for disinfection by means of saturated steam and for the destruction of rats, and
(*b*) shall take into account the sanitary or insanitary, and roomy or crowded condition of the vessels.

26. If in the case of any vessel making a passing call, the communication with the shore is restricted to the landing of passengers, mails or goods, the Health Officer may, in his discretion, enforce the provisions of Regulation *19*, *21*, *23* **or 24** as the case may be, to such extent only as may, in his opinion, be necessary for the purpose of controlling the actual communication with the shore.

Provided (*a*) that any persons on board the vessel whom the Health Officer has reason to believe to be suffering from plague shall be landed and kept under observation.

Provided also (*b*) that ships from an infected place that have been disinfected and have undergone adequate sanitary measures, shall not, on their arrival in another port, be subjected to these measures a second time if no case has occurred since the disinfection was performed and if they have not called at an infected port. A ship which has merely disembarked passengers and their baggage or mails, without having been in communication with the shore, shall not be regarded as having called at the port.

27. The Health Officer shall, whenever requested, furnish the master, the ship-owner or the ship-owner's agent with a certificate stating that measures of rat destruction have been carried out and giving the reasons why they were resorted to. **Health officers of ports visited by ships upon which periodic rat destruction is carried out, should take such certificate into account in considering whether measures under Regulation *23* (3) should be imposed.**

28. The foregoing regulations shall not prevent the transhipment, under restrictions to be imposed by the Health Officer in conformity therewith, of passengers, mails or goods between vessels which have not been granted pratique.

29. If any case of plague occurs among any group of persons who are being kept under observation, the patient shall be isolated or sent to a hospital, and the other persons shall continue to be detained and segregated as aforesaid for a period not exceeding five days from the date on which the group became free from plague. The clothes and effects of the patient and of such persons as have been in contact with the patient shall be disinfected at the discretion of the medical officer in charge.

30. The medical officer in charge of any place appointed for the isolation of any persons under these regulations may, in his discretion, by written order, direct that any person who is kept there under observation shall be allowed to depart and shall be subject to surveillance.

31. If the system of surveillance to which any person is subjected on shore requires his daily attendance before a medical officer, the Health Officer may, by written order, exempt such person from such attendance on being satisfied that he may be relied upon to send in a prompt report if he should fall sick.

32. Persons subjected to surveillance shall submit to, and comply with, all directions as to medical supervision or otherwise, which may be given by written order of a medical officer appointed by Government in this behalf.

PART VI-C.—YELLOW FEVER.

33. In the case of vessels which have, within a period of two months immediately preceding their arrival, started from or touched *en route* at a port infected with yellow fever or communicated (except orally without contact or by signal) with a vessel either infected or which has left an infected port within that period, the following procedure shall be observed :—

(1) The vessel shall be anchored at sea or in the river at such special anchorage as may be fixed for this purpose by the Local Government but in no case less than half a mile from the land at low water. The visit of the Health Officer shall be made during the day as early as possible and all persons on board shall be medically examined as prescribed in Regulation 9.

(2) Any person suffering from yellow fever, if in the first four days of the disease, or if there is any doubt about the duration of the disease, shall be protected from the approach of mosquitoes by means of curtains, and shall be treated on board for at least four days. Any person suffering from fever shall similarly be isolated, be protected from the approach of mosquitoes by curtains and treated on board for at least four days. All passengers in perfect health (with normal temperature, etc.), may be landed, and shall be kept under close observation for a period of at least eight days extensible at the discretion of the Health Officer to a maximum of twelve days, special precautions being taken throughout the whole of this period to prevent mosquitoes having access to them.

(3) In no case should any person sick of yellow fever be landed during the first four days of his illness without the special sanction of Government. If such sanction is given, the most minute precautions to prevent mosquitoes reaching the patient shall be taken, including a mosquito-proof cabin on the launch, mosquito-proof ambulances and a mosquito-proof ward in an isolation hospital.

(4) The crew of the vessel should be required to sleep in airy places preferably on deck, and should be protected by mosquito curtains.

(5) The ship shall be cleared of mosquitoes by the systematic fumigation,* under efficient supervision, of every cabin, store-room, alley-way and hold.

(6) All water in which mosquitoes could breed should be emptied into the sea or river and all drains flushed by means of a hose. The bilge should be pumped out or oiled. The drinking water tanks should be emptied to get rid of larvæ, fresh water being taken and the tanks completely filled so as to drown any adult mosquitoes which may be present in them.

* Sulphurous acid is probably the best gas to use.

(7) Provided if no case of yellow fever has occurred on board within two months immediately preceding the vessel's arrival, only such of the above measures in addition to those described in paragraphs (1), (5) and (6) shall be carried out as are considered by the Health Officer necessary in the circumstance of the case.

(8) No ship shall leave the anchorage for the purpose of taking up her berth until the measures described in paragraphs (5) and (6) have been carried out.

PART VI-D.—SLEEPING SICKNESS.

34. In the case of a vessel having on board a person suffering, or suspected to be suffering, from sleeping sickness, the person or persons shall not be permitted to land without the specific written permission of the Health Officer, who may, pending the receipt of written instructions from Government, permit the landing of such persons only if arrangements can be made for their strict isolation on shore. In the case of Aden the Health Officer may prevent the embarkation of, or subject to the arrangements above referred to, may disembark any person proceeding to India who is suffering or suspected to be suffering from sleeping sickness.

35. In the case of a vessel arriving from the East Coast of Africa within the limits of Port Sudan and Durban or from other localities declared to be infected, the procedure prescribed by Regulation 2 shall be complied with and the crew or passengers, etc., shall be medically inspected in accordance with Regulation 9.

PART VI-E.—JIGGER.

36. In the case of a vessel having on board any person or persons suffering from jigger—

(1) the Health Officer shall carefully examine every person on board and any person or persons found to be suffering shall be removed to hospital for treatment;

(2) the clothes of infected persons shall be disinfected, and the Health Officer may, in his discretion, order the disinfection of the clothes, bedding, etc., of all persons on board;

(3) any part of the vessel likely to harbour jigger fleas shall be thoroughly washed with a watery solution of kerosene oil emulsion or in a recognized solution of tar acid which is accepted by the Port Health Officer;

(4) the ballast of such vessel, if of earth or sand, shall not be landed without the permission, in writing, of the Health Officer, who, if he considers it necessary, may order that it shall be discharged into the sea/river at such places as shall be appointed for the purpose by the Conservators of the Port of Calcutta or Chittagong, as the case may be, subject to the approval of the Local Government.

PART VII.—GENERAL.

Vessels.

37. The master of any vessel coming under these regulations shall comply with all directions which the Health Officer may consider necessary under the foregoing rules.

38 The master of any vessel who may object to submit to the foregoing regulations may put out to sea again, provided that objection has been taken before there has been any communication, except by signal or through the port authorities, between such vessel and the shore or with any other vessel in port. Goods may be landed from such vessels after precautions have been taken to isolate the ship, crew and passengers and on condition that such information as the Health Officer may require regarding the mortality among rats is duly supplied: Passengers may be disembarked at their own request on condition that they submit to all the measures prescribed by the local authorities.

39. In the event of any vessel putting back to sea the Health Officer shall intimate the fact by telegraph to the next port of call if in British India.

Persons.

40. All persons removed to hospital or kept under observation at any place shall obey and conform to the rules, regulations and orders for the time being in force at such hospital or place and shall be liable to pay all such charges as for the time being may, under the sanction of Government, be made against them.

41. When a suspected case of any infectious disease is removed from a vessel at any port, the Health Officer shall report the confirmation or otherwise of the diagnosis, by telegraph, to the Health Officer of the next port of call if that port is in British India, Ceylon or the Straits Settlements. In other cases a note shall be made on the bill of health stating the nature of the suspected infectious disease and the precautions taken in connection therewith.

Dead Bodies.

42. Disposal shall be as follows:—

(1) If death occurs on board a vessel before entering port limits, the body shall, unless there are special reasons to the contrary, be buried at sea in not less than nine fathoms of water, in such manner as shall secure its immediate sinking and remaining below the surface.

(2) If death occurs during the day on board a vessel within the port limits the ensign and house flag, if there is one, are immediately to be lowered half-mast and kept in such position from sunrise till sunset as long as the body remains on board. If death occurs between sunset and sunrise one red light is to be hoisted at the peak, half-mast high.

(3) The master of the vessel shall cause the death of a person on board to be intimated forthwith to the police, either by letter or otherwise and shall forward to the Port Officer a written report as soon as possible after the occurrence, in which all the circumstances attending the death must be fully detailed.

(4) No dead body shall be removed from a vessel within port limits without the permission of the police, which shall not be given until the Health Officer has certified either—

(*a*) that the death is not due to infectious disease, or

(*b*) that in the case of infectious disease, the Port authorities have given permission for burial on shore.

If the Port authorities in consultation with the Health Officer decide that burial on shore cannot be permitted, the body must be buried at sea in such manner as the Health Officer may direct.

Disinfection.

43. All disinfection prescribed by these regulations shall be carried out, unless otherwise specifically provided for, in the manner prescribed in the Appendix thereto.

PART VIII.—VESSELS LEAVING PORTS IN THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL FOR PORTS BEYOND INDIA.

44. No vessel shall leave any port which has been declared to be infected with any contagious or infectious disease for any port beyond India until—

(1) all persons sailing by the vessel, whether as passengers or as members of the crew, have been medically examined by the Health Officer;

(2) in the case of plague—

(*a*) all persons sailing by the vessel, either as passengers or as members of the crew (except such onward bound passengers as have not remained one night on shore and such members of the crew, as have not remained one night on shore or have not newly joined, who may be examined on board) have been medically examined by the Health Officer on shore by day as shortly as possible before embarkation ;

(*b*) all merchandise or articles of any sort which the Health Officer may consider to be infected with plague have been disinfected on shore previous to embarkation ;

(*c*) all clothing, bedding, and infected articles belonging to Asiatic and African members of the crew, not being officers, engineers or doctors, to deck and fourth class passengers, and to third class passengers not entitled to cabin accommodation, which the Health Officer may consider to be infected with plague, and, if the Health Officer thinks fit so to direct, all clothing, bedding and infected articles belonging to passengers of any class higher than the third and of any members of the crew, have been disinfected on shore by day as shortly as possible before being placed on board ;

(3) the Health Officer has given to the master of the vessel a bill of health stating that the medical examination and disinfection prescribed by this regulation have been carried out ;

(4) in the case of any disease other than plague the Health Officer may, in his discretion, enforce the provisions of clauses 2 (*b*) and 2 (*c*) above :

Provided that, if the vessel is only making a call at the port in question, the medical examination and disinfection prescribed by this regulation shall be made only in the case of persons joining the vessel there and articles belonging to them, unless there is communication between the vessel and the shore. The Health Officer shall decide, for the purpose of this proviso, what constitutes communication between the vessel and the shore. The bill of health in such case need only take the form of an endorsement on the last bill of health held by the vessel and need only refer to the passengers and crew embarking at the port in question.

45. It shall be open to the Consular representative interested in any vessel to be present, if he so desires, at the medical examination and disinfection prescribed by regulation 44.

46. If any vessel does not leave port within 24 hours after the medical examination made under Regulation 44, she shall not leave until—

(*a*) a fresh medical examination of the passengers and crew has been made under that regulation, and

(*b*) a fresh bill of health has been given to the master under that regulation :

Provided that such fresh examination may be conducted on board the vessel, whether or not there has been communication with the shore since the previous examination was made, and provided that if the time of departure be after sunrise on the day after that of inspection, the master of the vessel shall send the bill of health to the Health Officer to have the date of departure amended.

47. If, after a bill of health has been given to the master of any vessel and before the vessel leaves the port, any cargo or goods of any kind be placed on or taken off the vessel except in such manner as may be directed by the Health Officer, the vessel shall not leave the port until—

(*a*) such further medical examination and disinfection as the Health Officer may consider necessary have been made under Regulation 44, and

(*b*) a fresh bill of health has been given to the master under that regulation :

Provided that such further examination and disinfection may be conducted on board the vessel.

48. (1) After a bill of health has been given to the master of any vessel no person except the pilot or person authorised by the Health Officer shall be permitted to embark on the vessel unless he has been medically examined by the Health Officer as prescribed in Regulation 44.

(2) If any such person is permitted to embark, the Health Officer shall amend the bill of health accordingly.

49. Port-clearance shall not be granted for any vessel, unless and until the master produces the bill of health prescribed by the foregoing regulations :

Provided that, at any port where, in the opinion of Government, local conditions render this relaxation advisable, the authority responsible for granting port-clearance may grant port-clearance for any vessel on receiving from the agents of the vessel a written guarantee that a duplicate of such bill of health, signed by the Health Officer, will be furnished by them to him within forty-eight hours.

50. (1) If the Health Officer considers that any passenger is suffering from, or is in the incubation stage of, any infectious or contagious disease, he shall prevent such passenger and his or her relatives and attendants from embarking or sailing : and their baggage and personal effects shall not be allowed on board the vessel and, if already placed on board, shall be removed as early as possible.

(2) For the purposes of this regulation, the term "relatives" shall mean such persons as have been living with, or have been, in the opinion of the Health Officer, in dangerous communication with the suspected passengers.

51. (1) If the Health Officer considers that any member of the crew of the vessel is suffering from, or is suspected to be in the incubation stage of, any infectious or contagious disease—

(*a*) he shall prevent such member from re-embarking on such vessel and shall refuse to give a bill of health until the baggage and personal effects of such member have been removed from the vessel and such parts of the vessel as have been occupied or frequented by such member have been disinfected ; and

(*b*) the baggage and personal effects of such persons as were in immediate contact with such member of the crew shall be disinfected, and the names of such persons shall be given to the medical officer or master of the vessel for supervision on the voyage.

(2) All action taken under clause (1) of this regulation for the disinfection of a vessel shall be noted in the bill of health.

52 Any person who is prevented by the Health Officer under the foregoing regulations from embarking or sailing may be removed to and kept at a hospital or kept under observation ; or, if any such person gives a genuine address, he may, at the discretion of the Health Officer, be sujected to surveillance for a period not exceeding five days.

53. At all ports declared to be infected with plague proper measures shall be taken to prevent rats obtaining access to vessels (Appendix B).

54. Regulations 44 to 53 shall apply to all pilgrim or emigrant ships and may, by order of Government, be applied to vessels leaving a port in India or Burma for another in India or Burma.

(*See Regulation 43.*)

APPENDIX A.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR DISINFECTION.

Personal effects, such as rags, bandages, papers and other articles without value, which, in the opinion of the Health Officer, are deemed likely to carry infection, should be destroyed by fire.

2. Under-clothing, bedding, wearing apparel, mattresses, carpets, etc., which are contaminated or suspected, and other articles to be disinfected, should be exposed for 15 minutes to saturated steam—under pressure if possible—at a temperature of not less than 100°C (212°F.), care being taken that the steam shall reach all parts of each article to be disinfected.

3. *Disinfecting Solutions.*—

(*a*) Solution of corrosive sublimate of one part in 1,000 with the addition of 2 parts in 1,000 of hydrochloric acid or 160 grains of chloride of soda in one gallon. The solution should be coloured with aniline dye or indigo. It should not be placed in metal vessels.

(*b*) A 5 per cent. solution of pure crystallized carbolic acid, or 5 per cent. of crude commercial carbolic acid free from tar oils in a warm solution of soft soap.

(*c*) Freshly-prepared lime-wash.*

(*d*) Such proprietary tar acid compound as the port Health Officer may approve of.

4. *Special instructions to be observed in the employment of disinfecting solution.*—The linen, clothing and articles soiled by the excreta of patients should be soaked in the solution of corrosive sublimate. The solution of pure carbolic acid and the solution of soap and carbolic acid are equally suited to the purpose. The articles should remain in the solution for at least six hours.

Articles which cannot be subjected to the temperature of 212° F. without injury, as leather goods, wooden articles stuck together with glue felt, velvet silk, etc., should be washed with a disinfecting solution; coins can be disinfected with the solution of soap and carbolic acid. Persons engaged in nursing the sick should wash their hands and faces with one of the carbolic solutions. The carbolic solutions will be useful more particularly for disinfecting articles such as metal, or instruments, which can neither be subjected to a temperature of 212°F. nor placed in contact with corrosive sublimate. Chlorinated lime is particularly recommended for disinfecting excreta. Expectorated matter should be burnt.

5. *Disinfection of ships on which plague has occurred among human beings or rats.*—All rats on board shall be destroyed by means of sulphurous anhydride or other suitable disinfectant. The cabins, etc., occupied by the sick or those suspected to be suffering from plague shall, at the discretion of the Health Officer, be treated with a solution of corrosive sublimate and thoroughly cleansed with soap and water. In the case of pneumonic plague preliminary disinfection with corrosive sublimate solution shall be invariably carried out.

6. *Disinfection of the hold of an infected ship.*—The bilge-water shall be pumped out, and the hold washed with sea-water, a sufficient quanity of a solution of corrosive sublimate being subsequently thrown in at the discretion of the Health Officer. The bilge-water shall not be pumped out when the vessel is in harbour without the written consent of the Health Officer.

APPENDIX B.

MEASURES TO BE ADOPTED TO PREVENT RATS OBTAINING ACCESS TO VESSELS.

1. There shall be a space of at least three feet between any part of the vessel and the wall of the dock or wharf.

2. All ropes and hawsers connecting the vessel with the dock or wharf shall be furnished with a circular concave-convex rat-guard at least four feet in diameter, fitting tightly, with the concavity towards the wharf, on the rope or hawser, and so fixed that no part of the margin of the guard shall be less than 24 inches from the rope or hawser, or any other pattern of rat-guard that may be approved by Government.

3. To prevent rats reaching the ship by means of a gangway, as few gangways shall be used as possible; all gangways shall be raised at night; and a watchman shall be placed on each gangway during the day from the time the gangway is lowered until it is raised.

4. A responsible person shall be deputed by the Local Government to ensure these measures being applied immediately the vessel is berthed.

* The lime-wash should contain 20 per cent. of lime, and may be prepared as follows :—Take 2 pounds of good quick-lime and slake it by moistening it gradually with about half a pint of water. When the operation is completed, the resulting powder must be kept in an airtight vessel in a dry place.

For use the quantity of slaked lime obtained from 2 pounds of quick-lime should be placed in a convenient vessel and water added to make one gallon.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 21st November 1916.

No. 119.—Babu Sudhindra Nath De, Overseer, Eastern Circle, is transferred in the interests of the public service to the Duars Road Division.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 120.—In modification of this Department Notification No. 103, dated the 29th September 1916, Babu Sitakanta Ganguli, Overseer, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th October 1916.

H. H. GREEN,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 27th November 1916.

No. 121.—Babu Jay Kumar Sarkar, B.E., a passed student of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, is appointed as Overseer, first grade, permanent on probation, and is posted to the South-Western Circle.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8516A.

No. 8368A.—The 22nd November 1916.—Babu Amulya Chandra Dutt, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Burdwan Division.

Burdwan Divn.

No. 8397A.—The 25th November 1916.—Babu Satish Chandra Guha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, under orders of transfer to Chittagong, is allowed leave for one month, under article 242(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Chittagong.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 13428, dated Calcutta, the 23rd November 1916.—Third grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Bidyananda Datta, of the Brahmanbaria subdivision, Tippera district, is allowed privilege leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th October 1916.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU JATINDRA KUMAR BISWAS, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, was in charge of the Mymensingh Treasury from the afternoon of the 15th November 1916 till the forenoon of the 17th November 1916. Babu Fakir Chandra Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Mymensingh Treasury with effect from the afternoon of the 17th November 1916, and authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

J. A. WOODHEAD, *Collector.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 20th November 1916.*

MAULVI ABU SALEH MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Noakhali Treasury with effect from the forenoon of 30th November 1916 and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

B. C. PRANCE, *Offg. Collector.*

NOAKHALI TREASURY, *the 23rd November 1916.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

BABU RAI MOHAN KARMAKAR, Munsif of Kasba, now employed as an Additional Munsif at Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Comilla Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL,
The 21st November 1916.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1916 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

E. H. BRAY,
Sheriff.

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৬ সাল, তারিখ ২৭শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৬ সালের ২৯শে নভেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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শরিফ।

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act), for the month of January 1917, until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly, will hold his sitting as detailed below :—

January 1917.

Hooghly	...	From 1st to 11th.
Serampore	...	,, 12th to 21st.
Howrah	...	,, 22nd to 31st.

Sundays and holidays are excepted.

ASHUTOSH GHOSH, *Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly.*

SERAMPORE, *the 18th November 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 89P.—Rai Sahib Devendra Kumar Ray, Superintendent, Normal School, Dacca, in class V of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted, under articles 272 and 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for 43 days with effect from 8th November 1916.

No. 90P.—Babu Atul Chandra Banerjee, Assistant Superintendent, Normal School, Dacca, in class I of the Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed to act as Superintendent of the same institution and in the Provincial Educational Service, on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, during the absence on leave of Rai Sahib Devendra Kumar Ray.

The 24th November 1916.

No. 91P.—Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachari, Head Master, Hooghly Training School (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to be Head Master of the Calcutta Training School on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Braja Lal Mukherji, about to retire.

No. 92P.—Maulvi Kazi Imdadul Huq, Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Dacca Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to be Head Master of the Hooghly Training School on the pay of his own grade, with effect from 16th December 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may join the appointment, *vice* Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachari, about to be transferred.

The 27th November 1916.

No. 93P.—In modification of this office orders dated the 25th October 1916, Maulvi Kazi Imdadul Huq, Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Dacca Division, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for two months and eleven days with effect from the 15th October 1916.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6516G.—Babu Apurba Ranjan Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong, Sadar, is transferred to Kutubdia in the Cox's Bazar subdivision of the district.

A. R. BOSE, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 21st November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU AMULYA CHANDRA DUTT, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 23rd November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5189J.—Babu Atul Kumar Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, is transferred to the Goalundo subdivision of that district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 24th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that 3rd January 1917 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner in Ward No. I of the Ramjibanpore Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, in place of Babu Iswar Chandra Gayan, removed under section 20, clause (*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 27th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 32M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on the 28th October 1916 in Ward No. III of the Maheshpur Municipality, in the district of Jessore, Babu Jahari Lal Dutta, B.A., was duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward in the place of Babu Manahar Chandra Madak, removed under section 20(*1*) (*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 33M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 20th January 1917, is fixed as the date for holding a by-election in Ward No. IV of the Khulna Municipality, in the district of Khulna, to elect a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Priya Nath Das, removed under section 20 (1) (*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 24th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been elected members of the Sadar Local Board in the district of Howrah :—

Babu Sarat Chandra Neogi.

„ Jogendra Nath Singh.

„ Akshoy Kumar Chatterji.

„ Satish Chandra Ghose.

„ Hem Chandra De.

2. The following gentleman is appointed to be a member of the said Board under section 10 of the Local Self-Government Act:—

Babu Shashi Bhusan Datta.

3. The following gentlemen are appointed members of the said Local Board under section 11 of the Local Self-Government Act:—

Sadar Subdivisional Officer (*ex officio*).
Rai Mati Lal Haldar Bahadur.
Maulvi Tahiruddin Ahmad.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been elected members of the Uluberia Local Board in the district of Howrah;—

Babu Nanda Lal Ghose.
„ Broja Gopal Rai.
„ Rasamay Das.
„ Jatindra Nath Ghosal.
„ Bhudhar Nath Mukherjee.
„ Nibaran Chandra Chatarji.
„ Charu Chandra Banarji.
„ Kedar Nath Bose.
„ Gobinda Chandra Mondal.
„ Ram Narayan Maiti.

2. The following gentlemen are appointed members of the said Local Board under section 11 of the Local Self-Government Act:—

The Subdivisional Officer, Uluberia (*ex officio*).
Babu Ekkari Singh Ray.
„ Barada Prosad Chakravarti.
Maulvi Wahidul Haq.
Babu Sital Chandra Mukherjee.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3934J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the New Dispensary Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Harishchandrapur, in the district of Malda:—

1. Sub-Inspector of Police, Harishchandrapur thana (*ex officio*).
2. Babu Ram Kinker Roy.
3. „ Gauri Prosad Sukkul.
4. „ Kailas Nath Roy.
5. „ Ashutosh Misra.
6. „ Ram Charitra Kaviraj.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Managing Committee of the Dispensary at Babnan, in the district of Hooghly :—

1. The District Magistrate, Hooghly ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Civil Surgeon, Hooghly ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. The Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Hooghly ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. The Circle Officer, Hooghly ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
5. Syed Inamal Karim.
6. Haji Abdul Rahim.
7. Syed Mohurum Ali.
8. Haji Abdul Latif.
9. Shekh Ajahar Mandal.
10. Babu Rakhal Chandra Guha.
11. „ Anath Nath Sinha Rai.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 24th November 1916.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1825R.—The 25th November 1916.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held under sub-section (1) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Kuluberia Rural Co-operative Credit Society (registered No. 331 of 1908), in the district of Murshidabad, that the Society ought to be dissolved :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 39 of the said Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Jogendra Nath Dey, Local Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Berhampore, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. M. MITRA,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under section 63 (5) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plan of a Proposed Public Street No. VIII (Ahiritola Street Widening), which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 12th April 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST, 5, CLIVE STREET. *the 16th November 1916.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of November 1916, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th November 1916.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 1st to the 15th November 1916 inclusive.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	432,555	...	432,555	114,706	94,189	53,900	189,610
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	514,565	...	514,565	40,000	...	...	43,560
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	340,556	...	340,556	93,075	...	...	84,823
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	464,507	96,227	560,734	119,542	155,167	21,300	90 322
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	101,173	...	101,173	22,600	...	...	60,150
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Haujam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muscat and Lingah rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	17,550	20,291	37,811	50,814(a)	44,051	1,600	28,500
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	36,070(b)	37,486	36,070	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,870,906	116,518	1,987,424	476,807	330,893	112,870	496,965

(a) Duty on 50,814 mds. Bombay Karkuch salt was paid at Bombay.
(b) Duty on 36,070 mds. Madras salt was paid at Madras.

Written off during the half month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	4,186
Abandoned and destroyed	16

A. H. LLOYD,
Assistant Collector for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 22nd November 1916.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 18th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th November 1916.

No. 11255-W. II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of this Department Notification No. 7788-W. II., dated the 26th August 1916, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the import of all goods from and the export of all goods to any of the trading concerns mentioned in the annexed schedule :—

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall apply to goods imported or exported under a general license granted under the authority of "The Trading with the Enemy (Statutory List) Proclamation, 1916, No. 3," or any other power vested in His Majesty or by the Governor General in Council.

SCHEDULE.

AFRICA.

LIBERIA.

Bremer Kolonial Handelsgesellschaft.
Deutsche Liberia Bank.
Deutsche Sudamerikanische Telegraphen-gesellschaft A. G.
Freeman, T., & Company.
Freeman, D. (or T.)
Freeman, D. D.
Jantzen, C. F. W.
Monrovia Trading Company.
Robins, G. B.
Vietor & Huber.
West, J. W.
Wiechers & Helm.
Woermann, A.

MOROCCO.

Abekhzel, Aaron, Laraiche.
Abitbol, Moses, & Sons (Abitbol, Jeseph M., Samuel M., Rafael M.), Laraiche.
Afergan, David. Laraiche.
Amar, Mesod J., Laraiche.
Amarti, Mohamed Ben Drees el, Laraiche.
Amir, Taher Ben, Laraiche.
Ankri, Yusef el, Laraiche.
Asharual, Abdelwahab, Arzila.
Assayag, Solomon, Laraiche.
Auni, Ahmed el, Laraiche.
Aztot, Abdeslam, Laraiche.
Aztot, Fedol Ben Mohamed, Laraiche.
Aztot, Siddek Ben Ahmed, Laraiche.
Baghar, Dris el, Alcazar.
Bakkali, El Ayashi el, Arzila.
Bakkali, Mohamed, Tetuan.
Benarrosh, Brahim, Laraiche.
Bendayan, Salomon, Laraiche.
Beniflah, Elias, Laraiche.
Benizri, Rafael, Laraiche.
Benmergui, Vidal E., Tetuan.
Benros, Isaac, Laraiche.
Bensabat, Jacob, Laraiche.
Benshiton, Joseph, Laraiche.
Benshiton, Moses, Laraiche.
Bessam, Oolad, Laraiche.
Botbol, Sentob Haim, Laraiche.
Bukhari, Hossein Abdeslam el, Tetuan.
Cadosh, Mesod, Laraiche.
Cohen, Mesod, Laraiche.
Cohen, S. & J. (Cohen, Simon J., Joseph J., Scialom J., Jacob S.), Laraiche.
Cohen, Simon D., (Cohen, Simon D., Jacob S.), Laraiche.
Dukali, Hadj Ben Maati el Hayani, Laraiche.
Dukali, Hamed Ben Fekik, Alcazar.
Eljarrat, Jacob (Eljarrat, Amram J., Judah J., Meir J.), Alcazar.
Eljarrat, Judah, Alcazar.
Escalant, Antonio Lopez, Laraiche.
Gelool, Mohamed Ben Abdel Krim Ben, Alcazar.
Glaser, Dr., Tetuan.
Hababi, Mohamed el, Laraiche.
Hadj, Ali Ben el, Arzila.
Harrack, Abdeslam el, Alcazar.
Hashmi, Hamed Ben el Arzila.
Hashmi, Mohamed Ben el, Arzila.
Hashmi, Si Hamed el, Tetuan.
Hisu, Mohamed Ben, Arzila.
Hossein, Mohamed el, Laraiche.
H'sissen, Selam (Abdeselam), el, Alcazar.
Huss, Reichardt, Arzila.
Hussein, Ben el Hadj el Jemili, Alcazar.
Kell, J., & Company, Laraiche.
Kouira, Drees, Laraiche.
Lebady, Mohamed, Tetuan.
Levy, Solomon, Laraiche.
Maaroufi, Hadj Mohamed el, Laraiche.
Mesbahi, Mohamed el Kasri, Alcazar.
Mokhtar, Mohamed, Arzila.
Mokhtar, Ulad, Arzila.
Moryusef, Fortunate S. (Moryusef F. S., Judah S., Sliman, J.), Laraiche.
Moryusef, Joseph & Yahia, Laraiche.
Mudden, Mohamed el, Tetuan.
Muyal, Isaac & M., Laraiche.
Mzamzi, Mohamed el, Laraiche.
Odadiah, Joseph Brahim, Laraiche.

Oushihi, Abdelrahman el, Alcazar.
Ragonez, Abraham, Laraiche.
Renschausen, A., & Company, Laraiche.
Rohner, Friedrich, Laraiche.
Rohner, Werner, Laraiche.
Sabbag, Mokluf & Company, Laraiche.
Sabbah, Mesod, Laraiche.
Sabbah, Simon, Laraiche.
Sager & Woerner, Laraiche.
Salama, Mokhluf, Laraiche.
Schumacher, Otto, Tetuan,
Sherti, Mohamed, Tetuan.
Sherti, Mohamed, Ben el, Arzila.
Simoni, Mesod, Laraiche.
Soudry (Essoudry), Samuel (Soudry, Mordechai & Elias), Laraiche.
Soussi, Hadj Mailoud el, Laraiche.
Soussi, Hossein el, Laraiche.
Steinkampf, Heinrich, Alcazar.
Tarnow, Max, L., & Company, Tetuan.
Tazzi, Abdel Wahab, Laraiche.
Wedele, Jehan, Tetuan.
Zailachi, Abdeslam el Amri, Laraiche.
Zapatero, O., Tetuan.
Zegari, Hamed, Laraiche.
Zegari, Taib, Laraiche.
Zimmermann, Alcazar.
Zwartfeld, W., Laraiche.

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Becker, E., Beira.
Behrens, H., Lourenço Marques.
Bettman & Kupfer (East African Agency), Lourenço Marques.
Bosselmann, C., Beira.
Bredenkamp, Lourenço Marques.
Breyde, John (of the Mozambique Whaling Company).
Bruckmann, Lourenço Marques.
Christophides, Christo, Porto Amelia.
Cruz, Alipio, Francesco.
Da Souza, Luiz Moreira, Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
De Sousa, Bismark, Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Dencks, Alexander, Lourenço Marques.
Deuss, Ludwig, & Company, Chinde, Tete, and Quelimane.
Deuss, Paul.
Deutsche Ost-Afrika Gesellschaft.
Deutsche Ost-Afrika Linie.
Felgenhauer (alias Ferguson), I. C., Lourenço Marques.
Fellman, H., Quelimane.
Ferguson, I. C. (alias Felgenhauer), Lourenço Marques
Ferreira, Joaquim, Quelimane.
Frankel, Jacob, Lourenço Marques.
Fuchs, Lourenço Marques.
Goncalves, Paulino, Fontesville.
Grothkop, H., Lourenço Marques.
Haberer & Company.
Habib, Jacob, Porto Amelia; Palma and Ibo.
Herz & Schaberg.
Hueffer, A., Quelimane.
Hoffman, Hugo, Lourenço Marques.
Hoffman, Oswald.
Houben, Walter, Beira.
Hupfer, Beira
Ismail Juma, Porto Amelia; Palma and Ibo.
Jung Lenz & Company.
Koch, J. H., Lourenço Marques.
Krutzfeldt, H. G., Lourenço Marques.
Kunsti, T., Ibo.
Limbrock, H., Tete.

Linder, F., Ibo.
Loeffelbein, F., Lourenço Marques.
Marcus & Harting.
Mozambique Whaling Company.
Neider, P., & Company, Ibo.
Niedner, Paul, Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Oldenburg, E., Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Orenstein-Arthur Koppel, Limited.
Pechner, H., Beira.
Petersen, R. H., Quelimane.
Philippi, William, & Company.
Piel, Albert, Lourenço Marques.
Porst, Kurt., Lourenço Marques.
Ragchand Premchand, Mozambique.
Ressmann, I., Lourenço Marques.
Reuter, Dr., Lourenço Marques.
Rewald, Martin, Lourenço Marques.
Reys, Fernandez & Baptista.
Ribeiro, Antonio Franciso, Beira.
Rolfes, Herman, Lourenço Marques.
Rolfes, Karl, Lourenço Marques.
Rolfes, Nebel & Company, Lourenço Marques.
Rosendorf, Lourenço Marques.
Sambado, Antonio Marques, Mozambique; Santa Maria; Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Schnutz, H., Tete.
Schreiber, Beira.
Siemsen, T., Beira.
Springhorn, C., Lourenço Marques.
Steyn, Kuhn, Lourenço Marques.
Stuben & Company.
Stuhldreier, Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Uebel, Beira.
Vogel, W., Lourenço Marques.
Vogler, W., Sena.
Wandschneider, Theodor, Lourenço Marques.
Wiese, Carl, Lourenço Marques.
Woerher, Fritz, Inhambane.
Woernher, Rudolf, Inhambane.

PORTUGUESE WEST AFRICA, PORTUGUESE GUINEA, FERNANDO PO, AND RIO MUNI.

Iniqo, Alfonso, Rio Muni.
Karsten, Friedrich, Bambadinca.
Lieb, Eugen, Santa Isabel and San Carlos.
Mansnetter, Bolama.
Moritz, E. H., & Company, Santa Isabel
Perez y Mora, Fernando Po.
Rolf, Luis, Bissao.
Schwartz, Hans, Geba.
Seifert, Paul, Bolama.
Titzck, Rudolf, Bissao; Chinde; Bambadinca; Geba; Baffata; Cacheo and Farim.
Voss, Hans, Farim.
Woermann Linie, Fernando Po.

AMERICA.

ALL COUNTRIES IN CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA.

German Coal Depôt Company. Compañia Alemana de Carbon, or Deutsches Kohlen Depôt.)
Hardt, Engelbert, & Company.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Sociedad Tubos Mannesmann Limitada.
Staudt & Company.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Aders, Alberto, & Company, Buenos Aires.
Agencia Maritima " Kosmos " (Kosmos Steamship Line), Argentina.
Allgemeine Electricitäts Gesellschaft Sudamericana, Calle San Martin 444, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina and Uruguay.
Argentine Real Estate & Finance Corporation, Limited, Calle Alsina 902, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Austro-American Steamship Company, Calle San Martin 470, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina and Uruguay.
Balzer, Carlos, Calle Cangallo 417, Buenos Aires
Banco Aleman Transatlantico, (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Banco Germanico de la America del Sud (Deutsche Sud-Amerikanische Bank).
Barth, Eugenio, & Company, Calle Uruguay, 757, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bauer, P., & Company, Calle Piedras 132, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bechtel, Kurtz & Company, Calle Tucuman 1575, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bernitt, Rodolf (partner of Dorner & Bernitt), Misiones 1472, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Boker & Company, Calle Maipu 463, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina.
Bonino, E., & Schroeder, E. A., Misiones 1467, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bottini, Oscar, Calle Cerro Largo 851, Montevideo, Uruguay; and Argentina.
Brauss, Mahn & Company, Reconquista 80, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Calle Cerrito 407, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bromberg & Company, Calle Moreno 401, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Buch, A., & Company, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bunge, Ernesto A., & Born, J., B. Mitre 226, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Cadenas, Enrique, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Canto, Roberto, (c/o Staudt and Company).
Cassini & Company, Calle Cangallo 840, Buenos Aires and Rosario, Argentina.
Castillo, Gerardo, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Clarfeld, Federico, and Company, Passo Colon 746, Buenos Aires; Juncal 1461, Montevideo, and all branches in Uruguay and Argentina.
Clausen & Company, Misiones 83, esq. Piedras, 193, 201 and 450 Montevideo, Uruguay.
Campañia Alemana de Carbon.
Curt, Berger & Company, Calle 25 de Mayo 382-392; Calle Corrientes 344, and Colon 1384, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Daniel, Bruno, & Company, Paseo de Colon 464-68, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Delcampo, Carlos, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Delfino, A. M., & Hermano, Calle Sarmiento 442-448, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Deutsches Kohlen Depôt.
Deutsche Sud Amerikanische Bank.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Dorner & Bernitt, Misiones 1472, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Dorner, Arturo (partner of Dorner & Bernitt), Uruguay.
Duckwitz, Otto, Calle Araoz 2918, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Dyckerhoff & Widmann Schmidt, Calle Reconquista 37, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ellerhorst, Fernando (of " La Germano Argentina ").
Franke, Otto & Company, Calle Bolivar 161, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Funck, Ph., & Company, Calle Upsallata 756 and 1056, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Gasmotorenfabrik Deutz, Moreno 550 and 554, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina and Uruguay.
German Coal Depôt Company (Compañia Alemana de Carbon, or Deutsches Kohlen Depôt).
Gomez, Pedro, Comodoro Rivadavia, Territory of Chubut.
Hamburg-American Steamship Company.
Hamburg-South American Steamship Company.
Hansa Line.
Hardt, Engelbert, & Company, Patricios 1937, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.

Hartrodt, A., Corrientes 685, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hasberg, P. (of "La Germano Argentina").
Hasenclever & Company, Calle Belgrano 673, and Ayolas 58, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Heinlein & Company, Avenida de Mayo 1402-1500, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hinderfeld, Martignoni & Company, Calle Lavalle 437; Calle Tandil 5900, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Cerrito 257, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Hirsch, Alfredo (of Sociedad Financiera é Industrial Sud Americana).
Hoffmann and Stocker, Calle Moreno 443, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Kobelt G. (of "La Germano Argentina").
Koerting Brothers, Calle Bolivar 292, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Koppelmeyer, Carl Christian (Partner of Clausen and Company), Uruguay.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos"), Argentina.
Kropp & Company, Piedras 1448 and Rivadavia 751—761, Buenos Aires, Argentina; Misiones 158, Montevideo, Uruguay.
"La Germano Argentina."
Lagemann, F., and Company, Piedras 363, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Lahusen & Company, Casilla 51; Defensa 542. and P. Mendoza 3457, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and C. Orillas del Plata 927, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Larsen, Herbert, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Lasker & Company, Corrientes 534, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Calle Misiones 1430, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Marquez, Joaquin C. (partner of Dorner & Bernitt), Uruguay.
Martinez de Hoz, Florencio, & Company, Calle Reconquista 43, Calle Peru 475, and Calle Pueyrredon 320—326, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Massimino, Adolfo, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Metzen Vicenti y Cia, Misiones 1526, Montevideo, Uruguay,
Meyer, L. D., & Company, Calle Lima 387, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Meyer, Martin (of "La Germano Argentina").
Mitau & Grether, Calle Cangallo 840—850, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Moller & Company, Calle Bartolome Mitre 722, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Monje, Fernandez, Purteo Deseado, Patagonia, Argentina.
North German Lloyd.
Orenstein & Koppel, Argentina.
Osten & Company, Rondeau 303, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Oster, Jorge (of Sociedad Financiera é Industrial Sud Americana).
Pintos, Domingo, Argentina.
Portena Tug Company, Argentina.
Quincke, Ernesto, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Rabe, Walder & Company, Misiones 1373, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Rabe, Margarita N. de (partner of Rabe, Walder & Company).
Rabe, Otto (partner of Rabe, Walter & Company).
Rhodius & Company, Castilla 224, and Ribadavia 842, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Roehrs, E., & Company, San Martin 195, and Calle Agraciade 2412, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ruete & Guyer, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Sassoli, A., Buenos, Aires, Argentina.
Schelp & Schelp, Calle Bartolome Mitre 1123, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Schweitzer, Felipe, Santa Fé 951, Rosario, Argentina.
Siemens Schückert Companies, Calle Bernardo Irigoyen 330, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sociedad Anonima Argentina, Hidraulica, Agricola, Argentina.
Societa Anonima Transporti de Mestre. Argentina.
Sociedad Financiera é Industrial Sud Americana, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sociedad Tuvos Mannesmann Limitada, Calle Defensa 383, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Soteras y Val, Alsina 1251—55, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Staudt & Company, B. Mitre 665—9, Avenida Montes de Oca 1599, and Calle General Honos 1720, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Uruguay.
Steffens & Nolle, A. G., Calle Cangallo 499, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sternberg, H., Junior & Company, Calle Cangallo 840, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Stofen, Schnack, Müller & Company, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Strothbaum, Felix (partner of Clausen & Company), Uruguay.
Strothbaum, Gmo. (partner of Clausen & Company), Uruguay.
Stubenrauch & Company, Puerto Descado, Patagonia, Argentina.
Vasquez, Pablo, Salsipuedes 231, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Velasquez, Pedro, Uruguay.
Vilmar, Rimplar & Company, Defensa 569—571, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wagenknecht, E., & Company, Cerro Largo 791, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Walder, Enrique (partner of Rabe, Walder & Company), Uruguay.
Warburg & Goldschmidt, Calle Bartolome Mitre 1265, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wayss & Freytag, Calle Moreno 508, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Weil Hermanos & Company, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wentzky, R. Von, Calle Corrientes 685, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Weygand & Zum Felde, Calle Peru 1034, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wirth & Schiebeck, Calle Sarmiento 372, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wolff, Buchholz & Company, Calle 25 de Mayo 179, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BOLIVIA.

Albrecht, C., & Company, La Paz.
Arnold & Company, Santa Cruz de la Sierre and Riveralta.
Bacovich, Marcos, Oruro.
Banco Aleman Transatlántico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Barber, Alfred W., & Company, Cochabamba.
Bickenbach & Company, Oruro.
Blau, Stephen, La Paz.
Callenius, Gustavo La Paz.
Colsman Boehme & Company, La Paz and Oruro.
Danelsberg & Company, La Paz.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Dohrmann, Dahse & Company, Oruro and Potosi.
Elsner, Juan, & Company, Santa Cruz.
"El Tigre," La Paz.
Emmel Hermanos, La Paz.
Enss & Webber, La Paz.
Eulert, F. G., La Paz.
Fricke Jerman, & Company, Oruro.
Gundlach, C. F., Oruro.
Günther, Ernest, Sorata.
Hardt, E. & W., & Company, La Paz; Sucre; Oruro and Cochabamba.
Hinke, Gustave, & Company, La Paz and Oruro.
Hirschmann & Company, La Paz and Oruro.
Martins, F., & Company, La Paz.
Morales, Bertram & Company, Cochabamba; Potosi and Sucre.
Nolte, E., & Company, La Paz.
Quidde & Gatermann, Cochabamba and Sucre.
Reinecke, Findel & Company, Oruro.
Schluter & Company, Oruro.
Schubert, H. G., Oruro.
Schweitzer, Félipe, Santa Cruz.
Staudt & Company, Villa Montes, River Pilcomayo.
Stofen, Schnack, Muller & Company, Santa Cruz.
Zeller, Villinger & Company, Santa Cruz, Trinidad and Yacuiba.

BRAZIL.

Achim & Company, Joinville, Sta. Catharina.
Ahrns, Edouardo, Rua dos Algibebes, Bahia.
Andrade Pinto, Ernesto, Bahia.
AO Cylindro, Porto Alegre.
Araujo & Boavista, Rua Buenos Aires 4, Rio de Janeiro.
Arp & Company, Rua do Ouvidor 102, and Rua Coronel Moreira César 102, Rio de Janeiro.
Banco Aleman Transatlántico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Banco Germanico de la America del sud (Deutsche Sud-Amerikanische Bank).

Barza & Company, Rua Marques de Dens 8, Pernambuco.
Bauer, Walter F., Rua General Camara 88, Rio de Janeiro ; and Recife, Pernambuco.
Bayer, Federico, & Company, Travessa Santa Rita, 22-24, Rio de Janeiro.
Behrmann & Company, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Bellingrodt & Meyer, Rau Sao Pedro 70, Rio de Janeiro.
Bercht Brothers, Rua Voluntarios da Patria 46, Porto Alegre.
Berringer & Company, Para.
Bezold, Otto, Ceara.
Bier, F. G., & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 106, Porto Alegre.
Bluhm, Bernhard, Rua 28 de Julho, S. Luiz, Maranhao.
Böckmann, A., & Company, Rua do Apollo 28, Pernambuco.
Borstelmann & Company, Pernambuco ; and Rua Alfandega 121, Maceio.
Brando, Viuva Carlos & Company, Florianopolis.
Brasilianische Bank für Deutschland, Bahia : Porto Alegre ; Rio de Janeiro ; Santos and Sao Paulo.
Breithaupt, Victor, & Company Rua Itororo 8, Santos.
Bromberg & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 96 and 98 ; Rua dos Andradas 182, Porto Alegre ; Hospicio 22, Rio de Janeiro ; Bahia and Sao Paulo.
Bromberg, Daudt & Company, Rua Voluntarios da Patria 54 and 56, Porto Alegre.
Bromberg, Hacker & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 96 and 98; Rua dos Andradas 182, Porto Alegre ; Hospicio 22, Rio de Janeiro ; Bahia and Sao Paulo.
Buhle, C., Porto Alegre and Rio Grande do Sul.
Campos, Alexandre & Company, Rio de Janeiro ; Sao Paulo & Santos.
Campos, José Pinto, Para.
Casa Allema (Wagner, Schadlich & Company), Rua 15 de Novembro, Santos ; Rua Direita 18, Sao Paulo.
Cia Lithographica Hartmann Reichenbach, Rua Gusmoes 93, Sao Paulo; and Santos.
Companhia Brazileira de Electricidad (Branch of Siemens Schückert Werke), Avenida Rio Branco 79 and 81, Rua General Camara 87, Rua do Hospicio 29, Rio de Janeiro and Rua Sao Joao, Bahia.
Companhia Commercial, Victoria.
Companhia Sul-Americana de Electricidade, A. E. G., Rua do Hospicio 59, Rio Janeiro.
Costa Almeida, M. de, Rua do Rosario 17, Sao Paulo ; and Rio de Janeiro.
Da Motta, A. Alves (partner of Fonseca & Company), Para and Rio de Janeiro.
Dannemann & Company, Sao Felix ; and Largo das Princezas 15, Bahia.
Dauch & Company, Rua Frei Gaspar 16, Santos.
Deffner, G., & Company, Manaos.
Demarchi & Company, Uruguayana.
Deutsche Süd-Amerikanische Bank.
Deutsche Süd-Amerikanische Telegraphen Gesellschaft A. G., Rua da Assemblea 8 ; Rua General Camara 62, Rio de Janeiro; and Pernambuco.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Diebold & Company, Rua Santo Antonio 56, Santos.
Domschke & Company, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Dreher, Edmundo, & Company, Rua Barao do Triumpho 6, Porto Alegre.
Eiffler, Bernard, Manaos Para and Pernambuco.
Empreza Graphica Rio Grandense, Rua dos Andradas 447, Porto Alegre.
Empreza Hoepcke, Florianopolis, Santa Catharina.
Engel, Fritz, Pelotas, Rio Grande do Sul.
Engelhardt, Carlos Rio Grande de Sul.
Ferreira Bastos, Antonio, Bahia.
Ferreira, José Germano, Rua Sao Bento 5, Rio de Janeiro.
Fischer, Christiano Julio (Hardware Merchant), Campo da Redempção, Porto Alegre.
Fonseca & Company (Coal Merchants), Para.
Fonseca, Abilio (partner of Fonseca & Company), Para.
Fonseca, Arthur, Sao Francisco do Sul.
Fraeb & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 90, Porto Alegre; and Pelotas, Rio Grande do Sul.

Freyer, Hugo, Porto Alegre.
Friedheim Aguiar & Company, Avenida Maranhense 11, S. Luiz, Maranhao.
Friedrichs & Timmann, Rua dos Droguistas, Bahia.
Fuchs, J., & Company (Casa Fuchs), Rua Sao Bento 83, Sao Paulo.
Gasmotorenfabrik Deutz, Avenida Rio Branco 11, Rio de Janeiro; Rua Floriano Peixoto 11, Pernambuco.
Gonczy, Porto Alegre.
Graeff, Gustaf, Para.
Green & Company, Belem, Para.
Griesbach, Max Para.
Guimares, F., Bahia.
Guimaraes, N., & Company, Rua Luiz de Camoes 16, Rio de Janeiro.
Gunzberger, J., & Company, Manaos and Para.
Harm, Heinrich, Manaos and Itacoatiara.
Hartmann, H., Rua Barao da Victoria 25, Pernambuco.
Hasenclever & Company, Rio de Janeiro; Rua L. Badaro 70, Sao Paulo.
Hermanny, Louis, & Company, Rua Gonçalves Dias 54 & 57, & Avenida Rio Branco 126, Rio de Janeiro.
Hoepcke, Carl, & Company, Florianopolis, Santa Cathrina.
Hoffman, Rudolf W. H. Para.
Holdum, Maxim, Manaos.
Holzborn, Ernesto, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Huland, Oscar, & Company, Ceará.
Jannowitzer, Wahle & Company, Rua do Candelaria 49; San Pedro 34, Rio de Janeiro; and Sao Paulo.
Joao Silveira de Souza, Joinville.
Jordan Gerken & Company, Sao Francisco do Sul.
Kopinsky, Joseph, Rua Sao Paulo 52, Rio de Janeiro.
Krahe & Company, Rua dos Andradas 497, Porto Alegre.
Krause Irmaos & Company (Krause Brothers), Rua da San Antonio 17, Belem, Para; Rua Loba D'Almada 9, Manaos; Rua Primeiro de Marco 6, Pernambuco; and Maranhao.
Kroncke & Company, Parahyba do Norte.
Kuehlen, Otto, Para.
Landy, Carlos, von, Rua Barao do Triumpho 33A, Pernambuco.
Lemcke, Carlos, & Company, Porto Alegre.
Lima, Luzio Horacio (Berringer & Company), Para.
Lind, Von der, & Company, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Linhares, Antonio P., Para.
Lobo, Manaos.
Lohse Para.
Louro Linhares, Florianopolis.
Luckhaus & Company, Rua General Camara 67, Rio de Janeiro.
Ludwig é Irmaos, Rua dos Andradas, Porto Alegre.
Magnus, James, & Company, Rua Sao Pedro 96, Rio de Janeiro.
Martin, Xiste, & Company, Rio de Janeiro; Sao Paulo and Santos.
Metzler, Hugo, Porto Alegre.
Meyer, Irmaos, & Company, Rua Sete de Setembro 165, Porte Alegre.
Monteiro, J. A., & Company, Rua do Candelaria 49, Rio de Janeiro.
Monteiro Santos & Company, Sao Paulo.
Moreira, Julio César (Moreira de Carvalho), Rua General Camara 1; and Praia Icarahy 21, Rio de Janeiro.
Naschold, Ricardo, & Company, Rua Henrique Dias 57, Sao Paulo, and Porto Alegre.
Noronha, Carlos de, Rua General Camara 22, Rio de Janeiro.
Officina Velhote Silva, Para.
Ohliger & Company, Manaos.
Ornstein & Company, Rua Sao Pedro 9, Rio de Janeiro.
Ostermeyer, Frederico, Rua da Quitanda 63 & 175, Rio de Janeiro.
Ottens, K. J., Bahia.
Overbeck, W., Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Pereira, Alfredo Martins, Manaos.
Pereira, E., & Company, Rio de Janeiro.
Peters, W., & Company, Manaos.
Petersen, Adolf, & Company, Rua do Apollo 36, Pernambuco.
Pintsch, (Julius.), Aktiengesellschaft, Rua Sao Pedro 9, Rio de Janeiro.

Pohlman & Company, Pernambuco and Maceió.
Pradez, Pierre, Rio de Janeiro and Santos.
Pralow & Company, Para and Manaos.
Prejawa & Company, Rua da Alfandega 70, Rio de Janeiro.
Reiniger, Schmitt, & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 118, Porto Alegre.
Reisch, Felix, Manaos.
Ribeiro, Armando, Rua Voluntarios da Patria 40 and 42, Porto Alegre.
Rieckmann & Company, Rua Bôa Vista 42, Sao Paulo.
Rombauer & Company, Rua Viscônde de Inhauma 84, Rio de Janeiro.
Rothschild & Company, Rua 15 de Novembro 31, Sao Paulo.
Runes & Bark, Largo Monte Alegre 6, Santos.
Schaible & Kanitz, Rua José Bonifacio 40, Sao Paulo; Rua Sao Pedro 52, Rio de Janeiro.
Schar, Ernest, Pernambuco.
Schlee, Philip, Manaos.
Schlick Alfredo, & Company, Rua da Assemblea 14; Rua Quitanda 47, Rio de Janeiro.
Schoenn, Roberto, & Company, Rua Quitanda 147, Rio de Janeiro.
Scholz, Manaos.
Schroeter, J., Porto Alegre.
Schümann & Company, Para.
Seligmann & Company, Para.
Semper & Company, Manaos.
Siemens-Schückert Werke, Rio de Janeiro; Bahia; Porto Alegre and Sao Paulo.
Simoes, Angelino, & Company, Rio de Janeiro.
Simonek & Moreira, Rua do Bon Jesus 20, Pernambuco.
Sinjen, M., & Company, Novo Friburgo, Rio de Janeiro.
Sinner, Alfredo, Rio de Janeiro and Santos.
Smith, Kessler & Panke (Casa Kosmos), Rua Direita 12, Sao Paulo and Santos.
Sociedade Anonyma Armazens Andresen, Manaos.
Sociedad Tubos Mannesmann, Limited, Rua do Rosario 64, Rio de Janeiro.
Solheiro, Luiz (partner of Fonseca & Company), Para.
Steinberg Meyer & Company, Avenida Rio Branco 65, Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo.
Steiner, Pedro Maurico, Para.
Steinman, Emilo A., Manaos.
Steinder & Company, Bahia.
Stofen, Schnack, Müller & Company, Corumba.
Stoltz, Hermann, & Company, Avenida Central 66-74 (Rio Branco 66-74), Rio de Janeiro; Praça da Republica, Santos; Rua Alvares Penteado 12, Sao Paulo and Pernambuco.
Strassberger, E., & Company, Manaos.
Studer, J., & Company, Rua das Princezas, 20 Bahia.
Suerdieck & Company, Rua das Princezas Bahia.
Trommell, A., & Company, Praça Telles 11, Santos; Rua Alvares Penteado, Sao Paulo.
Urban, Eugen, & Company, Rua Conselheiro Saraiva 30, Rio de Janeiro; Rua Santo Antonio 63, Santos.
Vasconcelles, José de, & Company. Pernambuco.
Vianna, Elyseo, Rua 15 de Novembro, Pernambuco.
Viera de Mello, Francisco, Rio de Janeiro.
Vieria, Francisco Salles, Manaos.
Wachtel, Marxen, & Company, Rio Grande do Sul.
Wagner, Schadlich & Company (Casa Allema), Santos and Sao Paulo.
Weissflog Brothers, Rua Libero Badaro 70, Sao Paulo.
Weissflog, Alfredo, (of Weissflog Brothers), Rua Maranhâo 21; Sao Paulo.
Weissflog, Otto (of Weissflog Brothers), Avenida Paulista 112, Sao Paulo.
Weiszflog, Max, Sao Paulo.
Westphalen, Bach & Company, Rua Cons. Saraiva, Bahia.
Wille, Theodor, & Company, Sao Paulo; Rio de Janeiro and Santos.
Wolff, Eric, Pernambuco.

CHILE.

Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Armstrong, Enrique, Talcahuano.

Arrigoriaga, Saturnino, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Banco Aleman Transatlantico, (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Banco de Chile y Alemania, (Banco für Chile und Deutschland), Antofagasta ; Santiago ; Valparaiso ; Concepcion ; Temuco & Valdivia.
Banco Germanico de la America del Sud, (Deutsche Sud Amerikanische Bank).
Canelo, Nemesio, (of Gildemeister & Company), Iquique.
Chassin Trubert, Julio, Coquimbo.
Compania Salitrera Alemana, Talta.
Compania Salitrera Constancia, Iquique.
Compania Salitrera H. B. Sloman & Company.
Curtze, Walter, Korner 1086, Punta Arenas.
Daube & Company, Prat 12, Valparaiso ; Merced 798, Santiago ; Arana 530, Concepcion ; Latorre-Baquedano, and Antofagasta.
Dauelsberg & Company, Antofagasta.
Deutsche Sud-Amerikanische Bank.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Escobar Jose Ignacio, Calle Santa Domingo 1372, Santiago.
Fölsch, H., & Company, Casilla 16A, Valparaiso.
Fonck, Carlos, & Company, Calle Brasil 126, Valparaiso ; Calle Puente 571, Santiago.
Gildemeister & Company.
Gleisner, Mauricio & Company, Santiago ; Valparaiso and Talcahuano.
Groothoff, A & O., Iquique
Guttmann & Maurer, Correa Casilla 85 and Calle Moneda 1065, Santiago ; and Valdivia.
Hagnauer & Company, Blanco 122, Valparaiso.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Inojosa, Maximo, Concepcion.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima " Kosmos").
Koster & Wyneken, Calle Lincoyan 427, Concepcion and Coronel.
Lange & Company, Casilla 953, Valparaiso.
Luck, Winkelhagen & Company, Valparaiso.
Manns, Ernesto, Pl. Munoz Gamero, Punta Arenas.
Neckelmann & Company, Valparaiso.
Nissen, Fischer & Company. Santiago and Concepcion.
Paarman & Krebs, Valparaiso.
Reitze, Leopold, & Company, Valparaiso.
Salpeterwerke Gildemeister Aktien Gesellschaft.
Schultz, Ricardo, and Company, 8, Coquimbo, Concepcion ; and Valparaiso.
Siemens Schückert Limited, Blanco 366, Valparaiso ; and Santiago.
Sloman, H. B., & Company, Tocopilla and Valparaiso.
Smith, Charles Dudley (of A. & O. Groothoff), Iquique.
Stubenrauch & Company, Punta Arenas.
Stubenrauch, R., Punta Arenas.
Timmermann & Company, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Trede, H., Punta Arenas.
Trillo, Victor, Antofagasta.
Ureta, Oscar, Punta Arenas.
Vargas, Leonidas, Antofagasta.
Vorwerk & Company, Prat 231-239, Valparaiso.
Wagner, Klein & Company, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Weber & Company, Santiago and Valparaiso.

COLUMBIA.

Agencia Maritima " Kosmos " (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Añez, Julio A., & Company, Cucuta.
Banco Aleman-Antioqueño.
Beck, Roberto, Bogota.
Beckmann & Company, Cucuta.
Berne, O., & Company, Barranquilla.
Breuer, Möller & Company, Barranquilla ; Cucuta (and all branches).
Breymann, Wilhelm von, & Company, Cali.
Empresa Hanseatica, Barranquilla.
Hoz, P. de la, Barranquilla.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima " Kosmos ").
Lindemeyer, Heinrich (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).

Stegmann, Arthur (widow of) (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).
Vasquez, Martin (of Empresa Hanseatica).
Volkmann, Gustav, Bucaramanga.
Wiese, F. (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).

CUBA.

Barba, Vicente, Calle San Pedro 4, Havana.
Berndes, J. F., & Company, Calle Cuba 64, Havana.
Eppinger Alberto, Teniente Rey 61, Havana.
Heilbut & Company, Calle San Ignacio 54, Havana.
Michaelsen & Prasse, Obrapia 18, Havana.
Paetzold, M., & Company, Havana.
Seeler, Pi & Company, Obrapia 16, Havana.
Tillman, M., & Company, Havana.
Toennies, H., Havana.
Upmann, H., & Company, Amargura 1, and Mercaderes 31, Havana.

ECUADOR.

Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Balda Manuel.
Bartels, Carlos, & Company, Bahia de Caráquez.
Bartels, Carlos (partner of Carlos Bartels & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Bartels, Guillermo (partner of Carlos Bartels & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Becdach Hermanos, Quito and Guayaquil.
Becdach Kamal (partner of Becdach Hermanos), Quito and Guayaquil.
Becdach, René (partner of Becdach Hermanos), Quito and Guayaquil.
Behreint, Frederick, Manta and Bahia de Caráquez.
Borchert, W., (partner of Jeremias & Borchert), Guayaquil.
Bünge, Julio (partner of Guillermo Kaiser), Guayaquil.
Burau, Juan, Manta.
Cassinelli & Company, Guayaquil.
Castro, Allen, Calle 16A 205, Guayaquil.
Cattan Hermanos, Quito.
Dassum, Mustafa, Guayaquil.
Dehmlow, Alfred (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Dierks, Hugo (partner of Otte & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Donner, & Blackett, Manta and Porto Viejo.
Donner, Roberto (partner of Donner & Blackett), Manta and Porto Viejo.
Duve, Frederico (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Flemming and Schnabel, Bahia de Caráquez.
Flemming, George, Bahia de Caráquez.
Gleschen, Carlos (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Manta Branch).
Grim, Juan (partner of Adolfo Poppe), Guayaquil.
Grimmer, Karl (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Guzmann, L., and Hijos, Malecón 100, Guayaquil.
Haas, Max (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Esmeraldas Branch).
Harnack, H. (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Bahia de Caráquez Branch).
Heinert, Leonard, Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui Hermanos, Avenida 2A 320, Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui Arif (or Aref) (partner of Hinnaoui Hermanos), Guayaquil.
Hinnáoui Azat (or Azzet) (partner of Hinnaoui Hermanos), Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui Fuad (partner of Hinnaoui Hermanos), Guayaquil.
Jeremias & Borchert, Avenida Tercera 612, Guayaquil.
Jeremias, L. (partner of Jeremias & Borchert), Avenida Tercera 614, Guayaquil.
Jungnickel & Loose, Guayaquil.
Jungnickel, W. (partner of Jungnickel & Loose), Guayaquil.
Kaiser, Guillermo, Calle Octava 121; Pichincha 125, and Avenida Segundo 118, Guayaquil.
Koppel, Samuel, Avenida Tercera 1101 and 1103, Guayaquil.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").
Kruger & Company Avenida Segunda 400-402, Calle 11A, 118 and 120, and Pichincha 400, Guayaquil.

Kruger, Juan H. (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Kugelman, Ferd., Bahia de Caráquez.
Loose (partner of Jungnickel & Loose), Guayaquil.
Lopez, Romulo G., Guayaquil.
Lüders, Carlos W., Cordoba 506, Guayaquil.
Malheur & Company, Manta.
Maydoub (or Madub) & Ramadan, Ambato
Maydoub (or Madub) Amin (partner of Maydoub & Ramadan), Ambato.
Miketa, Rodolfo (partner of Otte & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Minerva Aerated Water Company.
Moller, Herman (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Orenstein & Koppel.
Otte & Company, Bahia de Caráquez.
Otte, Carlos, & Company, Manta.
Patrel, J., & Hermanos, Bahia de Caráquez.
Patrel, Juan (partner of J. Patrel & Hermanos), Bahia de Caráquez.
Patrel, Luis (partner of J. Patrel & Hermanos), Bahia de Caráquez.
Poppe, Adolfo, Guayaquil.
Ramadan (partner of Maydoub & Ramadan), Quito and Guayaquil.
Rickert, Carlos (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Rickert, Edward (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Rickert, Enrique (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Rickert & Company, Guayaquil.
Rischanek, Max (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Ruperti, Emilio, Jipijapa.
Schnabel, A. (partner of Flemming & Schnabel), Bahia de Caráquez.
Tagua, Handels Gesellschaft, M. B. H., All branches.
Tresselt, W. (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Bahia de Caráquez Branch).
Urban, Gustavo, (partner of Carlos Luders), Guayaquil.
Voelcker, Carlos, Manta and Bahia de Caráquez.
Yauch, Theodore (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Esmeraldas Branch).
Zohrer, Adolfo, Guayaquil.

* NOTE.—The name of the firm with which trading is prohibited by the Order of the 18th July, 1916, is Cassinelli & Company, Guayaquil. The firm of Cassinelli Hermanos by Compañia of Malecón 1811, 1812 & 1813, Guayaquil, has not been placed on the Statutory List, and trading with that firm is not prohibited.

PARAGUAY.

Staudt & Company.
Stofen, Schnack, Müller & Company, Asuncion.

PERU.

Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Arco, José Elisés (of Emmel Hermanos), Arequipa.
Banco Aleman Transatlantico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Bast, Rodolfo, Piura.
Brahm & Company, Carrera 458, Lima.
Casa Grande Zuckerplantagen Actien Gesellschaft, Trujillo.
Dauelsberg & Company, Mollendo.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Dolmann & Einfeldt, Lima.
Dunkelberg, F., Lima.
Emmel, Fernando, Arequipa.
Emmel Hermanos, Arequipa, Cuzco.
Freundt & Quistorf, Espaderos 586, 587 and 594, Lima.
Garcia, Antenor & Company, Paita.
Gildemeister & Company, Apartado 388, Lima; and Trujillo.
Gildemeister, Enrique (of Gildemeister & Company).
Gildemeister, Siegfried (of Gildemeister & Company), Trujillo and Lima.
Gulda, F., & Company, Lima.
Hardt, Engelbert, & Company.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Hassler & Michaelson, Trujillo.
Herklotz, A., Lima.
Hilbck, F., & Company, Piura.
Hilbck, Kuntze & Company, Cajamarca, Chiclayo and Pacasmayo.
Hilman (partner of Gulda and Company), Lima.

Justus, W. (partner of Brahm & Company), Casilla 89, Lima.
Klinge, F., & Company, Lima.
Knell, H., Callao.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").
Leon, Felix, Pacasmayo.
Ludoweig, C., & Company, Ucayali 300, Lima.
Muelle & Dammert, Callao.
Oeschsle, A. F, Lima.
Ott, Ph., & Company, Lima.
Pallete, A. A., Pacasmayo.
Raygada, R. Y.. Paita.
Schaefer, Carlos, Piura.
Schroeder, C. M., & Company, Lima.
Sociedad Industrial Infantas Limited, Lima.
Sociédad Tubos Mannesmann Limitada, Lima.
Soto, Bernadi, Iquitos.
Strassberger, E., & Company, Iquitos.
Trittau, George, Lima.
Umlauff, F., Lima.
Weiss, Carlos, & Company, San Pedro 111, Lima; and Callao.
Welsch, G., & Company, Esquina de Mercaderes 493, Lima.
Wiebe, F.. & Company, Salaverry and Trujillo.
Wiebe, S. (partner of F. Wiebe & Company), Salaverry and Trujillo.

PORTO RICO.

Barba, Vicente.
Stubbe, (of Gandia & Stubbe), San Juan

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Bauer, Philipp & Company, 68, Broad Street, New York City.
Beer, Sondheimer & Company, New York.
Blumenthal, Simon, R., (of Zimmerman and Forshay).
Botzow, Herman (of O. C. Kanzow & Company).
Brasch & Rothenstein, Inc., 32, Broadway, New York.
Bunge, Mauricio, (of Maclaren & Gentles, Inc.).
Burin, Alf., (of Brasch & Rothenstein, Inc.).
Carlowitz & Company, 82, Beaver Street, and 35, West Houston Street, New York.
Cullen, Charles, Ocala, Florida.
Czech, Armin, (of International Import & Export Company).
Dietzgen, Eugene, Company, 166, W. Monroe Street, Chicago; and 218, E. 23rd Street, New York.
Erlanger, E. H., 60, Wall Street, New York.
Falk, Carlos, (of Maclaren & Gentles, Inc.).
Goldschmidt Chemical Company, 60, Wall Street, New York.
Goldschmidt Detinning Company, 60, Wall Street, New York.
Goldschmidt Thermit Company, 90. West Street, New York.
Grubnau, Carl, & Son, 14, Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.; 74, Wall Street, New York; and Boston, Mass.
Gubelman, Oscar L., (of Knauth, Nachod & Kühne).
Hardy, Charles, 50, Church Street, New York.
Hasenclever & Company, 24, State Street, New York.
Hasenclever, Joh. Bernhardt, & Soehne, 21 State Street, New York.
Hauser, Morgan H. (of Zimmerman & Forshay).
Hirsch, Alfredo (of Maclaren & Gentles, Inc.).
Hirschland, Franz H. (of Goldschmidt Thermit Company).
Howe, Robert W. (of Brasch & Rothenstein, Inc.).
Humburg, William E., 25, Beaver Street, New York.
International Hide & Skin Company, 59, Frankfort Street, New York.
International Import & Export Company, 136, South Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Isaacs, J. (of John Simon & Brothers).
Jaffe, Max, 15, William Street, New York.
Kahl, J. A., 82, Beaver Street, New York.
Kanzow, O. C., & Company, 11, Broadway, New York.
Kanzow, Otto C. (of O. C. Kanzow & Company).
Kempner, H., Cotton Exchange, Galveston, Texas.

Knauth, Nachod & Kuhne, 15, William Street, New York.
Knauth, Mary I. (of Knauth, Nachod & Kühne).
Knauth, Wilhelm (of Knauth, Nachod & Kühne).
Maclaren & Gentles, Inc., 222, Produce Exchange, New York.
McNear, George W., Inc., Insurance Exchange Building, 433, California Street, San Francisco, California.
Magenheimer, A., 68, Broad Street, New York.
Maier, Marx, 200, Fifth Avenue, New York.
Merchants Colonial Corporation, 45, William Street, New York.
Muller, Carl (of Muller, Schall, & Company).
Muller, Ernest (of Schuchardt & Schutte).
Muller, Schall & Company, 45, William Street, New York.
Muller-Schall, Frederick (of Muller, Schall & Company).
Nachod, Maris, 15, William Street, New York.
National Zinc Company, 2, Stone Street, New York.
Neumond, K. & E., 25, Broad Street, New York.
Newton, Rollin C., 15, William Street, New York.
Norfolk Refining & Smelting Company, Virginia.
Orenstein & Koppel, Pennsylvania.
Pavenstedt, Edmund (of Muller, Schall & Company).
Perutz, Leopold, 17, Battery Place, New York.
Petroleum Products Company of California, Inc., San Francisco, California.
Rees, Louis J. (of Zimmerman & Forshay).
Reuter Broeckelman & Company, 59, Pearl Street, New York.
Richter, Alfred (of Reuter Broeckelman & Company).
Roessler & Hasselacher Chemical Company, 100, William Street, and 14, Jay Street, New York.
Rubber & Guayule Agency Inc., 108, Walter Street, New York.
Rushmore, Townsend 82, Beaver Street, New York.
Schall, William, Junior (of Muller, Schall & Company).
Schenker & Company, 17, Battery Place, New York.
Schloetelborg, G. F., 318, Globe Buildings, Seattle, Washington.
Schmidt, Paul (of Rubber & Guayule Agency Inc.).
Schuchardt & Schutte, 90, West Street, New York.
Schütte, Bünemann & Company, 15, William Street, New York.
Scully, John S. (of Zimmerman & Forshay).
Siemssen & Company, 82, Beaver Street, New York.
Simon, John, & Brothers, Cotton Exchange Building, 15 William Street, New York.
Sonneborn, L., Sons Inc, 262, Pearl Street, and 206, Water Street, New York.
Southern Products Trading Company, Cotton Exchange Building, 15, William Street, New York.
Stegemann, Edward, Junior (of Brasch & Rothenstein Inc.).
Superior Export Company Inc., 90, West Street, New York.
Texas Export & Import Company, Galveston.
Ulrich, Ernst, 15, William Street, New York.
Weber, Edward (of Rubber & Guayule Agency Inc.).
Wehrenberg, Otto (of Philipp Bauer & Company).
Weingardt, Arend H., 15, William Street and 120, Broadway, New York.
Zimmerman & Forshay, 9 Wall Street, New York.
Zimmerman, Leopold (of Zimmerman & Forshay).

VENEZUELA.

Afanador, J., & Company, Ciudad Bolivar.
Afanador, Doctor J. E. Sanchez, Ciudad Bolivar.
Añez, Julio A., & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Becker, George, Caracas.
Beckmann & Company, Maracaibo.
Behrens, Adolfo, (Partner of Blohm & Company).
Blohm & Company, Ciudad Bolivar; Caracas; La Guayra; Puerto Cabello; Valencia; Barquisimeto and Maracaibo.
Breuer, Möller & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Christern, Zingg & Company, Maracaibo.
Diaz, Alfred, La Guayra.
Dissel, (van), Rode & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.

Gathmann Hermanos, Caracas.
Henriquez, Daniel, Maracaibo.
Herrenbruck, E., Maracaibo.
Hess, Carlos, Caracas.
Kehrhahn, Adolf, & Company, Maracaibo.
Mestern & Company, Puerto Cabello.
Otamonda & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Pineda, Joviniano, Maracaibo.
Rayhrer & Firnhaber, Maracaibo.
Rincon, Angel Renato, Maracaibo.
Rodriguez, Luis, M., Ciudad Bolivar.
Rossi, Jesus Belloso, Maracaibo.
Schnell, (Partner of Blohm & Company).
Schreier, (Partner of Blohm & Company).
Steinvorth & Company, Maracaibo.
Vasquez, Tomas Rodriguez, Puerto Cabello.
Wenzel, Gmo., & Company, Ciudad Bolivar and Caracas.

ASIA.

JAPAN.

Aachen & Munich Fire Insurance Company, c/o Simon Evers, 25 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 100 Yedomachi, Kobe.
Accumulatoren Fabrik Aktien Gesellschaft, 32B Tsukiji, Tokyo.
Ahrens, H. & Company, Nachf, 29 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 10 Bund, Kobe.
Akino Genziro, 154, Yokohama.
Akino Kunizo, 154, Yokohama.
Bayer, F., & Company, 183, Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 47 Akashimachi, Kobe.
Becker & Company, 89B Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 31A Akashimachi, Kobe; and 14 Hamacho, Nichome, Nihonbashi, Tokyo.
Benicke, F., Nachf, 4, Honkawaya-cho, Nihonbashi-ku, Tokyo; 81 Kyo-Machi, Kobe.
Berg, Werner, 4 Shichome Nakayamatedori, Kobe.
Bergmann & Company, 154 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; and 40 Akashimachi, Kobe.
Bleifus, F. R., 92 Yamashitacho, Yokohama.
Boeddinghaus, C. E., 4 Deshima, Nagasaki.
Bohler Keitei Goshi Kaisha, Nakanoshima, Osaka; 3 Uchisaiwaicho, Tokyo.
Borkowsky, O., 169 Sannomiyacho, Itchome, Kobe.
Bretschneider & Company, 160A Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Carlowitz & Company, 124 Higashi-machi, Kobe; 11 Isogami-Dori, 5 Nichome, Kobe.
Cassella Senryo Kaisha, Murai Building, Ninonbashi-ku, Tokyo, and 31A Akashi-machi, Kobe.
China Export, Import and Bank Company, Kobe and Yokohama.
Chu Sheang Dong, Chemulpo, Korea.
Club Concordia, 117 Itomachi, Kobe.
Club Germania, 235 Yokohama.
Delacamp & Company, 121 Higashi-machi, Kobe.
Delacamp Piper & Company, 202 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 70 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Deutsche Apotheke (Kote Dispensary), 16 Narima-Machi, Kobe.
Deutsch-Asiatische Bank, 180A Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 25 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Doi, Nagashi, Minami Rokuchome 122, Aoyama, Tokyo.
Fachtmann & Company, R., 15 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Feicke & Company, J., 80 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Fischer, R. E., Kobe.
Gartner-Gebruder, Otaru, Hokkaido.
Geiser & Gilbert, Limited, Surugadaishita, Tokyo.
Gutmann, E., Yayesucho, Itchome, Tokyo.
Harada Kakujiro, Kobe
Hattori, Y., Benton-Dori, Yokohama.

Hirschfeld, G. C., 43, Sannomiya-cho, Kobe.
Hoffman, F., Kobe.
Ichikawa, Kiyoshi, 14, Nichome, Iidawach, Kojimachi-ku, Tokyo.
Ikeda Tokuzo, 12, Kaigandori, Kobe.
Illies, C., & Company, 54, Yamashita-cho, Yokohama ; 12 Bund, Kobe ; 15, Tsukiji, Tokyo ; 40, Kitahama, Sanchome ; Osaka & Moji.
Imada Takehiro, 39, Akashimachi, Kobe.
Jantzen, F., Kobe.
Japan Herald, P. O. Box 279, Yokohama.
Kalle & Company, Kobe.
Kato Shoten, 91 Kitamachi, Kobe.
Kenshin Yoko, 211, Yokohama.
Kobe Dispensary (Deutsche Apotheke), 16 Harima-Machi Kobe.
Konishi Kikujiro, 54 Yokohama.
Langfeldt & Company, 73 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Lessner, S. D., 25 Nakamachi, Kobe : 6 Megasaki, Nagasaki.
Levedag, E., 4 Yurakucho, Sanchome, Tokyo.
Leybold, Shokwan, L., 26 Himonocho Nihonbashi-ku, Tokyo ; 29 Nishi Hommachi, Moji.
Liesecke, J., 80 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Meier & Company, A., 25 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama ; 68 Kyomochi, Kobe.
Munster, B., 23 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Nakamura Yushutsuten, 169 Sannomiya-cho, Itchome, Kobe.
Nigo Shoten, 154, Yokohama.
Normal Dispensary, 77D Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Oestmann & Company, A., 196 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama, 47, Kobe.
Oldenburg, E., 49 Harimamachi, Kobe.
Pieper & Thomas, 202 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama ; and 24 Teppo-cho, Nihonbashi, Tokyo.
Pietzkar, W., 45 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama ; 17 Maye machi, Kobe.
Ramseger & Company, 17 Mayemachi, Kobe.
Raspe & Company, M., 91 Kitamachi, Kobe ; 18A Tsukiji, Tokyo.
Ratjen, Rud, 122 Aoyama Minamimachi Rokuchome, Tokyo.
Reimers, Otto & Company, 198 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Retz, F., 214 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Retz, F., & Company, 214 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Ritter, W., P. O. Box 234, Yokohama.
Rohde & Company, Carl (Japan Export Company), 70A Yamashita-cho, Yokohama ; 104 Yedo-machi, Kobe.
Romisch, Leo, 33 Tsukiji, Tokyo.
Sasga Shokai, Giuza, Tokyo.
Sawada & Company, 40, Akashimachi, Kobe.
Schmidt, Scharff & Company, R., 52 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Schmidt Shoten, 1 Yayesucho, Itchome, Kojimachi, Tokyo.
Schramm & Company, Paul, 21, Yurakucho, Itchome, Kojimachi, Tokyo and Ono Hamabedori, Kobe.
Schuchardt & Schutte, 1 Yurakucho, Itchome, Kojimachi-ku, Tokyo.
Siemens Schückert Denki Kabushiki Kaisha, 65, Bojima Hamadori, Osaka ; 48 Akashicho Tsukiji, Tokyo ; 130 Tsutsui-cho, Kobe and Moji.
Simon Evers & Company, 25, Yamashita-cho, Yokohama ; 101 Yedomachi, Kobe.
Sugimoto Boyeki Gomei Kaisha, 160A Yokohama.
Takashiro Arazo, Isagamidori, Kobe.
Tanigawa Masajiro, 12 Kaigandori, Kobe.
Terauchi Shohai, 40 Akashimachi, Kobe.
Ukita Yasumasa, 70 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Van Nierop's, Ed. L., Japan Trading Company 39 Akashimachi, Kobe ; and 153 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Vohling & Company, 92 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Vogt, Dr. Carl, 67 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Weinberger & Company, C., 46 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama ; 76B Kyomachi, Kobe.
Wilckens, A., 45 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Winckler & Company, 256 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama ; 100 Yedomachi, Kobe ; 2 Minami Konyamachi, Tokyo ; and 9 Shumokumachi Sanchome Nagoya.
Wolf, Hans, 81 Nakamachi, Kobe.
Wolter, Carl & Company, Honmachi, Chemulpo, Korea.

Wong Ching Hung, Chemulpo, Korea.
Zeiss, Carl 33 Tsukiji, Tokyo.

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Adler Warenhuis (Moritz Adler), Sourabaya.
Assahan Syndicat Gesellschaft, Medan and Palembang.
Auerbach, H., Oxe & Company, Sourabaya.
Barmer Export Gesellschaft, Batavia.
"Bataviaasch Handelsbad," Batavia.
Behn Meyer, H. M., & Company, Batavia and Sourabaya.
Biedermann & Company, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Birnbaum. S. & W., Kali Bisar West, Batavia.
Borneo Import & Export Company, Dutch Borneo and Batavia.
Braunschweigsche Maschinenbauanstalt, Sourabaya.
Breitfeld, Danek & Company, Sourabaya.
Cultuur Maatschappy Montaja, Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy Pasoemah, Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy Plaboean Ratoe, Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy Silau Doenia, Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy "Soekabiroes."
Cultuur Maatschappy "Soengei Langka," Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy Tji-Karang.
Cultuur Maatschappy "Tjikopo-Zuid."
Cultuur Maatschappy Wangoen Wattie.
Diehn, August, Medan and Palembang, Sumatra; and Java.
Eckstein, P., Medan and Palembang.
Ehrlich, S., Medan and Palembang.
Elten, Van, Medan.
Erdmann & Sielcken, Samarang, Batavia, and Sourabaya.
Export Maatschappy Austria, Bandoeng.
Filamont, Engelen & Company, Menado and Celebes.
Forsyth, Douglas, Batavia.
Giesbers & Rosenkrantz, Sourabaya.
Goldenberg & Company, Medan and Palembang.
Gummi Fabriek Harburg-Wien, Sourabaya.
Gumprich & Strauss, Batavia.
Guntzel & Schumacher Handelsmaatschappy, Medan, Palembang and Sumatra.
Hallermann, J., Medan and Palembang.
Hallesche Machinenfabriek, Sourabaya.
Handel Maatschappy A. F. Van Den Berg and Company, Batavia.
Handel Maatschappy Paré Paré, Macassar.
Harland Kantoor, Batavia.
Hennemann, R., & Company, Dutch Borneo; Batavia and Siboga.
Herrmann, C. H., Batoe Toelis 2, Batavia.
Hilckes, E. A., Bandjermasin.
Hinloopen, W., Tandjong Balei, Asahan, Sumatra.
Hinlopen, K., & Company, Sourabaya.
Horak, F.
Import Maatschappy Zikel & Company, Samarang and Bandoeng.
Jongeneel, Medan.
Katz, S., & Company, Medan and Palembang.
Kehding, F., Medan and Palembang.
Keil, K. E., Buitenzorg.
Kina Cultuur Maatschappy.
Kölner Handelsgesellschaft, Sourabaya.
Koning, Carel A., & Company, Medan.
Koppel, Arthur, Sourabaya.
Ledeboer, W. B., & Company, Macassar, Menado, and Gorontalo.
Leezenberg, P., Medan.
Liebenschütz & Company, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Lind, J. A., Handelsvereeniging, Medan and Palembang.
Look, H., Hulkenbachstrasse 43. Medan.
Luppe, Th., & Company, Bandoeng.
Maatschappy Limbangan Industrie, Batavia.
Maatschappy Tot Exploitatie Van Het Land Semplak, Batavia.
Machine en Rijwielfabriek Tropical, Samarang.

Mohrmann & Company, (Handels Vereeniging Voorheen J. Mohrmann), Macassar and Celebes.
Naessens & Company, Sourabaya and Medan.
Neumann & Company, Batavia.
Oei Boen Soei.
Ong Eng Tee, Medan.
Ong Seng Kwie, Batavia.
Orenstein & Koppel, Sourabaya.
Ott, E., Medan and Palembang.
Pang Kie Ngan, Batavia.
Plantagen Gesellschaft Boenisari, Batavia.
Plantagen Gesellschaft Neglasari, Bandoeng.
Plantagen Gesellschaft Tjiganitri, Batavia.
Prottel & Company, Sourabaya.
Reichler & Company, Medan and Palembang.
Schaap, F. L., Samarang.
Schild, J., Padang, Sumatra.
Schliepar, Carl, and Company, Samarang
Siemens & Halske, Allgemeine Gesellschaft, Sourabaya.
Siemens Schückert Werke, Sourabaya.
Societé, Coloniale Indo-Belge, Batavia.
Sourabaya Oliefabriek, Sourabaya.
Spier, F. C., Sourabaya.
Straits und Sunda Syndikat, Batavia.
Tan Soen Tjiang, Macassar.
Technische Bureau Altmann, Bandoeng.
Technische Bureau Behn Meyer & Company, Sourabaya.
Technische Bureau Sunda, Bandoeng.
Thee-Plantagen Gesellschaft Tjiémas, Bandoeng
Valk, G. H., Macassar.
Vankhee, Macassar; Menado and Gorontalo.
Vlielander Hein & Company, Batavia.
Wirbatz, Otto (or Wirbatz & Company), Sourabaya.
Wolf & Petschek, Sourabaya and Samarang.

PERSIA.

Abdul Rahim Arab.
Abramiantz & Company, Lalezar, Tehran.
Agha Muhammad Yusuf Khabbez Beglaroff, Kazvin.
Agha Muhammad Ismail Isfahani, Meshed.
Bane, Tehran.
Bonati (Schwerin), Tehran.
Carnik Khan Dalguidjan, Tehran.
Eger Brothers, Meshed.
Farbwerke Vorm, Meister Lucius & Brunig, Ispahan.
Fars Company, Shiraz.
Haim, Ezra, Hamadan.
Haji Abbas Arab, Ispahan.
Haji Ahmedagha Teheranji, Tehran.
Haji Amin, Ispahan.
Haji Amin-ut-Tujjar Brothers, Ispahan.
Haji Gholem Ali, & Haji Mohamed Bagher Behbehani & Sons, Bushire.
Haji Goulam Hussein, Sons of, Resht.
Haji Mihammed Ibrahim (Malik-ut-Tujjar), Ispahan.
Haji Mohamed Ibrahim, Tehran.
Haji Muhammad Hussain Kazeruni, Ispahan. (Trading as Shirkat Masoodich and Shirket Islamieh.)
Haji Muhammad Reza, Ispahan.
Haji Muhammad Ibrahim Tehrani Sakkon, Tehran.
Haji Muhammad Welinkani, Kerman.
Haji Saleh Arab, Successors of, viz.—Haji Amin, Haji Mohammed Reza and Zafar, Ispahan.
Hanemoglou, Resht.
Herold, M., Meshed.
Hoffman, Meshed.
Ismaloff, (Georges & Jean), Kazvin.

Lascarides Frères, Resht.
Maison Hollandaise (Prins, C. F.), Tehran.
Malik-ut-Tujjar (Haji Muhammed Ibrahim), Ispahan.
Meshedi Ismail Salmasi, Kerman.
Meshedi Goulam Ali, Resht.
Minassiantz, A. Tehran.
Muhammad Mehdi Samsar Isfaman.
Muhammad Saleh, Resht.
Mustafa Husseini, Tehran.
Papadopoulo, Hariles, Resht.
Pascalidi Frères, Resht.
Persische Teppiche A/G., Ispahan.
Prins, C. F. (Maison Hollandaise), Tehran.
Pugin.
Roever, Wilhelm, Shiraz.
Sadie Afshar, Yezd.
Safa & Company, Limited, Bushire.
Sorushian Kerman.
Seskiel Nawi, Tehran.
Shebarek, Georges, Tehran.
Société du Tombac, Ispahan.
Tehallis, Demetri, Resht.
Tehallis, Leandros, Resht.
Tehallis, Sotiri, Resht.
Wassmuss.
Wonckhaus & Company, Bushire.
Yavash Ochli, Resht.
Zafar, Ispahan.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Arend, A. Von, Manila.
Asinga Company, Limited.
Asuncion, Roman, Manila.
Basilan Plantation Company, Zamboanga.
Behn Meyer & Company, Limited, Manila.
Botica Boie, Manila.
Cooper Company. P. O. Box 189, Manila.
Determann, A. (of Manila Commercial Company), Manila.
Duft, Charles, G., Manila.
El Siglo, Manila.
Fressel & Company, Manila
Froehlich & Kuttner, Iloilo.
Fua Matas Company, Manila.
Germann & Company, Manila.
Gmür, Otto & Company, Manila.
Hashim, N. T., & Company, Manila.
La Perla Del Oriente (Oriente Cigar Factory), P. O. Box 430, Manila.
La Prueba Cigar Factory, P. O. Box 856, and Gunao 4, Manila.
Lo Yebana Cigar Factory, Manila.
Lampe, O. (of E. A. and Otto Weber), Manila.
Landahl, J., (of Secker & Company), Manila.
Lohmann, J. (of E. A. and Otto Weber), Tuguegarao.
Los Helios, Manila.
Maack, A., (of Manila Commercial Company), Manila.
Manila Commercial Company, P. O. Box 442, Manila.
Manila Drug Company, Manila.
Manila Import Company, Basmarina, 107, Manila.
Meller, P., (of Manila Commercial Company), Manila.
Menzi, J. M., Manila.
Merlo, Timeteo.
Muller, Heinrich, Manila.
Nagel. P., (of Juan Seiboth & Company), Manila.
Oriente Cigar Factory, (La Perla del Oriente) P. O. Box 430, Manila.
Richter, Adolpho & Company.
Roensch, Alfred, & Company.
Rosello, B., Manila.
Santos & Jahrling, Botica de Santa Cruz, Manila.

Schmidt & Ziegler, David 64, Manila.
Schubert, R.
Schulz & Company, Manila.
Secker & Company (Secker's Store), Manila.
Seiboth, Juan, & Company, Limited, Manila.
Siegart Siebrand, Manila.
Stahl & Rumcker, Manila.
Strohecker, P., Manila.
Struckmann & Company, S. Vincenta 65, Manila.
Velhagen, (of Oriente Cigar Factory), Manila.
Vellguth, Rudolf, Manila.
Viegelmann & Company, Manila.
Weber, E. A. and Otto, Cagayan, Manila and Tuguegarao.

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Atlantisk Handelsselskab (Atlantic Trading Company), Vestre Boulevard 9, Copenhagen.
Beldring and Company, Vodroffsplads 2, and Vestre Boulevard 17, Copenhagen.
Biel, G., Tordenskjoldgade 22, Copenhagen.
Bohm, J. M., Stettin Spedition (Manager, Aage Larsen), Ny. Toldbodgade 37, Copenhagen.
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Brennabor-Werke, (Gebr. Reichstein), Tordenskjoldsg 3, and Christian IX's Gade 3-5, Copenhagen.
Brix-Hansen & Company, Amaliegade 36, Copenhagen.
Carstensen, Ph., Frederiksholm Kanal 4, Copenhagen.
Continental Caoutchouc & Guttapercha Company, Amaliegade 28, Copenhagen.
Copenhagen Coal & Coke Company (Kjobenhavns Kul and Koks Kompagni A/S.), Islands Brygge 22, Copenhagen.
Costa & Ribeiro, Copenhagen.
Dansk Russisk Handelsselskab, Skt. Marcus Sideallé 2, Copenhagen.
General Import and Export Company, Mikkel Bryggersgade 18 (formerly of Frederiksholm Kanal 4), Copenhagen.
Goldstück Hainze & Company, S. Annæpl. 16, Copenhagen
Grauballe, Christian, Frederiksberggade 32, and Bredgade 45, Copenhagen.
Henriques, R., Jr., Højbroplads 9, Copenhagen.
Hommel, Valdemar, Hestemollestraede 6, Copenhagen.
Jensen, Albert, Islands Brygge 22, Copenhagen.
Jensen & Fode, Ny. Vestergade 7, Copenhagen.
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Kraeft, Walter, Norregade 7, Copenhagen,
Nordisk Kommissions Kompagni, Radaustraede 11, Copenhagen.
Petersen, P. Carl, Kolmens Kanal 9, Copenhagen.
Rassmussen, Alf., and Company, Martinsv. 9; Vestre Boulevard 9, Copenhagen.
Rothapfel, Max, Ostbanegaarden 19, Copenhagen.
Sachs, Ignace, Palads Hotel, Copenhagen.
Scandinavian British Syndicate, Islands Brygge 21, and Holmens Kanal 5, Copenhagen.
Schaltz, K. A., Frederiksholm Kanal 4, Copenhagen.
Seelk, Alfred, Strandv. 118, Vimmelskaftet 42, and Borsen, Copenhagen.
Skandinavisk Produkt Import Company, Skindergade 31, Copenhagen.
Winkel & Wondt, Borsen 7, Copenhagen.

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Antovitch, Pierre, Chios.
Assael, Peppo, Allatini Han, Salonika.
Barouh, Solomon & Levi, Volo.
Baumann, Angelo (of Baumann & Beckmann), Athens.
Baumann, Hermann, Rue Osakaloff 31, Athens.
Baumann & Beckmann, Pl. Dimokratirion, Athens.
Beck, Karl, 13 Rue de l'Université, Athens.
Bensussan, N., Piræus.
Bloch, Eugene, Piræus.
Brazzafoli, Domenico, Syra.
Callimasiotis, Dimitrios, Piræus.
Damalas, Pavlos (Paul), Piræus.
Damas, Constantine, Calamata.
Daniolos Frères, Andros.
Defner & Edelmann, Athens.
Dimitrelias, John, Vathy, Samos.
Fels & Company, Corfu.
Frandzis, P., & Fiorentino, G., Vathy, Samos.
Galanis & Goldstein & Hadjiandreou, Samos.
Goldstein, Albert, Samos.
Gottlich, Martin, Candia.
Gromann, George, Athens.
Hampartchoumian, Aram, Athens.
Hamparzum, Aram (Aram Hampartchoumian), Athens.
Harr, Gustave, St. Theodore Square, Athens.
Heidmann, Hans, Salonika.
Hoffmann, Alfred, Piræus.
Jenny & Vock (Fridolin Jenny; Emil Vock), Rua Franque, Salonika.
Kloebe, Karl, & Company, Athens.
Kloebe, Friedrich (of Karl Kloebe & Company), Athens.
Kloebe, Karl (of Karl Kloebe & Company), Athens.
Koeing, I. & H., & Company, Athens.
Kouremetis, Michael, Athens and Calymnos.
Kouremetis, Pandelis, Athens and Calymnos.
Kruger, Max., Canea.
Kruger, Richard, G., Canea.
Lianos, C., Frères, Piræus.
Lianos, Soulakas & Goumas, Piræus.
Lochner, Hermann, Patras.
Lochner, Max, Patras.
Lucas & Company, Patras.
Mehmed Baldji Frères, Aelion Han, Salonika.
Michælides & Milch, Panghion Hotel, Athens and Piræus.
Moretti, Louis, Zanto.
Müller, Carl Ferdinand, Rue Apollo 37, Athens.
Muller, Karl, Patras.
Ornstein, Dr. Otto, Chios.
Palaiologos, George, Patras.
Pfister & Assael (Rudolph Von Pfister & Peppo Assael), Allatini Han, Salonika.
Procopiou, Patras.
Rossini, Alexander (*alias* Rosalini), Odos Vasilissa Olga 162A, Salonika and Porto Lagos.
Schachtel & Jacobson, Salonika.
Scheffel, Helmuth, Volo.
Schenker & Company, Salonika.
Schewend, August, Candia, Crete.
Seefelder & Company (Hans & Michel), Salonika.
Stoltenhof & Lucas, Patras.
Stringos, George, Piræus.
Tiring, Victor, & Frères, Salonika.
Wein, Jacob, Canea.
Yeni, Samuel Judah, Salonika.
Zachariou, Alexandre, & Company (Alexandre Zachariou & Athanasios, Papatheodorou), 54 Stadium Street, Athens.
Zahn, Henry, Calamata.

ICELAND AND FÄROE ISLANDS.

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Krossanes Oil and Guano Factory, Krossanes, Iceland.
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American Importing Company, (M. Kattenburg), Keizersgracht 197, Amsterdam.
Anthraciet Handelsvereeniging, Boompjes 70, Rotterdam.
Asteroth, Friedr., Maaskade 132. Rotterdam.
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Birnbaum, S. & W., Singel 160, Amsterdam.
Böcker, L., & Company, Postbus, 78 ; Boompjes 30A, Rotterdam.
Borner, G. A. A., Nicolas Witsenkade 30, Amsterdam.
Bosnak, Herman, Frans van Mierisstraat 31, Amsterdam.
Bosnak, Michel, Nieuwe Heerengracht 151, Amsterdam.
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Brasch & Rothenstein, Heerengr. 320, Amsterdam ; Boompjes 40A, Rotterdam and Flushing.
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Cohen-Goldschmidt, Oldenzaal.
Cohn, Gustav. (Holland & America Import & Export Company), Het Witte Huis, Rotterdam.
Continental Caoutchouc & Gutta Percha Company, Prinsengracht 1077, Amsterdam.
Dam, C. W. H. van, & Company, Rivierstr. 7A, Rotterdam.
Deventer Glas Maatschappy, voorheen J. Pouwels Coelingh (N. V.), Deventer.
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Elster & Company, Nijverheidsstraat 3, Rotterdam.
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Fischer, A., Amsterdam.
Fischer, Bernard, Amsterdam.
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Goldstück-Hainze & Company, Keizersgr. 58, Amsterdam; and Scheepmakershaven 27, Rotterdam.
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Hanno, Heinrich, Nieuwland 4, Rotterdam.
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Holland & America Import & Export Company, (Gustav Cohn), H. Witte Huis, Rotterdam.
"Hollandia" Export Company, Wijnstraat 70, and Gedempte Binnerrotte 155, Rotterdam.
Ingenohl, C., Witte Huis, Wijnhavn 3, Rotterdam.
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König, H. W., & Company, Paul Krugerstraat 8, Rotterdam.
Koning, Carel A., & Company, Keizersgracht 209, Amsterdam.
Krom & Company, Keizersgracht 405, Amsterdam.
Kruthoffer & Doll, Veerkade 8, Rotterdam.
Kupsch & Abas, 2E, Kostverlorenkade 23-24, Amsterdam.
Lamm Brothers, Weteringschans 84, Amsterdam.
Lange's, A. W. de, Thee Handel N. V., Wijnstraat 113, Rotterdam.
Leeuw, Simeon de, & Company, Kloveniersburgwal 72, Amsterdam.
Lichtenstein, M., Leuvehaven 34b, Rotterdam.
Lichtle, F. J., Sarphatipark 68, Amsterdam.
London, S. N., Damrak 28-30, Amsterdam.
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Mayer & Company, Westerstraat 38b, Rotterdam.
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Mohrmann, J., & Company, Handels Vereeniging voorheen, Keizersgr. 203, Amsterdam.
Molenberg & Dekker, Stationsstr. 53, Zaandam.
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"Monopol" Gasgloeilichtfabriek, Prinsengracht 487, Amsterdam.
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Andersson & Linberg (A/B), Stora Badhusgatan 6, Gothenburg.
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Apoteket Kronan, Korsgaten 3, Gothenburg.
Appelbom, Nils (of P. L. Engstam (A/B), Drottningg. 81, Stockholm.
Arvum (A/B), V. Hamng. 14, Gothenburg.
Bagges Import Agentur, Ö., Hamngt. 50B, Gothenburg.
Beijers, John, Skofabrik (A/B), Flemminggåtan 59, and Kronobergsg. 9, Stockholm.
Berg, Victor Malmtorgsg. 5, Stockholm.
Bergmann & Company, Birgerjarlsgaten 15, Stockholm.
Bexelius, Henrik, G., la Kungsholmsbrog. 27, and Valling 42, Stockholm.
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Brattström, Johann. Kungsholms Hamnplan 7, Stockholm.
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Daumichen, Max, Stockholm.
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Engeström & Jaeppelt, Per Veijersg 3, Malmö; and Gothenburg.
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Gleitsman, E. T., Trälleborg.
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Hammar, John, & Company, Wahrendorffsg. 6, (formerly of Vasagatan 6), Stockholm.
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Hansson, Elof, Packhuspl. 2, Gothenburg: and Stockholm.
Harbeck, Doctor Ernst, Partille, Gothenburg.
Harmsen, Wilhem. (A/B), Vasag 15-17, Stockholm.
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Kürzel, Fr., Frederiksborg, Malmö.
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EMIGRATION.

RESOLUTION.

Delhi, the 15th November 1916.

THE following paper is published for the information of those interested in the subject :—

Despatch from the Government of India to His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 41 (Emigration), dated the 15th October 1915.

We have the honour to address you regarding the present system under which Indian labourers are recruited for certain Crown colonies. It will be remembered that in the year 1910 the Committee over which Lord Sanderson presided submitted a report which contained certain criticisms and suggestions regarding the conditions under which the emigration of Indian labour to the colonies should be conducted; but the general trend of its conclusions was in favour of the continuance of the present method of indenture which was considered to be 'to the great benefit,' not only of the colonies, but equally of the main body of emigrants. It may be remarked incidentally that this Committee sat in London, and did not visit any of the colonies, though it examined a number of representative witnesses from each of them. The Committee's report contained a recommendation to the effect that officers of the Indian Government should visit each of the colonies employing indentured Indian labour at regular intervals, and report on the condition of the emigrants and on the measures which may be desirable to promote their welfare.

2. In pursuance of this recommendation, the Government of India deputed Mr. McNeill, I.C.S., and Mr. Chimman Lal, an Indian gentleman from the United Provinces, which is an important recruiting ground for colonial emigration, to visit the colonies concerned and submit a report on the conditions under which Indian labour was employed. The report was received by the Government of India in July 1914. These two gentlemen agreed with Lord Sanderson's Committee in their approval of the system. They considered that 'its advantages far outweighed its disadvantages,' and that 'the great majority of the emigrants exchanged grinding poverty with practically no hope of betterment for a condition varying from simple but secure comfort to solid prosperity.' They also made certain recommendations for the improvement of the system and for the elimination from it of certain undesirable features to which they drew attention.

3. Apart from these recommendations, there are certain significant facts and figures in the report, which have attracted the special attention of the Government of India, and have led them to consider carefully whether the economic benefits which, it has been claimed, are conferred on the Indian labourer by indentured emigration may not be outweighed by other and more serious drawbacks, and whether the popular feeling in this country, which has been setting more and more strongly against the practice of recruitment on indenture, is not after all based on solid as well as sentimental reasons. The colonies which at present receive Indian indentured labour are Trinidad, Demerara, Jamaica, Fiji and Dutch colony of Surinam. We do not propose to consider in any detail the arguments regarding emigration to the latter colony, for it is clear that, if our views regarding British colonies meet with your acceptance, it will be impossible for the Government of the Netherlands to demand the application of any different policy to Surinam. The varying degrees of dependence of the different colonies on imported Indian labour, and the history of the system under which it has been worked in the past in each case, are fully set forth in the report of Lord Sanderson's Committee; it is not necessary, therefore, to repeat these, nor do we desire to discuss

the housing, sanitary and medical arrangements that exist in the various colonies: it may be at once admitted that they are generally satisfactory and often excellent, while the weak spots are mostly capable of, or in process of, removal. It is rather to the social, administrative, and economic conditions under which Indian labour is employed that we desire to direct attention. We shall first discuss the death and suicide rates, the proportion of the sexes, the prosecutions for labour offences in the colonies, and the method of recruitment in India. We shall then consider the economic advantages of emigration from the Indian point of view. And finally, we shall explain the objections which Indian public opinion has raised against the continuance of the system.

4. *Death-rate.*—The statement below represents the death-rate in the colonies of indentured and, so far as figures are separately available, of unindentured Indian labour:—

Year.	Colony.	Population.		Death-rate per 1,000.		General Indian death-rate in colony.
		Indentured.	Unindentured.	Indentured.	Unindentured.	
1911 ...	Trinidad ...	9,627	15,873	18·2	...	9·8
1912 ...		10,982	14,199	17·9	...	...
1913 ...		12,747	13,306	15 5	...	...
1911-12	British Guiana	9,141	54,804	17·7	26·4	25·6
1912-13		9,453	57,442	12·1	19·1	18·9
1913-14		9,114	57,336	9·4	20·2	18·6
1911-12	Jamaica ...	2,910	...	30·9	...	...
1912-13		3,066	...	22·1	...	...
1913-14		4,047	...	23·0	...	...
1911 ...	Fiji ...	14,462	29,758	27·3	13·3	17·8
1912 ...		15,369	32,182	25·9	11·8	16·9
1913 ...		15,961	35,614	22·7	10·7	14·4

The above figures do not enable a contrast to be made in all cases between indentured and unindentured population. But the figures are particularly striking in Fiji. Here the death-rate has been decidedly high, considering that the island is free from malaria and that the majority of indentured coolies are adults in the prime of life selected after medical examination. The death-rate, however, shows signs of diminution which may be attributed to the improvement effected by the colony in sanitary and medical arrangements The death-rates for persons of all ages and for persons of 20-30 years of age, the age which most nearly corresponds to the average age of indentured immigrants, in the United Provinces and Madras, were as follows:—

Year.	Ages 20-30.				All ages and sexes.	
	United Provinces.		Madras.		United Provinces.	Madras.
	Per 1,000 men.	Per 1,000 women.	Per 1,000 men.	Per 1,000 women.	Per 1,000.	Per 1,000.
1910	20·43	21·66	11·5	11·9	38·67	24·7
1911	23·09	26·71	10·9	11·6	44·95	23·1

The average death-rates in 1914 in Madras and the United Provinces jails, where the inmates are cared for on somewhat similar principles but much more closely than in the colonies, were 11·83 and 11·9, respectively. Allowing for the fact that indentured emigrants are all medically examined before leaving India, and that the housing, sanitation and medical supervision of coolies in the colonies are far superior to anything available for the Indian village population, it is clear that the mortality among indentured

coolies is decidedly high, especially in Fiji, although more conscientious and sustained efforts are probably made in this colony for the medical care and sanitation of Indian labourers than anywhere else in the world.

5. As a special feature of the death-rate, the high number of suicides among indentured coolies has for long attracted attention. This subject is dealt with in considerable detail in Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report. We reproduce the figures below:—

Colony.	Average rate, for ten years ending 1912, of suicides per million of Indian population.	
	Free.	Indentured.
Trinidad	134	400
British Guiana	52	100
Jamaica	...	396
Dutch Guiana	49	91
Fiji	147	926
These figures may be compared with the figures given below for various parts of India:—		
Bombay City	75	
Bombay City (ages 20-30)	107	
Madras	45	
United Provinces	63	
India	51	

The average rate amongst the unindentured population is high: but that among the indentured is a most serious matter, and not the less so in that it is seen at its very worst in the colonies with the largest population basis of indentured labour. We may admit at once that a more careful record is probably maintained for indentured than for unindentured Indians. But the difference is too marked and the ratio too constant to admit of this being at all a complete explanation. We may admit also that the indentured population includes practically all the newcomers. But this again cannot explain such high figures. Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report abstains from drawing very definite conclusions as to the causes; among possible factors are home sickness, lack of freedom, the abnormal sex ratio, which will be discussed below in greater detail, and the unaccustomed surroundings.

6. *Proportion of the sexes.*—The coolies despatched from Calcutta in the year 1913 comprised 4,284 males and 1,845 females. The corresponding figures for 1912 were 5,960 and 2,569. From Madras 1,517 men and 605 women embarked in 1913 for Fiji and British Guiana. The proportion of sexes among the average Indian population of various colonies concerned was stated in the report presented to Parliament by the Colonial Office in March 1914 to be as under:—

Colony.	Adult males.	Adult females.	Remarks.
Trinidad, Tobago	31,989	17,159	These figures were compiled from the 1911 Census Reports of the various colonies.
British Guiana	53,083	34,799	
Jamaica	7,137	4,775	
Fiji	20,062	8,785	

This disproportion affects both indentured and unindentured labour, the latter of course to a much less extent.

7. The high suicide rate and the disproportionate sex ratio are not, it is true, evils peculiar to a system of indentured labour. At the same time, suicides are undoubtedly of far greater frequency among indentured colonial labourers than among the unindentured. The latter class is largely composed of persons who have passed the dangerous period of hopeless home-sickness, which is said to be one of the main causes of suicide. But it

is possible enough that the feeling of being bound to serve for a fixed period and on the same estate is often the last straw that turns the scale in the mind of a man who is already depressed by home-sickness, jealousy, domestic unhappiness, or any other cause. Even if indentured labour were abolished, the effect of unusual surroundings, inability to return at will, or other causes might be sufficient to maintain the suicide rate above a normal figure. But it is most probable that the ability of the coolie to change his surroundings and his employer would, in this event, cause a very great diminution in the rate. As regards the question of sexual immorality, though this very important subject has not been dealt with in any great detail in the reports of the two previous Committees, there is a considerable amount of unofficial evidence, which shows that the moral conditions in the Indian coolie lines in Fiji at any rate are indescribable: and in view of the proportion of the sexes shown in the official figures, we feel certain that these accounts are little, if at all, exaggerated. The only suggestion that is made in Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report for its removal would take a great length of time to exercise its full effect, which after all would be comparatively slight. The evil seems inseparable from the maintenance of emigration under present conditions and on its present scale. Immigrants, except where a system of seasonal emigration by families prevails, are bound to include more men than women; and the latter are equally bound to include, as is the case at present, a large proportion of persons who are prostitutes, social outcastes, or have been unhappy in their domestic relations. Choice of partners is thus necessarily limited, both as to quantity and quality; and it is still further restricted by the obligation to reside on a particular estate. It thus appears impossible to effect any improvement in the present state of things, which forms one of the darkest blots on the system, without a radical alteration in the sex ratio; and the necessity for bringing this about calls for serious consideration. But until this is done, the moral responsibility, which we incur, would be infinitely less under a system of free emigration than under the present system. The law which allows the coolie to enter into a binding agreement in India is an Act of the Indian Government, and enforceable in its courts.

8. *Prosecutions.*—The figures for prosecutions are very significant, though they have decreased in number in recent years.

TRINIDAD.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Prosecutions	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1909	11,620	2,800	24	2,457	87	597
1910	10,200	2,726	26	2,289	84	538
1911	10,660	2,373	22	2,031	85	397

Almost all the cases dismissed were on account of want of prosecution or evidence and most of these were presumably cases in which the employer himself did not wish to proceed to extremities.

BRITISH GUIANA.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1912	9,671	1,857	19	1,012 and 118 reprimands.	60	Not given.

JAMAICA.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Number of prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Number of convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1912-13	4,152	513	12	498	97	Not given.

FIJI.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Number of prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Number of convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1908	11,978	2,237	19	1,981	88	405
1909	11,988	1,924	16	1,747	90	510
1910	12,673	1,911	15	1,717	90	449
1911	15,352	1,520	10	1,372	90	446
1912	16,111	1,256	8	1,135	90	186

In Fiji, as in certain other colonies, conviction often involves extension of the period of indenture, a very undesirable form of punishment.

Imprisonment for labour offences, except after three previous convictions, was abolished in Fiji in 1912.

It may be noted that many of the prosecutions involve more than one charge against the same coolie, and that the same men are sometimes prosecuted more than once in the same year, so that the actual number of coolies prosecuted is somewhat less than the number of cases. With this explanation, it may be stated that the average percentage of prosecutions on population concerned over the periods for which figures are given above was for Trinidad 23, for British Guiana 19, for Jamaica 12, and for Fiji 13. By far the larger proportion of these prosecutions arose out of the provisions of the labourer's contract.

There is no need to suppose that all these prosecutions were unreasonably undertaken: in fact, it is fairly clear that in most estates, prosecutions are kept down to the minimum number consistent with what has hitherto been considered efficient management. There are, however, not wanting signs that, in Fiji at any rate, the unwisdom of the system hitherto pursued is being recognized: but as long as a labourer is bound to serve a particular master, kind or cruel, it will be impossible to avoid retaining some means of compulsion to make the coolie keep to his bargain.

The extraordinarily high proportion of convictions to prosecutions is significant even in such simple cases as labour offences. It is alleged by the opponents of the system that justice is not done; that the coolie is largely in the hands of the interpreter who is apt to take the side of the employers; that the magistrates are in many cases themselves employers, or necessarily favour the employers; and that the witnesses are servants of the prosecutor. Some of these facts are obviously true; but of the truth of others no authoritative evidence is forthcoming, while Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report states that justice is usually properly administered. But the possibilities of injustice which obviously exist, coupled with the very high percentage of convictions, give rise to uncomfortable suspicions.

9. *Method of recruitment.*—The recruitment of coolies by contractors, whose earnings depend on *per capita* payments for coolies recruited, has for long been regarded by the Government of India as unsatisfactory. In the case of labour required for Assam the system was made illegal from 1st July of this year. No specific local enquiry has as yet been made into the conditions

under which labour is recruited in upcountry districts for the colonies, but there is no reason to believe that colonial emigration, controlled as it is only by Crown agents at comparatively distant centres, is on any better footing than was contract recruitment for Assam, while the complaints that appear in the press, or reach the ears of local officers, regarding occasional abuses, are of a very similar nature to those which led the Government of India, after careful enquiry, to abolish contract recruitment for Assam labour. Those responsible for the management of tea gardens, in Calcutta or upcountry, though they usually desire to work on clean lines, have proved quite unable to control the abuse which seem inseparable from the system of contract recruitment. The coolie contractor and his agents have for long borne a decidedly unsavoury reputation with their fellow villagers or townsmen. The policy of the Government of India in respect of Assam emigration has been to replace these men by *sardars*, who are labourers of a superior class from the tea gardens themselves, and who come back from time to time to their own villages and return with the recruits which they have collected there to the garden of their own employer, where they again work side by side with the recruits they have brought. This is the only system now permitted for Assam recruitment, and the *kangani* system under which recruitment for Ceylon and the Straits Settlements is mostly conducted, while it has certain drawbacks of its own, resembles it in its main features. It will readily be appreciated that there are serious difficulties involved in the maintenance of a system for the benefit of overseas colonies, which we have found it necessary to abolish in the case of Assam, one of our own Provinces.

Regarding the class of persons collected by the recruiters, the last annual report on emigration from the Port of Calcutta bears eloquent testimony. Of 5,210 persons received into the upcountry depôts, 1,186 were rejected as medically unfit; of the balance 3,837 persons reached the Calcutta depôts, of whom only 2,678 left for the colonies, the balance having been returned as unfit or having absconded. The nature of the miscellaneous scraps of humanity collected by the recruiters in the first instance can be readily imagined.

10. *Economic aspect.*—We turn now to the economic aspect of the question. It has often been stated that the economic advantages gained by the Indian labourer are so great that they outweigh the moral and social evils which we have just described. We do not think it possible to apply a common measure which will enable such a comparison to be made. But the extent of these economic advantages has been too readily assumed. The rise in wages and in the standard of comfort among the labouring population of India has been great, and in certain particular areas, very great indeed. It is necessary, therefore, to compare the economic conditions of Indian labour in the colonies with those existing in various parts of India itself in order to decide precisely what degree of weight can be allowed to this argument.

Trinidad.—On the estates visited by Messrs. McNeil and Chimman Lal, the wages averaged about 4*s*. 6*d*. a week for indentured men. On a few of the best estates, the earnings were about 5*s*. The women earn from half to two-thirds of the above. The food of an industrious worker with a healthy appetite costs from 2*s*. 9*d*. to 3*s*. a week. Infants get rations at the employer's expense. Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's Report states that a good worker can save 2*s*. a week and all but inferior workers can save on the average about 1*s*. In point of fact with average earnings of 4*s*. 3*d*. and food costing 3*s*., it does not seem very probable that the labourer will clothe himself and his children, pay for petty luxuries, etc., of the type he affects, and yet save as much as 1*s*. It may be noted that rice, which sells at 4 seers to the rupee, pays an import tax of 20 per cent. *ad valorem*, and *dhal* 12 per cent. Coolies have little or no chance of adding to their earnings while under indentures. No separate particulars are given for remittances or savings by indentured Indians.

British Guiana.—The average for all workers, including females and children, is 11½*d*. a day, for an average week of 5 days. On field work, the weekly average for shovel-men was 8*s*. 9½*d*. and 6*s*. 5½*d*. for all others. Good workers sometimes earn £1-5-4 a fortnight, and earnings of 18*s*. 8*d*. are not uncommon. The average earnings per day actually worked by men is about 12*d*. A man, it is stated, ought to be able to save upwards of 2*s*. a week, if of average physique.

Indentured coolies are rewarded by being allowed to cultivate plots of rice Repatriated emigrants took back with them the following sums :—

Year.	Returned emigrants.		Sums brought back.	
	Men.	Women.	Deposited for transmission.	Estimated additional sums.
			Dollars.	Dollars.
1910	558	220	43,454	7,242
1911	460	179	36,897	4,800
1912	404	158	39,860	6,644
1913	446	154	29,253	4,875

These amounts were saved after a period, presumably, of ten years, and represent an average saving of 70 to 80 dollars a head, or say Rs. 240.

Jamaica.—Men's wages per day worked averaged from 10½*d.* to 1*s.* 5½*d.* The average labourer works on two days out of three. Women's wages average from 7½*d.* to 1*s.* ½*d.* per day worked. A fair estimate of the daily cost of living would be, it is stated, 3*s.* 6*d.* weekly for an able-bodied man. Plots of land are rarely given to indentured coolies, nor are they encouraged to keep cows, for fear of deteriorating the type of animals kept by their employers.

Returned emigrants took back with them the following sums :—

Year.	Returned emigrants.		Sums brought back.	
	Men.	Women.	Cheques.	Jewellery.
			£	lb
1911	...	...	...	...
1912	210	74	2,650	22
1913	...	...	...	...

Fiji.—An ordinary skilled man earns 9*s.* or 10*s.* a week at cane cutting and for loading trucks from 1*s.* 3*d.* a day upwards. Coolies very seldom work more than 5½ days a week. Rations are given to indentured immigrants for six months and to children for twelve months after arrival. The employer may not deduct for an adult's rations more than 2*s.* 4*d.* weekly. The retail cost of these rations to the coolie would be from 3*s.* to 3*s.* 6*d.* The price of rice is about 2½ seers to the rupee. Children's rations include milk. The average number of days worked is higher than in other colonies, as the climate is healthy, the sanitary arrangements good, and the coolies are said to like the variety of the work with its slack and busy seasons, during the latter of which they can earn high wages. Repatriations are comparatively few, owing to the good wages. Plots of land have not hitherto been given to coolies but it is now proposed to do this. One shilling is the minimum wage for men for a day of 9 hours. The average earnings in 1913 were as under :—

	Per working day.	Per day worked.
	d.	*d.*
Men	12·29	13·32
Women	6·54	8·37

The average savings after paying for food would thus be about 2*s*. 10*d*. Repatriated emigrants took back with them the following sums :—

Year.	Returned emigrants.		Sums brought back.		
	Men.	Women.	Cash deposited.	Value of other cash, etc.	Total.
			£	£	£
1910	199	70	1,156	7,313	8,470
1911	334	98	2,391	10,194	12,585
1912	275	106	1,879	11,955	13,834
1913	376	131	2,760	14,000	16,760

About one-third of those repatriated were destitute or unfit. The remainder had worked for 10 years. Assuming that the former class brought back nothing, which is improbable, the latter brought on an average some £49 a piece.

It would appear therefore that coolies in the above mentioned colonies can save from less than 1*s*. to about 3*s*. a week, provided that they spend little or nothing except on food and clothes. The savings brought home after 10 years' work, during 5 years of which they are presumably employed as free coolies, show that they do not, as a matter of fact, save anything like this figure, even allowing for money remitted to India. Annual remittances by Indians, which however include those by both free and indentured labourers, were as under :—

Year.	Trinidad.	British Guiana	Fiji.	Jamaica.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1910	58,013	31,026	48,214	6,614
1911	55,614	33,635	47,730	6,305
1912	52,791	41,133	57,300	6,975
1913	65.218	46,677	57,421	5,595
1914	79,513	38,084	60,900	5,155

The annual report on emigration from the Port of Calcutta for the year 1914 shows that out of emigrants arriving in Calcutta, the following brought back savings :—

	Returned emigrants.		Savings brought by.	Of whom sums over Rs. 150 were brought by.
	Men.	Women.		
Demerara	424	157	483	241
Trinidad	487	172	273	182
Fiji	522	177	53	45
Jamaica	.....	.....	.....	.....

These figures bear out fairly well the figures already quoted, as regards the relative wage earning possibilities in the different colonies. They do not include the value of the jewellery brought back, which is presumably estimated and somewhat doubtful : and a very large proportion of returned emigrants, nearly half, brought back no savings at all.

11. We have seen, then, that the wages earned by indentured coolies in the colonies range between 4*s*. 3*d*. and 6*s*. 3*d*. per week, or say, 18*s*. and 26*s*. a month, the highest earnings being in Fiji. Deducting the cost of rations at 3*s*. 3*d*. a head, the net earnings in the latter colony came to 3*s*. a week, or say

12*s.* 9*d.* a month. But there are many places in India where as good or almost as good wages are paid for unskilled labour, excluding the Punjab where the labourer is stronger and more efficient. In Eastern Bengal, wages run as high as 1*s.* 4*d.* a day in the jute season which lasts for several months. The published wage statistics for the eastern districts of Bengal, which are however not entirely reliable, give the rate for ordinary agricultural labour at from 13*s.* 4*d.* to 20*s.* a month. More accurate figures obtained by the personal enquiries of an officer on special duty, showed that the labourers in Mymensingh earn from 8*d.* to 10*d.* a day: while others obtain from 5*s.* 4*d.* to 9*s.* 4*d.* a month with their food. On the above figures an average wage of from 4*s.* to 5*s.* a week may be fairly assumed. Calculating the cost of the same rations as are given or brought in Fiji, at Eastern Bengal prices, the Eastern Bengal coolies weekly food expenditure is 1*s.*, 4½*d.*, and deducting this from the average weekly wage rate of 4*s.* 6*d.* the balance is roughly 3*s.* 2*d.* The Eastern Bengal labourer's position is thus nearly as good as that of an indentured coolie in Fiji. He has to pay house rent unless, as is usually the case, he sleeps in a jute godown, or the cultivator's verandah, while the Fiji labourer is housed for nothing. The Eastern Bengal labourer is often an emigrant from Bihar, who leaves most of his family behind him where no doubt they earn a trifle, while the very few children that the Fiji coolie takes with him contribute to the family earnings, and his infant children receive rations. But the above figures are enough to show that in point of actual excess of wages over the bare cost of living there are places in India, outside the large towns, where a coolie can do as well as in most, if not all, of the colonies without the great disadvantage of having to leave his country and indenture himself to an employer, who may be considerate or the reverse, but whom he is bound to serve for five years, or go to jail if he refuses. It is true that in the areas in the east of the United Provinces and in Madras, whence the indentured coolie is mostly drawn, the wages are miserably low, and congestion is intense. But there is no reason except the lack of a recruiting agency to take him there, why the United Provinces coolie should not follow the example of his Bihar neighbour and go to work in Eastern Bengal, where the field for labour is very large. In the towns and the urban mills the wages for labour, with a small degree of skill that does not take long to gain, are nearly as high as in Eastern Bengal, though house rent and cost of food are higher. A coolie ought thus to be able, on purely arithmetical considerations, to save from 2*s.* a week upwards. It is certain that the Indian demand for labour is far more than enough to absorb the 6,129 coolies that left Calcutta for the colonies on indenture in 1913, even if thereto be added the 1,607 coolies that left Madras for the same destination in the same year.

There is, however, a real advantage to the coolie, and it is a very real one in colonial emigration. It gives the coolie the chance, after his indenture is over, of obtaining land, from which he can derive higher profits and live a life the conditions of which are in many ways more pleasant than anything which is open to him in India, though it is to some extent attainable in this country. In Assam, for instance, where labour under indenture has now been abolished, the tea garden labourer is usually allowed a plot of land to cultivate in his spare time: and when he leaves the garden an abundance of fertile waste land is available from which he can take up a plot at very little expense, and with the title of a ryot holding direct from Government.

12. We have seen that the case against indentured emigration is, from the point of view of the moral and social welfare of the coolies, very strong: and from the material point of view, its advantages are not so considerable as is sometimes thought. We have now to consider, so far as the information before us permits, and so far as it is necessary at the present stage, what would be the effect on the colonies, were it abolished.

British Guiana.—The average number of coolies who entered the colony yearly up to 1905 was 3,500: and between 1905 and 1910, 2,200. In the year 1913, the colony took only 64 coolies from Madras and 1,276 from Calcutta. At the end of the year 1912, the resident Indian population was 129,389 out of a total of some 300,000. The injury to colonial interests, even if Indian emigration were stopped altogether, which we do not propose, would thus apparently not be fatal.

Trinidad.—The total population of this colony was estimated in 1907 at 338,000: the Indian residents at the end of 1912 were 117,100.

The average yearly emigration has been as under :—

1881-1891	...	...	...	2,500
1891-1901	...	...	...	2,100
1901-1908	...	...	...	2,700
1911 ...	...	...	...	3,557
1912 ...	...	...	...	2,637
1913 ...	...	..	...	1,236

The number of adult labourers indented for and supplied during the last three years was as under :—

		Indented for.	Supplied.
1911 ...	...	More than 3,200	3,557
1912 ...	..	2,300	2,550
1913 ...	...	1,089	1,188

The demand thus appears, on the whole, to be declining, and a further diminution of the supply, while it would no doubt affect the plantations adversely, could scarcely make plantation agriculture impossible.

Jamaica.—The total population is 830,000, of whom in 1908 the Indian element was stated to constitute 13,821, a number which showed a decrease of about 1,000 in 19 years. At the end of 1912, it is shown at the obviously estimated figure of 20,000. In 1913, only 824 indentured emigrants sailed for Jamaica. In 1914, there was no emigration. Here prohibition must be a matter of indifference to the colony.

Fiji.—The case is, however, very different in Fiji, where, at the end of 1913, the resident Indian population was 51,605. Between 1905 and 1910 about 8,000 coolies emigrated from India to the colony, and 2,200 returned. The subsequent figures have been—

Year.				Emigrated.
1911	...	...	...	4,204
1912	...	...	...	3,373
1913	...	...	...	3,222

By far the greater proportion of these were from Madras.

In view of the nature of the cultivation, which is mainly conducted by capitalist interests and consists of sugarcane and cocoanut plantations, of the declining numbers of native population, of the difficulty experienced in recruiting Polynesians to a sufficient extent, and of the scanty population of the island ; there is no doubt that any considerable diminution of the supply of Indian labour would be a very serious matter for the colony.

It would appear, in fact, that any diminution in the Indian labour supply which may reasonably be anticipated as the result of the proposals we are making in this despatch, can hardly affect Jamaica at all ; will not be a really grave matter in the case of Demerara and Trinidad ; and is only likely to need serious consideration in the case of Fiji.

13. We may now consider the position from the point of view of India herself. Including the figures of emigration to Surinam, the total Indian emigration on indenture to the tropical colonies during the year 1913 was—

Port of embarkation.				Number.
Madras	...	...	...	1,607
Calcutta	...	...	...	6,129
		Total	...	7,736

From an economic point of view, then, the interest of India as a whole in indentured emigration is negligible, and we need not meet the argument that colonial emigration is a safety-valve for congested districts in India.

It is, moreover, the case that in the same year, 117,783 unindentured coolies proceeded from Madras alone to the Straits Settlements, and 19),059 to Ceylon.

14. *Conclusions.*—In his despatch of 3rd January 1913, Lord Crewe stated that the Indian national sentiment against the stigma laid on the race

by the existence of the indentured system ignored the advantages to the labourers themselves. We have attempted to show that the economic advantage gained by the coolie, while actually serving under indenture, is not so great as is often supposed; and that the real benefit, which he gains from emigration arises after the close of his indenture period, from the opportunities then before him of purchasing or leasing land or setting up in business and making himself a position as a settler. But whatever may be the extent of the economic advantage arising from the emigration of indentured labour, the political aspect of the question is such that no one, who has at heart the interests of British rule in India, can afford to neglect it. It is one of the most prominent subjects in Indian political life to-day: and its discussion arouses more bitterness, perhaps, than that of any other outstanding question. For Indian politicians, moderate and extreme, alike consider that the existence of this system, which they do not hesitate to call by the name of slavery, brands their whole race in the eyes of the British Colonial Empire with the stigma of helotry. How, they ask, will a European colonial ever admit us into the fellowship of citizens of the Empire, when he knows that men of our country and colour can be purchased for five years for five shillings a week? It is firmly believed also in this country, and it would appear, not without grave reason, that the women emigrants are too often living a life of immorality in which their persons are, by reason of pecuniary temptation or official pressure, at the free disposition of their fellow recruits and even of the subordinate managing staff. The feelings which these beliefs engender are strong. As far back as 1910, when moving a resolution in favour of the abolition of indentured labour in Natal, the late Mr. Gokhale mentioned the unanimous feeling of his party and of Indians in South Africa, that indenture should be abolished everywhere. A further debate on the general question took place in 1912, when the resolution brought forward by the same gentleman, though defeated, had the support of every Indian member of the Imperial Council. It is unnecessary here to trace the arguments brought forward in the mover's eloquent speech which are recorded in the debates of the Imperial Council, and are still used by Indian editors and politicians. The Government speakers on the other side admitted the existence of certain abuses, which it was believed could be largely remedied: but pressed the economic advantages to the coolie emigrants and denied that the indentured system could rightly be entitled slavery. Indian public opinion has strengthened and grown more articulate since the debate of 1912, while the favourable impression created on our minds by Lord Sanderson's Report, on which our defence of the system in 1912 was mainly based, has been considerably qualified, as has been indicated in the earlier paragraphs of this despatch, by the information which has subsequently been elicited by Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal.

15. On receipt of Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's Report, we invited the opinions of Local Governments on its recommendations and on the general question whether indentured emigration to the colonies should be continued. The greater number of the Governments consulted have submitted their opinions, and we append copies of the letters marginally noted.

(1) From the Government of the United Provinces, No. 1858, dated the 20th August 1915, and enclosures.
(2) From the Government of Madras, No. 1396, dated the 3rd September 1915.
(3) From the Government of Bombay, No. 6075, dated the 5th August 1915, and enclosure.
(4) From the Government of Bihar and Orissa, No. 7245-M., dated the 31st May 1915.
(5) From the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan, No. 4419, dated the 18th December 1914.
(6) From the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, No. 259-C. & I., dated the 13th January 1915.
(7) From the Chief Commissioner, Assam, No. 2321-G., dated the 19th April 1915.
(8) From the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, No. 779, dated the 4th May 1915.
(9) From the Chief Commissioner, Coorg, No. 1498, dated the 3rd May 1915.
(10) From the Government of Burma, No. 574-M.-S-1. P. T. L., dated the 29th April 1915.
(11) From the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province No. 1474-G., dated the 11th June 1915.
(12) From the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. C.-114, dated the 20th September 1915, and enclosure.

Although the report favoured the continuance of indentured emigration, while its recommendations referred only to the measures necessary for improving that system, it is noteworthy that the opinions of the Governments of the United Provinces, Madras and the Central Provinces (that of the latter Government conveyed in a memorandum by Sir B. Robertson, the Chief Commissioner), provinces which provide, practically speaking, all the indentured recruits that emigrate to the colonies to which this despatch relates, unanimously testify to the necessity of putting an end to indentured emigration altogether. The opinion of the Assam Administration is much to the same effect, in that they suggest the replacing of indentured emigration by a system of State-aided, but presumably free, emigration. The Bombay Government have no very decided views on the maintenance of indentured

emigration which does not, however, directly concern them, as the Bombay Presidency sends, practically speaking, no emigrants to the colonies. We have still to receive reports from certain other provinces; these, however, have little immediate concern with the question and there are strong reasons for indicating our own attitude on this urgent and important question without further delay.

16. The feeling in India against indentured emigration has in no way diminished since the discussions of 1912, but has indeed gained force owing to the labour troubles in South Africa two years ago. We would also again point out that now that we have abolished in India what was considered by a large section of the intelligent public to be an abuse, it is becoming increasingly difficult for us to defend the retention of a similar system for the benefit of the colonies. We are of opinion that the moment has now arrived to urge His Majesty's Government to assent to the total abolition of the system of Indian indentured labour in the four British colonies where it still prevails and in Surinam; and thus to remove a social stigma which is deeply resented by educated public opinion in India, and exposes to hostile criticism the Government of India and His Majesty's Government in the sanction which they lend to a system entailing much unhappiness and moral degradation amongst certain classes of a population dependent on their care and protection. We can well understand that His Majesty's Government, with their heavy pre-occupations during the course of the war, may prefer to postpone the final settlement of the question till after the conclusion of peace. But in the meantime, to facilitate the preliminary discussions which will have to be undertaken with the colonies interested, we desire to submit the following preliminary suggestions on the general outlines of a scheme which, in our opinion, affords the most hopeful solution of the difficulties which we have pointed out, while causing as little disturbance to colonial interests as is compatible with the maintenance of our obligations to the classes of the Indian population concerned.

17. It is quite clear that the mere abolition of indentured emigration, a course which implies the refusal to allow any emigrant to leave the country under a contract, will not be sufficient. The result of this would be that recruiters would induce coolies to go without any agreement, but by the grant of advances, or by fraud, and the coolies on their arrival in the colony would be wholly at the mercy of its laws, and might be compelled to work out the advances which they had received, or were alleged to have received, by local labour laws with which the Government of India would have greatly weakened its power of interference. The mere abolition of indentured emigration, while it would remove what is in India considered a racial stigma, would not do away with the morally undesirable features of coolie life in the colonies, or with the abuses of contract recruiting in India, and yet these are stains from which British administration in India ought to cleanse itself. The introduction of a system of recruitment on *sardari* or *kangani* lines would, we admit, present difficulties in the case of distant colonies. It would be costly to arrange for the continuous voyage under proper conditions of small parties of coolies; and the system must, in any case, be freed from the bonds which the receipt of advances and the Ceylon enticement law attach to the *kangani* system. We think, however, that such difficulties can, and should, be met. One of the best features of the last mentioned system is the possibility which it holds out of improving the present abnormal sex ratio with its attendant evils, the removal of which is, in our opinion, an absolutely essential condition of whatever new system be introduced to take the place of indentured emigration. The system might be financed by the colonies through a tax on coolie-cultivated estates, or coolie-produced exports. There is no need for the individual planter to pay for the individual coolie, and so be led to consider that he has a right of property in him. The coolie should be at liberty to serve whatever master he chose, while if he desired to return to India, he would be called on to pay some share of the cost of his repatriation, a share which might vary with the nature of the circumstances and with the length of time he had served. The prospects of free emigration are not at present very hopeful, except so far as the Mauritius figures are concerned. The figures for free labour emigration during the past three years have been as under :—

	British Guiana.	Jamaica	Trinidad.	Fiji.	Mauritius.
1911-12 ...	... 19	...	62	15	...
1912-13 ...	... 6	2	48	54	840
1913-14 ...	... 4	...	49	83	794

It would appear, then, on the whole, that an improved *kangani* system, under which a coolie was not bound by the receipt of advances or by the local law to serve on a particular estate, with a proper sex ratio, and confined to approved colonies, offers the most promising results. The present system of inspection, shipping, and sanitary regulations would have to be maintained. There is no doubt that the change, especially the insistence on a proper sex ratio, would lead, at any rate at first, to a considerable falling off in the number of emigrants. But, after all, it is not the duty of the Government of India to provide coolies for the colonies, but to insist that those who go there shall do so under conditions which are not repellent to educated Indian opinion, and which give the emigrant himself a chance to live a decent life under proper conditions, and to develop into a more desirable class of settler than the man who at present leaves the coolie barracks of a Fiji sugar estate at the expiry of his period of indenture. By a policy on these lines India will surely offer a more acceptable contribution to the cause of Imperial progress and unity than by a blind compliance with demands for the continuance of an evil system.

ORDERED that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations for information, and that it be published in the *Supplement to the Gazette of India*.

A. H. LEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 25th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

An Ordinance to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment Act, 1916).

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to amend
IX of 1916. temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the
5 & 6 Geo. V, c. 61 Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:—

ORDINANCE No. VI OF 1916.

1. This Ordinance may be called the Indian Paper Currency (Further Amendment) Ordinance, 1916.
Short title.

IX of 1916 **2.** Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916, shall be construed as if for the words "sixty millions" the words "one hundred and eighty millions" were substituted.
Amendment of section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916.

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

JAIPUR,
The 11th November, 1916.

Delhi, the 23rd November 1916.

No. 56.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. John Ghest Cumming, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Education, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 25th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

EXAMINATIONS.

Delhi, the 21st November 1916.

No. 122.—The following amendment is made in the rules for the encouragement of the study of oriental languages, published with the Department of Education Notification No. 80, dated the 6th June 1914 :—

In rule VIII, sub-paragraph 7, in the list of four examinations conducted at Lucknow by the Secretary to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, against *Persian* add "and High Proficiency" after "Higher standard."

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 25th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 21st November 1916.

No. 2069-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Monsieur W. Tomanovsky as Consul-General for Russia at Calcutta.

A. H. GRANT,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 25th November 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 25th November 1916.

No. 63-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, viz. :—

Additions.

Chang Pei-Shu ...	...	...	Chefoo.
Chen Kee and Company	...	...	Hankow.
Fung Chong ...	...	...	Shanghai.
Hwa De and Company ...	...	...	Chefoo.
Paizis, Ch. J. and Company	...	...	"
Polverino, Adolfo ...	...	...	"
Schlaudecker, Eug ...	...	...	"

No. 64-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alteration shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 6806-W.-II, dated the 5th August 1916 :—

For "Messrs. E. Grueber and Company" read "Messrs. E. Grueber and Company, Limited."

CUSTOMS.

The 25th November 1916,

No. 55-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9954-W.-II., dated the 14th October 1916. For the existing sub-clause (*d*) to proviso (*ii*) substitute the following :—

(*d*) goods transhipped in Indian ports or carried forward in the same bottom to destinations outside British India.

A. H. LEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 25th November 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 24th November 1916.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1404.—The following is published for general information :—

Fourth Supplement dated the 25th September, 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 22nd September, 1916, pages 9331 to 9339 and pages 9341 to 9342.

War Office,
25th September, 1916.

The following Despatch has been received by the Secretary of State for War from General Sir Archibald Murray, Commander-in-Chief, Egyptian Expeditionary Force :—

General Headquarters,
Egyptian Expeditionary Force,
1st June, 1916.

Sir,—I have the honour to submit a report on the operations of the Force under my command from the date on which I assumed command to the 31st May, 1916.

1. On 9th January, 1916, I arrived in Cairo, and, on the following day, took over the command of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force from General Sir C. C. Monro, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., who had himself arrived from Mudros but a few days before. At that date the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force was in a state of transition as regards its larger component, the Dardanelles Army. On the night of the 8th-9th January this Army had completed its successful evacuation of Cape Helles; its units were still concentrated at Mudros and Imbros awaiting transport to Egypt, where all the Force, excluding the Salonica Army, had been ordered to concentrate Meanwhile, a portion of the Force, which had been set free by the earlier evacuation of the Suvla Bay and Anzac positions, had already arrived in Egypt, where it had come under the command of General Sir John Maxwell, K.C.B., K.C.M.G. The concentration of the Australian and New Zealand Army

Corps, for instance, was practically complete, and the 53rd Division was occupied in operations on the Western Frontier of Egypt. General Headquarters of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force were temporarily established in Cairo.

The instructions which I had received from the Secretary of State for War placed under my command all organized formations then in Egypt, or on their way to Egypt, with the exception of such troops as might be considered necessary for the defence of Egypt and the Nile Valley against attack from the west, or for maintaining order in the Nile Valley and the Nile Delta. The function assigned to me was that of protecting Egypt against attack from the east, and the westward limit of my command was roughly fixed by a line running north and south approximately five miles west of the Suez Canal. The British Force at Salonica was also placed under my general supervision.

2. During the period under review, in addition to the extensive military preparations required for the defence of the eastern front, the amount of purely administrative work thrown on all sections of my Staff has been extremely heavy. The exigencies of the Gallipoli campaign had placed the Force under my command in a state of serious disorganisation. Some units were in Egypt, others on the sea, others in Ægean ports. It was not until the end of February that the last units of the Dardanelles Army reached Egypt. Every day for over six weeks ship loads of troops, guns, animals and transport were arriving at Alexandria and Port Said The components of this mass had to be disentangled and forwarded to their proper destinations; old units had to be re-organised, new units to be created, brigades, divisions, Army Corps to be re-formed. The British troops from Gallipoli were incomplete in personnel and material. It was urgently necessary to bring them up to strength, re-equip them, and provide them with train and mechanical transport on a modified scale. The Australasian troops also needed re-equipment, and, in their case, there was the additional problem of dealing with a mass of unabsorbed reinforcements. Further training of officers and men was an urgent necessity. Moreover, the embarkation of troops for service elsewhere began in February and continued without intermission till the end of April. To this work must be added not only the maintenance of my Force, both in Egypt and Salonica, with animals, supplies, ordnance stores, works material, and medical and veterinary stores, but also the provision and despatch of ordnance stores, works material, and supplies specially demanded for Basrah and East Africa.

The bulk of the work of disembarkation and embarkation, including the very heavy work of railway transport, fell upon the staffs of my Deputy Quartermaster-General and Inspector-General of Communications, to whom great credit is due. This work, together with the task of supplying and maintaining the troops operating on the eastern, and subsequently also on the western front, was efficiently carried out by the Ordnance, Supply and Transport, Remount, and Works departments.

As regards instruction, a training centre for Australasian reinforcements was started at Tel el Kebir and continued until it was decided that the Australasian training depôts should be transferred to England. Further, a machine gun school was formed at Ismailia which, after producing excellent results, was merged in the Imperial School of Instruction at Zeitoun. The latter institution, which came under my control after 19th March, has since been increased in size so as to train officers in all branches of warfare. Under its commandant, Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon'ble E. M. Colston, M.V.O., its work has been most valuable. Besides the ordinary courses for officers and non-commissioned officers, it holds machine gun, Lewis gun, signal and telephone, artillery, Stokes gun, and grenadier classes. Between 7th January and 31st May, 1,166 officers and 5,512 other ranks attended and passed in the various classes. A machine gun school was also started at Salonica.

Excellent work has been done by the signal service during this period. In the first place, it has efficiently carried out the work of refitting the signal units from the Peninsula, re-organising them to suit the conditions peculiar to Egypt, and training locally officers and men to fill the gaps and meet the increased demand for signallers and telegraphists. Ninety-four officers and 1,305 other ranks have been trained in these duties at Zeitoun and Alexandria this year. Secondly, it has had to provide intercommunication for troops engaged upon over 1,000 miles of front, which has involved the development of an unusually extensive net-work of military telegraphs. All the resource and engenuity of the service has been taxed to cope with the conditions

peculiar to this field of operations—abnormal distances, unusual means of transport, desert, sand storms and mirage. Lastly it has substituted a military telegraph and telephone service for the civil system which, until this year, had been the only available means of communication throughout Egypt and was worked mainly by native personnel.

I would also specially mention the survey work that has been carried out since the arrival of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force in Egypt. In addition to the standardisation, printing and issue of tactical maps of Sinai to the whole of the army on the eastern front, a new survey on a large scale of the Canal zone and certain areas east of our lines and advanced posts has been continuously carried on by the Topographical Section of the Intelligence Branch, working in close co-operation with the Royal Flying Corps. This survey, which has now been in process for nearly six months, is now approaching Qatia. I believe that the map based on this survey is the first map entirely constructed on this principle. The work was initiated by Mr. E. M. Dowson, Director-General, Survey of Egypt, who placed his resources at the disposal of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force. The actual direction of the work has been in the hands of the Intelligence Branch of my General Staff, and is based on experience, gained in Gallipoli, of the production of trench maps from aeroplane photographs, controlled by ordinary field survey methods. Co-operation in this Survey has been part of the routine of the Royal Flying Corps.

These labours, most of which demanded the utmost despatch in their completion, were carried out concurrently with the conduct of more strictly military operations, to my report on which I will now proceed.

3. When I arrived in Egypt the intentions of the enemy as regards an attack on the Suez Canal were by no means certain. Though his new means of communication in southern Syria and Sinai, commenced with this end in view, were still in a backward state, he undoubtedly had at his disposal the troops, amounting to 250,000 men or more, necessary for such an attack. The adequate defence of the Canal was, therefore, a matter of serious importance. The outline of a scheme of defence had already been prepared; certain works were being constructed, railways and pipe-lines and roads commenced, and troops were being concentrated in the three sections of the Canal defences, which were based on Suez, Ismailia and Port Said respectively. A satisfactory agreement was arrived at between Sir John Maxwell and myself regarding the delimitations of our respective spheres of command and the troops to be allotted to him. On 22nd January General Headquarters opened at Ismailia.

My chief concern was now the defence of the Canal. The work on the stationary defences was backward. Difficulties of water-supply on the east bank were increased by shortage of piping; labour troubles had delayed the progress of roads and railways. Guns had still to be emplaced, and no part of the front defence line was actually occupied by troops. Nevertheless, as there were no signs of an imminent advance on the part of the enemy, the question of the stationary defences caused me no serious anxiety, though everything possible was done to hasten on their completion. The organisation of the offensive defence, which time has proved to be paramount, was, however, a pressing matter hitherto untouched. Practically nothing had been done towards the organisation of mobile forces. The collection of a large number of riding and transport camels had to be undertaken at once and a plan of campaign to be devised. Moreover, time was short, for it was plain that any offensive on a large scale by the enemy must be commenced before the middle of March. For the force under my command the only possible line of advance was along the northern line from Qantara towards Qatia and El Arish, and the task was at once taken up of examining the possibilities of an offensive on this line and solving the problem of maintaining a considerable force at Qatia during the summer months. The result of these investigations is to be seen in my memorandum of 15th February addressed to the Chief of the Imperial General Staff, in which I stated that the first step towards securing the true base for the defence of Egypt was an advance to a suitable position east of Qatia and the construction of a railway to that place.

Up to the middle of February aeroplane reconnaissance was the only active military operation possible, owing to the need for reorganising the units of the Force and for pushing on the work of laying roads, pipe-lines and railways to enable an adequate force to be maintained on, and beyond, the front lines. The magnitude of the latter task may be judged from the

fact that, during the period covered by this despatch, 114 miles of road, 154 miles of pipe-lines, and 252 miles of railway were laid. The work of the Royal Flying Corps, most actively and gallantly pursued, enabled me to keep the enemy's posts at Hassana, Nekhl and El Arish under close observation, and neither their reports nor those of the equally gallant and efficient Naval Air Service, which observed by seaplane the garrisons of southern Syria, showed any concentration of enemy troops for a big attack on the Canal. On February 16th the Russian Army entered Erzerum, inflicting a heavy defeat on the Turkish Army opposed to it. It seemed likely then that all the enemy's schemes for attacking the Canal in force must, for the present, fall to the ground, and such has proved to be the case. The garrisons in Syria were gradually reduced, until it was estimated that not more than 60,000 men were available for an attack on Egypt. During the latter half of February the work of reconnaissance beyond the front line began in earnest, especially in the northern section, where the 15th Corps patrolled as far as Bir El Nuss and Hod Um Ugba, establishing the fact that the country was all clear and practically deserted.' At this period, too, a reconnaissance was undertaken from Tor. This post and that of Abu Zeneima, both on the Sinaitic coast south of Suez, were then garrisoned by a battalion of the Egyptian Army—subsequently by the 14th Sikhs—and had, by arrangement with General Maxwell, come under my direction. The reconnaissance from Tor was undertaken against a concentration of a small body of the enemy at Wadi Ginneh, some miles distant from the coast. This minor operation was in every way successful, though the enemy had fled before their camp was reached, leaving behind their baggage, which was destroyed. The troops then returned without further incident.

4. From March onwards, the rapid embarkation of troops for France depleted my forces considerably. During this month the military operations on the eastern front, if not momentous, were satisfactory. On 6th March a very gallant and successful attack on Hassana was made by the Royal Flying Corps, which resulted in the destruction of the pumping station. Bomb attacks were made on Nekhl and other places in Sinai, and on 24th March Hassana was again attacked in force with bombs. In the northern sector, the preliminary steps were being taken for the advance to Qatia. Week by week permanent posts were pushed further ahead, special reconnaissances were made with a view to testing the water-supply, and the broad-gauge railway from Qantara to Qatia was being carried forward as fast as possible.

5. On 11th March I received instructions from the late Secretary of State for War that the command of the troops in Egypt was to be reorganised, and that I was appointed General Officer Commanding-in-Chief all the Imperial forces in this country, which added to my original command, the command held by General Sir John Maxwell. The preliminary details for carrying this change into operation were fixed at a conference with General Maxwell held on 13th March, and on 19th March I formally took over the whole command in Egypt, thus ending a system of dual control which had of necessity been unsatisfactory, especially from the point of view of economy. By this change I not only became responsible for the administration of martial law in Egypt and the maintenance of order throughout the Nile Valley and Delta, but I also succeeded to the direction of the operations against the Senoussi on the Western Frontier, which had very appropriately been brought to a triumphant period by General Maxwell by his victories which led to the occupation of Sollum on 14th March, the capture of Gaafer, the dispersal, with the loss of all his guns, of Nuri's force, and the recapture from the enemy of 90 British prisoners taken by hostile submarines. The unification of the command in Egypt made large economies in staff possible, and these were carried out at once. The Levant Base also ceased to exist, General Sir Edward Altham, K.C.B., remaining as Inspector-General of Communications. The work of reorganising the forces and staffs for the Delta and Western Frontier Force was pushed on as fast as possible. I decided to keep General Headquarters at Ismailia, and to establish at Cairo a General Officer Commanding the Delta District, who would also act as Commander of L. of C. Defences. For operations on the west I formed a Western Frontier Force, divided into two sections, a north-western and a south-western, divided by a line drawn east and west through Deirut. These staffs and forces were definitely established and at work by 1st April. The whole force under my command now took the name of Egyptian Expeditionary Force. Towards the end of March, at the request

of the Sirdar, I undertook the responsibility for the defence of the reach of the Nile between Assouan and Wadi Halfa. Captain F. H. Mitchell, R.N., D.S.O., was sent for this purpose to make all arrangements for an armed naval patrol of this reach.

On 18th March, Captain H.R.H. the Prince of Wales took up his duties as Staff Captain on my Staff, remaining till his departure from Egypt on 1st May.

6. As soon as the conduct of operation on the Western Frontier devolved upon me, I took steps, in consultation with the various officers who were then best acquainted with the situation, to estimate the size of the hostile forces with which I should have to deal, and to determine the policy along this front of over 800 miles by which the Nile Valley could best be protected. It appeared from the information placed at my disposal that the Senoussi forces, spread over the whole western desert, did not exceed 3,000, and it was certain that the enemy's morale had been severely shaken by Sir John Maxwell's recent successful operations. The chief dangers, therefore, against which I had to guard were enemy raids upon the Nile Valley, the stirring up of native tribes that were inclined to be well disposed towards the Senoussi, and the creation of unrest in the Nile Valley and Delta among disaffected or nervous elements of the population. The chief end to be held in view was to prevent any local success on the part of the Senoussi.

On 15th April the Kharga Oasis, which had previously been reported by aerial reconnaissance and resident agents to be clear of the enemy, was occupied without incident. The movement of troops was effected by the existing light railway, and by the 18th April a force numbering 1,660 of all ranks was concentrated in the Oasis.

On the 27th April the small Oasis of Moghara was occupied. A strongly entrenched post has been constructed. The occupation of this post has materially assisted in preventing the passage of foodstuffs from the Nile Valley to the west, and denies the water to any enemy force attempting to move in the contrary direction.

During April frequent raids and reconnaissances, chiefly with a view to capturing concealed depôts of ammunition, were undertaken on the Western Front; in these enterprises our armoured and light motor-cars have been of inestimable value. On 7th April a detachment of four armoured cars, accompained by the machine-gun section of the 2-7th Middlesex Regiment, conducted a raid from Sollum upon an ammunition depôt at Moraisa, eighteen miles north-west of Sollum. After a very slight resistance from the guard of thirty Muhafzia, twenty-one boxes of 8·9 centimetre Mantelli gun ammunition and 120,000 rounds of small arms ammunition were taken and destroyed. On 11th April a motor-car reconnaissance found and removed eleven rifles and 7,000 rounds of small arms ammunition some twenty miles west of Sollum. On 23rd April an armoured car reconnaissance from Sollum discovered and brought in 140,000 rounds of small arms ammunition from a concealed depôt. On the 30th April a further 20,000 rounds were discovered and brought in to Sollum. During this month, also, four prisoners, including a Turkish officer, were captured sixty miles west of Minia, and two small camel convoys were captured near El Alamein. The light car patrols were responsible for all these captures.

7. During the month of April reconnaissance was active all along the Eastern Front, with the result that by the middle of the month all water-supplies of any importance within thirty miles of the Canal were patrolled by our troops, and mobile columns were ready to go out and deal with enemy parties approaching them, or, in the event of serious threat, to demolish the rock cisterns. In No. 1 Section, on 20th April, a patrol from Bir Mabeiuk came in contact with an enemy patrol, fifty strong, on the sand hills near the mouth of the Wadi Hamatha, some eighteen miles W. S. W. of Suez. A squadron and fifty rifles endeavoured to cut the enemy off, but he at once retired and scattered among the hills. Our casualties were two men killed. On 23rd April and the following days four columns, each composed of mounted troops and infantry, carried out reconnaissances of the approaches from the west to Ain Sudr and Sudr El Heitan. The columns returned to their respective posts on 26th April.

In No. 2 Section, on 27th March, the 2nd Australian and New Zealand Army Corps came into existence on the departure of the 1st Australian and New Zealand Army Corps to France. The Corps was commanded by Lieutenant-General Sir Alexander Godley, K.C.M.G., C.B., and consisted of

the 4th Australian Division, commanded by Major-General Sir H. V. Cox, K.C.M.G., C.B., C.S.I., the 5th Australian Division, commanded by Major-General Hon'ble J. MacCay, V.D., and the Anzac Mounted Division, commanded by Major-General H. G Chauvel, C.B.C. M.G. (attached). In this section, the wells at Moiya Harab and Wadi Um Muksheib having been brought into the regular patrolling area, a very successful reconnaissance to Jifjaffa was carried out between 11th and 15th April. The troops for this enterprise were a squadron of the 9th Australian Light Horse Regiment, accompanied by a detachment of Bikanir Camel Corps, and commanded by Major Scott, D.S.O., 9th Australian Light Horse. The objective was fifty-two miles from the starting point, and a jumping-off-place for the attack, eight miles south-west of the objective, was reached at 2-30 A.M. on 13th April. From here an attack was launched by three troops upon the enemy's position at 9 A.M. The enemy, cut off in their attempted retreat by the right flanking party of the attack, stood at bay on one of the hills above the village, and lost six men killed and five wounded before surrendering. One Austrian lieutenant of engineers and thirty-three other prisoners were captured, our own casualties being one man and one horse killed. The destruction of the enemy's camp was thoroughly carried out, a quantity of correspondence was taken, and the elaborate well-boring plant, which had been at work for five months, was completely demolished. The manner in which this operation was carried out was most creditable, both to the commander of the column and to all ranks composing it.

In conjunction with this reconnaissance, a mounted column was sent out in No. 1 Section to reconnoitre Bir el Giddi and the roads leading east from it. This force satisfactorily accomplished its mission, and, after an encounter with a hostile patrol, captured unwounded three armed Arabs.

In the Qatia District, where alone there is sufficient water-supply to maintain a large body of troops, preliminaries to the accomplishment of our ultimate aim—the permanent occupation of the well-watered zone radiating 15 miles east and south-east of Qatia—were steadily pushed on. On 2nd April, a squadron of the Gloucestershire Hussars under Lieutenant-Colonel Yorke, with a detachment of Bikanir Camel Corps, reconnoitred Bir el Abd, some 15 miles east of Qatia, met with no resistance, and burnt some tents and stores belonging to the enemy. On the following day, Bir Mageibra, 10 miles south-east of Qatia, was reconnoitred by the Worcestershire Yeomanry. On the 6th April Brigadier-General E. A. Wiggin, commanding the 5th Mounted Brigade, took command of the Qatia District, and was made responsible direct to the headquarters of No. 3 Section.

On 9th April, a further reconnaissance of Bir el Abd was undertaken by a squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry, This time a strong party of enemy were found in possession of a ridge north-east of Bir el Abd. A sharp skirmish ensued when the Yeomanry attacked, and the enemy was driven eastwards from his position, but owing to the heaviness of the sand, it was impossible for our cavalry to keep up the attack, and after easily fending off an attempt at a flank attack, they withdrew unmolested. On 12th April, on orders being received for General Horne to proceed to France, Major-General The Hon. H. A. Lawrence took over the command of No. 3 Section.

By the 21st April, the railway towards Qatia had reached a point upon which a serious advance to hold the whole district could be based, as soon as the necessary dispositions could be made. On the 23rd, however, the enemy attempted to forestall any such advance by making a sudden raid in force upon Qatia. This operation, though comparatively small forces were engaged, produced the severest fighting yet experienced by the force under my command.

8. On 21st April, the 5th Mounted Brigade were disposed as follows:—The Worcestershire Yeomanry at Qatia, the Warwickshire Yeomanry, less one squadron, at Hamisah, 3 miles south south-west of Qatia, and Brigade Headquarters and the Gloucestershire Yeomanry at Romani, 6 miles north-west of Qatia. General Wiggin, commanding the Brigade, had received orders to dispose his Brigade in the Qatia District in such a manner as to protect all railway, topographical and water-survey parties, with special attention to the exploitation of the water-supply; also to observe the route eastwards towards Bir el Abd, but not to take any serious offensive measures without further orders. It had also been impressed on General Wiggin by the General Officer Commanding, No. 3 section, that, since it would take two days to reinforce him with infantry, he was, in the event of

a heavy attack, to manœuvre back upon Dueidar, 13 miles from Qantara on the Qatia road, or upon the railhead near El Arais some 7 miles north-west of Qatia. On the evening of the 21st one squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry moved into bivouac at Oghratina, 7 miles east-north-east of Qatia to cover an R. E. party detailed to prepare wells. On the 22nd another squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry proceeded to Oghratina, being replaced in Qatia by a squadron of Gloucestershire Yeomanry, pending the arrival of one regiment of the Anzac Mounted Division, which had been ordered up from Salhia so as to reach Qatia on the 24th. The remainder of the 2nd Australian Light Horse Brigade was marching to arrive at Qantara on the 23rd.

In Qatia the squadron of Gloucestershire Yeomanry was covered by good trenches for some 50 or 60 men, and a number of smaller shelters afforded good covers. Their horses were picketed close to their camp.

The Officer Commanding the two squadrons of Worcestershire Yeomanry at Oghratina had been told to push on entrenchment as far as possible, and it was General Wiggin's intention that these squadrons, if attacked in force, should retire on Qatia and thence, if necessary, on Romani, with their left flank covered by the Gloucestershire Yeomanry and their right by the Warwickshire Yeomanry from Hamisah.

On the morning of the 23rd, both posts stood to arms at 4 A.M., and I have ascertained that patrols had gone out by that hour, though those at Oghratina were probably much hampered by a thick fog.

On the 22nd April, the Royal Flying Corps reported to No. 3 Section that new bodies of enemy troops were at Bir el Bayud, 15 miles east-south-east of Qatia, and Bir el Mageibra, 10 miles south-east of Qatia. Upon receipt of this information, General Wiggin obtained leave from General Officer Commanding, No. 3 Section, to attack the enemy at Mageibra that night, reporting that he intended to use two squadrons of Warwickshire, and the one remaining squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry. General Wiggin, with Lieutenant-Colonel Coventry, commanding the Worcestershire Yeomanry, accompanied the raid to Mageibra. Finding very few enemy, they destroyed the camp and returned to Hamisah about 9 A.M. on the 23rd with six Turkish prisoners. In the meantime the post at Oghratina was attacked at 5-30 A M. This attack was repulsed. No further information was received from the Officer Commanding at Oghratina until 7 A.M., when he reported that he was again heavily attacked on all sides. This attack carried the post, all the garrison of which were either killed, wounded, or captured. No details of the fighting have, therefore, been obtainable. Qatia itself was attacked about 9-30 A.M. Lieutenant-Colonel Coventry was detached with one squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry from General Wiggin's Force to operate towards Qatia. Unfortunately, this squadron became involved in the unsuccessful resistance of the Qatia garrison, and, with the exception of some 60 men and one officer who were able to disengage themselves, fell with it into the hands of the enemy. I have therefore been able to gather no detailed information of the actual fighting at Qatia.

General Wiggin and Colonel Yorke, commanding the Gloucestershire Yeomanry at Romani, both showed great judgment in dealing with the situation, and did all that was possible with their small forces against the enemy force of about 2,500, with four guns of small calibre. General Wiggin pushed forward from Hamisah north-east against the enemy's left, south of Um Ugba, and drove him back for about a mile; the advance was slow owing to the nature of the ground and the determined resistance encountered. Colonel Yorke, after hearing that Dueidar was safe, moved his whole force at 10 A.M., to attack the enemy's right advancing on Qatia. He skilfully drove the Turkish right back to El Rabah, and caused their guns to shift their position further east. The enemy gave ground slowly, and, since, by 3-30 P.M., it was evident that Qatia had fallen, General Wiggin determined to fall back; he himself retired on Dueidar by way of Hamisah, Colonel Yorke on Romani; neither were followed. Meanwhile, at 5 30 A.M. a Turkish force, 1,000 strong, with one gun, advancing from the south, attacked Dueidar, the most advanced defensible post, which was held by 100 men of the 5th Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers, under the command of Captain Roberts, 5th Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers. This officer, who throughout showed conspicuous skill and ability, succeeded in repelling two determined attacks on the position at 6-30 A.M. and 8-30 A.M., respectively. Both attempts cost the enemy dear. At 9-30 A.M. reinforcements of two companies 4th

Royal Scots Fusiliers, under the command of Major Thompson, 4th Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers, who had been despatched from Hill 70, seven miles away, on the first news of the attack, arrived at Dueidar. The various posts were strengthened, and a counter-attack, delivered at 12-30 P.M. with great spirit, forced the enemy to retire, leaving 30 prisoners in our hands and 70 dead. The Turks were pursued in their retreat by the 5th Australian Light Horse, who had only arrived at Qantara at 1 P.M., and by aeroplanes, thereby suffering further loss. Besides the three and a half squadrons of Yeomanry and details lost at Qatia and Oghratina, our casualties on the 23rd were 2 officers and 18 men killed, 4 officers and 21 men wounded. Aeroplane reconnaissance on the evening of the 23rd established the fact that the enemy force, which included a large body of picked Turkish regular troops, was already retiring. At dawn on the 24th eight machines of the 5th Wing, Royal Flying Corps, made bomb and machine gun attack from a low altitude on the enemy troops left in Qatia, causing very heavy casualties and completely destroying the camp. One machine also located and attacked a large body of enemy at Bir el Abd, and located another party retiring on Bir el Bayud. On the morning of the 25th further bomb and machine gun attacks were made by the Royal Flying Corps on enemy forces at Bir el Abd and Bir el Bayud. Both attacks were extremely successful, working great havoc among men and animals. I cannot speak too highly of the admirable work done by the 5th Wing, Royal Flying Corps, during these few days. The strain thrown on pilots and machines was very heavy, and the former displayed the utmost gallantry and resource on all occasions. Chiefly through their efforts the enemy was made to pay a very heavy price for his partially successful raid. The general situation in front of No. 3 Section was not affected by these operations. Our cavalry continued to patrol the Qatia district, which was now practically clear of the enemy, while our infantry posts at Dueidar and Romani were strengthened, and the railway towards Romani was pushed on with all speed.

9. After 16th January, when General Sarrail assumed supreme control of the operations of the Allied Forces at Salonica, the British Force there commanded by Lieutenant-General Sir B. T. Mahon, K.C.V.O., C.B., D.S.O., only remained under my control for administrative purposes. From the beginning of January to the end of April no active operations of importance took place. The general line of defences remained practically unaltered. Some 200 miles of deep trenches, including communication trenches, 710 emplacements for guns, 230 reduits or strong posts, 160 miles of obstacles (barbed wire), and 1,300 miles of telegraph cable have been completed; and the defences as a whole are now quite ready for occupation should the situation demand it.

As in Egypt, so in Salonica, the administrative work has been extremely heavy. At the outset the state of the communications was very unsatisfactory. There were only two metalled roads leading to our lines, both in a shocking state of repair; the few existing tracks soon became impassable in wet weather for everything except pack animals. The construction and repair of roads had, therefore, to proceed simultaneously with the preparation of the defences. Roads in the forward area were all begun by the troops themselves, and all ranks worked admirably, the men thoroughly recognising the importance of the matter. Later, it was found possible to organise local civilian labour companies who have largely been employed to complete and maintain the road work begun by the troops. Altogether about 90 miles of new metalled cart roads have been constructed, and 105 miles of mule tracks, besides some 60 miles of repairs to previously existing roads and tracks. Railway extensions leading to the various depôts on the Monas'tir road, with the necessary sidings, have been constructed, and Decauville lines laid within the depôts themselves. Preparations have been made for further extensions. Another great difficulty, that of insufficient wharfage accommodation, has been met by the construction of new piers in the bay itself and at Skala Stavros. These have reduced the congestion to an appreciable extent and fully justified the labour and expense involved.

The supply system, though hindered at first by the state of the communications and by the fact that the equipment of the force with a special scale of transport was only in process of gradual completion, has worked with uninterrupted success. The health of the troops has been excellent, all ranks having benefited by hard physical work in good climatic conditions. In view of the approach of summer, when malaria is likely to prevail in certain

districts through which our line passes, special precautions have been taken for the protection of the troops and, where possible, alternative positions prepared.

Throughout the period the importance of training the troops has been insisted upon. At first one day weekly was devoted to training, as opposed to road-making or work on the defences. This proportion has gradually risen to four days weekly, excluding one day of rest.

On 9th May, under orders from the War Office, Lieutenant-General G. F., Milne, C.B., D.S.O., succeeded Lieutenant-General Sir Bryan Mahon, K.C.V.O., C.B., D.S.O., in command of the Salonica Army. General Mahon sailed on the same date to take up command of the Western Frontier Force in Egypt.

10. In Egypt during the month of May there was no major operation to record. Intelligence received early in the month showed that the Turks had materially increased their numbers in Sinai, doubtless with the view of detaining troops in Egypt. The enemy's main concentrations were too far away for me to strike at them, and I was in hopes that he might be induced to cross the barrier of hills which extends from north to south some sixty miles from the Canal: he would then have been exposed to attack with the defiles behind him. However, he made no such advance, and, during the hot weather in the middle of May, there were indications that he was drawing in his advanced posts. On the 8th and 21st May enemy aircraft attacked Port Said with bombs, doing no material damage. On the first occasion three civilians were wounded; on the second two civilians were killed, five soldiers and thirteen civilians were wounded. In each case the attack was answered by prompt and successful retaliation by the Royal Flying Corps. In all sections of the Eastern front reconnaissances were frequent, particularly in No. 3 Section, to which were now allotted three brigades of the Anzac Mounted Division. During the month the Mahemdia-Romani district has been occupied in some force and at a conference, held on 17th May, at which General Lawrence, commanding No. 3 Section, was present, further decisions regarding the occupation of the Qatia district were arrived at.

During the month several successful reconnaissances to the east were made by the Anzac Mounted Division, which proved itself a unit upon which I could absolutely depend to display energy, resource and endurance. On the 8th May, starting early from Oghratina, the 2nd Light Horse Brigade reconnoitred to Bir el Abd with patrols pushed out to Hod Salmana. On the 16th May, a day of intense heat, the same brigade, starting from Hod el Sagia, five miles east-south-east of Qatia, reached Hod el Bayud, 15 miles on in the same direction, at 7 A.M. Camels and dismounted men were seen making off in a north-easterly direction. The enemy's camp was destroyed, and one prisoner, 36 camels, and a quantity of ammunition were brought in. The reconnaissance returned to Qatia, having covered 60 miles in 30 hours. During this time the Canterbury Mounted Rifles went out to Bir Abu Afein covering 40 miles in 30 hours.

On the 18th May a very successful bombardment of El Arish from the sea and the air was carried out. A sloop and two monitors of His Majesty's Navy bombarded the town, reducing the fort south-west of the town to ruins and damaging the aerodrome. The seaplanes of the Royal Naval Air Service then attacked with bombs, being followed later by 6 machines of the Royal Flying Corps, who had orders to attack any enemy aircraft that appeared and to bomb the enemy's camp and troops. The camps were effectively bombed, and three bombs exploded in the middle of a body of a thousand men who were on the march south of the town. A close reconnaissance of El Arish from the air was made, and many valuable photographs taken at the same time. All ships and aircraft returned safely On 22nd May, the Royal Flying Corps carried out a highly effective bombardment of all enemy camps on a 45 mile front roughly parallel to the Canal, during which severe damage was done to the waterworks at Rodh Salem and to buildings at El Hamma and Bir Mazar. On 23rd May, the 2nd Australian Light Horse Brigade reconnoitred Hod el Gedaidia, 15 miles east of Qatia, where shots were exchanged with a patrol of 40 men on camels, who retired. Finally, on 31st May, the New Zealand Mounted Rifles Brigade, one regiment of Australian Light Horse, and a sub-section of the Ayrshire Battery, R.H.A., attacked the enemy's post at Bir Salmana, 20 miles east-north-east of Qatia. The post was surrounded before dawn, and an enemy post on the Ganadil road was rushed, while a camel detachment was seen making off to the south-east. The enemy lost 15 men killed and 2 men

captured. Our cavalry pursued till 8 A.M., when the pursuit was taken up by aeroplanes which bombed scattered parties with effect, killing 20 camels and 8 more men. The force returned, having covered 60 miles in 36 hours besides fighting an engagement. The only casualties were two men slightly wounded.

On the Western Front during May preliminary measures for the occupation of the Baharia Oasis have been in progress. A line of blockhouses has been established along the Darb el Rubi which runs due west from Samalut on the Nile. Four blockhouses were completed and occupied by 23rd May. Work on the two remaining blockhouses has been postponed till the railway has reached a point where it can materially assist in the supply of stores: this should be about the end of June. From the most advanced blockhouse it is now possible to reconnoitre as far as the Mohariq sand dunes, some 80 miles west of Samalut. The difficulty of maintaining such a line in a waterless desert subject to frequent and severe sand storms has not been small, but all ranks have worked well and with great keenness.

The enemy has a small body of troops, under the command of Nuri, collected on the Libyan side of the frontier west of Sollum, but as yet he has not openly displayed his intentions. Two battalions of Italian troops landed at Moraisa during the month and have occupied Bardia. The relations between the Italian and British commanders on the frontier are excellent. The area between Sollum and Barrani has been cleared of the Bedouin population, and, though it has been impossible entirely to prevent communication between the Bedouins and Siwa, the energy of our patrols, according to numerous reports, is successfully restricting the entry of food supplies into Siwa.

By means of patrols of Imperial Camel Corps and motor-cars, communication between the oases occupied by the enemy and the Nile Valley and Delta has been rendered almost impossible. In particular, the camel patrolling from Kharga towards Dakhla and Beris has been carried out most efficiently by No. 1 Imperial Camel Company under specially trying conditions. The Farafra, Baharia, Moghara and Wadi Natrun fronts have also been controlled with great vigilance.

The Aulad Ali tribes in Egyptian territory are now all west of Barrani, except for a receiving camp at Sollum. Markets have been established for the sale of food at Sollum, Mersa Matruh, Dabaa, El Hamman and Wadi Natrun, where they are allowed to purchase what is necessary for their daily needs. This restricts indiscriminate movement to the west on to the Delta.

In spite of the occupation, during very hot weather, of so many advanced posts in the desert or on its edge, I am glad to report that the health of the troops has been remarkably good. I much regret, however, that General Sir Bryan Mahon, shortly after his arrival in this country to take up the command of the Western Frontier Force, had to be invalided home owing to severe sunstroke. In the meantime, Major-General A. G. Dallas, C.B., has continued, with great ability, in temporary command of that force.

11. I beg to acknowledge with great respect the valuable assistance I have received from His Highness the Sultan of Egpyt. He has with great kindness placed at my disposal his unrivalled knowledge of affairs affecting his country.

To His Excellency the High Commissioner, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir A. H. McMahon, G.C.V.O., K.C.I.E., C.S.I., and to the Government of Egypt, I owe a deep debt of gratitude for whole-hearted co-operation and help.

I am very greatly indebted to Vice-Admiral Sir R. E. Wemyss, K.C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O., and the naval forces under his command for constant assistance and active co-operation.

The construction of roads, waterworks, and kindred tasks in connection with the Canal Defences, which I have described to you, owe their accomplishment in a very large measure to the admirable services of Colonel Sir Murdoch Macdonald, K.C.M.G., of the Public Works Department of Egypt. His wide experience and capacity have been an indispensable asset to me in dealing with these important problems.

I am particularly indebted to the Railway Department, under Colonel Sir George Macauley, K.C.M.G., R. of O., Royal Engineers, for the highly successful manner in which railway communication has been carried on under great difficulties. The movement of a large number of troops and impediments of an Army has severely taxed the capacity of the railway, and

has put a great strain on its staff. That it never failed to accomplish what was desired is due to the high efficiency this Department has attained, and to the personal exertions of Colonel Sir George Macauley.

I wish to bring to your notice the very responsible and important duties that have fallen to my Director of Army Signals, Brigadier-General M. G. E. Bowman-Manifold, D.S.O., R.E., and to the admirable way in which he has discharged them.

Military operations on the two fronts have been spread over a very wide front, amounting to close on 1,000 miles in the west and 90 miles in the east. Prompt and reliable inter-communication has been a matter of vital importance.

In the successful achievement of this I beg also to bring to your notice the services of the Egyptian Telegraph Department under Lieutenant-Colonel J. S. Liddell, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, and to express my thanks to the Eastern Telegraph Company and the Telephone Company of Egypt, who have given my Director of Army Signals unceasing valuable help.

I beg to bring to notice the valuable services rendered to the Canal Defences by the representative and principal officer of the Suez Canal Company, Charles Comte de Serionne, Agent Superieur de la Compagnie du Canal de Suez, and by the staff of that company.

The arduous and important work of the care of the sick and wounded in the Hospitals has been considerably lightened by a large amount of voluntary aid. I wish specially to mention the work of the British Red Cross Society and Order of St. John of Jerusalem under Sir Courtauld Thomson, C.B.

The Nursing services, both English and Australian, have done admirable work, and the voluntary aid of the Sisters of Notre Dame de la Déliverance, working at the Australian Hospital at Alexandria, have been specially brought to my notice.

Finally, and in conclusion, I wish to bring to notice the admirable services of my Chief of the General Staff, Major-General A. L. Lynden-Bell, C.B., C.M.G., my Deputy Quartermaster-General, Major-General W. Campbell, C.B., D.S.O., and my Deputy Adjutant-General, Major-General J. Adye, C.B. No Commander-in-Chief has ever been more loyally served, and no staff has ever worked with less friction.

I have other names to bring to notice for distinguished and gallant service during the operations under review, and these will form the subject of a separate communication.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. J. MURRAY, General,
Commander-in-Chief,
Egyptian Expeditionary Force.

War Office,
London, S. W.,
25th September 1916.

The following despatches have been received by the Secretary of State for War from the Commander-in-Chief, Egyptian Expeditionary Force:—

General Headquarters,
1st July 1916.

SIR,

In accordance with the closing paragraph of my despatch of 1st June 1916, I have the honour to submit a list of names of those officers, non-commissioned officers and men whose services I consider deserving of special mention, and I beg to recommend them to your notice.

I will, at a later date, submit to you a further list of names of officers, non-commissioned officers and men, belonging to the Salonika Army, whom I desire to mention in despatches and recommend for reward.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. J. MURRAY, General,
Commander-in-Chief,
Egyptian Expeditionary Force.

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STAFF.

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Watson, Major-General W. A., C.B., C.I.E.

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Macmullen, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) C. N., D.S.O., 15th Sikhs.

Henderson, Major (temporary Brigadier-General) M. H., Indian Army.

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Butler, Captain R. B., 30th Lancers.

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Ward, Captain H. C. S., 2nd Lancers, Indian Army.

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Harvey, Lieutenant (temporary Captain) C. O., 38th Horse, Indian Army.

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AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND FORCES.

Staff.

Birdwood, Lieutenant-General Sir W. R., K.C.S.I., K.C.M.G., C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O.

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Cox, Major-General Sir H. V., K.C.M.G., C.B., C.S.I., Indian Army.

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INDIAN ARMY.

INDIAN MISCELLANEOUS LIST.

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Edward Lawrence Bartlett.

23rd Sikh Pioneers.

Subadar Major Man Singh.
No. 3535 Havildar Chanda Singh.
No. 4025 Havildar Narain Singh.
No. 3963 Havildar Kehar Singh.

57th Wilde's Rifles.

No. 2155 Color Havildar Ali Badshah.
No. 2869 Havildar Hira Singh.
No. 1995 Naik Turai (55th Coke's Rifles attached).

58th Vaughan's Rifles.

Subadar Tika Khan.
Jemadar Hamesh Gul.
No. 3457 Naik Safirullah.
No. 2658½ Havildar Lal Singh.

2-3rd Gurkha Rifles.

Subadar Major Bhim Sing Thapa, I.O.M
No. 1606 Havildar Man Sing Rana.
No. 1671 Havildar Nain Sing Thapa.

INDIAN TROOPS.

Hyderabad Imperial Service Lancers.

Ressaldar-Major Mahomed Sirmast Khan.
No. 570 Duffadar Ghousuddin Hussain.

Mysore Imperial Service Lancers.

Regimentdar (Lieutenant-Colonel) B. Chamraj Urs, *Bahadur.*
Jemadar and Quartermaster A. Basavaraj Urs.

Patiala Imperial Service Lancers.

Colonel Nand Singh, *Sardar Bahadur.*
Veterinarian Ahmed Hussain.

Alwar Imperial Service Infantry.

Major Pooran Singh.

4th Gwalior Imperial Service Infantry.

Lieutenant and Adjutant Govind Rao Powar.
No. 539 Havildar Bhup Singh.
No. 1461 Havildar Rattan Singh.

Patiala Imperial Service Infantry.

No. 30 Quartermaster Havildar Wariam Singh.
No. 100 Naik Shera.
No. 49 Kot Havildar Mangal Singh.

Bikanir Camel Corps.

Major Thakur Moti Singh.
Subadar Johari Singh.
No. 955 Naik Jaswant Singh.
No. 1453 Sepoy Amar Singh.
No. 964 Sepoy Hukam Singh.
No. 1449 Sepoy Hukam Singh.
No. 1417 M. Amdu Khan.

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A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

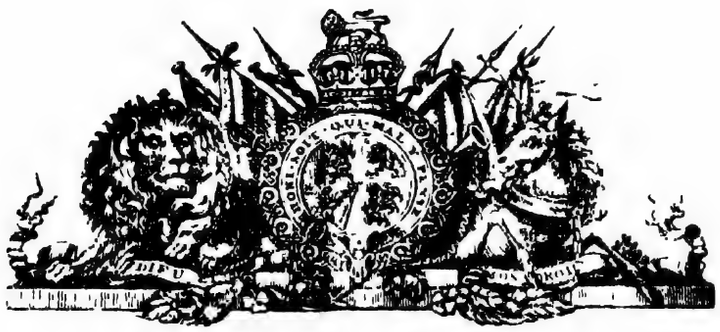
MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 24th November 1916.

No. 50.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Impressment of Vessels Ordinance, 1914, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the first column of the schedule annexed to Marine Department Notification No. 73, dated the 18th August 1914, as amended by Marine Department Notifications Nos. 77, 30, 40, 16 and 36, dated the 1st September 1914, the 10th September 1915, the 10th December 1915, the 5th May 1916 and the 25th August 1916, respectively :—

For "Captain W. Lumsden, C.V.O., R.N., Director of the Royal Indian Marine," "Captain N. J. F. Wilson, Officiating Director of the Royal Indian Marine," shall be *substituted.*

A. H. BINGLEY. *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2610M.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the South Dum-Dum Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 27 of that Act, electing the Hon'ble Mr. Abdur Rahim to be Chairman of that Municipality *vice* Rai Sahib Gyan Chandra Chaudhury, resigned.

24-Parganas.

No. 2612M.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Tollygunge Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Sahibzada Ghulam Muhammad Shah. | Sahibzada Muhammad Sultan Alum.

Rai Benoy Krishna Bose Bahadur.

No. 2614M.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Baidyabati Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 23 (2) of that Act, electing Mr. J. Low to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Hooghly.

No. 2616M.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in

Murshidabad.

Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Dhulian Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, under section 23 (2) of that Act, electing Babu Sachindra Nath Roy to be Chairman of that Municipality

Mymensingh.

No. 2575M.—The 20th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Sharafat Ali Khan to be a Commissioner of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, *vice* Munshi Mofiz uddin Ahmad, deceased.

Malda.

No. 2638M.—The 27th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 15 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that—

(1) the Nawabganj Municipality in the district of Malda shall, for the purpose of the election of Commissioners, be divided into wards as shown in columns 1 and 2 of the following table, and

(2) the number of Commissioners to be elected for each such ward shall be that shown in column 3 of that table :—

Ward No.	Names of villages comprised in each ward.	Number of Commissioners to be elected for each ward.
I ...	Hujrapur, Porabagh, Gobindchuck, Nawabganj, Dudpur, Katal Bagicha, Begunbari and Fakirtola.	3
II ...	Char Jotepratap	1
III ...	Jotepratap, Ramkrishtapur, Mazparah, Baligram, Upore Sankarbati, Kaliganj, Joynagar and Upore Rajarampur.	2
IV ...	Ajaopur, Palladanga, Chandlai and Biswaspara ...	2

Dacca.

No. 2620L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.			Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Narayanganj.	Narayanganj.	Fatulla...	9	Pagla	...	150	*North.*
					Deulpara	...	149	
					Bhuingar	...	148	Jurisdiction Keraniganj thana.
					Dhopatita	...	151	
					Philkuni	...	152	
					Aliganj	...	153	*East.*
					Dapa Idrakpur	...	154	
					Siachar	...	155	Narayanganj Municipal area, Godnail, Jalkundi, Shidhirgunge and Goshpur Khorda.
					Kutubpur	...	201	
					Fatulla	...	158	
					Lalpur	...	159	
					Bag Benidas	...	157	
					Khizirpur	...	156	*South.*
					Kaempur	...	200	
					Haziganj	...	188	Alinagar, Fazilpur, Hariharpara, Masdair, Chasara and Narainganj Municipal area.
					Khanpur	...	193	
					Talla	...	195	
					Isdair	...	192	
								West.
								Buriganga river.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the chaukidari panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

3. Notification No. 914L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2618L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Dacca.

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Narayanganj.	Monahardi	Lebutala	9	Gankul ... 1 Jhalpara ... 27 Sharifpur ... 29 Hajikhaner Char 2 Lemutala ... 3 Dharu Bandha ... 26 Dighirpar ... 25 Tarakandi ... 4 Daurpara ... 24 Narendrapur ... 23 Purba Char Durlabhkhan 5 Taterdi ... 21 Shekergaon ... 20 Joar Gazaria ... 6 Gazaria ... 7 Char Gazaria ... 8	*North.* District Mymensingh. *East.* Chalakchar, kismat Ahmadpur, char Shagardi, Khidirpur and Lenta Ahamadpur. *South.* Acchadnagar and Nalua Chak. *West.* Jurisdiction of Kapasia thana.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the chaukidari panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

3. Notification No. 913L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

No 2623L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I(*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Tetuljhora Union, in the district of Dacca (as reconstituted by Notification No 611T.—L.S.-G., dated the 14th October 1916), all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Dacca.

2. Notification No. 551L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

Dacca.

No. 2624 L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*z*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1(*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Panchdona Union, in the district of Dacca (as reconstituted by Notification No. 2622L.S.-G., dated the 25th November 1916), all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

2. Notification No. 952L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

Dacca.

No. 2622 L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Narayanganj.	Rupganj	Panchdona.	9	Nehaba ... 257 Bharsangan ... 258 Bhatpara ... 259 Nasaraddi ... 271 Bagbari ... 272 Patua ... 273 Mulpara ... 269 Uttar-Kansardi... 270 Charpara ... 274 Hajrahat ... 268 Char Madhabdi ... 267 Uttar Daudpur ... 265 Dakshin Kansardi 266 Kamarchar ... 262 Mamudpur Char 263 Dakshin Daudpur 264 Chhota Panchdona ... 261 Nagar Panchdona ... 260 Kakasia ... 256 Sonar ... 255 Panchdona ... 254 Basantapur ... 253 Nalua ... 251 Asmandi ... 252 Chaua ... 232 Matia ... 250 Dakshin Chandan 248 Uttar Burairhat 247 Rupaba ... 249 Dakshin Burair Hât ... 246 Srichandi ... 245 Dakhin Chana ... 233 Meherpara ... 234 Srinagar ... 236 Majankandi ... 235 Char Daudpur ... 244 Nagrar Hât ... 243 Kabirajpur ... 242 Sarpanigair ... 238 Chaitaba ... 237 Goalnagar ... 241 Uttar Swarupaba 240 Doai Chaitaba ... 230 Nisundaria ... 229 Paulanpur ... 239 Hanumantapur... 224	*North.* Jurisdiction of Kapasia thana. *East.* Silmandi Tulsipur, Khidirpur, Kismat Baniadi, Ganergaon, Shekherchar, under the jurisdiction of Narsingdi police-station. *South.* Gadair Char, Tatarpara, Baranaopara, Deabai, Shatgaon. *West.* Dharmapur, Aolahat, Bailain, Mathra, Bhuam, Belabo.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

3. Notification No. 912L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2625L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1(*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Lebutala Union, in the district of Dacca (as reconstituted by Notification No. 2618L.S.-G., dated 25th November 1916), all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Dacca.

2. Notification No. 953L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2626L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1(*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Mirpur Union, in the district of Dacca (as reconstituted by Notification No. 610T.-L.S.-G., dated the 14th October 1916), all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Dacca.

2. Notification No. 945L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2627L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Mirpur Union, in the district of Dacca (as reconstituted by Notification No. 610T.—L.S.-G., dated the 14th October 1916), shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Dacca.

2. Notification No. 970L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2628L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Lebutala Union, in the district of Dacca, as reconstituted by Notification No. 2618L.S.-G., dated 25th November 1916), shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Dacca.

2. Notification No. 978L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2629L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Panchdona Union, in the district of Dacca (as reconstituted by Notification No. 2622L.S.-G., dated the 25th November 1916, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Dacca.

2. Notification No. 977L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2621L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Dacca.

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Narayanganj.	Narayanganj.	Aminpur	9	Balia Dighirpar 442 Raishdia ... 327 Fatekandi ... 326 Chhota Maghbazar 329 Garibardi ... 317 Darpat Thotalia 324 Arjundi ... 328 Goaldi ... 330 Tipurdi ... 338 Padma Labhdi ... 339 Malikerpara ... 340 Chhota Silmandi 373 Tajpur ... 411 Khorda Chaudana 405 Krishnapura ... 402 Bhabanathpur ... 400 Sahapur ... 428 Jayrampur ... 424 Sonargaon ... 432 Uttar Sollapara 434 Islampatti ... 443 Bagmahisha ... 415 Matbari ... 416 Panam Dulalpur 437 Aminpur ... 438 Bari Gandharba 325 Bag Nazirpur ... 331 Noail ... 441 Bazar Aminpur 435 Bhiti Adampur 413 Khagatia ... 436 Chhuparbanda ... 412 Chhota Tilak ... 407 Sibnagar ... 403 Chaudana ... 404 Kanainagar ... 406 Balarampur ... 414 Ananta Muchha 399 Nayabazar ... 439 Lakshimpura ... 440 Dakshin Sollapara 433 Bhattapur ... 422 Ran Bhowal Gobindapur. 418 Paschim Gopalpatti. 421 Purba Gopalpatti 481 Bari Ramkrishnapur. 426 Baninathpur ... 425 Bari Syam Kumar 419 Bari Sriram ... 417 Chilar Bag ... 396 Dalair Bag ... 397 Hatkopa ... 398 Krishnapur ... 401 Khanjarbag ... 408 Khasnagar ... 409 Ichhapar ... 410 Bhiti Gobindapur 420 Char Sonargaon 423 Bari Raghubhanga. 427 Gochat ... 446	*North.* Bhabanipur, Daulatpur, Amdi, Hazratpur and Hamchadi. *East.* Gabtali, Panam Gabtali, Haria Chanderkirti and Shatbhaipara. *South.* Menikhali Khal. *West.* Dehisonargaon, Bari Majlish, Bandara, Chota Sadipur, Ratandi, Silmandi, Jhagrakhola, Kamargaon, Naraindia, Giribardi, Uttamdi, Srinibashdi, Bagbari Ramdi, Hazirpur and Nitardi.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation

of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

3. Notification No. 915L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

Dacca.

No. 2630L.S.-G.—The 25th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Tetuljhora Union, in the district of Dacca, as reconstituted by Notification No. 611T.—L.S.-G., dated the 14th October 1916, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

2. Notification No. 976L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, is hereby cancelled.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR. *the 9th March 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

A State Scholarship of £200 or £250 per annum for European and Anglo-Indian Boys domiciled in India.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the above scholarship for the year 1917. The scholarship will be awarded for the purposes of general study and will be tenable for three or four years in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries. It carries with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectations of such employment are held out. The value of the scholarship will be £250 when held in a College at Oxford or Cambridge; otherwise £200.

2. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among the candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates are requested to forward their applications to the Inspector of European Schools, Bengal, No. 285, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta, from whom further particulars may be obtained, in time to reach the Director of Public Instruction not later than the 1st February 1917. The application should be accompanied by (1) evidence of the candidate having passed the European High School Examination or obtained a degree of an Indian University; (2) a certificate of the candidate's age being over 18 years and under 21 years on the 31st March 1917; (3) a medical certificate of physical fitness to undergo a course of study abroad; (4) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that he is a native of India within the meaning of Statute 33 Vict., cap. 3, section 6; and (5) full details, including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of his academic career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed in the United Kingdom.

3. The term "Native of India" in paragraph 2 above is not to be interpreted as excluding a person who, though born in a Native State or temporarily residing in a Native State, is domiciled in British India.

4. The selected scholar will be provided with a second class passage to England, and also with second class return passage if he carries out the instructions of the Secretary of State and completes the full period of residence, or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th November 1916.

NOTICE.

City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

THE annual Technological Examinations of the City and Guilds of London Institute will be held in Bengal at the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, and the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta, in April and May 1917. The exact dates will be announced later in the issues of the *Calcutta Gazette* appearing from about the last week of March 1917. Candidates desiring to appear at any of the examinations should apply for registration forms, stating the subject or subjects in which they desire to appear. A fee of Rs. 5 has to be paid for each section or grade of a subject, and applications and fees must reach the undersigned not later than the 15th January 1917. The fee will in no case be refunded.

W. H. EVERETT,

Secretary, City and Guilds Examination Committee.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT,
WRITERS' BUILDINGS,
Calcutta, the 10th November 1916.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

B. G. TECHNICAL SCHOOL, RANGPUR.

Result of the Survey Final Examination held in September 1916.

(In order of merit.)

1ST DIVISION.

1. Dinesh Chandra Sarkar.
2. Ramesh Chandra Chaudhury.
3. Akhil Bandhu Chakrabarty.
4. Dinesh Chandra Chakrabarty.
5. Basanta Kumar Chanda.
6. Homanta Kumar Chaudhury.
7. Jnanendra Nath Dam.

2ND DIVISION.

8. Basanta Kumar Sarkar.
9. Upendra Nath Ghose.
10. Jogendra Nath Moitra.
11. Dhana Sundar Burman.
12. Romesh Chandra Ghose.

SIDDHESHWAR SHAHA,

Superintendent, B. G. Technical School, Rangpur.

RANGPUR,
The 20th November 1916.

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

Orders of the Hon'ble the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the University of Calcutta.

THE undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the B.A. Examination held in March 1916 :—

Ray, Nagendranath, II ... Ripon College.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 21st November 1916.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notices of Sale.

NOTIFICATION A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
239-0	Matiari, pargana Pinmy.	.....	.....	2a. 9g. 3c. 1kag annas share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Tarak Dasi Dasi, mother, on behalf of Kali Das and others.	1,121 0 0	.....	14 10 2
458-2	Sankarchandra, pargana Shahanzial.	.....	.....	1 anna share ... ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukerjee	685 5 2	.....	174 5 2

Krishnagar, the 18th November 1916.

BISWESWAR BHATTACHARYA, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1917, at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2466 Ejmali	Manada Sundari and others, pargana Govindapur.	668 13 0	No	13a. 8g. 1c. 3k. 12 ths shares only The remaining 2a. 11g. 2c. 8 ths share of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Manada Sundari Dasi, guardian of Atul Chandra Ghose, minor, and others.	550 13 0	.....	Land Revenue— 24 3 9 Cess— 4 14 9 29 2 6

Rajshahi, the 17th November 1916. A. CASSELLS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrear due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
284	Taluk Char Panchash Hazari, pargana Shahajapur.	1,895 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jadob Chandra Bagchi and others.	.....	65 12 0	.....
285	Ditto ditto ...	2,326 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Roy Parvati Sankar Choudhuri and others.	.....	190 0 1	.....

Faridpur, the 17th November 1916. K. B. GOSSAIN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with section 11 of Act VII of 1868, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.			Khash Mahal tenures.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
Lat No. 10 1927.	Harispur Tahsil Muza, Char-Rahim Meadi Madhasatta No. 24.	548 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sreemoti Asraffernessa Begum and others.	.....	Rent 119 14 Cess 9 9 129 7	.....
Lat No. 5 1686.	Chargazi Tahsil Madhasatta No. 2.	612 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Palanmean	.....	Rent 133 15 Cess 23 1 157 0	.....

Noakhali Collectorate, the 20th November 1916. B. C. PRANCE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th December 1916, at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1916 which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pergana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Rauzan, Patiya, Town, and Satkania and Hathazari, kismat Ambika Babalta, taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 10 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Srimati Bama Sundari, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	182 1 6	.....
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abdul Fazal.	643 3 7	Ditto ...	... ..	Abdul Rauf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi and others.	.....	190 13 6	.....
478	Thana Hathazari, Fatikcheri, Rauzan, Patiya and Town, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest of 6as. will be sold excluding the unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest of 9as. 1p. 6¾kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-5 and also paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10p. 13¼kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-8.	Himangan Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 6	.....	228 15 2
764	Thana Hathazari, Patiya, Rauzan and Town, taraf Darpa Narayan.	2,902 9 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 5 to the extent of interest 6as. 5p. 16¾kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary shares and shares Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28 and 29 to the extent of interest 6as. 10p. 14¼kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,250-12-4 and also unpaid shares 4, 12, 25 and 26 to the extent of interest 2as. 7p. 9kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 475-8.	Ram Krishna Sen, Rasik Ch. Ray.	1,176 4 8	.....	185 5 6
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf mauza Harina Babalta, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Rouf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1242	Thana Satkania according to recent cadastral survey Bashkhali, Patiya according to recent cadastral survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	Ditto ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	207 8 0	.....
1512	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, Patiya, Town and Satkania, taraf Krishna Kisore Kanungoe.	645 6 7	Ditto ...	.....	Satish Ch. Rakhit, Atul Ch. Nandi and others.	.....	136 11 4	.....
1513	Thana Patiya, Sitakund, Rauzan, Satkania, Hathazari and Town, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Srimati Promoda Kumari for Ramesh Charan Ray, Srimati Soudamini Ray for Akhoy Kumar Ray.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1985	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, taraf Md. Raki Khansama.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	... ..	Ram Kumar De for self and on behalf of Kashi Chandra and others, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	273 6 11	.....
2368	Thana Fatikcheri, Hathazari according to recent cadastral survey Rauzan, taraf Das Abdul Hossain.	731 8 9	Ditto ...	.....	Sheik Hasi Md. Isa ...	.....	182 12 8	.....
2554	Thana Chakaria, Patiya, Town, Rauzan, taraf Ram Sundur Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share to the extent of interest 12as. and 10p. will be sold excluding paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3as. 2p. paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Srimati Rahimunissa...	681 6 6	.....	201 4 0

Chittagong, the 25th October 1916.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
31	Pargana Durgapur, Ramkishore Bosu,	5,849 15 0	.....	S. A. No. 1, his. 2 as. 10 gds. ... ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 2 to 26 and residue share amounting to 13 as. 10 gds.	Maheschandra Pal	912 4 5	.....	519 6 11
119	Tappeh Kamrapur Ram Kishore Ghosh.	4,554 3 0	.....	Residue, viz :— ... ... 5 as 6½ gds 2 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarail, Kamtal, Tengabo, Nanaki, Narandi, Aksha, Khargra Dhalchhatra, Goongaon, Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar-Maaleer. 2 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranir char, Oiraba Bhargaon, Hasail Alunia, Bhaber char, Goalghooni, Joar Khagatia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur. 1 a. 13½ gds 1 kt. of Joar Panchamighat. 7 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Joar Durgapur, 8 as. of remaining kismat except Joar Gutiaba. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 to 76 amounting to 10 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarail Kamtul, Tengabo, Nanaki, Narandi, Aksha, Kharagra, Dhalchhatra, Goongaon Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar Maaleer. 13 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranirchar, Oiraba, Bhargao Hasail, Alunia Bhaber char, Goalghuni, Joar Ghagutia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur. 14 as. 6½ gds 2 kt. of Joar Panchamighat, 8 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Durgapur, 16 as. of Joar Gutiaba. 8 as. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Rai Chaudhury and others.	1 660 2 11	.....	268 5 8
	Pargana Rajnagar, Chakle Nurpur Mudafat Hiaya Rajkrishna Sen.	708 10 0	16 ans	.....	Joy Chandra Datta and others.	.....	67 1 7	.....
201	Pargana Rajnagar Mudafat Hiaya Rajkrishna Sen, Chakle Raipur Bonga Chandra Banerjee.	1,979 4 1	.....	Residue, viz., 8 as. 17½ gds. 1 dt. of Joar Daudpur, 16 as. of remaining kismats. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 and 2 amounting to 7 as. 2 gds. 2 kt. 2 dt. of Joardoudpur.	Ram Kanai Pal and others.	1,911 4 3	... ..	23 11 7
546	Pargana Rakaupur, tappeh Boukhanda John Hollow.	3,074 10 8	.....	Residue, viz., 4 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Ghior, Takurkandi Kandapara, Ghecrer Char, Bandar, Bandakadamtali, Bandasundarpur, Banda Karatia, Degreerchar, 4 as. 10 gds. of Benodepur, 7 as. of Safuli, 8 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Rai Chaudhuri and others.	1,558 14 5	.....	97 13 8
9013	Pargana Nasti, kt. Saliliya in char Mirpur.	961 0 0	.....	Residue, hiaya 12 as. 9½ gds. 8 til ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz. :— S. A. No. 1, hiaya 3 as. 10 gds. 2 kt.	Mahini Kanta Saha Choudhuri and others.	750 2 6	.....	56 2 3
10802	Surplus to Rajrajeswar.	1,338 0 0	16 annas ...	... ..	Surjya Kumar Das and others.	.....	99 12 1	.. ...
10804	Pargana Nasti, surplus to Porakanda.	1,388 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rajkumar Bondapadhya.	.....	644 0 0	.....
10908	Tappeh Rau Bhowal surplus to Baloo char in mauza Galimpur.	1,320 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rani Ananta Sundari Debi Chowdhurani and others.	.....	35 7 8	.....
10946	Surplus to mauza Bil Xamarta.	649 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bibhabati Debi ...	.....	40 12 0	.....
13546	Pargana Nasti, parcel of land excluded from estate No. 10804.	564 8 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakraberty.	.....	8 3 7	.....
13642	Dearah, mahal Soydpur	655 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Parbati Sundari Dasya and others.	.....	1,410 0 0	.....
14780	Dearah, mahal Rahitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Mr. F. W. Needham	.....	2,568 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 3rd November 1916.

S. C. SINHA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Jessore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 4th January 1917, at noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
5041-1	Dihi Karora, pargana Rajpur.	.....	No ...	18a. 3g. 1c. 1k.	Gopal Devi and others	Rs. A. P. 885 12 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 20 11 6½

Jessore, the 16th November 1916.

B. N. RAU, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Burdwan-Howrah Chord Railway, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Friday, the 12th January 1917, corresponding with the Bengali 28th Paush 1323 B. S., at Kamarkundu station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Hooghly ...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Khagragachi.	18	Situated on the north side of the Railway.	13 13 10	4·52	.....	.....	From chain 92·130 to chain 95·040.	*North*—By the lands of Naran Bose, Dhani Dasi, Amulya Kalia, Srinath Das, Babu Monohar Mukerji, Beni Patra, Srinibash Patra, Bason Dash Gut am Kalia, Hari Malic, Kedar Malic, Abinash Santra, Srinibash Das, Bhiku Das, Nani Mauna, Kittanta Dasi, Manoda Dasi, Sham Kalia, Bhut Nath Pal, Basudeb Bagh, Basudeb Kalia, Sadhu Kalia, Chaku Kalia, Hari Kalia, Manic Pal, Sidheswar Kalia, Tulsi Kalia, Kali Singh, Thanda Singh and Hem Kalia. *East*—By the lands of Raghu Pal and Dwaraka Nath Adak. *South*—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company. *West*—By the land of Naran Bose.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Bandipur, mauza Madhyahijli.	18	Ditto ...	7 14 11	2·86	.....	.....	From chain 90·830 to chain 92·130.	*North*—By the lands of Itaju Pal, Dwarata Nath Adak, Mohesh Adak Bansi Santra, Gosta Santra, Muktaram Kalia, Mohendra Bagh, Gopi Dasi, Gokul Santra, Dasu Adak, Ekkari Pal, Raghu Nath Pal, Babu Suresh Chandra Mukerji, and Gosta Santra. *East*—By the land of Karuna Singh; *South*—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company. *West*—By the land of Dhani Dasi and Beni Santra.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Bandipur, mauza Uchitpur	18	Ditto ...	0 12 4	0·30	.....	.....	From chain 90·500 to chain 90·830.	*North*—By the Chakran lands of Karuna Sing, Nanda Lal Das and Gokul Mukerji. *East*—By the Chakran land of Karuna Singh. *South*—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company. *West*—By the land of Gosta Santra.

Burdwan, the 23rd November 1916.

MATHURA NATH BANERJI, Collector under Act I of 1894.

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal, on the 15th November 1916.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		Grand Total.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.	Termi-nable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	
Balance of 31st October 1916 ...	28,34,900	96,60,700	4,59,88,200	1,51,37,500	68,45,500	24,90,900	8,01,22,800	2,500	20,45,000	8,50,05,200
ADD—										
Amount of loan certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto at Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	28,34,900	96,60,700	4,59,88,200	1,51,37,500	68,45,500	24,90,900	8,01,22,800	2,500	20,45,000	8,50,05,200
DEDUCT— Amount written off in the London Registers.	.....	17,800	6 18,000	21,600	2,000	1,04,300	7,63,700	.....	.....	7,63,700
Balance on 15th November 1916...	28,34,900	96,42,900	4,53,70,200	1,51,15,900	68,43,500	23,86,600	7,93,59,100	2,500	20,45,000	8,42,41,800

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Sept. 1916—Enfaced from India, 12,364 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,361 lakhs.

,,	16th September 1916	to	30th	,,	,,	,,	,,	20 lakhs	,,	,, ,, ...
,,	1st October	,,	to	15th Oct.	,,	,,	,,	,,	...	,, ,, ...
,,	16th	,,	,,	to	31st	,,	,,	,,	,,	1 lakh ,, ,, ,, 23 lakhs.
,,	1st November	,,	to	15th Nov.	,,	,,	,,	,,	...	,, ,, ,, 8 ,,
										12,385 lakhs. 12,892 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 20th November 1916.*

P. A. SELFE, *Superintendent.*

N. H. Y. WARREN, *Secretary & Treasurer.*

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 21st November 1916

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs.	2,08,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... ,,	50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs	1,18,79,453 2 8			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,,	1,03,49,142 8 0	2,17,28,595	10	8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		20,55,67,707	14	9
Bank Post Bills, etc.		12,10,768	6	9
Sundries		13,84,538	0	3
		27,06,97,605	0	5

ASSETS

		Rs	A.	P.
Government Securities		6,51,97,542	12	0
Other authorized Investments		1,11,68,145	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		2,97,02,572	0	6
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,81,38,068	2	11
Bills discounted and purchased		2,78,38,046	5	11
Balances with other Banks		42,68,230	9	11
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		29,25,916	14	4
Stamps		11,738	6	1
Sundries		3,70,092	12	2
		19,95,60,375	15	10
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs.	3,12,59,314 2 1			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs.	3,98,77,914 14 6	7,11,37,229	0	7
		27,06,97,605	0	5

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 3,51,555 0 0
† Do. do do ,, 8,61,810 0 0
Rs. 12,13,365 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 8 per cent.
Percentage, 80·94.

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, the 23rd November 1916.

H. MITCHELL, Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer.

(2522—1)

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government in the undermentioned abandoned tacavi embankment land of river Damodar, situated in the district of Burdwan, will be sold by the Collector of Burdwan at the Burdwan Collectorate on the 9th January 1917 under section 87 of Act II of 1882 on the following conditions :—

Conditions of Sale.

1. Each plot of land to be sold to the highest bidder not below the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of the sale.

2 The purchaser will hold the land free of revenue and the proprietary right of Government will be transferred to the purchaser from the date of sale.

3. The sale to be subject to the existing leases.

4. The purchaser will be bound to respect the rights conferred by settlement proceedings and by the laws in force on the tenure-holders, sub-tenants and other persons claiming any interest on the land.

5. If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount to be paid down at once, if the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the property to be resold at the risk of the defaulting bidder after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Schedule of Property.

1. Thirty-six bighas seven cottahs and one chitak of abandoned tacavi embankment land situated in mauza Kalara and Jankuli, pargana Haveli, thana Jamalpur, district Burdwan, bounded on the—

North—By plot Balarampur abandoned embankment.
East—By Triguneswar Mitra's land, Matiulla's land, Ahadmir's land, Moroddin Mallick's land, Nima, Mallick's land, Rabanni Mallick's land, Haru Mallick's land and Kalu Sarkar's land.
South—By Government waste land which was leased to late Jogendra Nath Mitra.
West—By Triguneswar Mitra's land, Monboth Mallick's chakran land, Mokshed and Khairu Mallick's land, Dularaddi Mallick's land, Triguneswar Mitra's land, Korban Shaik's land, Dularaddi Mallick's land, Jogendra Nath Dhara's land, Hari Das Madak and Jairam Aadak's land.

2. Twelve bighas and seventeen cottahs of abandoned tacavi embankment land situated in mauza Lakhra, pargana Haveli, thana Jamalpur, bounded on the—

North—By the base of the removed Lakhra zamindari embankment, Nasaraddi Dewan's land, and the bank of the river Damodar.
East—By Niharan Sarkar's land, Gosta Dhar's land, Syam Bagdi's land, Broja Dhara's land, Upendra Ghose's land, Rakhal Palit's land, Nasaraddi Dewan's land, Kunja Dhara's land, Pasupati Ghose's land, and Chandra Choudhuri's land.
South—By the schedule masonry boundary pillar, Berugram Government embankment and Chandra Choudhuri's land.
West—By Nasaraddi Dewan's land, Jader Buxe's land, Girish Chandra Goswami's land, Ram Joogi's land, Brajadhara's land, Syam Bagdi's land, Baroda Kanta Ghose's land and Chandra Choudhuri's land.

3. Eleven bighas sixteen cottahs four chitaks of abandoned tacavi embankment land situated in mauza Balarampur, pargana Haveli, thana Jamalpur, district Burdwan, bounded on the—

North—By schedule masonry boundary pillar, removed base of the Berugram Government embankment.
East—By Chandra Gopal Haldar's land, Dulal Paril's land, Baikantha Ghose's land, Ram Das Shah's land Bhola Nath Pal's land, Adhur Bharari's land, Satish Bharari's land, Jogendra Haldar's land, Ekkar Haldar's land, Kali Haldar's land and Sashi Chatterjee's land.
South—By Balarampur Government embankment.
West—By Chandra Gopal Haldar's land, Asutosh Pal's land, Dulal Paril's land, Hari Pal's land, nalla, Ram Das Shah's land, Manik Hari's land Jogendra Haldar's land, Ekkari Haldar's land, Rasik Khatui's land and nalla.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Burdwan, the 23rd November 1916.

SALE NOTICE

Second Sub-Judge's Court Tippera.

No. 9 OF 1916, EXECUTION CASE IN A RENT DECREE IN SUIT No. ½ OF 1910.

His Highness the Maharaja Birendra Keshore Manikya Bahadur, decree-holder.

Nabin Chandra Choudhuri and others, judgment-debtors.

No. 376.—Taksheshi Hastabudhi Taluk Darpa Narain Choudhuri with variable rent of Rs. 860-5-6 annually payable to the landlord, decree-holder, the said Maharaja, situated in the villages Khariala, Ekaichara, Kaimpur, Mandabhag, Nayanpur, Chaura, Natghar, in the pargana of Nurnagar, within police-station and sub-registry of Nabinagar and Kasba in the district of Tippera. The said taluk is in arrears. The approximate value thereof is Rs. 8,000.

The date fixed for sale is 5th January 1917. The decretal amount including execution costs is Rs. 4,934-0-9, for realization of which amount the properties have been advertized for sale.

CHANDRA BHUSHAN BANERJEE,
Second Sub-Judge, Tippera.

Comilla, the 24th November 1916. (2529—2)

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1916 (SUMMARY).

NOTICE is hereby given that Meher Shekh, son of Haboo Shekh, of Bamungram, thana Rampurhat, district Birbhum, applicant in the above case, was adjudged an insolvent by this Court on the 9th November 1916.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Suri, the 24th November 1916. (2535—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 58 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 7th September 1916, filed by Abdur Rashid, son of late Hamid-ullah, of Bakalia, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 18th day of September 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2495—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 74 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Jalil Baksh, son of Rahatulla, of Sonakania, thana Satkania, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 11th November 1916, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 21st of December 1916 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 22nd November 1916. (2525—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 61 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 9th September 1916, filed by Jagat Chandra Majee, son of late Sachiram De, of Keli Shahar, thana Patiya, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 23rd day of November 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2536—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 55 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 30th August 1916, filed by Girish Chandra De, (2) Ramesh Chandra De and (3) Sarada Charan Da, sons of Ramkanta De, deceased, of Chikdair, thana Raozan, and on the application of the debtors and on reading their petition and hearing their pleader, it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 23rd day of November 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2537—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 7 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 4th February 1916, filed by debtor Sheik Lakhu, son of late Sheik Kamu, of Khalilpur, police-station Harirampur, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 18th day of November 1916.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2507—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 74 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 23rd August 1916, filed by debtor Alibox, son of late Ali, of Chaharerbazar, police station Lalbag, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 18th day of November 1916.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2508—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 68 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Bhushai Mollah, son of Sheikh Shatab, of Kocherchar, police-station Monohardi, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 21st November 1916. (2511—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 91 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Chunilal Saha, son of late Ram Chand Saha, of Dakhin Mashundi, police-station Sutrapur, district Dacca, the 19th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub Judge.

Dacca, the 21st November 1916. (2513—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sadhu Bepari, son of Sheik Badu, deceased, of Rowharchor, station Manikgunge, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 11th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Dacca, the 20th November 1916. (2518—1)

NOTICE

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 22 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Madhu Bepari, son of Shek Bodu, deceased, of Rowharchor, station Manikgunge, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 11th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Dacca, the 20th November 1916. (2517—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sashi Mohan Das, son of Kali Charan Das, deceased, of Narisha, station Nowabgunge, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Dacca, the 24th November 1916. (2547—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 19 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Brindaban Chandra Das, son of Kali Charan Das, deceased, of Narisha, station Nowabgunge, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Dacca, the 24th November 1916. (2548—1)

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 69 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Abdulgani, son of late Tamizuddi, of Saidpur, police-station Narainganj, district Dacca, the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub Judge.

Dacca, the 21st November 1916. (2572—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 90 OF 1916

(INSOLVENCY).

HOSENULLA AKANDA, son of Malang Akanda, deceased, resident of Bajitpur, police station Nawabganj, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 8th January 1917 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 25th November 1916. (2545—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 79 OF 1916

(INSOLVENCY).

MAGA MONDAL, son of Shadulla Mondal, deceased, resident of Dhiash, police-station Nawabganj, district Dinajpur, was, on the 15th September 1916, adjudicated an insolvent

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 25th November 1916. (2546—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 37 OF 1916.

TAKE notice that Shib Charan Sil Kaviraj, son of late Ram Kanai Sil Kaviraj, of Achura, police-station Palong, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and that 8th January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 24th November 1916. (2528—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 10 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause (2), section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that Esarat Mia son of late Rowson Mia, of Matla, called Merarchar, at present of Ghope, police-station Kotwali, in the district of Jessore, has applied for being adjudged an insolvent and that the 11th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing of the application

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge.

Jessore, the 21st November 1916 (2534—1—2622)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 27 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 28th June 1916, filed by Punjabali Malita, son of late Misu Malita, of Satian, police-station Mirpur, district Nadia, and on the application of the petitioner insolvent and on reading his application and hearing his pleader on 16th September 1916 it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 22nd day of November 1916.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

(2514—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44(1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1914.

T. H. Moore, Driver, B. N. R., Khargpore, applicant.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 5th day of December 1916 at 11 o'clock for hearing the application.

To (1) Nimi Chand clerk, Store department, Khargpore, Bengal Nagpur Railway.

(2) Mr. F. Lyons, Traffic quarter, Khargpore.

(3) Ram Kissori Lall, Old Bazar, Khargpore.

Dated this 18th day of November 1916.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

(2488—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ORDERS OF DISCHARGE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 41 OF 1915

Ramajulu Naidu, insolvent.

To (1) Ranga Naik Amma, and (2) T. Partha Sarothi Naidu, creditors

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has been granted his discharge by an order of this Court dated the 17th November 1916

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Dated this 23rd day of November 1916. (2527—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 52 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 31st July 1916, filed by Rajendra Nath Dolai, of Dari-Ajodhya, pargana Chetua, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Mohini Mohon Das, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 14th December 1916 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 14th December 1916 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 18th day of November 1916.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

(2489—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 60 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th August 1916, filed by Umesh Chandra Mondal, of Ramjibanpore, pargana Chandrakona, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Ajodhya Nath De, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 16th December 1916 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 21st day of November 1916.

C. H MOSELEY, District Judge.

(2518—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 51 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 31st July 1916, filed by Ramnath Paria, of Dari Ajodhya, pargana Chetua, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Mohini Mohon Das, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent and the 11th December 1916 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 11th December 1916 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Dated this 21st day of November 1916.

(2519—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 65 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Bankim Behari Dutta of Ber-ballavpore, Midnapore, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 20th September 1916, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 22nd day of December 1916 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you, are as follows :—

List of Creditors.

		Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Ram Chandra Dutta and Natabar Dutta	567	13	6
2.	Nadiar Chand De	431	11	0
3.	Uma Charan Sen	329	15	3
4.	Upendra Nath Dutta ...	188	15	3
5.	Ambika Charan De ...	701	8	6
6.	Sayaram Biswas ...	329	12	9
7.	Srimati Icha Moyaroni ...	1,497	14	3
8.	Behari Lal Bhar	3,324	5	6
9	Srimati Satyamoni Dasi ...	797	0	0
10	Rakhal Chandra Bera ...	30	5	6
11.	Bhagaban Chandra Singh ...	62	0	0
12.	Gobinda Chandra Banerjea ...	41	5	6
13.	Mokhoda Debya ...	990	4	3
14.	Soilendra Bhattacharya ...	325	0	0
15	Panchananda Majumdar ...	800	0	0
16.	Tachi Telani	500	0	0
17.	Radhasyam Das	46	8	3
18	Rabi Lochon Guin ...	100	10	3
19.	Sashibhuson Kar	272	0	3
20.	Sashibhuson Das	598	4	6
21.	Kumudini Dasi	100	0	0
22.	Purnima Dasi	1,221	11	6
23.	Girish Chandra Das ...	152	4	3
24.	Nimai Debya	150	0	0
25.	Nakur Chandra Dutta ...	276	1	6
26.	Asutosh Chaudhuri ...	180	3	0
27.	Kedar Nath Banerjea ...	117	7	6
28.	Hara Lal Sen	132	5	0
29.	Khiroda Dasi	297	4	0
30.	Saroda Sundari Dasi ...	964	4	0
31.	Ganga Bison Kutari ...	693	15	9
32.	Sitaram Proyag Das ...	209	7	6
33.	Tripura Bewa	198	0	0
34.	Jiw Raj Kotatia	700	0	0
35.	Hari Dasi	260	0	0
36.	Narendranath Banerjea ...	199	11	3
37.	Bamasundari Dasi ...	100	0	0
38.	Raj Kumari Dasi ...	207	14	9
39.	Nilmoni Dasi	1,800	0	0
40.	Ramanukul Mazumdar ...	463	1	3
41.	Ganga Bison Muralidhar ...	600	11	6
42.	Damon Chandra Adhitya ...	500	0	0
43.	Meghraj Kanai Lal ...	800	0	0
44.	Haradeb Das Chaiton Das ...	692	12	9
45.	Giridhari Lal Champa Lal ...	1,027	13	0
46.	Jogen Bala Dasi ...	69	6	9
47.	Troilokhya Nath Paul ...	500	0	0
48.	Sheik Mokarim ...	565	7	0
49.	Gongadas Kuthari ...	604	8	6
50.	Manik Chand & Co. ...	84	10	0
51.	Ramnarain Panreh ...	1,200	0	0
52.	Golapi Bewa	76	0	0
53	Kalidhan Mazumdar ...	210	6	6
54	Hanumontaram Mangal Chand	75	13	3
55.	Abinash Chandra Mitra ...	2,000	0	0
56.	Rudranarain Bhakat ...	193	14	3
57.	Chuni Lal Ram Narain ...	203	6	3
58.	Sital Prosad Maiti ...	21	15	0
59.	Gobinda Chandra Bit ...	27	10	9
60.	Satish Chandra Sen ...	55	14	6
61.	Kiron Bala Dasi	830	0	0
62.	Durga Moni Debi ...	516	6	0
63.	Gurudas Paul & Co. ...	705	14	3
64.	Monsuk Das Marwari ...	16	6	6
65.	Nikunja Behari Dutta ...	246	9	9
66.	Siw Narayan Dhonaraj ...	299	4	6

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge

Midnapore, the 23rd November 1916. (2449—1).

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 70 OF 1916.

Narayan Chandra Bera, of Dhadki, pargana Balarampur, thana Khargpur, petitioner.

WHEREAS this petitioner has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 8th November of 1916, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 9th day of December 1916 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

		Rs.	A	P.
1.	Adhar Chandra Paul, of Pratappur, thana Khargpur, pargana Balarampur, post-office Benapur	1,623	3	9
2.	Gopinath Bose, of Bhabanipur, thana and pargana Khargpur, post-office Khargpur ...	400	0	0
3.	Surendra Nath Bose, of Bhabanipur, thana and pargana and post-office Khargpur ...	110	0	0
4.	Sreemuty Putimani Dasi, of Nimgarha, Patna, thana and pargana and post-office Khargpur	240	0	0
5.	Bhuban Maity, of Garhasoli, pargana Balarampur, thana Khargpur, post-office Benapur	110	0	0
6.	Kishun Choudhur, of Hoorhoorhya, pargana Balarampur, thana Khargpur, post-office Benapur	90	0	0
7.	Sreemuty Basanta Kumari Dasi, of Sujaganja, town Midnapore, thana and post-office Midnapore	33	0	0
8.	Upendra Nath Kalamurhi and Babulal Kalamurhi, of Manikpur, town Midnapore, thana and post-office Midnapore ...	663	0	0
9.	Bankimbehari Bera, of Dhadhamana, pargana Balarampur, thana Khargpur, post-office Benapur	124	0	0
	Total ...	3,393	3	9

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Midnapore, the 21st November 1916. (2503—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 27 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Hibash Shaikh, of Shibnagar, police-station Daulatabad, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 9th December 1916.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 20th November 1916. (2487—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 34 OF 1916

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Tarani Kanta Ghose, of Malopara, police-station Haribarpara, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court, dated the 11th November 1916.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 21st November 1916. (2505—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 28 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Bhagmal Panjabi and Sriram Panjabi, of Khagra, police-station Sujaganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioners have been adjudged insolvents by an order of this Court dated the 11th November 1916.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 21st November 1916. (2506—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1916.

Petitioner Kunja Behari Mondal.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Kunja Behari Mondal, of Kodailkati, police-station Gangni, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court No. 36 of 1916 and that 16th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 22nd November 1916. (2515—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 65 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Tarak Nath Pramanik and others, of Salgaria, police-station Pabna, that the insolvency petition of Shyam Lal Pramanik, son of late Bonomali Pramanik, of Gangkula, police-station Pabna, has been filed and that the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 21st November 1916. (2520—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No 7 OF 1915, ACT III OF 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jhalu Pramanick, son of late Taripullah Pramanick, of chak Tikari, station Pabna, was adjudicated insolvent on the 28th July 1915 by this Court.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 23rd November 1916. (2533—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 32 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mangal Pramanick, son of late Jadu Pramanick, of char Sadi Pur, station Pabna, district Pabna, was adjudicated insolvent by this Court on the 1st July 1916.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 23rd November 1916. (2534—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 113 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Shafat Nasya, son of late Shadulla Nasya, of Ram Gobinda, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 2nd day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 18th November 1916. (2482—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 114 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Pranhari Das, son of late Beng Das, of Kaikuri, police-station Pirgacha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 2nd day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 18th November 1916. (2483—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 112 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Baharulla Mia, son of late Badulla Mia, of Noahati Kallyani, police-station at present Kaunia, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent the 2nd day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 18th November 1916. (2484—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 115 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Maniruddin, son of late Mina Sheikh, of Arippur, police-station Mitlapukur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 2nd day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 18th November 1916. (2485—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 116 OF 1916.

PRESENT

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Aim Ulla, son of late Bahar Sheikh, of Haribhanga, police station Lalmanirhat, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 2nd day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 18th November 1916. (2486—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 123 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S, District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kutub Ulla Nashya, son of late Joy Mamud, of Bakchi, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 22nd November 1916 (2530—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 124 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S, District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Nachu Nashya, son of Aim Ulla, of Bakchi, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 22nd November 1916. (2531—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 122 OF 1916.

PRESENT .

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Khattu Nashya, son of Tepra Mudi, of Bakchi, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1916. (2532—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Tippera.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause (2), section XII of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition made by Abdul Majid, son of Basaraddi, resident of village Anstagram, pargana Sarail, police-station Brahmanbaria, district Tippera, has been admitted by this Court as No. 11 of 1916 and that the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

F. W. WARD, District Judge.

Comilla, the 23rd November 1916. (2538—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Tippera.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1916

MUKUNDA CHANDRA SAHA, son of late Gobind Chandra Saha, resident of Sriramde, pargana Purchamdi, thana Chandpur, district Tippera, was, on the 11th day of November 1916, adjudicated an insolvent by this Court under section 16 of Act III of 1907.

F. W. WARD, District Judge.

Comilla, the 20th November 1916. (2551—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Tippera.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section XII of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Jinnat Ali, son of late Nazar Sarkar, of village Autgau, pargana Sarail, thana Brahmanbaria, district Tippera, has been admitted by this Court as No. 13 of 1916, and that the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

F. W. WARD, District Judge.

Comilla, the 23rd November 1916. (2552—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Tippera.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause (2), section XII of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Nil Kamal Shaha, son of late Ram Narayan Shaha, of village Fandauk, pargana Sarail, thana Nasirnagar, district Tippera, has been admitted by this Court as No 15 of 1916 and that the 9th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

F. W WARD, District Judge.

Comilla, the 23rd November 1916. (2553—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 275 OF 1916.

Munshi Mia, of Kidderpur, thana Tolligunge, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Harihar Mukherjee and others, creditors.

ON the 8th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of December 1916 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 11th November 1916. (2451—1—2617)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 282 OF 1916.

Cecil Henry Wynn, of Dock Police, Kidderpur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Mohendra Nath Mallik and others, creditors.

ON the 9th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of December 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 13th November 1916. (2454—1—2613)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 283 OF 1916.

Pannamoni Dasi, widow of Shasi Bhusan Pal, of Baranagar, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To P. M. Bagchi and another, creditors.

ON the 9th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of December 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 13th November 1916. (2455—1—2615)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 228 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 7th August 1916, made by Manawar Shah, of No. 56-9, Narealdanga North Road, thana Beliaghata, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing the pleader on his behalf, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 11th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2442—1—2621)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 229 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 7th August 1916, made by Satya Charan Karmakar, son of late Biswanath Karmakar, of Raipur, thana Budge-Budge, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 11th day of November 1916.

A. H CUMING, District Judge.

(2443—1—2620)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 249 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 28th August 1916, made by Nabin Chandra Biswas, son of late Biru Biswas, of No. 1-1, Chhatu Babu Lane, thana Entally, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is orderd that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 11th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2444—1—2616)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 279 OF 1916.

Sk. Paltu Mia, son of late Bansi Mia, of Budge-Budge, Bahirgar, thana Budge-Budge, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Bhikari Tanti and others, creditors]

ON the 8th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of December 1916 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 11th November 1916. (2452—1—2618)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 280 OF 1916.

Panchanondas Bairagi, son of Bhagaban Chandra Das Bairagi, of Tollygunge, thana Tollygunge, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Radhika Prosad Dutt & Co. and others, creditors.

ON the 8th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of December 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 11th November 1916. (2453—1—2614)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 284 OF 1916.

Rup Chand Bar, son of late Digambar Bar, of Shanesayambati, thana Budge-Budge, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Sumer Singh and others, creditors.

ON the 8th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of December 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 11th November 1916. (2456—1—2619)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 285 OF 1916.

Nafor Chandra Pal, Baloram Bosu Ghat Road, Bhowanipur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Bepin Behary De and others, creditors.

ON the 9th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 4th day of December 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 13th November 1916. (2457—1—2612)

MAULVI AZIZUL ALAM, B.L., intends to be admitted to practise as a Vakil in the High Court.

(2544—4)

Advertisement.

WANTED a District Engineer for the Dacca District Board temporarily for six months from the 10th February 1917 on a monthly salary of Rs. 600 with 1st class travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations. Applicants must have the qualifications prescribed in Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, as subsequently amended. Applications with certificates and testimonials are to be submitted on or before the 10th January in sealed and registered covers addressed to the Chairman, District Board, Dacca, and superscribed "Application for post of District Engineer."

S. C. CHAKRABUTTY, for Chairman.

District Board Office, Dacca, the 20th November 1916. (2509—3)

Notice.

WANTED a qualified Sanitary Inspector by the District Board, 24-Parganas, for six months for the present on a monthly salary of Rs. 50 and a fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15.

Applications with copies of testimonials, stating age and past services, will be received by the undersigned up to 30th November 1916. The selected candidate will have to join at once.

J. LANG, Chairman, District Board, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 14th November 1916. (2445—2)

Notice.

SEALED tenders for the supply of meat (beef and mutton best grass fed) at all the Cantonment Stations in the 8th (Lucknow) Division from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1918, will be received by the Deputy Assistant Director of Supplies, 8th (Lucknow) Division, up to 12 noon on the 12th December 1916.

2 Further particulars, forms of tenders and schedules can be obtained on application in writing to the above officer up to 30th November 1916 on payment of Re. 1 for each set of forms. No tenders will be received except on forms issued from his office.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government, on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 056705 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 500 originally standing in the name of Hari Das Sreemaney and last endorsed to Aswini Kumar Das Gupta, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Aswini Kumar Das Gupta.
Residence—Bhatia, P.O. Siddhakati, Dist. Barisal.

(2481—3—2610)

The City Insurance Society, Ld. (In Liquidation).

PURSUANT to section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, a meeting of the members of the above Company will be held on the 23rd December 1916, at 1 P.M., at Canning House.

S. K. DAY, Incorporated Accountant, Liquidator.

137, Canning Street, Calcutta, the 22nd November 1916. (2549—1—2623)

The Rampant Assurance Co., Ld. (In Liquidation).

PURSUANT to section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, a meeting of the members of the Company will be held on the 23rd December 1916, at 1 P.M., at Canning House.

S. K. DAY, Incorporated Accountant,
Liquidator.

137, Canning Street, Calcutta, the 22nd November 1916. (2550—1—2624)

Rajdoha Mining Co., Ld. (In Liquidation). Indian Companies Act, 1913, section 217 (1).

THE final General Meeting of the shareholders of the Rajdoha Mining Company, Limited (in voluntary liquidation), will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 8, Clive Street, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 3rd January 1917, at noon, to receive the final report of the Liquidators.

W. O. GRAZEBROOK,
A. D'A. WILLIS, } Liquidators.

Calcutta, the 25th November 1916. (2521—1—2626)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913) and in the matter of The Pearl Provident Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Pearl Provident Company, Limited, will, unless cause be shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 27th November 1916.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913) and in the matter of International Library, Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of International Library, Limited, has this day been struck off the Register and that the Company is dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 27th November 1916.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of Kalipahari Coal Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of Kalipahari Coal Company, Limited, has this day been struck off the Register and that the Company is dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 27th November 1916.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of W. N. Bhose & Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of W. N. Bhose & Company, Limited, has this day been struck off the Register and that the Company is dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 27th November 1916.

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LIBERALITY OF BABU BULDEODAS BIRLA OF CALCUTTA.

No. 3231Medl., dated Calcutta, the 23rd November 1916.

From—THE HON'BLE MR. J. DONALD, C.I.E., Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Finl. (Medl.) Dept.,

To—The Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal.

WITH reference to your memorandum No. 1612-D., dated the 2nd November 1916, and enclosure, reporting that Babu Buldeodas Birla of Messrs. Buldeodas Joogul Kissore, Calcutta, has made a donation of Rs. 50,000 for the construction of a suitable ward within the compound of the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, for the treatment of patients suffering from tuberculosis, I am directed to request that you will be so good as to convey to the gentleman the thanks of Government for his liberality and public spirit.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·01	8	8	Weather seasonable. *Marua* and cardamom are being harvested. Sowing of potatoes continues. Cattle-disease is prevalent at Kalimpong.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather cold at night. Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress. Lands are under preparation for *rabi* crops; sowing continues in places. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8	7½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7¾	(*a*)	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Reaping of winter rice, preparation of lands for the *rabi* crops and sowings of pulses continue. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is going on. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good; harvesting continues. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8	7 9/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	7½ / 8½†	7½ / 8†	Weather seasonable and favourable to sowing of mustard, pulses and other *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are available. Local import of rice and paddy is reported from Baidyabazar and other places.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	7	7	
	Narayanganj	Nil	7 9/16 / 8¾†	(*a*)	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	7	7	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	6¾	6¼	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Harvesting of early winter rice has commenced; prospects are good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	6⅞	6⅞	
	Tangail ...	Nil	7 5/16	7⅛	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	6⅞	6⅝	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	(*a*)	6⅞	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEER, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ..	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Bhadarganj police-station.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8	8	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	7¾	7¾	
	Gopalganj‡	Nil	8	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient. Prospects of winter rice are fair.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7½	7	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of early winter rice is in progress. Outturn is expected to be fair. Cultivation of the *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	8	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	7½	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good excepting in Kotwali thana. Harvesting of winter rice and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Cattle-disease is reported from some places of Chandpur subdivision. Fodder is sufficient except in Kotwali thana.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8	6	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	8	8	
27	NOAKHALI ..	Nil	8¾	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are in progress. Prospects of winter rice are good.
	Feni ...	Nil	9⅛	9⅛	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 28th November 1916.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 25th November 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
1. Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5 8 0	5 12 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ medium ...	6 0 0	6 2 0	0 2 6	0 3 6
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5 12 0	5 15 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ medium ...	6 0 0	6 4 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5 8 0	6 0 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ medium ...	6 4 0	6 9 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6 4 0	6 5 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	4 11 0	5 5 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
(vi) Kajla	3 11 0	4 6 0	0 2 1½	.....
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	5 1 0	.....	.....	.....
„ Gangajali ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ Jamali ...	4 14 0	.....	.....	.....
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3 14 0	4 3 0	0 1 9	0 2 9
4. „ dal	4 10 0	5 4 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5 10 0	6 12 0	0 2 9	0 4 0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5 4 0	5 10 0	0 2 9	0 3 9
6. Arhar „	3 12 0	6 4 0	0 2 0	0 2 9
7. Masur „ (split) ...	5 12 0	6 12 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ „ (khanri) ...	6 12 0	8 4 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
8. Kalai „	5 0 0	5 12 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
9. Salt (Liverpool) ...	2 13 0	.....	0 1 4½	0 1 6
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	14 0 0	.....	0 5 0	0 7 0
11. Gur (Bheli)	6 8 0	6 12 0	0 3 0	0 4 0
„ (Bhursut) ...	7 8 0	9 0 0	0 2 6	0 4 0
12. Milk	9 0 0	10 0 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
13. Mustard oil	14 12 0	15 8 0	0 6 0	0 9 0
14. Flour (country) ...	6 0 0	7 0 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
15. Ata No. 3	4 8 0	4 12 0		
„ „ 2½	4 14 0	5 4 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
„ „ B	6 12 0	7 2 0		
16. Suji	6 2 0	7 4 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	61 0 0	62 0 0	1 10 0	. ...
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	57 0 0	59 8 0	1 6 0	1 8 0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	52 0 0	55 0 0	1 4 0	1 6 0
18. Maize	2 8 0	3 0 0	.....	.....
19. Potato	6 0 0	7 14 0	0 2 0	0 4 0
20. Patal	.....	.....	.....	.....
21. Brinjal	3 12 0	4 8 0	0 2 0	0 4 0
22. Onion	3 12 0	5 0 0	0 1 6	0 2 6
23. Fish, Rahu	16 0 0	20 0 0	0 6 0	0 10 0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 10 0
25. Beef (2nd & 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 5 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices recorded daily at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chotla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 27th November 1916.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1916.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Wards.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency	1	Chetla Hat ...	6 8	6 8	6 4	8 0	8 0	6 12	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	6 8	6 8	11 8	11 8	16 0†
	2	Magra Hat ..	7 10	7 4	7 4	8 0	7 10	8 0	6 11	6 11	7 4	6 3	6 3	5 8	13 14	13 14	15 9
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata	5 14	5 14	5 5	8 12	8 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 1	7 1	6 0	11 0	11 0	16 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Goari	6 11	6 10	6 8	7 12	7 0	6 15	5 5	6 4	5 5	6 6	6 4	5 12	13 0	13 8	16 0†
	5	Ranaghat	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 8	10 8	14 0
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur .	7 4	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	7 0	14 0	14 0	16 0†
	7	Kandi	8 4	8 4	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 12	7 0	7 0	6 12	8 0	8 0	6 12	13 0	13 0	16 0
	8	Jangipur ...	8 0	7 12	7 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	15 0	15 0	17 8
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 2	8 8	8 8	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	10 0	12 0	12 0	15 8
	10	Bangaon	7 1	7 3	7 4	7 10	7 10	8 0	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 6	6 6	6 6	12 13	12 13	14 4
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	10 8	10 8	13 0
	12	Bagerhat	7 0	7 0	5 8	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 6	10 0	10 0	13 0
		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	7 8	7 8	7 0	9 8	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 8	6 8	13 4	13 0	19 0
	14	Kalna	7 4	7 8	6 10	7 10	7 12	6 14	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 4	5 4	6 4	13 0	13 0	13 0†
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 8	8 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	12 12	12 12	15 0
	16	Rampur Hat ...	8 0	8 0	6 12	8 8	8 8	7 12	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	6 0	14 0	14 0	16 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	10 0	9 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	11 12	13 0	14 0
	18	Vishnupur ..	7 8	7 8	6 8	9 0	8 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 8	12 0	14 0
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar ...	7 11	7 11	7 4	8 6	8 1	8 0	6 0	6 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	5 4	10 8	10 8	15 0
	20	Contai ...	8 8	8 8	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	11 0	13 0	16 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar ...	7 0	7 0	5 0	7 8	7 8	6 0	8 0	7 8	6 4	7 8	7 8	5 0	12 8	12 8	13 0†
	22	Arambagh(a) ...	7 12	7 12	6 10	8 0	8 0	6 15	5 12	5 12	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 0	13 0	15 0
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	13 0	13 0	16 0
	24	Uluberia ...	7 8	7 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 12	13 4	14 10	16 0

† Karkatch. | (a) Return not received.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1916—contd.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice.						Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rajshahi.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 2	7 2	6 9	7 5	7 5	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	5 0	9 12	9 12	12 0
	26	Nator	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 8	7 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 2	9 0	9 0	12 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hát.	8 11	8 6	6 10	9 5	9 5	7 3	5 11	6 0	6 0	6 10	6 10	6 10	12 0	11 0	14 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar	8 0	7 8	5 0	10 0	8 8	6 0	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	11 0	11 0	13 0
		Darjeeling.															
	29	Sadar	6 0	6 0	5 0	7 4	7 0	6 8	5 0	5 0	4 8	4 12	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 8	10 8
	30	Siliguri ..	6 0	6 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	...	6 0	6 0	5 8	10 0	10 0	12 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	6 12	6 12	5 12	7 0	7 0	7 14	5 4	5 4	6 8	5 4	5 4	6 12	9 8	9 8	13 0
	32	Nilphamari ...	(a)	6 0	6 0	(a)	8 0	6 8	(a)	5 11	4 8	(a)	6 15	4 8	(a)	11 8	13 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar	8 0	8 0	5 8	8 4	8 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 8	12 0	12 0	15 0
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	7 6	7 4	6 0	8 4	7 9	7 2	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 8	9 12	9 12	12 0
	35	Sirajganj ...	7 4	7 1	5 0	7 12	7 10	5 8	6 8	6 8	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	13 0
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	8 0	7 0	6 8	9 0	9 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	5 12	10 8	12 0	17 0
	37	Baila—Nawabganj	7 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 8	7 0	6 0	11 0	12 0	18 0
		Dacca.															
Dacca.	38	Sadar	7 8	6 8	6 0	8 8	8 0	6 12	5 4	5 8	5 12	6 4	6 0	5 4	12 0	12 0	13 0
	39	Munshir Hát ...	7 0	7 0	5 12	7 0	7 0	5 12	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	5 6	10 0	10 0	13 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad ...	6 12	6 14	5 4	6 15	7 1	5 12	5 0	5 0	6 4	6 0	6 0	5 12	11 12	11 12	13 12
	41	Netrakona	6 8	6 6	6 0	7 2	7 0	6 4	10 0	10 0	8 8	5 12	5 13	6 0	11 4	11 4	13 8†
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	5 4	5 8	5 0	10 8	12 0	13 0
	43	Goalundo	7 11	7 6	6 6	8 0	7 6	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 6	6 6	5 8	10 0	10 15	12 0
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	7 4	7 4	5 12	9 0	9 0	7 4	9 8	9 8	7 0	6 8	6 8	5 4	12 8	12 8	13 8
	45	Pirojpur	6 12	6 12	...	6 12	6 12	5 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	5 0	5 12	5 0	10 10	10 10	13 8

(a) Return not received.

† Karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1916—concld.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		Tippera.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Chittagong.	46	Comilla	6 6	6 6	5 8	6 14	6 14	6 5	4 9	4 9	4 9	5 5	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	13 0
	47	Chandpur ...	6 11	6 8	6 6	9 0	8 12	8 14	10 0	10 0	5 8	5 0	5 0	5 10	15 0	15 0	15 8
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hát ...	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 12	7 12	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 14	5 8	5 8	5 10	10 8	10 8	13 8†
	49	Feni Hát ...	8 4	7 2	6 9	9 2	8 12	7 5	8 4	6 8	6 9	*	*	...	10 10	12 12	14 5
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	7 0	13 0	13 0	13 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	7 8	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 8	13 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	9 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	13 0

* This article is not at present sold here. † Crushed.

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CALCUTTA,
The 27th November 1916.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	7 14 0	7 14 0	8 4 0	6 3 0	6 3 0	7 8 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 10 0	9 4 0	9 4 0	8 0 0	4 3 6	5 0 0	5 4 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 11 0	2 11 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0
Chittagong	.....*	.....	.....	.....*	.....	.....	9 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	3 6 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	6 4 0	6 8 0	7 4 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 12 0
Narayanganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	2 11 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	8 8 0	5 7 0	5 6 0	6 2 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	7 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	7 0 0

MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	8 8 0	15 0 0	14 0 0	18 0 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 0 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0 to 5 8 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	18 0 0 to 24 0 0	21 0	18 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0 to 6 4 0	5 4	7 8 0	8 8 0	5 0 0 to 8 8 0	6 8 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	12 0 0
Chittagong	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	8 8 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	*	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	7 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	10 8 0	10 8 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	5 10 0	6 0 0	4 10 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	9 0 0	8 11 0	11 5 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	.....	.....	.....	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....

* No sale.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1916.

WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4 5 0	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chetla Hat.
4 10 0	5 0 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 8 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Raniganj.
5 8 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	4 10 0	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	7 8 0	Midnapore.
.....	.....	..	.....	.....		5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
.....	.....	4 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 12 0	8 0 0	8 10 0	Pabna.
2 13 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Shajganj.
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	Rangpur.

JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.	
8 8 0	8 8 0	7 4 0	52 0 0	52 0 0	49 0 0	375 0 0	375 0 0	375 0 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chetla Hat.
9 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	50 0 0	51 0 0	45 0 0	43 0 0	Per maund. 43 0 0	43 0 0	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Raniganj.
6 12 0 to 7 0 0	6 12 0	7 8 0	55 0 0 to 60 0 0	55 0 0 to 58 0 0	52 0 0	375 0 0 Cleaned piece per 100	350 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100	500 0 0 450 0 0	Midnapore.
.....	.....	.....	54 0 0	54 0 0	52 0 0		.....	.....	Chittagong.
6 12 0 to 10 12 0	7 8 0 to 11 0 0	6 8 0 to 8 0 0	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	...	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	56 0 0	55 0 0	59 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Lacca.
8 8 6 to 9 8 0	9 0 0 to 10 0 0	6 4 0 to 8 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
8 0 0 to 11 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
7 4 0 to 7 9 4	7 0 0 to 9 4 0	5 8 0 to 8 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
.....	.....	..	58 0 0	58 0 0	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Pabna.
6 8 0 to 8 8 0	6 8 0 to 8 8 0	6 8 0 to 8 0 0	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	..	Shajganj.
10 0 0	10 0 0	7 0 0	55 0 0	56 0 0	54 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	.....	Rangpur.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	15 0 0	14 8 0	9 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	2 9 6	2 9 6	2 2 9(a)
Ostia Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	12 8 0	12 8 0	7 8 0	2 9 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	2 12 6	2 12 0	2 4 6(a)
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	2 8 0 to 9 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 10 6	2 11 0	2 11 0	2 2 6(a)
Chittagong	15 0 0	15 0 0	10 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 6 0‡	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0(b)
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....
Dacca	14 0 0	13 0 0	8 0 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 0 0*	2 13 0	2 12 6	2 4 6(a)
Narayanganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Patna	15 0 0	13 12 0	11 0 0	3 0 0	3 11 0	2 12 0	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 5 0(a) 2 3 0(c)
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	13 0 0	13 0 0	9 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 8 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | (c) Serpent brand. | * Panga. | ‡ Crushed.

CALCUTTA.

The 27th November 1916.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1916 —concld.

MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14 0 0	14 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 8 6	.....	.....	.....	Calcutta.
.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 4 6	Chetla Hat.
14 6 0	14 8 0	13 12 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 6	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 7 6	0 8 0	0 7 0	Katna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 1 6	0 1 4	0 1 0	Raniganj.
15 0 0 to 16 0 0	15 0 0 to 15 8 0	15 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	.....	.....	.....	Midnapore.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
17 0 0	17 0 0	17 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayangauj.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
18 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Patna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rangpur.

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CALCUTTA TRADE FLUCTUATIONS.

THE following tables are intended to show the trade of the Calcutta Block* in certain selected articles during the months of April to August 1916 by all routes, *i.e.*, by rail, river, canal, road and sea. The statistics have been compiled from returns furnished by the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, Railway Audit Offices, Steamer Companies, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the District Magistrates of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, and the Assistant Engineer, Calcutta Canals.

* Calcutta block consists of the town of Calcutta with Howrah and Kidderpore Docks.

General Summary.

Imports.—The imports of rice including paddy into Calcutta by rail, river, canal, road and sea (coastwise) during April to August 1916, amounted to 6,795,422 maunds as against 12,466 095 maunds in the corresponding period of the preceding year—a decline of 45 per cent. There was a slight increase in the imports of coal and coke (46,139,854 maunds as against 45,049,492 maunds last year). The arrivals of Indian cotton piece-goods showed considerable improvement, the total value amounting to Rs. 1,80,08,443 as against Rs. 67,53,583 in 1915. The quantity of indigo imported during the five months ending August 1916, rose by 205 per cent. (1,916 maunds as against 628 maunds last year) owing to larger supply having been received from Bihar and Orissa. Imports of raw jute amounted to 945,382 bales—a fall of 53 per cent., while the importations of gunny-bags showed a large increase, 165 million bags against 134 millions in the preceding year. The total imports of oilseeds rose by 38 per cent. (4,499,252 maunds against 3,263,427 maunds), and those of sugar by 6 per cent. (275,920 maunds against 263.568 maunds). There was a decrease in the imports of tea (1,319,744 maunds in 1915 to 983,639 maunds in 1916).

Exports.—The despatches of cotton piece-goods. Foreign from Calcutta by all routes increased by 11 per cent. (Rs. 8,43,44,506 as against Rs. 7.58,42,690 last year). The exports of gunny-bags including the exports by sea to foreign countries increased from 543 million bags to 569 million bags. Shipments of gunny-bags to foreign countries other than the United Kingdom declined by about 25 million bags in the period under review, and those to the United Kingdom increased by 49 million bags. The quantity of kerosine oil despatched from Calcutta and Budge-Budge by internal routes and by sea (coastwise) rose from 2,906,304 maunds to 2,951,846 maunds.

TABLE I

Trade of Calcutta in certain selected articles for the five months of April to August 1916, compared with the corresponding months of 1915.

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL, AND SEA (COASTWISE) (a)		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE)	
		April to Aug. 1916	April to Aug. 1915	April to Aug. 1916	April to Aug. 1915
Food-grains—					
Rice	Mds	6,064,843	10,692,243	842,254	967,477
Paddy	,,	1,168,927	2,838,164	21	6,942
Total (in rice) (b)	,,	6,795,422	12,466,096	842,267	991,815
Wheat	,,	2,285,590	3,684,046	86,637	422,377
Wheat flour	,,	107,704	124,745	119,223	215,358
Gram and pulse	,,	2,229,708	2,310,970	379,612	716,284
Other food-grains	,,	289,846	368,902	57,171	78,447
Total food-grains	,,	11,700,770	18,954,758	1,484,910	2,424,221
Coal and coke	,,	46,139,854	45,049,491	15,685,683	19,546,890
Cotton, raw	Bales	70,468	81,051	42,268	49,962
,, twist and yarn, Indian (c)	Mds	134,810	1,64,770	7,344	14,839
,, piece-goods, Indian (c)	Rs	1,80,08,442	67,73,883	30,464	44,316
Indigo	Mds	1,916	678	5,700	1,995
Jute, raw	Bales	945,582	2,016,925	521,039	840,208
,, gunny-bags	No	165,427,585	133,985,635	(c)528,503,600	(c)505,063,427
Lac	Mds	245,875	251,549	284,642	262,015
Oilseeds—Linseed	,,	2,324,865	1,721,178	1,728,146	1,459,389
,, —Rape and mustard	,,	2,174,387	1,542,349	3,051	1,540
Silk, raw	,,	2,026	1,857	2,585	1,555
Sugar—Refined	,,	65,376	67,218	11,613	10,336
,, —Unrefined	,,	210,544	196,350	7,818	4,253
Tea (Indian)	,,	983,639	1,319,744	836,815	848,230
Tobacco, unmanufactured	,,	493,388	304,152	228,458	97,820
,, manufactured	,,	35,325	35,976	2,905	3,968

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE) (c)		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL, AND SEA (COASTWISE)	
		April to Aug. 1916	April to Aug. 1915	April to Aug. 1916	April to Aug. 1915
Cotton twist and yarn—Foreign	Mds	45,768	62,589	53,324	117,315
,, ,, —Indian	,,	13,564	17,097	166,278	165,488
Cotton piece-goods—Foreign	Rs	9,66,34,938	9,00,50,018	8,43,44,506	7,58,42,690
,, ,, —Indian	,,	51,434	225,655	81,08,971	89,26,628
Kerosene oil (d)	Mds	2,471,883	2,469,903	3,961,846	2,906,304
Salt	,,	4,564,192	6,175,005	4,299,440	4,367,018
Gunny bags	No	—	—	40,228,854	37,721,702

(a) The imports by sea are imports from other Indian ports only exclusive of foreign imports.
(b) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(c) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(d) Including figures of Budge-Budge trade.
(e) The imports by sea include imports from other Indian ports together with imports from foreign countries.

TABLE

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail,

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b) (c)
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
	Rice	Paddy (a)	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
Burdwan	10,378	80,022	60,398	277	982	9,542	137	71,116	21,221,752	7	.....	80
Birbhum	31,660	3,882	33,961	.....	103	2,787	12	36,843	.....	10	.....	.....
Bankura	19	...	19	1	61	12	5	118	.....	49	15	25,586
Midnapur	293,739	23,613	308,490	3	20	2,444	... ...	310,957	2,005	108	17	9,980
Hooghly	281,465	79,488	331,145	14	240	20,403	443	352,245	32,739	223	21,674	3,72,140
24-Parganas	759,774	88,788	843,388	200	209	3,686	2,705	850,137	16,468	430	36,514	1,80,280
Nadia	1,492	414	1,751	807	339	391,241	6,896	400,834	.....	577	76	35,879
Murshidabad	29,362	2,541	30,850	2,116	16	74,592	201	107,775	.....	28	5	206
Jessore	1,396	3,630	3,665	250	.....	55,708	265	59,988	.....	791	5	.....
Khulna	3,809	64,734	44,368	.....	.....	1,800	125	45,693	.....	323	10	174
Rajshahi	2,713	281	2,889	26	.....	1,693	.....	4,608	.....	.....	.....	674
Dinajpur	527	99,161	62,503	.....	.....	.....	.....	62,503	.....	2	.....	247
Jalpaiguri	2	3,240	2,032	.....	853	100	.....	2,985	.....	.....	.....	1,967
Darjeeling	4	4,040	2,529	.....	.....	.....	2	2,531	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	290	3,917	2,113	.....	4	107	.....	2,224	.....	788	2	589
Bogra	2,653	122,394	79,128	.....	77	1,266	.....	80,472	.....	5	11	1,072
Pabna	372	.....	372	542	4	4,343	44	5,305	.....	2	6	1,770
Malda	1,102	.....	1,102	21	.....	698	.....	1,821	.....	.....	.....	599
Cooch Behar	6	.....	6	.....	.....	2,483	.....	2,489	... ...	...	.....	83
Dacca ...	8,322	2	8,322	.....	.....	4,482	.....	13,805	.....	6,236	32	569
Mymensingh	460	.....	460	.....	.....	4,813	.....	5,273	.....	252	12	755
Faridpur	632	.....	632	3,664	72	27,281	4,560	36,199	... ...	1,089	43	413
Bakarganj	115,819	.....	115,819	.....	40	1,592	.....	117,451	.....	73	40	585
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	136	1	137	.....	.....	5	.....	142	.....	26	68	.....
Noakhali	4	.....	4	.....	.....	13	.....	17	.....	1	5	79
Chittagong	2	.....	2	.....	40	25	.....	67	.....	5,298	...	1,815
Chittagong Port ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total of Bengal ...	1,578,011	575,962	1,935,987	7,711	3,060	610,345	15,495	2,572,598	21,272,964	16,138	58,530	6,34,703
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
Bihar and Orissa ...	199,855	35,795	224,064	185,089	3,501	252,774	95,336	740,174	24,866,890	807	114	20,827
Assam	106	3,863	2,527	.....	27	263	.....	2,817	.....	453	70	6,390
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,362	6	1,366	1,306,185	40,692	1,073,097	78,247	2,401,534	.....	3,555	1,613	2,48,115
Punjab	5,291	.....	5,291	108,679	59,855	18,774	760	193,159	.....	9	28	9,271
Sindh and British Baluchistan.	31	.....	31	9	.....	2	.....	42	.....	.....	12	6,410
Central Provinces and Berar.	15,470	76,045	62,998	774,854	... ...	203,590	2,887	1,044,599	.....	29,724	13,362	9,59,203
Bombay	1,499	.....	1,499	273	18	781	104	2,675	.....	5,430	73,138	1 58,07,442
Madras	235,526	8,140	240,614	144	649	11,367	223	252,896	.....	15,169	2,010	5,72,176
Burma	4,029,687	466,176	4,321,047	259	3	4,144	95,238	4,420,691	.....	873	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India.	.....	.....	.....	21,537	32	43,889	587	66,045	.....	15	718	1,81,193
Nizam's Territory ...	3	.....	3	.....	.....	3,472	.....	3,475	.....	206	.....	...
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	5,336	82,613
Port Blair	.....	.....	.....	.....	67	.....	.....	67	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1916	6,064,843	1,168,927	6,795,422	2,286,590	107,704	2,222,708	289,346	11,700,770	46,139,854	70,468	164,810	1,80,05,445
GRAND TOTAL 1915	10,692,243	2,838,164	12,466,095	3,684,046	134,745	2,310,970	368,902	18,964,758	45,049,491	81,051	164,770	67,53,583
GRAND TOTAL 1914	8,526,472	1,331,156	9,368,443	2,306,579	71,926	2,397,968	218,685	14,363,611	64,022,818	79,719	114,387	73,32,999

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise)
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter

II

Road, River, Canal and Sea (Coastwise) in the five months of April to August 1916.

Indigo	JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		Silk raw	SUGAR		Tea, Indian	TOBACCO		Whence imported
	Raw(d)	Gunny-bags(e)		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
.....	135	106,974	1,187	2,502	6,085	13	20	5,657	.....	2,448	280	Burdwan
.....	739	13,899	1,392	1,673	625	2	.....	1	.....	23	6	Birbhum
.....	.....	9,758	161	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68	346	Bankura
.....	972	104,794	.....	3,881	634	34	.....	12,212	.....	14	.....	Midnapur
.....	6,804	56,895,753	11	1,657	748	7	28	32 011	.....	16,414	6,510	Hooghly
.....	29,751	106,826,597	.....	264	1,580	.....	4,280	63,635	.....	2,196	4,393	24-Parganas
5	10,057	62,853	.....	23,568	437	191	2	13,285	.....	6,901	.....	Nadia
.....	8,142	17,384	3,223	13,413	.....	715	.....	.....	.....	36	12	Murshidabad
.....	3,460	36,469	.....	5,748	1,247	.....	.....	54,396	.....	1,675	29	Jessore
.....	10,582	40,262	.....	378	180	.....	.....	7,140	.....	125	25	Khulna
.....	26,836	2,337	.....	2,640	494	10	.....	.....	.....	99	.....	Rajshahi
.....	9,484	141,204	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	330	4	Dinajpur
.....	18,088	86,326	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	128,867	51,874	6	Jalpaiguri
.....	732	45,141	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	77,420	62	.....	Darjeeling
.....	117,340	111,233	.....	140	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,018	155,644	8	Rangpur
.....	39,955	8,200	.....	237	.....	.....	.....	2	190	517	1	Bogra
.....	85,556	15,685	.....	1,415	362	.....	.....	.....	.....	111	.....	Pabna
.....	2,557	10,783	.....	2,425	10	274	.....	5	.....	175	.....	Malda
.....	22,840	410	.....	.....	95	.....	.....	.....	.....	56,298	.....	Cooch Behar
.....	160,547	36,218	.....	2,362	.....	.....	107	43	.....	14	42	Dacca
.....	94,944	39,049	.....	698	163	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	Mymensingh
.....	138,600	27,969	.....	5,491	1,625	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Faridpur
.....	6,361	17,567	.....	1,405	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	Bakarganj
.....	16,146	141,286	.....	131	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	77	.....	Tippera (including Hill Tippera)
.....	528	48,915	.....	3,991	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	.....	Noakhali
.....	46	45,080	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,048	.....	2	Chittagong
.....	149	189,231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	.....	Chittagong Port
5	810,641	165,030,347	5,874	74,159	14 285	1,346	5,148	188,459	218,586	295,709	11,664	Total of Bengal
												OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
894	108,006	214,091	143,160	1,594,068	66,275	23	2,062	15,334	1 228	113,986	21,014	Bihar and Orissa
.....	26,555	100,511	10,457	45,403	37,686	426	39	.....	763,360	74	41	Assam
289	.....	53,587	61,902	582,231	1,984,600	4	1,180	5,640	305	1,574	165	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	.....	1,025	3	.....	1,878	320	.....	27	60	25	15	Punjab
.....	.....	779	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	.....	19	4	25	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	180	12,997	2,746	17,464	35,584	.....	65	748	24	.....	311	Central Provinces and Berar
78	.....	1,988	.....	.....	1,123	7	722	4	31	9,821	2	Bombay
700	.....	13,525	.....	252	13,220	.....	37,226	331	12	54,911	301	Madras
.....	.....	6,700	14,996	.....	.....	.....	18,705	.....	26	16,749	1,779	Burma
.....	.....	492	6,737	11,188	19,857	.....	.....	1	8	.....	5	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	1,640	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
.....	.....	123	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	535	.....	Mysore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Port Blair
1,916	945,389(f)	165,437,535	245,875	2,324,865	2,174,387	2,026	66,370	210,844	983,639	492,388	35,378	1916
628	2,916,925	133,965,625	251,549	1,721,176	1,542,249	1,657	67,215	196,380	1,319,744	304,152	35,976	1915 GRAND TOTAL
438	717,396	89,030,564	271,200	4,723,397	1,969,757	2,530	48,181	178,778	973,703	377,177	42,563	1914

(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta Block which are 855,130 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 10,612 bales
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards=1 bag
(f) Of this, 563,030 bales came by rail, 346,110 bales by river, 17,066 bales by road, and 19,176 bales by sea

TABLE III

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. II were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the five months of April to August 1916

Routes			FOOD-GRAINS						Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b)(c)	Indigo
			Rice	Paddy (a)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains					
			Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...		59,272	148,250	1,578,877	103,812	1,411,172	170,149	32,162,246	6,313	2,540	4,65,608	1,163
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)		317,551	301,351	31,969	2,344	383,646	10,893	3,553,562	1,062	56,375	79,01,635	5
	A.-B Railway...		2	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	186	2	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway...		466,992	118,229	677,401	986	179,318	2,059	10,381,910	39,368	58,785	91,51,621	309
	D.-S. Railway...		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways		741	99	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	4	27,069	.....
,, river steamer			51,025	451	374	99	18,689	44	.....	12,152	235	23,839	.....
,, boat			675,570	107,230	1,710	364	222,773	8,159	315	2,783	22,249	1,92,800	.....
,, road			444,157	27,087	.....	.....	2,566	2,705	42,821	307	14,620	2,45,871	.....
,, sea			4,050,993	466,230	259	74	5,630	95,538	.....	8,397	.....	.....	439
Total ...		1916 ...	6,064,843	1,169,927	2,289,590	107,704	2,222,708	289,346	46,139,854	70,468	154,810	1,80,68,443	1,916
		1915 ...	10,692,343	2,838,164	5,684,046	124,745	2,810,970	368,902	45,049,492	81,051	164,770	67,53,583	628
		1914 ...	8,526,472	1,331,155	2,306,579	71,936	2,397,968	218,685	64,028,818	79,719	114,287	73,22,999	488

Routes			JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		Silk, raw	SUGAR		Tea Indian	TOBACCO	
			Raw(d)	Gunny bags(e)		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured
			Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...		25,285	674,685	124,520	2,177,539	2,048,395	969	2,673	21,440	449	73,971	9,206
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)		517,663	1,896,619	12,170	42,409	39,163	590	.....	41,663	912,737	328 277	601
	A.-B. Railway...		.....	16,277	107	.....	156	13	10	.....	128,114	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway...		10,092	158,957	88,479	28,321	44,370	11	3,672	62	1,230	46,250	767
	D. S. Railway...		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	118,612	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways		.....	84,481	.....	131	.....	.....	.....	27	.....	.....	20
,, river steamer			311,012	398,826	5,603	50,407	35,906	436	779	1,023	522,450	4,096	11,886
,, boat			35,098	180,340,671	.....	24,866	4,817	.....	58	73,010	.....	18,947	176
,, road			17,066	1,705,409	.....	192	1,580	.....	4,980	67,429	.....	4,845	10,707
,, sea			19,176	11,990	14,996	.....	.....	7	53,304	.....	57	17,002	1,962
Total ...		1916 ...	945,382	166,437,585	245,875	2,324,865	2,174,387	2,026	65,376	210,544	987,639	493,388	35,325
		1915 ...	2,016,925	183,986,625	251,549	1,731,178	1,543,249	1,857	67,218	196,850	1,319,744	304,152	35,976
		1914 ...	717,396	89,030,564	271,300	4,722,397	1,962,757	2,530	48,181	173,778	973,703	377,177	42,563

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta block, which are 845,130 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 10,612 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

TABLE IV

Imports of certain Articles into the Port of Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the five months of April to August 1916.

	Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece-goods		Kerosene oil	Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		
From Foreign Countries—	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom	33,867	.....	9,18,60,526	.....	.....	1,335,158
Other countries	11,991	.....	46 22,146	.....	728,677	3,169,019
Total ...	44,858	.....	9,64,82,672	.....	728,677	4,504,177
Coastwise—						
From British ports in—						
Bombay	.....	8,061	5,291	41,530	.....	12,717
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	72,072	.....	.....	.....
Madras	.....	4,479	.....	.....	.....	47,298
Burma	20	24	94,803	9,914	1,743,206	.....
Pondichery	890	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	913	12,564	1,72,166	51,434	1,743,206	60,015
Grand Total ... 1916 ...	45,768	12,564	9,66,54,838	51,434	2,471,883	4,564,192
Grand Total ... 1915 ...	63,589	17,097	9,00,50,018	235,655	2,468,503	6,175,005
Grand Total ... 1914 ...	79,914	47,091	10,08,35,841	14,98,763	2,591,784	5,095,776

TABLE V

Exports of Principal Articles from the port of Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign Countries) in the five months of April to August 1916.

	Food-grains								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian	Cotton piece-goods, Indian
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	163	.....	163	.....	23	14	.....	200	51,994	.....	486	.....
Bihar and Orissa	766	.....	766	.....	64	300	.....	1,130	26,460	.....	843	.....
Bombay ...	12,755	.....	12,755	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,755	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras ...	998	.....	998	.....	1,185	5,789	.....	7,972	1,164,321	.....	.....	.....
Burma	14,705	.....	14,705	56,573	90,538	183,852	14,392	360,060	5,420,706	945	31,105	4,55,730
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,992	.....	.....	1,992	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	29,387	.....	29,387	56,573	93,802	189,955	14,392	384,109	6,663,481	945	32,434	4,55,730
To Foreign countries—												
United Kingdom	56,540	20	56,552	1,940	.....	33,720	38,978	131,190	.....	8,154	483	.....
Other countries	756,327	1	756,328	28,124	25,421	155,937	3,801	969,611	8,992,202	33,169	6,861	30,464
Total ...	812,867	21	812,880	30,064	25,421	189,657	42,779	1,100,801	8,992,202	41,323	7,344	30,464
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	842,254	21	842,267	86,637	119,223	379,612	57,171	1,484,910	15,655,683	42,268	39,778	4,86,194
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	987,477	6,942	994,419	422,277	215,358	716,284	78,487	2,424,221	19,546,890	49,561	46,282	5,10,164
GRAND TOTAL 1914 ...	2,529,798	1,609	2,530,803	72,581	208,499	740,805	69,247	3,621,935	31,101,446	47,094	47,369	3,39,440

	Indigo	Jute		Lac	Oilseeds		Silk, raw	Sugar		Tea (Indian)	Tobacco	
		Raw	Gunny-bags*		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs.	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	1,030	9	5	187	18
Bihar and Orissa	...	.....	3,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	48	.....	.....	419	92
Bombay ...	...	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	189	.....	20
Madras ...	...	5	552,575	.....	.....	554	.....	.....	... ...	1,311	.....	578
Burma ...	...	59	9,648,612	24	72	1,177	2	5,437	7,786	5,806	76,760	1,210
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondichery ...	...	.....	30,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	...	.....	38,025	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Total ...	...	64	10,583,412	24	72	1,731	2	6,505	7,795	7,313	77,366	1,921
To *Foreign countries*—												
United Kingdom	3,311	201,758	146,944,225	50,944	1,502,863	.....	710	.....	.....	661,498	41,423	482
Other countries	2,389	319,217	381,559,375	233,674	228,201	1,320	1,853	5,108	23	166,104	109,666	502
Total ...	5,700	520,975	528,503,600	284 618	1,728,064	1,320	2,563	5,108	23	827,602	151,089	984
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	5,700	521,039	539,087,012	284,642	1,728,136	3,051	2,565	11,613	7,818	834,915	228,455	2,905
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	1,995	840,208	523,087,072	262,015	1,459,389	1,540	1,555	10,336	4,253	848,230	97,820	3,988
GRAND TOTAL 1914 ...	1,804	531,124	360,718,195	249,855	3,849,949	165,818	1,718	20,024	12,054	735,593	83,587	10,698

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

TABLE VI

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the five months of April to August 1916.

Whither exported	Cotton twist & yarn		Cotton piece-goods*		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta Block	From Budge-Budge	
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	326	5,578	12,69,985	55,832	332,571	22,292	59,409	88,649
Birbhum	196	5,367	7,63,059	42,797	53,710	291	18,570	58,366
Bankura	368	3,196	1,90,446	3,471	3,116	73	475	17,781
Midnapur	3,344	7,159	10,17,478	1,63,649	96,333	545	31,727	181,951
Hooghly	2,324	322	5,26,476	2,32,057	1,151,489	35,603	50,611	115,851
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	421,280	.....
24-Parganas	2,011	3,233	6,96,486	3,10,536	446,511	57,393	86,911	101,860
Nadia	2,000	10,477	19 63,520	1,31,851	231,135	5,305	42,350	142,420
Murshidabad	304	2,309	11,40 698	12,515	79,086	172	50,767	118,379
Jessore	1,482	3,740	11,37,860	84,220	41,778	18,467	22,559	113,018
Khulna	1,556	1,338	7,46,531	1,01,978	15,366	23,706	41,293	76,893
Rajshahi	240	606	5,09,853	1,78,104	29,397	3,055	14,693	52,626
Dinajpur	48	772	10,94,421	1,36,060	103,361	51	28,197	83,823
Jalpaiguri	205	1,468	12,11 000	96,537	110,003	561	42,570	76,712
Darjeeling	...	1,560	11,93,678	71,923	22,755	341	19,961	50,615
Rangpur	344	886	27,58,466	1,86,395	137,432	304	57,887	205,304
Bogra	36	1,043	15,93,187	1,54,860	116,440	25	37,846	93,043
Pabna	3,637	1,804	8,26,309	2,07,393	48,036	438	107,099	129,199
Malda	911	1,819	9,28,446	87,955	52,375	120	4,446	36,986
Cooch Behar	6	739	6,21,125	37,791	46,986	360	12,959	35,690
Dacca	14,134	1,075	39,39,475	1,52,868	39,999	771	116,626	276,349
Mymensingh	3,059	1,979	9,19,348	11,05,606	22,550	1,664	28,719	209,884
Faridpur	4,886	1,676	9,56,862	1,56,291	70,725	19,548	30,627	134,627
Bakarganj	9,711	1,145	8,47,121	3,54,711	143,427	5,329	61,304	106,836
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	6,427	2,623	14,90,717	1,37,275	77,367	203	3,934	127,192
Noakhali	2,335	1,870	4,80,879	53,462	21,403	45	25,000	24
Chittagong	2,206	384	1,20,335	49,543	17,630	264	901	5,031
Chittagong Port	1,568	3,039	4,96,329	1,16,904	19,596	.....	.....	533
Total of Bengal	63,343	68,395	2,86,88,983	44,61,271	3,567,431	195,677	1,429,720	2,637,412
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES								
Bihar and Orissa	5,389	57,505	2,24,12,707	10,36,655	3,561,880	6,101	611,509	1,383,662
Assam	9,034	4,825	47,42,707	7,99,947	264,204	7,377	27,479	344,141
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,198	757	1,78,57,260	6,00,576	3,418,006	1,797	570,423	6,891
Punjab	2,102	1,367	59,71,377	6,13,411	1,943,236	22	57,617	3
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	1,07,372	120	1,600,148	.....	323	818
Central Provinces and Berar	208	26	7,32,315	27,929	1,657,671	902	18,882	408
Bombay	346	20	6,76,785	66,116	9,942,579	.....	.....	16
Madras	849	1,950	9,01,077	13,989	3,953,585	388	2,286	26,935
Burma	853	31,105	7,44,276	4,55,730	9,648,612	.....	27	.....
Rajputana and Central India	182	42	6,18,482	30,086	334,027	511	24,415	.....
Kashmir State	1	.....	3,495	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Nizam's Territory	19	.....	2 68.477	8,141	138 785	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	... ..	...	11,963	...	139,693	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey	.....	.....	.....	... ..	38,925	.....	.....	.....
Pondicherry	.....	.....	.....	.....	40,000	.....	.....	.....
Port Blair	.....	486	7,130	.....	.....	.....	97	354
GRAND TOTAL 1916	83,324	166,378	8,48,44,706	81,05,971	40,228,854	212,975	2,738,871	4,299,440
GRAND TOTAL 1915	117,815	165,458	7,88,42,690	59,26,638	37,731,703	266,572	2,639,732	4,367,018
GRAND TOTAL 1914	105,956	180,799	8,19,13,604	71,78,042	37,810,413	277,590	2,796,965	4,825,938

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

TABLE VII

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. VI were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the five months of April to August 1916.

Routes	Cotton twist and yarn		Cotton piece-goods*		Gunny-bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta Block	From Budge-Budge	
	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail: E. I. Railway	2,809	26,156	2,47,26,082	17,55,406	4,631,606	27,540	625,417	599,157
By rail: E. B. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	3,614	34,547	1,85,97,475	16,56,313	1,337,995	5,429	886,370	1,248,439
By rail: A.-B. Railway	1,966	9,233	28 28.389	2,18,534	27,634	1,519	1,341	44,259
By rail: B.-N. Railway	3,393	37,648	24,37,889	2,17,671	1,591,661	3,393	14,224	368,499
By rail: B. and N.-W. Railway	306	4,343	1,39,19,759	3,33,286	2,009,390	952	361,428	287,963
By rail: O. and R. Railway	194	17	30,91,858	36,765	830,914	914	225,879	330
By rail: Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways.	1,045	.....	2.33,366	.....	21,730	2,849	.....	10,393
By rail: Minor Railways	2,919	120	44.47,517	1,20,491	17,018,895	1,179	80,272	14,680
,, river Steamer	60,045	9,109	1,21,95,946	26,84,830	779,287	9,972	873,217	1,048,389
,, boat	3,658	2,148	4.78.850	1.79,700	104,623	85 192	136,990	514,457
,, road	2,123	524	6.37,195	4,77,330	1,372,507	74,488	5,933	73,532
,, sea	1,374	32,434	7,56,230	4,55,730	10,583,413	.....	7,804	61,833
Total 1916	83,324	166,378	8,43,44,506	81,05,971	40,228,854	212,975	2,738,871	4,299,440
Total 1915	117,815	165,458	7,88,42,690	59,26,638	37,731,703	266,572	2,639,732	4,367,018
Total 1914	105,956	180,799	8,19,13,604	71,78,042	37,810,413	277,590	2,796,965	4,825,938

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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA,
The 28th November 1916.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District.	Number.	Town.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.	
			Male	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
BURDWAN	1	Burdwan	20,537	15,394	35,931	11	3·73	...	1	·33	1	·33	...	...	33	11·20
	2	Kalna	4,521	4,082	8,603	10	14·18	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	8·50
	3	Katwa	3,459	3,445	6,904	4	7·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·06
	4	Dainhat	2,584	2,808	5,342	4	9·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	15·98
	5	Raniganj	8,417	7,080	15,497	27	21·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	8·65
	6	Asansol	12,486	9,433	21,919	34	18·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5·56
BIRBHUM	7	Suri	4,907	4,224	9,131	6	8·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6·68
BANKURA	8	Bankura	12,186	11,297	23,483	48	24 96	...	...	...	2	1·04	...	...	14	7·28
	9	Vishnupur	10,025	10,453	20,478	48	28·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5 95
	10	Sonamukhi	6,264	7,021	13,275	24	22·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	11 94
MIDNAPORE	11	Midnapore	17,577	15,163	32,740	50	18·63	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	7·08
	12	Ghatal	6,216	5,868	12,084	7	7·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	19·21
	13	Kharar	4,714	4,125	8,839	8	11·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4·14
	14	Chandrakona	4,034	4,087	8,121	12	18·02	...	2	3·00	...	...	...	...	12	18·02
	15	Ramjibanpur	4,224	4,257	8,481	17	24·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	7·19
	16	Khirpai	2,294	2,311	4,605	7	18·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	18·54
	17	Tamluk	4,355	3,695	8,050	11	16·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HOOGHLY	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.	15,817	13,099	28,916	66	27·84	..	1	·42	...	...	...	...	18	7·59
	19	Bansberia	3,443	2,665	6,108	2	3·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5·99
	20	Arambagh	4,061	3,987	8,048	9	13·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·51
	21	Serampore	19,639	12,439	32,078	55	20·91	...	3	1·14	...	...	...	...	27	10·26
	22	Rishra-Konnagore	10,724	6,792	17,516	30	20·89	...	6	4·17	...	...	...	...	13	9·05
	23	Uttarpara	4,412	2,961	7,373	16	46·47	...	1	1·65	...	...	...	...	5	8·27
	24	Kotrung	4,103	2,471	6,574	11	20 41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·42
	25	Baidyabati	11,792	8,794	20,816	33	19·62	1	3	1·78	...	...	...	...	13	7·73
	26	Bhadreswar	15,962	8,491	24 353	25	12·52	1	3	1·50	...	...	...	...	10	5·00
HOWRAH	27	Howrah	114,829	64,560	179,389	410	26·98	21	9	·59	1	·06	...	...	102	6·71
	28	Bally	14,217	8,177	22,394	30	15·81	...	3	1·58	...	...	...	...	16	8·43
24-PARGANAS	29	Cossipore-Chitpur	30,793	17,385	48,178	99	25·06	6	1	·25	...	...	...	...	33	5·82
	30	Maniktala	31,735	22,032	53,767	53	12·02	5	1	·22	...	...	...	...	26	5·89
	31	South Suburban	17,693	13,850	31,533	33	12·76	3	...	...	1	·38	...	...	24	9·28
	32	Tollygunj	11,182	7,250	18,432	25	23·16	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	12·57
	33	Garden Reach	27,665	17,630	45,295	40	10·77	2	1	·26	1	·26	...	...	18	4·84
	34	Budge-Budge	11,529	6,458	17,982	13	8 81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·71
	35	Barasagar	14,982	10,913	25,895	49	23 08	3	3	1·41	...	...	...	...	16	7·53
	36	Kamarhati	11,242	6,772	18,014	12	8·12	...	1	·67	...	...	...	...	11	7 44
	37	Rajpur	5,762	5,845	11,607	26	27·32	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	17·86
	38	Baruipur	3,907	2,468	6,375	5	9·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	15·30
	39	Jaynagar	4,631	4,614	9,245	19	25·07	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	17·15
	40	North Dum-Dum	5,151	3,714	8,865	10	13·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4·12
	41	South Dum-Dum	7,760	5,114	12,874	6	5·65	...	3	2·84	...	...	...	...	11	10·42
	42	South Barrackpore	3,988	2,043	6,031	3	7·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	14·54
	43	Barrackpore	11,367	6,944	18,301	11	7·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·66
	44	Panihati	8,339	4,779	11,118	15	16·45	...	3	3·29	...	...	...	...	9	9·87
	45	North Barrackpore	9,780	6,340	16,120	30	15·13	...	1	·75	...	...	...	...	10	7·56
	46	Titaghar	31,225	13,946	45,171	30	8·10	11	3	·81	...	...	...	...	33	8·91
	47	Garulia	7,878	3,704	11,580	8	8·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6·32
	48	Naihati	11,885	6,534	18,219	18	12·05	1	1	·66	1	·66	...	...	3	2·00
	49	Halisahar	8,371	5,062	13,433	15	13·63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	8·17
	50	Bhatpara	34,739	15,675	50,414	31	7·50	...	3	·72	...	...	...	...	25	6·04
	51	Barasat	4,731	4,059	8,790	13	18·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	15·26
	52	Gobardanga	2,533	2,537	5,070	1	2·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	21·65
	53	Basirhat	9,617	8,814	18,331	36	25·49	...	...	...	1	·66	...	...	39	19·30
	54	Baduria	7,058	6,622	13,680	13	10·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	11·59
	55	Taki	2,627	2,575	5,202	5	18·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	7·03
CALCUTTA	56	Calcutta	607,674	288,393	896,067	1,621	42·07	97	28	·38	...	...	...	...	207	2·81
NADIA	57	Krishnagar	11,767	11,708	23,475	41	16·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	5·71
	58	Nadia or Nabadwip	6,821	6,659	13,480	12	11·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	9·77
	59	Hanaghat	5,310	4,640	9,950	6	7·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	9 90
	60	Birnagar	1,801	1,353	2,654	2	9 19	...	...	...	1	4·59	...	...	1	4·59
	61	Santipur	12,186	14,517	26,703	54	24·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	15·01
	62	Chakdaha	2,489	2,462	4,951	5	7·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	14·37
	63	Kushtia	3,556	2,539	6,095	14	28·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	8·00
	64	Kumarkhali	1,781	1,988	3,769	5	16·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	9·71
	65	Meherpur	2,990	2,971	5,961	4	8·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6·13
MURSHIDABAD	66	Berhampore	14,802	11,841	26,143	30	13·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	7·46
	67	Murshidabad	6,359	6,410	12,769	24	23·11	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	18·29
	68	Azimganj	6,725	5,602	12,327	20	19·79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10 88
	69	Kandi	6,212	6,426	12,638	20	19·30	3	1	·96	...	...	...	...	11	10·61
	70	Jangipur	5,493	5,915	11,408	29	31 01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	14·97
	71	Dhulian	4,016	4,282	8,298	27	39 69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	22·05
JESSORE	72	Jessore	5,404	5,507	8,911	1	1·36	...	1	1·36	...	...	...	...	2	2·73
	73	Kotchandpur	4,384	3,792	8,076	7	10·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	12·08
	74	Maheshpur	2,106	2,106	4,211	3	5·79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5 79
KHULNA	75	Khulna	7,968	5,013	12,996	8	7·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	11·26
	76	Satkhira	5,803	5,100	10,902	6	5·89	...	1	1·11	...	...	...	...	3	3·35
	77	Debhatta	2,807	2,682	5,389	7	16·14	...	2	4·61	...	...	...	...	4	9 22
RAJSHAHI	78	Rampur-Boalia	13,057	10,349	23,406	21	10 94	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4·16
	79	Nator	4,509	3,742	8,251	7	10 35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	11·82
DINAJPUR	80	Dinajpur	9,648	6,297	15,945	8	6·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3·06
JALPAI URI	81	Jalpaiguri	7,347	4,218	11,765	18	18·66	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5 18
DARJEELING	82	Darjeeling	11,681	7,374	19,055	23	14·76	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	5·13
	83	Kurseong	3,126	2,448	5,574	10	21·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	30·64
RANGPUR	84	Rangpur	10,509	5,920	16,429	7	5·19	...	1	·74	...	...	...	...	14	10·39

he month of September 1916.

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DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.					Town.
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	
9	3·05	4	1·35	7	2·37	10	3·39	37	28	65	22·07	38	30	68	19·64	1	Burdwan.
1	1·41	1	1·41	...	...	4	5·67	8	4	12	17·01	9	8	17	24·04	2	Kalna.
1	1·76	...	...	2	3·53	...	...	5	2	7	12·36	4	3	7	12·33	3	Katwa.
...	...	...	...	1	2·28	...	...	5	3	8	18·27	4	8	12	27·33	4	Dainhat.
5	3·93	...	...	...	...	5	3·93	7	14	21	16·53	12	12	24	18·84	5	Raniganj
1	·55	...	...	1	·55	3	1·66	9	6	15	8·34	2	2	4	2·22	6	Asansol.
...	...	1	1·33	...	...	1	1·33	5	2	7	9·35	6	2	8	10·65	7	Suri.
3	1·56	1	·52	2	1·04	14	7·28	21	15	36	18·72	13	20	33	17·11	8	Bankura.
1	·59	..	...	...	...	2	1·19	6	7	13	7·74	10	8	18	10·69	9	Vishnupur.
1	·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	14	12·86	15	7	22	20·16	10	Sonamukhi.
13	4·47	2	·74	1	·37	12	4·47	26	20	46	17·14	15	11	26	9·66	11	Midnapore.
4	4·04	1	1·01	3	3·03	...	...	15	12	27	27·30	15	13	28	28·23	12	Ghatal.
...	...	2	2·76	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	6·90	5	6	11	15·14	13	Kharar.
1	1·50	2	3·00	2	3·00	2	3·00	8	13	21	31·54	11	8	19	28·46	14	Chandrakona.
1	1·43	2	2·87	...	...	6	8·63	4	10	14	20·13	9	9	18	25·82	15	Ramjibanpur.
...	...	...	...	1	2·64	...	..	7	1	8	21·19	1	4	5	13·21	16	Khirpai.
6	9·09	2	3·03	2	3·03	1	1·51	6	5	11	16·67	2	3	5	7·55	17	Tamluk.
10	4·21	4	1·68	1	·42	15	6·32	26	23	49	20·67	33	31	64	26·92	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.
1	1·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4	7·98	4	7	11	21·91	19	Bansberia.
3	4·54	...	...	...	...	9	13·64	3	10	13	19·70	...	8	8	12·09	20	Arambagh.
18	6·84	1	·38	1	·38	19	7·22	36	33	69	26·24	Data not available.				21	Serampore.
1	·69	1	·69	...	...	5	3·48	17	9	26	18·10					22	Rishra-Konnagore.
3	4·96	1	1·65	...	...	3	4·96	8	5	13	21·51	5	4	9	14·85	23	Uttarpara.
3	3·71	1	1·85	...	..	2	1·85	5	3	8	14·84	3	1	4	7·40	24	Kotrung.
10	5·94	1	·59	...	...	4	2·37	18	13	31	18·43	20	20	40	23·72	25	Baidyabati.
4	2·00	1	·50	...	...	8	4·00	13	13	26	13·02	15	15	30	14·98	26	Bhadreswar.
48	3·15	37	2·43	6	·39	104	6·84	179	135	307	20·20	189	167	356	24·14	27	Howrah.
5	2·63	2	1·05	2	1·05	6	3·16	18	16	34	17·92	24	32	56	30·42	28	Bally.
33	5·57	13	3·29	2	·50	33	8·35	46	48	94	23·80	60	50	110	27·77	29	Cossipore-Chitpur.
21	4·76	21	4·76	...	...	36	8·16	49	56	105	23·82	64	45	109	24·66	30	Maniktala.
7	2·70	2	·77	1	·38	8	3·09	21	22	43	16·63	53	43	93	35·86	31	South Suburban.
6	3·97	1	·66	2	1·32	3	1·32	19	11	30	19·85	12	5	17	11·22	32	Tollygunj.
12	3·23	5	1·34	1	·26	19	5·11	30	27	57	15·35	48	35	83	22·29	33	Garden Reach.
1	·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	6	3·39	10	8	18	12·17	34	Budge-Budge.
15	7·06	3	1·41	2	·94	9	4·24	23	25	48	22·61	43	43	86	40·40	35	Baranagar.
4	2·70	...	...	1	·67	4	2·70	9	12	21	14·22	33	10	32	21·61	36	Kamarhati.
3	3·15	3	3·15	...	...	5	5·25	12	16	28	29·43	17	23	40	41·92	37	Bajpur.
...	...	1	1·91	...	...	...	...	10	12	22	29·03	5	4	9	11·84	38	Baruipur.
7	9·23	2	2·63	...	...	...	...	7	2	9	17·22	4	3	7	13·35	39	Jayanagar.
3	4·12	2	2·75	...	...	...	...	10	13	23	29·03	5	4	9	11·84	40	North Dum-Dum.
2	1·89	1	·94	2	1·89	3	2·75	5	5	10	13·76	12	12	24	32·93	41	South Dum-Dum.
3	7·27	1	2·42	...	...	3	2·84	12	10	22	20·84	12	12	24	22·68	42	South Barrackpore.
3	1·99	1	·66	...	...	...	...	7	3	10	24·24	Data not available.				43	Barrackpore.
4	4·38	2	2·19	...	...	...	...	4	4	8	5·33					44	Panihati
1	·75	1	·75	1	·75	1	1·09	9	10	19	20·84	15	14	29	31·73	45	North Barrackpore.
2	·54	2	·54	3	·81	6	4·55	11	9	20	15·13	10	15	25	25·67	46	Titaghar.
2	2·10	...	...	2	2·10	3	·81	32	14	46	12·41	41	30	71	19·12	47	Garulia.
5	3·34	2	1·33	...	...	...	...	5	5	10	10·53	3	1	4	4·20	48	Naihati.
1	·90	...	...	...	...	3	2·00	3	12	15	10·04	9	7	16	10·68	49	Halisahar
12	2·90	2	·48	...	...	...	...	8	2	10	9·08	11	12	23	20·84	50	Bhatpara.
...	...	3	4·16	...	...	2	·48	25	19	44	10·64	16	17	33	7·96	51	Baraset.
...	...	3	7·21	...	...	...	...	10	4	14	19·43	1	2	3	4·14	52	Gobardanga.
3	1·99	1	·66	5	3·32	...	...	6	4	12	28·87	4	6	10	23·99	53	Basirhat.
...	...	1	·89	1	·89	4	2·66	17	26	43	28·61	13	14	27	17·92	54	Baduria.
9	4·69	...	...	1	2·34	2	1·78	5	12	17	15·16	7	4	11	9·78	55	Taki.
192	2·61	335	4·56	37	·50	2	4·69	2	6	8	18·76	7	4	11	25·72	56	Calcutta.
1	·51	...	...	...	...	810	11·02	905	704	1,609	21·90	853	736	1,589	22·11	57	Krishnagar.
9	8·79	...	..	3	2·93	5	2·59	9	8	17	8·83	8	11	19	9·84	58	Nadia or Nabadwip.
1	1·23	...	...	1	1·23	1	·97	12	11	23	22·48	10	9	19	18·54	59	Ranaghat.
...	...	1	4·59	...	...	4	4·95	8	6	14	17·34	6	6	12	14·82	60	Birnagar.
1	·45	2	·91	...	...	1	4·59	...	4	4	18·38	2	4	6	27·50	61	Santipur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2·74	25	17	42	19·18	20	31	51	23·23	62	Chakdaha.
...	...	1	2·00	...	...	1	2·47	4	2	6	14·84	4	6	10	24·67	63	Kushtia.
1	3·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	5	10·00	4	1	5	9·98	64	Kumarkhali.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3·23	1	4	5	16·18	2	3	5	16·14	65	Meherpur.
1	·46	1	·46	1	·46	...	...	2	1	3	6·13	4	2	6	12·24	66	Berhampur.
8	2·86	1	·96	...	...	5	2·33	12	12	24	11·19	19	22	41	19·03	67	Murshidabad.
2	1·97	1	·98	...	...	2	1·94	13	13	26	24·07	22	29	51	48·97	68	Azimganj.
1	·96	1	·96	...	...	1	·98	9	6	15	14·84	20	12	32	31·58	69	Kandi.
1	1·06	...	...	1	1·06	8	7·72	11	11	22	21·23	14	18	32	30·80	70	Jangipur
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·06	9	8	17	18·18	7	7	14	14·93	71	Dhulian.
...	...	...	...	1	1·36	...	..	9	6	15	22·05	4	...	4	5·86	72	Jemore.
...	...	1	1·51	1	1·51	1	1·36	4	1	5	6·84	6	7	13	17·74	73	Kotchandpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2	10	15·10	16	5	21	31·63	74	Maheshpur.
...	...	1	·93	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	5·79	4	3	7	20·42	75	Khulna.
2	2·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	13	12·20	17	13	30	28·08	76	Satkhira.
1	4·30	...	...	...	...	4	9·22	3	3	6	6·71	13	9	21	23·43	77	Debhatta.
2	1·04	1	·52	...	...	6	3·12	5	6	11	25·37	6	6	12	27·60	78	Rampur-Boalia.
3	4·43	1	1·47	...	...	4	5·91	11	6	17	8·86	6	14	20	10·39	79	Natgr.
1	·76	1	·76	...	...	2	1·53	9	7	16	23·65	10	4	14	20·64	80	Dinajpur.
1	1·03	7	7·25	...	...	6	6·22	4	4	8	6·12	13	9	22	16·13	81	Jalpaiguri.
1	·64	5	3·20	...	...	16	10·27	17	2	19	19·10	15	11	26	26·88	82	Darjeeling.
3	6·56	2	4·37	...	...	2	4·37	18	12	30	19·25	20	9	29	18·56	83	Kurseong.
1	·74	...	...	...	...	6	4·45	12	9	21	45·98	6	8	14	30·55	84	Rangpur.
								16	6	22	16·33	6	6	12	8·88		

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District.	Number.	Town.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
BOGRA	85	Bogra	5,289	3,824	9,113	4	5·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	8·03
	86	Sherpur	2,217	1,871	4,088	4	11·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5·96
PABNA	87	Pabna	10,086	9,318	19,374	18	11·39	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	5·69
	88	Sirajganj	13,236	11,541	24,777	4	1·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·47
MALDA	89	English Bazar	7,697	6,625	14,322	15	12·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5·11
	90	Malda	2,014	1,736	3,750	3	9·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	19·52
	91	Nawabganj	11,122	12,200	23,322	21	10·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	7·84
DACCA	92	Dacca	63,091	45,460	108,551	283	31·80	18	1	·11	...	...	...	...	93	10·33
	93	Narayanganj	18,738	9,138	27,876	71	31·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	3·50
MYMENSINGH	94	Mymensingh	13,462	6,391	19,853	10	6·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4·91
	95	Muktagachha	3,923	2,633	6,556	11	20·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·44
	96	Netrakona	8,018	5,722	13,740	13	11·54	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·66
	97	Jamalpur	11,738	9,381	21,109	22	12·71	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	8·09
	98	Sherpur	8,516	7,075	15,591	37	28·95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4·69
	99	Kishorganj	9,508	8,518	18,026	34	16·24	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3·38
	100	Bajitpur	5,447	5,386	10,833	38	31·53	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5·63
	101	Tangail	8,493	7,869	16,362	19	14·16	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6·71
FARIDPUR	102	Faridpur	8,017	5,114	13,131	20	18·58	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	7·43
	103	Madaripur	10,049	8,024	19,073	62	39·65	2	20	12·79	...	...	...	...	10	6·39
BAKARGANJ	104	Barisal	15,488	6,985	22,473	18	9·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	6·51
	105	Jhalakati	4,872	1,107	5,979	2	4·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6·12
	106	Nalchiti	1,454	499	1,953	2	12·49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6·24
	107	Pirojpur	8,533	5,473	11,996	24	24·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·03
	108	Patuakhali	3,938	2,279	6,217	2	3·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	9·81
CHITTAGONG	109	Chittagong	18,779	9,987	28,766	56	23·76	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	6·36
	110	Cox's Bazar	2,102	2,270	4,378	7	19·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	13·95
NOAKHALI	111	Sudharam	4,366	2,643	7,009	6	10·44	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·48
TIPPERA	112	Comilla	13,706	8,986	23,692	15	8·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·61
	113	Brahmanbaria	11,671	10,624	22,295	37	20·24	...	1	·54	...	...	...	...	7	3·82
	114	Chandpur	9,062	3,655	12,717	21	20·14	...	1	·95	...	...	...	...	4	3·83
Total of month			1,781,510	1,125,741	2,907,251	4,522	18·97	200	110	·46	9	·03	...	...	1,494	6·26
Total of corresponding month of previous year						4,368	18·27	200	376	1·57	47	·19	...	...	1,796	7·51
Increase + or decrease −						+154	+·70	Equal	−266	−1·11	−38	−·16	...	...	−302	−1·25

1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Taken as a whole the table possesses
2. This year being a leap year the monthly ratios for this month have been calculated by multiplying the number of births and deaths by 366 days.

CALCUTTA,

The 24th November 1916.

the month of September 1916—concld.

REGISTERED

DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES, INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR					
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	Town.
...	...	1	1·33	...	...	2	2·67	5	4	9	12·04	9	5	14	18·69	84	Bogra.
1	2·98	...	...	...	...	4	11·93	5	2	7	20·89	5	3	8	23·80	85	Sherpur
1	·63	4	2·53	1	·63	4	2·53	9	10	19	12·02	10	8	18	11·36	86	Pabna
...	...	...	...	1	·49	...	...	1	3	4	1·96	13	13	24	11·78	87	Sirajganj.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3·40	8	2	10	8·51	7	11	18	15·29	88	English Bazar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6·50	2	6	8	26·02	4	3	7	22·71	89	Malda.
1	·52	...	...	...	...	1	·52	13	4	17	8·89	8	8	16	8·34	90	Nawabganj.
18	2·02	2	·22	9	1·01	79	8·87	117	84	201	22·59	102	106	208	23·31	91	Dacca.
4	1·75	...	...	2	·87	14	6·12	16	13	28	12·25	28	24	52	22·69	92	Narayanganj.
1	·61	...	...	1	·61	7	4·30	8	9	17	10·44	7	3	10	6·12	93	Mymensingh.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5·58	4	3	7	13·02	5	2	7	12 99	94	Muktagachha
2	1·77	1	·88	...	...	1	·88	4	3	7	6·21	2	7	9	7 96	95	Netrakona.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·15	10	6	16	9·24	14	25	39	22·47	96	Jamalpur.
2	1·56	1	·78	...	...	8	6·26	11	6	17	13·30	8	18	26	20 28	97	Sherpur.
1	·67	2	1·35	...	...	1	·67	6	3	9	6·09	8	13	21	14·17	98	Kishorganj.
1	1·12	...	...	...	...	1	1·12	3	4	7	7·88	8	9	17	19 09	99	Rajitpur.
1	·74	2	1·49	...	...	5	3·72	11	6	17	12 67	77	76	153	113·76	100	Taugail
1	92	...	...	...	...	1	·92	8	2	10	9·29	10	6	16	14·82	101	Faridpur
1	·63	...	...	...	...	10	6·39	22	19	41	26·22	27	23	50	31·89	102	Madaripur
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·54	9	4	13	7·05	9	11	20	10·62	103	Barisal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	6·12	1	3	4	8·13	104	Jhalakati.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	6·24	1	...	1	6·22	105	Nalchiti.
...	...	...	...	1	1·01	2	2·03	4	1	5	5 08	8	6	14	14·19	106	Pirojpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·88	3	5	8	15 69	5	4	9	17·61	107	Patuakhali.
5	2·12	1	·42	...	...	14	5·93	18	17	35	14·84	14	12	26	10·99	108	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	13·93	...	3	3	8·33	109	Cox's Bazar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	6	10·44	4	4	8	13·92	3	6	9	15·62	110	Sudharam.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·07	3	2	5	2 68	8	5	13	6·97	111	Comilla.
1	·54	3	1·64	...	...	6	3·28	4	14	18	9·84	23	24	47	25·64	112	Brahmanbaria.
1	·95	...	...	2	1·91	5	4·79	8	5	13	12·47	10	8	18	17·22	114	Chandpur
562	2·35	519	2·17	118	·49	1,459	6·12	2,365	1,916	4,271	17·92						
638	2·66	490	2·05	131	·54	1,467	6·13	2,618	2,327	4,945	20·69	2,618	2,327	4,945	20·69		
−76	−·31	+29	+·12	−13	−·05	−8	−·01	−253	−411	−674	−2·77						

a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of the Districts, excluding Towns

Divisions.	Number.	Districts excluding Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered.			Deaths							
									Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan	718,380	725,805	1,444,185	5,085	26·06	20	70	·59	49	·41	...	...	2,424	20·47
	2	Birbhum	468,981	467,411	936,342	1,627	21·42	46	87	1·14	6	·07	...	...	1,775	23·37
	3	Bankura	534,150	547,314	1,081,464	2,394	25·87	1	40	·45	27	·30	...	...	1,772	19·98
	4	Midnapore ...	1,367,300	1,371,001	2,738,301	4,663	20·77	139	269	1·19	20	·08	...	...	3,873	17·25
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	465,970	472,645	938,615	1,873	24·34	2	12	·15	4	·05	...	...	1,367	17·76
	6	Howrah	369,595	372,124	741,719	1,504	23·94	11	22	·35	...	...	...	...	499	7·94
Total of Division for month ...			3,914,376	3,966,300	7,870,626	15,046	23·32	219	500	·77	106	·16	...	...	11,709	18·14
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						14,597	22·56	202	557	·86	183	·28	...	...	11,563	17·87
Presidency ...	7	24-Parganas ...	970,980	914,740	1,885,590	3,384	21·89	46	51	·32	33	·21	...	...	1,993	12·89
	8	Nadia	765,499	756,429	1,521,928	3,408	27·31	90	18	·14	...	...	...	...	2,334	18·70
	9	Murshidabad ...	635,285	653,506	1,288,791	3,098	29·30	154	90	·85	3	·02	...	...	2,221	21·02
	10	Jessore	889,399	847,767	1,737,066	1,948	13·64	161	6	·04	4	·02	...	...	2,171	15·24
	11	Khulna	693,187	644,392	1,337,579	2,707	24·14	157	25	·22	7	·06	...	...	1,835	13·90
Total of Division for month ...			3,954,150	3,816,834	7,770,954	14,538	22·82	608	190	·29	47	·07	...	...	10,244	16·08
Total of corresponding month of previous year						16,093	25·19	651	342	·53	110	·17	...	...	14,706	23·02
Rajshahi ...	12	Rajshahi	737,640	711,390	1,449,030	2,995	25·21	303	1	·008	5	·04	...	...	3,181	26·78
	13	Dinajpur	880,228	791,690	1,671,918	4,033	29 43	149	...	...	4	·02	...	...	3,687	26·90
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	482,681	408,314	890,995	2,562	35·08	193	7	·09	3	·04	...	...	1,934	26·48
	15	Darjeeling ...	127,337	113,634	240,971	667	33·76	29	1	·05	1	·05	...	...	570	28·85
	16	Rangpur ...	1,344,308	1,124,593	2,468,901	4,789	24·56	342	6	·03	1	·005	...	...	3,966	20 42
	17	Bogra	495,020	475,346	970,366	1,931	24·15	144	8	·10	9	·11	...	...	1,512	19·00
	18	Pabna	700,299	684,236	1,384,535	3,383	20 99	163	...	...	1	·008	...	...	1,793	15·18
	19	Malda	477,714	485,051	962,765	2,621	33·21	71	4	·05	...	...	...	...	1,522	19·28
Total of Division for month ...			5,145,127	4,794,154	9,939,281	21,981	26·94	1,395	27	·03	24	·02	...	...	18,095	22·21
Total of corresponding month of previous year						25,074	30·69	1,663	1,713	2·09	45	·05	...	...	24,884	30·39
Dacca ...	20	Dacca	1,395,861	1,428,114	2,823,975	5,882	25·41	422	11	·04	5	·02	...	...	2,149	9·28
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,270,509	2,133,844	4,404,353	9,309	25·78	573	25	·06	36	·09	...	...	4,460	12·35
	22	Faridpur ...	1,056,393	1,033,317	2,089,710	4,257	24·85	183	7	·04	...	...	...	...	2,115	12·34
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,212,560	1,167,733	2,380,293	4,070	20·86	139	7	·03	...	...	...	...	2,377	12·18
Total of Division for month ...			5,935,323	5,763,008	11,698,331	23,518	24·52	1,316	50	·05	41	·04	...	...	11,101	11·57
Total of corresponding month of previous year						25,400	26·41	1,403	2,873	2·98	62	·06	...	...	16,396	17·05
Chittagong ...	24	Chittagong ...	701,960	773,329	1,475,289	41,96	34·69	272	8	·06	7	·05	...	...	2,371	19·60
	25	Noakhali ...	641,532	653,549	1,295,081	3,519	33·14	262	32	·30	...	...	...	...	1,247	11·74
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,165,792	2,372,434	4,335	22·29	385	10	·05	1	·005	...	...	2,141	11·00
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.														Not under
Total of Division for month ...			2,552,134	2,590,680	5,142,804	12,050	28·58	919	50	·11	8	·01	...	...	5,759	13·66
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						12,601	29·81	948	784	1·85	30	·07	...	...	6 566	15·53
Total of month for Bengal ...			21,501,030	20,930,976	43,431,996	87,103	25·04	4,457	817	·23	226	·06	...	...	56,908	16·36
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						93,765	26·89	4,967	6,269	1·79	420	·12	...	...	74,065	21·24
Increase + or Decrease - ...						-6,662	-1·85	-410	-5,452	-1·56	-208	-·06	...	...	-17,157	-4·88

REMARKS.—(1) The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons
(2) This year being a leap year the monthly ratios for this month have been calculated by multiplying the number of births and

CALCUTTA,

The 24th November 1916.

of Bengal, for the month of September 1916.

REGISTERED.

Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory Diseases.		Injuries including Suicide		Other Causes.		Total all Causes				Total of corresponding month of previous year.					Districts.
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Number. Female.	Number. Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Number. Female.	Number. Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	
62	·52	15	·12	62	·52	475	4·01	1,680	1,477	3,157	26·66	1,439	1,473	2,912	24·53	1	Burdwan.
6	·07	4	·05	46	·60	106	1·39	1,070	960	2,030	26·73	1,187	1,096	2,283	29·98	2	Birbhum.
34	·38	5	·05	52	·58	493	5·11	1,292	1,091	2,383	26·88	997	879	1,876	21·10	3	Bankura.
104	·46	12	·05	100	·44	851	3·92	2,783	2,475	5,258	23·42	2,718	2,623	5,341	23·77	4	Midnapore.
116	1·49	20	·25	66	·85	325	4·35	1,097	893	1,919	24·94	1,113	1,006	2,119	27·46	5	Hooghly and Serampore
167	2·65	33	·52	48	·76	308	4·90	570	507	1,077	17·14	686	572	1,258	20·63	6	Howrah
488	·75	89	·13	374	·57	2,858	3·96	8,423	7,409	15,824	24·52						
539	·83	107	·16	312	·48	2,539	3·92	8,140	7,659	15,799	24·42						
44	·28	35	·22	140	·90	508	3·28	1,844	1,360	2,804	18·14	1,939	1,805	3,744	24·15	7	24-Parganas.
8	·06	4	·03	90	·72	537	4·30	1,555	1,436	2,991	23·97	1,737	1,817	3,544	28·33	8	Nadia.
9	·08	2	·01	93	·88	480	4·35	1,477	1,401	2,878	27·24	2,345	2,163	4,428	41·80	9	Murshidabad.
15	·10	12	·08	101	·70	262	1·84	1,393	1,178	2,571	18·05	1,945	1,843	3,788	26·53	10	Jessore.
9	·08	2	·01	71	·64	644	5·87	1,186	1,097	2,283	20·82	1,519	1,414	2,933	26·67	11	Khulna.
86	·13	55	·08	495	·77	2,411	3·78	7,155	6,372	13,527	21·23						
95	·14	51	·07	467	·72	2,866	4·17	9,376	9,062	18,437	28·86						
3	·02	4	·03	78	·65	338	2·84	1,833	1,777	3,610	30·39	1,893	1,811	3,703	31·09	12	Rajshahi.
1	·007	...	...	78	·50	152	·96	2,047	1,860	3,897	28·43	2,597	2,395	4,992	36·32	13	Dinajpur.
132	1·80	31	·42	21	·28	159	2·17	1,177	1,110	2,287	31·31	21,501	1,145	2,436	33·26	14	Jalpaiguri.
58	2·93	5	·25	10	·50	174	8·80	433	388	819	41·46	357	353	710	35·84	15	Darjeeling.
3	·01	3	·01	62	·31	173	·89	2,218	1,996	4,214	21·70	3,630	3,525	7,155	36·74	16	Rangpur
32	·27	5	·06	51	·64	127	1·59	930	804	1,734	21·79	1,733	1,738	3,480	43·25	17	Bogra.
2	·01	1	·008	81	·71	135	1·18	1,051	892	1,943	17·12	2,059	1,879	3,938	34·60	18	Pabna.
...	...	1	·01	35	·44	294	3·72	1,011	845	1,856	23·51	1,385	1,287	2,672	33·76	19	Malda.
221	·27	80	·06	411	·50	1,532	1·88	10,700	9,660	20,360	24·99						
243	·29	30	·03	491	·60	1,700	2·08	14,943	14,113	29,056	35·56						
115	·49	15	·06	93	·40	831	3·59	1,773	1,446	3,219	13·90	2,890	2,337	5,047	21·74	20	Dacca.
36	·09	30	·08	126	·34	1,194	3·30	3,246	2,660	5,906	16·35	5,869	5,336	11,205	30·95	21	Mymensingh
53	·30	10	·05	107	·62	643	3·74	1,553	1,381	2,934	17·13	2,298	2,060	4,358	25·37	22	Faridpur
17	·08	5	·02	174	·89	1,017	5·28	1,998	1,599	3,597	18·43	2,177	2,009	4,186	21·39	23	Bakarganj.
221	·23	60	·06	499	·52	3,684	3·84	8,670	7,086	15,756	16·32						
421	·43	45	·04	641	·66	4,458	4·53	13,034	11,762	24,796	25·78						
19	·15	8	·06	95	·78	86	·71	1,393	1,399	2,794	21·45	1,445	1,472	2,917	24·05	24	Chittagong.
4	·03	...	...	107	1·00	367	3·45	888	869	1,757	16·55	1,236	1,327	2,563	24·07	25	Noakhali.
47	·24	12	·06	109	·56	583	2·98	1,635	1,268	2,903	14·91	1,910	1,706	3,616	18·53	26	Tippera.
registration.																27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
70	·16	20	·04	311	·73	1,036	2·45	3,818	3,436	7,254	17·20						
160	·37	8	·01	388	·91	1,159	2·74	4,891	4,504	9,095	21·51						
1,085	·31	374	·07	2,090	·60	11,231	3·22	38,665	33,966	72,631	20 88						
1,488	·41	241	·06	2,399	·65	12,422	3·56	50,083	47,100	97,183	27·87	50,083	47,100	97,183	27·87		
-378	-·10	+83	+·01	-209	-·05	-1,201	-·34	-11,418	-13,144	-24,562	-6·99						

Taken as a whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual deaths by 366 days.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,

Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 18th November 1916.

Date.	Time when recorded.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height of water above mean sea-level.	Height above zero of gauge on the same date last year.	Remarks.
12th Nov. 1916	At low tide.	58·5	Not connected with mean sea-level.	57·0	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
13th „ „	Ditto	58·0		56·7	
14th „ „	Ditto	57·7		56·3	
15th „ „	Ditto	57·3		55·7	
16th „ „	Ditto	57·0		55·4	
17th „ „	Ditto	56·5		55·3	
18th „ „	Ditto	56·2		55·5	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	...	70·56 Taken at high tide.
5th Sept.	1909	...	...	67·86 Ditto.
10th August	1910	...	...	69·86 Ditto.
1st „	1911	...	...	68·46 Ditto.
31st „	1912	...	...	67·16 Ditto.
26th „	1914	...	...	66·7 Ditto.
31st „	1915	...	...	69·7 Ditto.
18th „	1916	...	...	68·1 Ditto.
23rd Feb.	1907	...	...	51·06 Taken at lowtide.
13th „	1908	...	...	51·06 Ditto.
12th March	1912	...	...	51·06 Ditto.
6th „	1914	...	...	50·6 Ditto.
22nd Feb.	1915	...	...	50·3 Ditto.
15th „	1916	...	...	50·6 Ditto.

DACCA,
The 20th November 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 25th November 1916.

Date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 49·00.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
19th Nov. 1916	8 A.M.	0·90	49·90	49·55	R. L. of gauge-post is 49·00. B. M. on College step 69·74.
20th „ „	8 „	0·70	49·70	49·50	
21st „ „	8 „	0·50	49·50	49·55	
22nd „ „	8 „	0·40	49·40	49·55	
23rd „ „	8 „	0·20	49·20	49·50	
24th „ „	8 „	0·00	49·00	49·50	
25th „ „	8 „	5·80	48·80	49·50	Gauge post shifted on 25th November 1916 and re-fixed with R. L. of zero 43·00.

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	.. Lowest „	...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record ...	... Highest „	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	... Lowest „	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B. — The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 25th November 1916.

H. DUTT,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Division.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 18th November 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 18th November 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 20th November 1915		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage
		Mds	Rs		Mds	Rs
Rice and paddy	137	18,521	250	142	11,965	167
Jute	295	111,304*	1,515	330	151,124†	1,851
Firewood	38	26,400	392	40	33,675	522
Other articles	869	162,596	1,969	599	97,679	1,400
Total ...	1,339	318,821	4,126	1,111	294,443	3,940
Empty boats and rafts ...	611	...	1,075	517	...	1,124
Grand Total ...	1,950	318,821	5 201	1,628	294,443	5,064

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 150,812
† Ditto ditto 166,337

CALCUTTA,
The 24th November 1916

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 11th November 1916, on 2,067 miles open

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds	Rs	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,067 miles open ...	702,810	(a)2,86,270	1,012,980	(b)1,71,710	(c)29,040	4,87,020	65,547	(d,f)49,103	114,650
Or per mile of railway ...	340·01	138·50	490·07	83·07	14·05	235·62			
For previous 5 weeks of official half-year ...	2,162,450	7,88,240	4,767,270	7,84,810	1,07,290	16,49,840	307,591	226,823	534,414
Total for 6 weeks ...	2,865,260	10,74,510	5,780,250	9,56,520	1,36,330	21,36,860	373,138	275,925	649,063
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,069 miles open	433,193	1,57,033	1,018,700	1,68 190	19 084	3,44,307	64 727	(e)44 666	109,403
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	209·37	75·90	492·36	81·29	9·23	166 41	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	2,475,534	9,31,614	5,937,069	8,15,952	1,14,975	18,62,541	379,603	262,850	642,353
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		4·37		3·50	·25	4·25			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·43		3·77	17	3 15			

(a) Increase mainly under local passengers due to the Sonepore Mela which was held in this period this year but later in 1915.
(b) Increase under foreign traffic ; local traffic decreased.
(c) Increase chiefly under steam- boats.
(d) Includes 516 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 2,976 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Pure goods train miles increased.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 11th November 1916, on 1,639 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. (d)			
Total traffic for the week	750,770	3,88,640 0 0	2,800,210 0	4,19,120 0 0	25,530 0 0	8,33,290 0 0	99,818	(a) 65,511	165 329
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 475	(b) 246 0 0	1,708 0	256 0 0	(c) 11 0 0	(c) 504 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	3,417,460	15,45,180 0 0	14,133,020 0	23,61,210 0 0	1,12,120 0 0	40,18,510 0 0	498,457	333,098	831,555
Total for 6 weeks ...	4,168,230	19,33,820 0 0	16,933,230 0	27,80,330 0 0	1,37,650 0 0	48,51,800 0 0	598,275	398,609	996,884
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	579,641	2,74,661 0 0	2,716,770 0	3,92,469 0 0	20,278 0 0	6,87,408 0 0	101,858	57,725	159,583
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,639 miles)	(b) 362	(b) 174 0 0	1,659 0	239 0 0	7 0 0	414 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	3,765,370	17,05 880 0 0	15,841,172 0	23,89,290 0 0	1,07,832 0 0	42,02,702 0 0	616,253	361,007	979,260

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 7,872.
(b) Excluding 38 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,870.
(d) Increase is chiefly due to Jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 11th November 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	82,000	21,960 0 0	146,030 0	10,660 0 0	3 020 0 0	35,640 0 0	7 002	(b) 3,346	10,348
Per mile of railway per week	692	185 0 0	1,232 0	90 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 277 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	301,710	89,980 0 0	763 510 0	48,760 0 0	14 830 0 0	1,53,570 0 0	35,012	14,084	49,096
Total for 6 weeks ...	383,710	1,11,940 0 0	909,540 0	59,420 0 0	17,850 0 0	1,89,210 0 0	42,014	17,430	59,244
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	80,671	16,599 0 0	96,737 0	6,375 0 0	1,995 0 0	24,969 0 0	6,695	2,070	8,765
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	437	140 0 0	816 0	54 0 0	—1 0 0	193 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	308,317	94,169 0 0	766,132 0	45,182 0 0	12,320 0 0	1,51,671 0 0	40,165	12,791	52,956

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs 2,800.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 690.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 11th November 1916, on 35·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	2,150	3,600 0 0	30,910 0	3,090 0 0	30 0 0	6,720 0 0	952	(a) 270	1,222
Per mile of railway per week	277	109 0 0	1,859 0	93 0 0	1 0 0	203 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	32,950	12,640 0 0	196,860 0	12,360 0 0	170 0 0	25,170 0 0	4,778	1,366	6,144
Total for 6 weeks ...	42,100	16,240 0 0	247,770 0	15,450 0 0	200 0 0	31,890 0 0	5,730	1,636	7,366
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,281	2,279 0 0	33,027 0	2,923 0 0	26 0 0	5,228 0 0	941	299	1,240
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	129	69 0 0	1,003 0	88 0 0	1 0 0	158 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	28,101	13,370 0 0	208,937 0	13,774 0 0	140 0 0	32,284 0 0	5,705	2,062	7,767

(a) Including ballast train-miles, nil.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 11th November 1916, on 53·66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	19,690	5,610 0 0	164,470 0	9,620 0 0	40 0 0	15,270 0 0	1,672	(a) 1,750	3,422
Per mile of railway per week	367	105 0 0	3,065 0	179 0 0	1 0 0	285 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	90,340	25,310 0 0	823,160 0	44,220 0 0	170 0 0	69,700 0 0	8,518	7,604	16,122
Total for 6 weeks ...	110,030	30,920 0 0	987,630 0	53,840 0 0	210 0 0	83,970 0 0	10,190	9,354	19,544
Total for the 12 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	210,289	59,007 0 0	2,999,012 0	1,45,976 0 0	632 0 0	2,35,615 0 0	24 563	26,611	51,074
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	12,957	3,559 0 0	83,305 0	4,189 0 0	22 0 0	7,771 0 0	1,951	1,153	3,104
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·66 miles)	241	66 0 0	1,551 0	78 0 0	1 0 0	145 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	105,708	30,671 0 0	686,464 0	34,232 0 0	193 0 0	65 096 0 0	12,113	6 644	18,797
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	311,999	92,968 0 0	2,015 641 0	99,974 0 0	641 0 0	1,93,584 0 0	36 807	19,114	57.421

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 90. (b) Audited figures to end of August 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 11th November 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	12,870	5,480 0 0	35,630 0	2,720 0 0	10 0 0	8,220 0 0	1,428	(a)700	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	256	109 0 0	709 0	55 0 0	.....	164 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	53,160	15,990 0 0	379,650 0	19,920 0 0	80 0 0	36,000 0 0	7,140	3,740	10,880
Total for 6 weeks ...	66,030	21,470 0 0	315,280 0	22,660 0 0	90 0 0	44,220 0 0	8,568	4,440	13,008
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	134 0 0	3 0 0	137 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (23 miles)	... ..	.....	.....	6 0 0	.....	6 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	336 0 0	31 0 0	377 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Ballast train miles, *nil*.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 11th November 1916, on 2,517·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	689 993	5,63,755 0 0	8,605,831 0	14 57,424 0 0	17,750 0 0	20,38,929 0 0	177,440	316,678	494 118
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	223 0 11	.....	576 10 4	7 0 4	808 11 7	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	3,300,217	29,45 627 0 0	43,439,047 0	71,91,465 0 0	86,800 0 0	1,02,24,092 0 0	892,485	1,642,160	2,534,645
Total from 1st October ...	3,989 810	35,09,382 0 0	52,034,878 0	86,48,889 0 0	1,04,550 0 0	1,22,63,021 0 0	1,069,925	1,958,838	3,028,763
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	650,531	3.94,173 0 0	7 984,207 0	12 93.674 0 0	62,051 0 0	19.49,898 0 0	185 467	270,573	456,040
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	235 2 4	.....	511 15 8	24 8 11	771 10 11	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	3,888,711	33,92,962 0 0	48,368,939 0	77,77,622 0 0	3,47,732 0 0	1,15,18,316 0 0	1,097,347	1,624,513	2,721,860

(a) The increase is in coal.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs	Rs	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P
2,527·42	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	701,047	6,36,743	7,563,707	12,66,337	19,750	19,22,830	761	515,617	3 11 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	687,132	5,96,390	8,231,776	13,38,019	7,750	19,42,089	768	499,879	3 14 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	638,906	5,76,650	9,601,148	15,85,890	6,750	21,69,790	858	519,287	4 2 10
2,527·42	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	596,756	5,24,773	9,226,706	15,16,815	27,750	20,69,338	819	508,547	4 1 1
2,527·42	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	579,376	5,11,341	8,805,710	14,84,704	24,800	21,20,845	839	492,315	4 4 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	589,593	5,63,755	8,605,831	14,57,424	17,750	20,38,929	807	494,118	4 2 0
	Totals up to date ...	3,989,810	35,09,582	52,034,978	86,48,889	1,04 550	1,22,63,021	809	3,028,763	4 0 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 19 6-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P
2,526·81	First 9 days of Oct. ...	836,025	7,48,935	11,366,943	18,58,027	60,848	26,67,810	821	591,965	4 8 1
2,526·81	Week ended 16th ,, ...	693,469	6,02,563	8,310,319	13,05,867	54,028	19,61,953	776	476,299	4 1 11
2,526·81	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	634,798	5,37,196	6,475,657	10,53,846	60,963	16,42,007	650	416,616	3 15 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	613,271	5,53,341	7,302,989	12,89,234	58,650	19,01,125	752	447,367	4 4 0
2,526·81	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	597,181	5,31,715	8,787,840	14,03,241	63,808	19,98,763	791	465,121	4 4 9
2,526·81	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	650,531	5,94,173	7,984,207	12,93,674	62,051	19,49 898	772	456,040	4 4 5
	Totals up to date ...	4,025,225	35,67,925	50,927,955	82,03,889	3,60,341	1,21,21,555	763	2,853,408	4 4 0

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 11th November 1916, on 235·25 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	61,426	44,681 0 0	586,311 0	52,022 0 0	250 0 0	96,953 0 0	11,821	11,212	23,033
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	189 14 10	.....	221 2 2	1 1 0	412 2 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year.	209,584	1,60,085 0 0	2,756 057 0	2,06,546 0 0	1,200 0 0	3,69,831 0 0	56,622	47,194	103,817
Total from 1st Oct. ...	271,010	2,24,766 0 0	3,342,368 0	2,60,568 0 0	1,450 0 0	4,66,784 0 0	68,444	58,406	126,850
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	40,491	34,147 0 0	440,328 0	27,689 0 0	246 0 0	62,082 0 0	11,305	7,492	18,797
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	178 3 11	.....	144 7 9	1 4 7	328 15 3	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	247,276	2,17,344 0 0	2,373,414 0	1,94,061 0 0	1,580 0 0	4,12,985 0 0	71,861	49,115	120,793

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,588	35,121	469,795	80,996	250	66,359	346	19,368	3 6 3
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	45,784	36,962	587,661	87,740	250	74,953	391	21,385	3 8 4
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	42,208	35,288	488,413	41,980	250	77,518	405	21,140	3 10 8
191·64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,667	34,926	542,087	44,860	250	80,036	418	20,538	3 14 4
216.56	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	44,337	37.785	673,111	52,981	200	90,966	420	21,386	4 4 5
235·25	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	61,426	44,681	586,311	52,022	250	96,953	413	23,033	4 3 4
	Totals up to date ...	271,010	2,24,764	3,342,368	2,60,568	1,450	4,66,784	403	126,850	3 13 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A P
191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	52,764	44,612	499,604	45,358	336	90,306	366	26,736	3 6 1
191·64	Week ended 16th ,, ...	39,193	37,534	370,660	33,515	251	71,299	372	19,903	3 9 4
191·64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	43,663	34,922	325,372	29,143	251	64,316	336	20,748	3 1 7
191·64	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	40,082	35,863	440,612	41,438	251	77,542	405	20,648	3 11 6
191·64	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	42,472	38,625	404,921	37,046	330	66,041	345	20,670	3 3 1
191·64	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	40,491	34.147	440.328	27,689	246	62,082	324	18,797	3 4 10
	Totals up to date ...	258,665	225,692	2,481,397	2,04,189	1,665	4,31,476	358	126,849	3 6 6

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 11th November 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	9,559	2,807 0 0	81,226 0	13,196 0 0	(a)368 0 0	16,371 0 0	514	(d)855	1,369
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	77 0 0	...	363 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 441 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year.*	37,083	9,822 0 0	390,011 0	59,561 0 0	1,979 0 0	71,340 0 0	2,250	4,260	6,510
Total for 6 weeks ...	46,642	12,636 0 0	471,237 0	72,757 0 0	2,347 0 0	87,740 0 0	2,764	5,115	7,879
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	8,001	2,353 0 0	94,700 0	12,606 0 0	(b)369 0 0	15,328 0 0	480	(e)933	1,413
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	65 0 0	...	346 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 413 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	41,951	12,132 0 0	542,626 0	69,966 0 0	2,376 0 0	81,676 0 0	2,455	5,225	7,680

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 336.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs. 344.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 190.
(e) Ditto, 1915, 72.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 11th November 1916, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week...	18,210	6,593 0 0	115,658 0	20,126 0 0	23 0 0	26,753 0 0	1,312	3,915	5,227
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	57 0 0	.....	172 0 0	.....	229 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year *	88,381	27,837 0 0	576,565 0	89,036 0 0	1,128 0 0	117,991 0 0	9,388	16,193	25,581
Total for 6 weeks ...	106,591	34,430 0 0	692,223 0	109,162 0 0	1,151 0 0	144,743 0 0	11,170	19,706	30,878
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	16,314	5,836 0 0	130,488 0	27,192 0 0	17 0 0	33,044 0 0	1,745	(b)3,674	5,419
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	50 0 0	.....	232 0 0	.....	282 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	88,625	31,037 0 0	799,145 0	132,606 0 0	177 0 0	163,820 0 0	9,195	19,383	28,578

(a) Ballast train-miles, 618
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, 173.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 11th November 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,399	12,001 0 0	35,286 0	15,657 0 0	92 0 0	27,750 0 0	3,063	2,476	5,539
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	235 0 0	.....	307 0 0	2 0 0	544 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of the half-year	33,304	69,202 0 0	1,56,584 0	70,405 0 0	906 0 0	1,40,513 0 0	14,861	15,474	30,335
Total traffic up to 11th November 1916	38,703	1,01,303 0 0	1,91,870 0	86,062 0 0	998 0 0	1,88,263 0 0	17,924	17,950	35,874
(42 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	331 0 0	.....	281 0 0	3 0 0	615 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,169	13,903 0 0	29,665 0	13,599 0 0	124 0 0	27,626 0 0	1,496	3,906	5,402
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	272 0 0	.....	267 0 0	2 0 0	542 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	34,095	98,946 0 0	1,98,646 0	94,568 0 0	1,034 0 0	1,91,548 0 0	11,653	24,422	36,075
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	314 0 0	.....	309 0 0	3 0 0	626 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week...		— 1,902		+ 2,058	— 32	+ 124			
Difference up to date ...		+ 5,257		— 8,506	— 36	— 2,285			

The decrease during the week in Coaching is mainly in Foreign Passengers, Troops and Parcels.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Public Coal, Potato and Salt.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 11th November 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,789	2,844 0 0	22,847 0	1,896 0 0	9 0 0	4,749 0 0	913	907	1,820
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	41 0 0	.....	27 0 0	.....	68 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of the half-year	38,148	11,768 0 0	97,309 0	8,316 0 0	88 0 0	20,072 0 0	5,200	4,100	9,100
Total traffic up to 11th November 1916	43,935	14,612 0 0	1,19,876 0	10,113 0 0	97 0 0	24,821 0 0	5,913	5,007	10,920
(42 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	35 0 0	.....	24 0 0	.....	59 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,540	1,669 0 0	10,063 0	2,091 0 0	—8 0 0	3,752 0 0	342	1,027	1,369
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	24 0 0	.....	30 0 0	.....	54 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	26,626	10,195 0 0	1,45,911 0	12,681 0 0	168 0 0	23,044 0 0	1,912	5,773	7,685
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	23 0 0	.....	30 0 0	.....	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week	+	1,175	—	195	+ 17	+ 997			
Difference up to date	+	4,417	—	2,569	— 71	+ 1,777			

The increase during the week in Coaching is in Local Passengers and Parcels.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Potato traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 11th November 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	913	737 0 0	8,483 0	1,627 0 0	1 0 0	2,565 0 0	143	428	570
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	24 0 0	.....	61 0 0	.....	85 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of the half-year	2,385	2,410 0 0	18,249 0	3,607 0 0	21 0 0	6,038 0 0	659	1,035	1,694
Total traffic up to 11th November 1916	3,198	3,147 0 0	26,732 0	5,434 0 0	22 0 0	8,603 0 0	801	1,463	2,264
(42 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	18 0 0	.....	30 0 0	.....	48 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ..	632	405 0 0	4,870 0	1,274 0 0	6 0 0	1,685 0 0	155	441	596
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	14 0 0	.....	42 0 0	.....	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	3,366	1,990 0 0	20,323 0	4,850 0 0	19 0 0	6,839 0 0	630	2,088	2,718
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	11 0 0	.....	27 0 0	.....	38 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week		+ 332		+ 553	— 5	+ 880			
Difference up to date		+ 1,157		+ 604	+ 3	+ 1,764			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local and Foreign Passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Piece Goods, Wool and Cardamoms.

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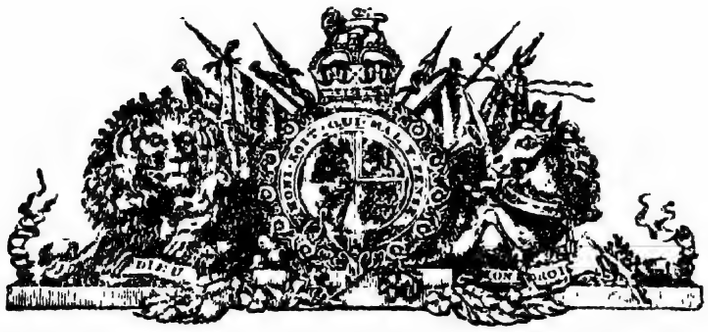

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13425 P.—The 1st December 1916.—His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Frederic John Napier, Baron Chelmsford, P.C., G.M.S.I., G.C.M.G., G.M.I.E., Viceroy and Governor-General of India, accompanied by Her Excellency the Lady Chelmsford and Staff, will arrive by the SS. "Arankola" off Prinsep's Ghât at 4 P.M. (Calcutta time) on Friday, the 22nd December 1916, and will immediately proceed on board the Royal Indian Marine launch "Empress Mary," where they will be received by the Vice-Chairman of the Port Commissioners, the Port Officer of Calcutta, the Deputy Conservator of the Port of Calcutta and the Military Secretary to the Governor of Bengal.

2. On arrival of the launch at Prinsep's Ghât at 4-15 P.M. their Excellencies will be received by His Excellency the Governor of Bengal and the Lady Carmichael. At the same time a Viceregal salute of 31 guns will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William.

Guards of Honour furnished by the Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps and Indian Infantry will be drawn up opposite the landing-stage and will salute as His Excellency steps on shore.

3. His Excellency the Governor will then present the following gentlemen who will be present at the ghât :—

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.
The Commissioner of the Presidency Division.
The Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta.
The Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.
The Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.
The Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.
The Aides-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor.

4. After the inspection of the Guards of Honour their Excellencies the Viceroy and Lady Chelmsford attended by Staff will drive to Government House, escorted by a battery of Royal Field Artillery, His Excellency the Viceroy's Bodyguard, the Calcutta Light Horse and His Excellency the Governor's Bodyguard and a squadron of Indian Cavalry.

5. The route will be *viâ* the Ellenborough Course, the Red Road and Government Place, East, the entry into Government House being by

the North-East Gate. The route will be lined throughout by troops under the orders of the General Officer Commanding the Presidency Brigade.

6. A Guard of Honour of British Infantry and a Guard of Honour of the Calcutta Volunteer Rifles will be drawn up opposite the Grand Staircase of Government House and will salute on His Excellency the Viceroy alighting from his carriage.

7. At Government House there will assemble not later than 3-45 P.M. (Calcutta time) all Civil, Naval and Military Officers of Government at the Presidency, who may be present at Calcutta. Consular Officers and other representatives of Foreign Governments at Calcutta, Ruling Chiefs and Noblemen of Bengal. Members of the Bengal Legislative Council and other gentlemen on the Calcutta and Dacca Government House lists, who are desirous of attending, are also invited to be present. Limited accommodation will be provided in the Throne Room for the ladies of the gentlemen invited to attend.

Admission to Government House Grounds, except to officers in uniform, will be by ticket only, for which application should be made to the Under-Secretary, Political Department, Writers' Buildings, not later than the 19th December 1916.

8. Their Excellencies the Viceroy and Lady Chelmsford will be received at the foot of the Grand Staircase by the General Officer Commanding the 8th (Lucknow) Division and the General Officer Commanding the Presidency Brigade, who will accompany His Excellency on his inspection of the Guards of Honour.

9. After the inspection, His Excellency the Viceroy, accompanied by His Excellency the Governor and followed by their Excellencies Lady Chelmsford and Lady Carmichael, will proceed to the head of the stairs, where the formalities of a public arrival will take place. The flag at Government House will be hoisted and a salute of 31 guns will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William. His Excellency the Governor will present the Chief Justice, the Lord Bishop of Calcutta and the Members of the Bengal Executive Council; and the Chief Justice will present the Puisne Judges of the High Court and the Advocate-General, Bengal.

10. At the entrance to the Throne Room the high officials and others assembled there will be presented to His Excellency the Viceroy as follows:—

(*a*) Ruling Chiefs and Noblemen, by His Excellency the Governor.
(*b*) Consuls General by His Excellency the Governor.
(*c*) Member of the Board of Revenue. Secretaries to the Government and Principal Heads of Departments by His Excellency the Governor.
(*d*) Staff Officers and Officers Commanding Units by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency Brigade.
(*e*) The Sheriff of Calcutta; President, Chamber of Commerce; President, British Indian Association; Master, Trades' Association; and President, National Chamber of Commerce, by His Excellency the Governor.
(*f*) Members of the Bengal Legislative Council by His Excellency the Governor.

11. His Excellency the Viceroy will then leave the Throne Room attended by his personal Staff.

12. Levée Dress will be worn by Civil officers. Service Dress by Military officers. Gentlemen not entitled to wear uniform will appear in Morning Dress.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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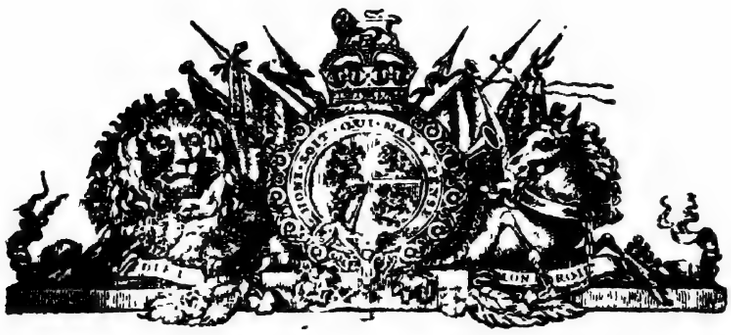

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13739P.—The 6th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (1) of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (I of 1910), the Governor in Council hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a Bengali leaflet entitled "Jehad", beginning with the words "Agar firdaus baruye jaminast" (If there is a Paradise on earth), etc., and ending with the words "La Elaha Il lillahu Mahammader Rasul lillahi" (save Allah, there is no God and Muhammad is his Prophet), and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet, on the ground that the said leaflet contains exhortations to rebel against the British Government in India and to commit murder, and contains words which have a tendency to incite to acts of violence and to bring into hatred and contempt and excite disaffection towards the Government established by law in British India, and therefore appears to the Governor in Council to be of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (1), clauses (*a*) and (*c*) of the said Act.

J. H. KERR,
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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8766A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 8540A.—The 30th November 1916.*—Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Pabna district on relinquishing charge of his duties as Special Land Acquisition Officer in connection with the acquisition of land for the Sara-Sirajganj Railway in the districts of Rajshahi and Pabna.

Rajshahi. Pabna.

No. 8627A.—The 2nd December 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Majid (No. II), Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Khulna district.

Khulna.

No. 8652A.—The 2nd December 1916.—Maulvi Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Chuadanga subdivision of that district with effect from the afternoon of the 30th November 1916.

Nadia.

No. 8701A.—The 4th December 1916.—The Sub Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Deputy Collectors :—

Babu Shashi Bhushan Bhattacharji, employed on Land Acquisition work, 24-Parganas.

Maulvi Abdul Jalil Khan, Assistant Settlement Officer, Noakhali and Tippera.

Babu Akshay Narayan Mitra, Inspector, Co-operative Societies, Burdwan Circle.

They will continue in their present appointments until further orders.

No. 8705A —The 4th December 1916.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Deputy Collectors :—

Babu Jamini Prasanna Ray, M.A.
„ Dwijendra Nath Sen, M.A., B.L.
„ Praphulla Chandra Sen, B.A.
Maulvi Siraj-ul-Islam, M.A.
„ Quamaruddin Muhammad, M.A.
„ Chaudhuri Afsar Ali, B.Sc.
Babu Binod Bihari Das Gupta, B.A.

The postings of these officers are under consideration and the appointments of those who have not submitted certificates of health and age are subject to the submission and acceptance of those certificates.

No. 8724A.—The 4th December 1916.—Maulvi Abdus Sobhan Mahmnd, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia is transferred to the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the Tippera district.

Nadia.
Tippera.

No. 8728A.—The 4th December 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Halim Chaudhuri, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is transferred to the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the Tippera district.

Noakhali.
Tippera.

No. 8741A.—The 5th December 1916.—Mr. H. F. Samman, I.C.S., Officiating Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, is appointed substantively to be a Commissioner of a Division with effect from the 29th October 1916.

Rajshahi Divn.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 8644A.—The 2nd December 1916.*—The Revd. Julian Meunier, S.J., is appointed to be Honorary Chaplain (Roman Catholic) of the Second (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, with effect from the 1st November 1916, *vice* the Revd. Father A. F. Van-de-Mergel, S.J., deceased.

Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 8750A.—The 5th December 1916.*—Rai Sahib Kumud Mohan Das Gupta, Deputy Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, held charge of the Police work of the Diamond Harbour subdivision and of the Sadar "B" Division of that district from the 1st to the 9th October 1916, both days inclusive.

24-Parganas.

JAILS.—*No. 8637A.—The 2nd December 1916.*—The orders of the 16th November 1916, appointing Mr. C. R Battersby, Deputy Superintendent, Government Printing, Bengal, to act as Deputy Superintendent of the Central Jail, Alipore, are cancelled.

Calcutta.
24-Parganas.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 8522A.—The 29th November 1916.*—Babu Rebati Mohan Chakrabatti (No. II), Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is allowed combined leave for one year and three months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he

Chittagong.

availed himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

No. 8544A.—The 30th November 1916.—Mr. S. E. Stinton, I.C.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for four days.

No. 8545A.—The 30th November 1916.—Babu Shyama Charan Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 5th August 1916.

No. 8558A.—The 1st December 1916.—Babu Mahendra Nath Kundu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Mymensingh.

No. 8630A.—The 2nd December 1916.—Maulvi Anis-uz-Zaman Khan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chuadanga, Nadia, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 30th November 1916.

Nadia.

No. 8735A.—The 4th December 1916.—Mr. Nrisinha Ranjan Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manikganj, Dacca, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved up to the 22nd December 1916.

Dacca.

POLICE.—*No. 8543A.—The 30th November 1916.*—Mr. E. B. Jones, Assistant Superintendent of Police, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough on medical certificate for two months.

JAILS.—*No. 8635A.—The 2nd December 1916.*—The orders of the 16th November 1916, granting Mr. J. Gray, Deputy Superintendent of the Central Jail Alipore, combined leave for twelve months, are cancelled.

24-Parganas.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9560For.—The 1st December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 26 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the area specified below, which was declared to be reserved forest by Notification No. 4960For., dated the 1st December 1893, shall cease to be reserved forest with effect from the date of this notification :—

Chittagong.

Name of Reserve, a portion of which is disforested.	District.	Mauza.	Area in acres.
Ramgarh Sitakund (Bechmarghona).	Chittagong ...	Hinguli ...	8

Boundaries of the area disforested :—

North—The southern boundaries of C. S. Plots Nos. 4257 and 4256.

East—Starting from boundary pillar No. 1 (old pillar No. 1011) at the south-east corner of C. S. Plot No. 4256, 1 chain at an angle 245° to pillar No. 2, then 5·75 chains at an angle of 198° to pillar No. 3, then 2·5 chains at an angle of 168° to pillar No. 4, then 1·25 chains at an angle of 110° to pillar No. 5, then 2 chains at an angle of 214° to pillar No. 6, then 2·25 chains at an angle of 256° to pillar No. 7, then 1 chain at an angle of 196° to pillar No. 8, then 3·21 chains at an angle of 209° to pillar No. 9.

South—3·28 chains at an angle of 287° to pillar No. 10.

West—2·2 chains at an angle of 21° to pillar No. 11, then 3 chains at an angle of 354° to pillar No. 12, then 4·25 chains at an angle of 20° to pillar No. 13, then 2 chains at an angle of 52° to pillar No. 14, then 3·3 chains at an angle of 10° meeting the south-west corner of C. S. Plot No. 4257 at pillar No. 15 (old pillar No. 1013).

Brief description :—The area is a "ghona" or narrow strip of flat land lying between hills which run north and south. It is devoid of forest growth.

Bakarganj. *No. 9476L.R.—The 29th November 1916.*—Babu Jiban Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Collector under—

(1) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822),

(2) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825),

(3) The Bengal Land Revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833 (IX of 1833),

to be exercised in the district of Bakarganj.

Bakarganj. *No. 9478L.R.—The 29th November 1916.*—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), Babu Jiban Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Bakarganj, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Midnapore. *No. 9532L.R.—The 1st December 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Sashi Bhusan Ghosh, Technical Adviser, to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey in the district of Midnapore.

Faridpur. *No. 9534L.R.—The 1st December 1916.*—Babu Brajendra Nath Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is appointed to be Tahsildar in the same district, with effect from the date on which he may take over charge of his duties as Tahsildar.

Howrah. *No. 9548L.R.—The 1st December 1916.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (*2*) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands appertaining to Patni Lot Nawabpur under tauzi No. 1 of the Burdwan Collectorate and situated in the following villages, in the district of Howrah :—

	Name of village.	Thana.	Jurisdiction list No.
1.	Bhabanipur *alias* Kamalapur ...	Jagatballavpur.	92
2.	Chitta Mauza Telihaty	Ditto	4
3.	Margurali	Ditto	46

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;
(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenureholder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;
(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;
(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;
(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of rights is being prepared ;
(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a court, or otherwise ;
(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;
(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
  (*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well, or any other source of supply, and
  (*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;
(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;
(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;
(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and if so entitled, under what authority ;
(*l*) the name of each proprietor with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in chapter XI of the Act.

No. 9571L.R.—The 2nd December 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Latif Chaudhuri, Sub-Deputy Collector employed as Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, was granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 4th to the 14th November 1916, both days inclusive, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 7928L.R., dated the 25th September 1916.

Rajshahi.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9516L.A.—The 30th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dinajpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a night-soil depôt at Barabandar near Railbazar Hat, pargana Bijanagar, district Dinajpur, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs and 9·33 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Dinajpur.

North—By the patit land of Babu Nutu Lal Boral,
East—By the houses of Chandra Kundu,
South—By the Railbazar Lane,
West—By the Municipal lane,

is required within the aforesaid village of Barabandar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dinajpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Dinajpur.

No. 9553L.A.—The 1st December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for constructing drains round the compound of the police investigating centre at Bochagunj, in the village of Bochagunj, pargana Salbari, zilla Dinajpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 9 cottahs and 14·8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North—By Tanoo Muhammad Haji *alias* Janoo Muhammad Haji's land,
East—By the public road to Radhikapur,
South—By Tanoo Muhammad Haji *alias* Janoo Muhammad Haji's land, and thana compound of Bochagunj police-station,
West—By the river Shoga,

PLOT B.

North—By plot A,
East—By thana compound of Bochagunj police-station,
South and West—By Tanoo Muhammad Haji *alias* Janoo Muhammad Haji's land,

PLOT C.

North—By plot A,
East—By the public road to Radhikapur,
South—By Tanoo Muhammad Haji *alias* Janoo Muhammad Haji's land,
West—By thana compound of Bochagunj police-station,

are required within the aforesaid village of Bochagunj.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Thakurgaon.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 9591L.A.—The 4th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway Company, Limited, for a public purpose, viz., for Kaliganj Station Yard of that Railway, in the village of Nischindpur, pargana Sahaujial, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared, in modification of Declaration No. 2778T.R., dated 18th October 1913, published at pages 1627-28, Part 1, of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 22nd October 1913, that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 bighas 12 chitaks and 3 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to 4·31 acres, bounded on the—

North—By lands of Natabar Chamar Bairagi, Durjadhan Goswami and Kaliganj-Kotchandpur Road,
East—By Jessore-Jhenida Road,

South—By lands of Rasik Lal Choudhury and Natabar Chamar Bairagi,
West—By lands of Umacharan Moochi, Tusta Moochi, Joggeswar Moochi, Hari Moochi and Dwijabar Dass and Rasik Lal Choudhury,

is required within the aforesaid village of Nischindpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Jhenidah.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9630L.A.—The 4th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Students' Infirmary, in the village of Belgachia, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha and 6 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the land of Kebal Krishna Sur and others,
East—By the remaining land of Albert Victor Hospital,
South—By Government khas khamar land,
West—By Government khas khamar land and Nil Money Mitter Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Belgachia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Registrar, Calcutta University.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9651L.A.—The 5th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for dredger siding at Belghurriah, in the villages of Belghurriah, Basudebpore, Perbasudebpur, Patna and Osmanpore, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 130 bighas 17 cottahs 14 chitaks and 22 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the land of E. B. Railway and the village land of Osmanpore,
East—By the village lands of Belghurriah, Basudebpore, Perbasudebpur, Patna and Osmanpore and by public roads,
South—By the village lands of Belghurriah, Basudebpore, Perbasudebpur, Patna and Osmanpore,
West—By the lands of E. B. Railway and the village land of Basudebpore,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Belghurriah, Basudebpore, Perbasudebpur, Patna and Osmanpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer in Chief, E. B. Railway.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 9508Regn.—The 30th November 1916.—Maulvi Shaik Yusufali, Sub-Registrar, grade V, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Rajganj, in the district of Jessore, was on privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 31st May 1916 to the 4th June 1916, both days inclusive.

Jessore.

No. 9510Regn.—The 30th November 1916.—Babu Nagendra Nath Basu, Probationer of Jessore, acted as Sub-Registrar of Rajganj, in that district, from the 2nd to the 4th June 1916, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Shaikh Yusufali.

Jessore.

No. 9577Regn.—The 2nd December 1916.—Mr. S. M. Allison, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kishorganj, in the district of Rangpur, with effect from the 28th October 1916.

Rangpur.

No. 9579Regn.—The 2nd December 1916.—Babu Phani Bhusan Ray, Probationer of Dacca, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Raipura, in the same district, from the 23rd to the 30th September 1916.

Dacca.

No. 9589Regn.—The 4th December 1916.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Chatarji, District Sub-Registrar, Jessore, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for seventy-five days with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Jessore.

No. 9600Regn.—The 4th December 1916.—Babu Surendra Gopal Mitra, District Sub-Registrar of Jalpaiguri, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 9603Regn.—The 4th December 1916.—Babu Bir Singh Ray, Sub-Registrar of Amta, in the district of Howrah, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Jalpaiguri, during the absence on leave of Babu Surendra Gopal Mitra, or until further orders.

Howrah.
Jalpaiguri.

No. 9605Regn.—The 4th December 1916.—Babu Dibes Chandra Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Amta, in the district of Howrah, during the absence on deputation of Babu Bir Singh Ray, or until further orders.

Howrah.

No. 9635Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Probodh Chandra Mitra, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Joint Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj at Barabazar, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 12th October 1916, until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 9637Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Baidya Nath Datta, Sub-Registrar, grade V, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Salkhiya, in the district of Jessore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty-two days, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

This modifies Notification No. 6986Regn., dated the 28th August 1916.

Jessore.

No. 9640Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Naresh Chandra Basu, Probationer of Jessore, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Salkhiya, in the same district, from the 17th October 1916, until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 9642Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Mr. Arthur Gupta, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Chuadanga, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to be the Joint Sub-Registrar of Alipore at Behala in the district of the 24-Parganas.

Nadia.
24-Parganas.

No. 9644Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Amrita Lal Gupta, Sub-Registrar, grade III, officiating as Joint Sub-Registrar of Alipore at Behala, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be the Sub-Registrar of Sealdah in the same district.

24-Parganas.

24-Parganas. Nadia.

No. 9646 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Maulvi Shaikh Mutiud-din, Sub-Registrar, grade I, of Sealdah, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be the Sub-Registrar of Chuadanga in the district of Nadia.

Mymensingh.

No. 9648 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Maulvi Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Durgapur, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 16th October 1916, until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 9663 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Kalidas Chakrabatti, District Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and eleven days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Government Notification No. 8151 Regn., dated the 3rd October 1916.

Noakhali. Bakarganj.

No. 9666 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Maulvi 'Abdul Halim, Sub-Registrar of Boserhat, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj, with effect from the 27th November 1916, during the absence on leave of Babu Kalidas Chakrabatti, or until further orders.

Noakhali.

No. 9668 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Maulvi A. K. M. Mokrambillah Chaudhuri, Probationer of Noakhali, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Boserhat, in the same district, with effect from the 23rd November 1916, during the absence on deputation of Maulvi 'Abdul Halim, or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 9670 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Dhirendra Lal Sen was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Gopalpur, in the district of Mymensingh, from the afternoon of the 12th October 1916 to the 11th November 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 9672 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Dinesh Chandra Ray, Probationer of Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Gopalpur, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the afternoon of the 11th November 1916 until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 9674 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Bankim Behari Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, acted as Sub-Registrar of Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, from the 21st October 1916 to the 31st October 1916.

Khulna.

No. 9676 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Jatindra Chandra Ghosh, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, with effect from the 1st November 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bankim Chandra Gupta, or until further orders.

Noakhali.

No. 9678 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Girindra Prasanna Mazumdar, Probationer of Noakhali, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Mutiganj in the same district, with effect from the 12th October 1916, until further orders.

Tippera.

No. 9680 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Maulvi Farid Bakht Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Chandurabazar, in the district of Tippera, with effect from the 12th October 1916, until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 9682 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Maulvi Siddique Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Radhaballav, in the district of Bakarganj, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th October 1916, during the absence on deputation of Babu Kiran Chandra Datta, or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 9684 Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Dinesh Chandra Ray, Probationer of Mymensingh was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bakshiganj, in the same district, from the 12th October 1916 to the 22nd October 1916.

No. 9686Regn.—The 5th December 1916.—Maulvi Faizuddin Ahmad (No. I), Sub-Registrar, grade V, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bakshiganj, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 23rd October 1916, until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 9521Regn.—The 30th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Sultan Khan, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar of Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh, to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar of the police-station Bashail in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 9522Regn.—The 30th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Sultan Khan, Kazi of Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh, to be the Kazi of the police-station Bashail in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 9525Regn.—The 30th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiyid Abul Hussain Muhammad Ali, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar of Bashail, in the district of Mymensingh, to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar of the police-station Tangail, in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 9526Regn.—The 30th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiyid Abul Hussain Muhammad Ali, Kazi of Bashail, in the district of Mymensingh, to be the Kazi of the police-station Tangail, in the same district.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 9512Regn.—The 30th November 1916.—The following promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the grades of Sub-Registrars :—

Promoted to grade I.

Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Majid promoted to grade I, with effect from the 1st July 1916, *vice* Mr. William Pereira, retired.

Babu Upendra Nath Sen promoted to grade I, with effect from the 7th July 1916, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Wahid (No. I), retired.

Maulvi Basir Ullah promoted to grade I, with effect from the 23rd August 1916, *vice* Babu Ram Niranjan Ray Chaudhuri, retired.

Promoted to grade II.

Babu Satish Chandra Mukharji promoted to grade II, with effect from the 1st July 1916, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Majid, promoted to grade I.

Maulvi Abul Faiz promoted to grade II, with effect from the 7th July 1916, *vice* Babu Upendra Nath Sen, promoted to grade I.

Babu Mahendra Nath Ray promoted to grade II, with effect from the 23rd August 1916, *vice* Maulvi Basir Ullah, promoted to grade I.

Promoted to grade III.

Babu Ramani Ranjan Sen promoted to grade III, with effect from the 1st July 1916, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Mukharji, promoted to grade II.

Maulvi Adil-ud-din Ahmad promoted to grade III, with effect from the 7th July 1916, *vice* Maulvi Abul Faiz, promoted to grade II.

„ Abdul Hamid (No. II), promoted to grade III, with effect from the 23rd August 1916, *vice* Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, promoted to grade II.

Confirmed in grade IV.

Maulvi Abdur Rashid confirmed in grade IV, with effect from the 1st July 1916, *vice* Babu Ramani Ranjan Sen, promoted to grade III.

Babu Prafulla Krishna Ghosh confirmed in grade IV, with effect from the 7th July 1916, *vice* Maulvi Adil-ud-din Ahmad, promoted to grade III.

Maulvi Abdul Bari Khan confirmed in grade IV, with effect from the 23rd August 1916, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Hamid (No. II), promoted to grade III.

„ Abdur Razzak confirmed in grade IV, with effect from the 30th September 1916, *vice* Babu Chandra Kanta Majumdar, deceased.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to grade IV.*

Maulvi Shaikh Yusuf Ali promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV, with effect from the 1st July 1916, *vice* Maulvi Abdur Rashid, confirmed in grade IV.

Babu Jatindra Nath Raha promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV, with effect from the 7th July 1916, *vice* Babu Prafulla Krishna Ghosh, confirmed in grade IV.

„ Baidya Nath Datta promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV, with effect from the 23rd August 1916, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Bari Khan, confirmed in grade IV.

„ Indu Bhusan Banarji promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV, with effect from the 30th September 1916, *vice* Maulvi Abdur Razzak, confirmed in grade IV.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1544Edn.—The 1st December 1916.—Rai Sahib Pramada Kumar Basu, Second Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 338 of the Regulations.

Dacca Divn.

No. 1552Edn.—The 2nd December 1916.—Mr. J. M. Bottomley, Principal, Hooghly College, is allowed leave, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eleven days, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Hooghly.

No. 1555Edn.—The 2nd December 1916.—Babu Purna Chandra Bhattacharji, Professor, Hooghly College, is placed in charge of the current duties of the office of the Principal of the College, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. M. Bottomley.

Hooghly.

No. 67T.-Eccle.—The 27th September 1916.—The Revd. C. J. Grimes, Additional Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Peter's Church, Fort William, Calcutta, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 1st October 1916, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2480S.R.—The 4th December 1916.—Babu Satish Chandra Ray, Probate Deputy Collector, Calcutta, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 2483S.R.—The 4th December 1916.—Babu Satish Chandra Das Gupta, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Midnapore, is allowed combined leave for six months, under Article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for thirty-four days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it and furlough for the remaining period under Article 338 of the Regulations.

Midnapore.

No. 2484S.R.—The 4th December 1916.—Babu Shyama Kanta Sen, Officiating Inspector of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is transferred to the district of Midnapore.

Calcutta.
Midnapore.

No. 2485S.R.—The 4th December 1916.—Babu Aswini Kumar Ray, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, is appointed temporarily to act, until further orders, as Inspector of Excise and Salt, *vice* Babu Shyama Kanta Sen, transferred to Midnapore, and is posted to Calcutta.

Midnapore.
Calcutta.

No. 2487S.R.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 90 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in clause (*2a*) of paragraph 37 of Notification No. 596S.R., dated the 30th March 1915, as amended by Notifications No. 2416S.R., dated the 23rd December 1915, and No. 214T.S.-R., dated the 7th October 1916, namely :—

1. *Omit* Item 1 ("Extractum Coca Liquidum").
2. *Insert* the words "and other" between "hypodermic" and "tablets" in the heading of Item 11 ("Cocaine hypodermic tablets").
3. *Renumber* Item 2 as Item 1 and change the numbers of the subsequent items accordingly.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 5221Com.—The 4th December 1916.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Government of Bengal, under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz., for such portion of the Prankissen assisted siding of the East Indian Railway, as lies between chain 31·50 and chain 39·75, such land being edged with pink on the plan L. A. M. A. No. 310, and whereas coal mines are situate under the said land, and whereas Babu S. Chowdhury has given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that he intends to work the Jotejanaki seam, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Government of Bengal for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Government of Bengal, that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Babu S. Chowdhury has agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in

such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Babu S. Chowdhury in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz :—

1. Galleries shall be driven only in the approximate direction of the red centre lines AB, CD, EF, GH, JK, EL, MN and OP on the plan. The galleries JK, EL, MN and OP shall not exceed 10 feet in width by 10 feet in height and the remaining galleries shall not exceed 12 feet in width by 12 feet in height.

NOTE.—The lines EF and GH are lines drawn in the direction of the dip of the seam from the centres of the galleries Y and Z. The lines JK, EL, MN and OP are drawn to fit in with 45 feet centres from Y and Z.

2. Manholes not exceeding six feet in height by three feet in width by four feet in depth may be made where required by any rules made under the Indian Mines Act, 1901.
3. Any inrush of water, quicksand or soft material shall be reported to the Chief Inspector of Mines without delay.
4. The restrictions apply to the Jotejanaki seam only and to the area edged with pink on the plan, and Babu S. Chowdhury shall give notice, under section IV of the Land Acquisition (Mines) Act, 1885, of their intention to work any other seam under such area or to work coal under any other area of acquired land.

The plan marked L. A. M. A., No. 310, signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines, may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE STATE MEDICAL FACULTY OF BENGAL.

I. The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the Preliminary Scientific Examination for the Membership of the Faculty :—

Basak, Bijaybasanta ... ... Medical College, Calcutta.

II. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Primary Licentiate Examination of the Faculty :—

(*In alphabetical order.*)

	Name.	Age in years and months.	School.
	Barai, Manamohan ...	21-3	Dacca Medical School.
	Basu, Jugalkisor	21	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Kumudbandhu ...	24-6	Dacca Medical School.
	Biswas, Basantakumar ...	24-3	Campbell Medical School.
	Chakrabarti, Batakrishna ...	19-4	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Praphullachandra	24-6	Ditto.
	„ Tarakbrahma ...	21-3	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Haripada ...	20-4	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Surendranath ...	19-7	Ditto.
10	Das, Atanimohan ...	19-7	Ditto.
	„ Nalinikanta ...	19-6	Ditto.
	„ Pramathanath ...	19-9	Ditto.
	„ Surendramohan ...	21-7	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Kshitischandra ...	18	Ditto.
	Datta, Srihari ...	19-6	Ditto.
	Elahi Buksh ...	24-3	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Gobardhan ...	19-10	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Kalinath ...	24-1	Dacca Medical School.
	Ghoshal, Umeschandra ...	25-1	Ditto.

	Name.	Aage in year and months.	School.
20	Hajra, Amritalal ...	18-9	Campbell Medical School.
	Kundu, Krishnaprasad ...	20-4	Ditto.
	Mallik, Santiprabha ...	19-4	Dacca Medical School.
	Niyogi, Hemchandra ...	22-6	Ditto.
	Pan, Golakbihari ...	18-8	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Surendranath ...	23-4	Ditto.
	Pramanik, Khagendranath ...	18-4	Ditto.
	Raichaudhuri, Bhupatinath ...	18-3	Ditto.
	„ Nalindrakumar...	26-6	Ditto.
	Ray, Jajneswar ...	22-1	Ditto.
30	Saha, Monamohan, II ...	25-7	Dacca Medical School.
	Sengupta, Pareschandra ...	21-9	Ditto.
	Siemlich, Henrimai ...	22-3	Campbell Medical School.
	Tar, Upendrachandra ...	27-1	Dacca Medical School.
	Topadar, Madhusudan ...	22-8	Ditto.
35	Vidyalankar, Bharadwaj ...	25-4	Campbell Medical School.

G. C. MOOKERJEE, *Secretary.*

GROSVENOR HOUSE, *the 4th December 1916.*

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8767A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 8561A.—The 1st December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Saiyid Ahmad Husain Chaudhuri the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Mymensingh, for a period of three years from the 10th December 1916,

Mymensingh.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Tangail Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 8744A.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Nibaran Chandra Chatarji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the 13th December 1916, and

Howrah.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Amta Bench in the said district.

No. 8746A.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Nagendra Nath Sen Gupta the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Basirhat subdivision of the said district,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Basirhat Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 8748A.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Nishapati Banarji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Nadia, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, **Nadia.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Ranaghat Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 8527A.—The 29th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Akhil Kumar Chatarji, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Bankura, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section. **Bankura.**

Babu Akhil Kumar Chatarji is also vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 8540A.—The 30th November 1916.—Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Pabna district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. **Pabna.**

No. 8547A.—The 30th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower the Magistrates of the first class, named below, in the district of Midnapore, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section :— **Midnapore.**

Babu Satis Chandra Upadhyaya.
„ Mani Mohan Ghosh.

No. 8549A.—The 30th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Harendra Nath Datta, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Midnapore, under orders of transfer to Nadia, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section. **Midnapore. Nadia.**

No. 8596A.—The 1st December 1916.—Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (*2*), section 8, of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Governor in Council is pleased to invest Maulvi Muhammad Fazlul Karim, Subdivisional Officer, Meherpur, Nadia, with the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of the said section. **Nadia.**

No. 8627A.—The 2nd December 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Majid (No. II), Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Khulna district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. **Khulna.**

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3638J.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Pashupati Mukharji, Additional Munsif of Kushtia and Ranaghat, now employed at Ranaghat, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Meherpur. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Meherpur Munsifi.

Nadia.

No. 3640J.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Rabindra Nath Dhar, Munsif of Meherpur, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to be an Additional Munsif in the same district to be ordinarily stationed at Kushtia and Ranaghat, but for the present to be employed at Ranaghat.

Nadia.

LEAVE.

No. 3590J.—The 20th November 1916.—Babu Gopal Das Ghose, Munsif of Hathazari, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave for one month under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Chittagong.

No. 3591J.—The 20th November 1916.—Babu Phanindra Nath Mitra, Munsif of Bogra, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is allowed leave for one month, namely, two days under article 274 and the remaining period under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it, in modification of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 24th July 1916.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 3592J.—The 21st November 1916.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Basu, Munsif of Khulna, is allowed leave for thirty-two days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th November 1916, in supersession of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 19th October 1916.

Khulna.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3597J.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 13 of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that, with effect from the 15th December 1916, the local limits of the Jessore (Sadar) Munsifi, in the district of Jessore, shall include the local areas of the following police-stations :—

Jessore.

Police-stations.

Jessore (as declared by Notification No. 3168, dated the 29th April 1863);
Chowgacha (as declared by Notification No. 13394P., dated the 5th December 1916);
Bagherpura (as declared by Notification No. 3168, dated the 29th April 1863);
Nikargacha (as declared by Notification No. 2222, dated the 19th July 1909);
Manirampur (as declared by Notification No. 3168, dated the 29th April 1863);
Nowpara (as declared by Notification No. 1510J., dated the 2nd March 1906); and
Keshabpur (as declared by Notification No. 3168, dated the 29th April 1863).

Jessore.

No. 3598J.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 13 of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that, with effect from the 15th December 1916, the local limits of the Jhenida Munsifi, in the district of Jessore, shall include the local areas of the following police-stations :—

Police-stations.

Salkopa (as declared by Notification No. 3168, dated the 29th April 1863);
Harinakundu (as declared by Notification No. 1510J., dated the 2nd March 1906);
Korchandpur (as declared by Notification No. 1510J., dated the 2nd March 1906);
Jhenida (as declared by Notification No. 3166, dated the 29th April 1863); and
Kaliganj (as declared by Notification No. 13393P., dated the 5th December 1916.)

Murshidabad.

No. 3613J.—The 2nd December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Bengal Public Gambling Act, 1867 (Bengal Act II of 1867), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the sections of the said Act (except section 13, which already applies) to the area included within the mauzas of Anupnagar, Paranpara or Dhulian, and Mahadebnagar (the jurisdiction list numbers of the mauzas being 66, 67 and 68, respectively), in thana Shamserganj, in the district of Murshidabad, and bounded as follows :—

On the north—By mauzas Shibnagar kismat, Arjunpur and Sankupara (jurisdiction list Nos. 61, 62 and 63, respectively).

On the east—By mauzas Sankupara and Lalpur (jurisdiction list Nos. 63 and 74, respectively), a stream and beyond that mauza Donapur (jurisdiction list No. 78).

On the south—By mauzas Phulandara, Malanchi, Ratanpur, Jafrabad and Kankuria (jurisdiction list Nos. 70, 71, 72, 73, and 111, respectively).

On the west—By mauzas Mamrezpur kismat, Phulandara and Malanchi (jurisdiction list Nos. 69, 70 and 71, respectively).

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

No. 3636J.—The 5th December 1916.—The following corrections shall be made in the table attached to Notification No. 3266J., dated the 26th September 1916, published at pages 1840-44 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th October 1916 :—

1. Page 1840, column 3, line 17, *for* "Amar" *read* "Amar Nath De".
2. „ „ „ lines 46 and 47, *for* "Dokbali" *read* "Dokhali".
3. Page 1841, column 3, line 10, *for* "of" *read* "and".
4. Page 1842, column 3, line 4, *for* "Gopal" *read* "Gopi".
5. „ „ „ line 39, *omit* "and".
6. Page 1843, column 1, line 1, *for* "Sutahata *read* "Nandigram".
7. „ „ „ 3, line 33, *for* "bastu" *read* "bastu land".
8. Page 1844, column 2, line 4, *for* "Gopalvagar" *read* "Gopalnagar".
9. „ „ „ 3, line 6, *for* "Jrittibas" *read* "Krittibas".
10. „ „ „ line 11, *for* "Ghail" *read* "Chail".

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13637P.—The 4th December 1916.—The following draft of amendments which, in exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914 (VIII of 1914), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Governor in Council proposes to make in the rules regulating the use of motor vehicles in Calcutta (including suburbs) and the Municipality of Howrah (published under Political Department Notification No. 4095P., dated the 1st April 1915, at pages 1-25 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of the same date), is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Calcutta. Howrah.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 6th January 1917, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned with regard thereto before that date will be duly considered :

Draft amendments.

1. *Omit* sub-rule (*6*) of rule 15 of Part II of the said rules.

2. *Renumber* sub-rules (*7*) and (*8*) of Part II as sub-rules (*6*) and (*7*).

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 13600P.—The 2nd December 1916.—Maulvi Din Muhammad, Sub-Depnty Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer, and is posted to the Sadar subdivision of the Hooghly district.

Hooghly.

No. 13672P.—The 5th December 1916.—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang ordinarily residing in villages Chandanpore, Badalpore and Junboni within the jurisdiction of Basudebpur police-station, Lalpur in Ramnagar police-station and Atilagori and Padmapukuria in Contai police-station in the district of Midnapore and commonly known as Natha Kamila's gang are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences :

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Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a criminal tribe for the purposes of that Act.

No 13673P.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of Natha Kamila's gang which has been declared by Notification No. 13672P., dated the 5th December 1916, to be a criminal tribe, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals and notify his place of residence and any change or intended change of residence and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

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No. 13389P.—The 29th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4(*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of Notification of the 1st June 1885, published at pages 522—27, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 3rd June 1885, as relates to the jurisdiction of Bhagwanpur police-station, in thana Bhagwanpur, in the district of Midnapore and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

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Serial No. of village.	Name of village	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Bhagwanpur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Jaychandra Bar ...	1	1778(1)
2	Paschim Bar ...	2	1778
3	Purba Bar ...	3	1779
4	Nunak Bar ...	4	1780
5	Uttar Bar ...	5	1777
6	Sekh Bar ...	6	1776
7	Muhammadpur ...	7	1775
8	Sandalpur ...	8	1781
9	Sribachipur ...	9	1782
10	Manoharpur ...	10	1784
11	Tiraipur ...	11	1785
12	Tiraipur Jalpai ...	12	1772(5)
13	Durba Chakli ...	13	1774
14	Parlal chak ...	14	1775(1)
15	Benaoda ...	15	1772(1)
16	Kadua ...	16	1772
17	Amratala ...	17	1772(8)
18	Garbhera ...	18	1772(2)
19	Natatala ...	19	1772(3)
20	Mobarakpur ...	20	1773
21	Chapanghata ...	21	1772(4)
22	Dolaipur ...	22	1772(7)
23	S brampur Jalpai...	23	1772(6)
24	Dighanagar Jalpai	24	1771(2)
25	Kanpur or Jalpai Swarupnarayan Chak.	25	1771
26	Kalupur Fakir Chand Manna's Chak.	26	1769
27	Rayganj ...	27	1768(1)
28	Barachak ...	28	1771(1)
29	Gurgram ...	29	1388(2)
30	Mundabhanga ...	30	1768
31	Barahari 1st Girdha	31	1767(1)
32	Araji Bar Kismat...	32	1767
33	Birampur Kismat	33	1766
34	Fatehpur ...	34	1765
35	Gopinathpur ...	35	1835
36	Nunbar ...	36	1835(1)
37	Barurbheri ...	37	1834
38	Gopalpur ...	38	1833
39	Bhabanipur ...	39	1832
40	Jamalpur ...	40	1770(1)
41	Ghosepur ...	41	1770
42	Ektarpur ...	42	1831
43	Jhaura Dihi ...	43	1831(1)
44	Jhajara or Sanjara	44	1830
45	Ghosepur Nona Satkaphuli..	45	1829
46	Gobindapur Haripur.	46	1828
47	Anantapur ...	47	1823
48	Nachlpur ...	48	1788
49	Sibrampur ...	49	1787
50	Khagra ...	50	1786
51	Ghosepur ...	51	1789
52	Satupur ...	52	1821
53	Jalibar ...	53	1820
54	Lalchandra Bar ...	54	1822
55	Gopaldas Bar ...	55	1824
56	Teli Bar ...	56	1825(1)
57	Haripur ...	57	1828(2)
58	Basudebpur ...	58	1827
59	Gopimohan Bar ...	59	1826
60	Nauka Bar ...	60	1825
61	Karal Bar ...	61	1815
62	Khatnaori or Kotgauri ...	62	1816
63	Bhagabanpur ...	63	1817
64	Durgapur ...	64	1818
65	Bachipur or Banpur ...	65	1819
66	Bendia ...	66	1810
67	Maniram Chak ...	67	1811
68	Pajankul ...	68	2174
69	Hamirpur ...	69	2175
70	Kalurbheri ...	70	1809
71	Shyampur ...	71	1808
72	Basudebpur Bar ...	72	1805
73	Bishnupur ...	73	1791
74	Subadpur	74	1790
75	Baria or Babua ...	75	1793
76	Sarangapur ...	76	1792
77	Jadupur ...	77	1794
78	Jadupur Bar ...	78	1795 (1)
79	Haripur ...	79	1783
80	Hashpur ...	80	1795
81	Siulipur ...	84	1796
82	Raibar ...	82	1797
83	Baleshwar Bar ...	83	1802
84	Har Masani or Hariharali ...	84	1803
85	Brambhottar Bar ...	85	1801
86	Sankarpur ...	86	2178
87	Gopinathpur Jali ...	87	1798
88	Bankibheri or Charabheri ...	88	1799
89	Nilkantapur ...	89	1800
90	Totanala ...	90	2180
91	Darikapur ...	91	2179
92	Bibhisanpur or Bheri Bibhisanpur ...	92	2177
93	Bishnupur Jali ...	93	1804
94	Kuber Dattabheri	94	1806
95	Paikbheri ...	95	1807
96	Bhagabanpur Bar...	96	2176
97	Banamalipur ...	97	2186
98	Rampur ...	98	2185
99	Bartan ...	99	2189
100	Kishorpur ...	100	2184
101	Tanguria Paschim	101	2183
102	Masaria Purba ...	102	2182
103	Masaria Paschim ...	103	2181
104	Pachhari ...	104	2216
105	Hari Purba ...	105	2214
106	Rasiknagar ...	106	2207
107	Mir Chak ...	107	2205
108	Gajipur ...	108	2206
109	Katgachia ...	109	2190
110	Khatial Betal ...	110	2202
111	Khatial Kismat ...	111	2203
112	Barbaria ...	112	2200
113	Khatial ...	113	2198
114	Simuldari or Syamdari ...	114	2199
115	Kuchadighi or Kutdighi ...	115	2201
116	Ururi ...	116	2193
117	Undal ...	117	2191
118	Gopal Chak ...	118	2192
119	Simulia ...	119	2188
120	Kutbaria ...	120	2157
121	Nunhanda ...	121	2187

Serial No. of village.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Bhagwanpur.	Revenue Survey No.
122	Talda ...	122	2158
123	Khajurari ...	123	2173
124	Andulia ...	124	2159
125	Chaibaria ...	125	2172
126	Kotbar or Kotbarsali	126	2160
127	Srikantapur ...	127	2161
128	Bahadurpur ...	128	2155
129	Shyam Chak ...	129	2148
130	Gumka ...	130	2165
131	Paria Chak ...	131	2164
132	Shyam Chak ...	132	2162
133	Ram Chak ...	133	2163
134	Chaitan Chak ...	134	2171
135	Bhiti Chak ...	135	2170
136	Sherpur ...	136	1812
137	Bethulia Bar ...	137	1813(1)
138	Banlauri ...	138	1813
139	Daulatpur Kismat	139	1814
140	Laskarpur or Nona Laskarpur.	140	1838
141	Nalda ...	141	1838
142	Khamti ...	142	1837
143	Dhakachora ...	143	1836
144	Janadari ...	144	1849
145	Dhanda ...	145	1843
146	Kasimpur Bar ...	146	1842
147	Kakra ...	147	1841
148	Tajpur ...	148	1839
149	Abasbaria ...	149	1840
150	Batki Chak ...	150	1890(1)
151	Jagamohanpur ...	151	2121
152	Sarbere ...	152	2113
153	Bhabani Chak ...	153	1871
154	Narayandari ...	154	2112
155	Hinchagaria ...	155	2111
156	Kalabere ...	156	2123
157	Boalia ...	157	2122
158	Barui Bar ...	158	2168
159	Chora Bar ...	159	2147
160	Lalpur ...	160	2169
161	Niskinni ...	161	2166
162	Chara Bar ...	162	2167
163	Balarampur Chak	163	2146
164	Darika Chak ...	164	2149
165	Radhapur Purba	165	2150
166	Manoharpur ...	166	2152
167	Madhabpur ...	167	2153
168	Ishwarpur ...	168	2154
169	Chinadari ...	169	2156
170	Sankadiha ...	170	2194
171	Machnan ...	171	2195
172	Barbaria Dakshin	172	2197
173	Haripur ...	173	2196
174	Radhapur ...	174	2151
175	Ichapur ...	175	4724
176	Gorabar ...	176	4725
177	Panchghari or Panchgere.	177	4726
178	Kasba ...	178	4723
179	Baenda Dakshin	179	4722
180	Padma Jamili ...	180	4706
181	Damandari ...	181	4705
182	Kisanjadapur ...	182	4707
183	Kasaidighi ...	183	4721
184	Bhupatinagar ...	184	4727
185	Kalagachia Paschim.	185	4719
186	Angarbaria ...	186	4717
187	Gobindapur ...	187	4714
188	Jagamohanpur ...	188	4718
89	Suadighi or Mukbere.	189	4720
190	Champainagar ...	190	4708
191	Udbadal ...	191	4703
192	Patna Kismat ...	192	4704
193	Basudebbaria ...	193	4701
194	Jagamohan Chak	194	4700
195	Patharbaria Uttar	195	4699
196	Manikpore ...	196	4697
197	Binandu Chak ...	197	2214
198	Dubai ...	198	2208
199	Jiakhali ...	199	2212
200	Gopal Roy's 2nd part or Amarshi Chak.	200	2213
201	Gopal Bar ...	201	2217
202	Uttar Khamar ...	202	2216
203	Alukoram Bar ...	203	2218
204	Sukmaji Uttar ...	204	2219
205	Do Dakshin	205	2220
206	Bajari Purba ...	206	2221
207	Bajari Paschim ...	207	2222
208	Bagtiband ...	208	2223
209	Teghari ...	209	2224
210	Baman Bar ...	210	2225
211	Kotmukha ...	211	2211
212	Maisali ...	212	2209
213	Hashghora ...	213	2210
214	Mallik Bar ...	214	4698
215	Bhekutia Chak ...	215	4702 (1)
216	Haridra Chak ...	216	4696
217	Jasibar ...	217	2227
218	Dhanghori Bar ...	218	2226
219	Kunjapara ...	219	2228
220	Bisadangar ...	220	2229
221	Itabaria ...	221	4671
222	Laudighi ...	222	4695
223	Khatmari ...	223	4694
224	Patharbaria Dakshin.	224	4702
225	Saktia ...	225	4710
226	Maisali Tikar ...	226	4709
227	Naturia ...	227	4711
228	Mundapara ...	228	4712
229	Tengra Pacha ...	229	4693 (1)
230	Kamalnayan Bar	230	4693
231	Bishnupur ...	231	4767
232	Tengra Purba ...	232	4766
233	Digha Uttar ...	233	4742
234	Kundardighi ...	234	4713
235	Nayabasan Uttar	235	4715
236	Kharineta ...	236	4716
237	Raghunath Chak	237	4734
238	Dayal Chak ...	242	2144
239	Ashutia ...	243	2145
240	Dalbar ...	246	2124
241	Radhapur ...	247	2110
242	Brindabanpur ...	248	2109
243	Kapatialbari ...	249	2108
244	Tatibari ...	250	2107
245	Kathar ...	255	2125
246	Jiagudi ...	273	4732 (1)

No. 13390P.—The 29th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of so much of Notification No. 1225P.D., dated the 10th July 1906, published at pages 1469-76, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 1st August 1906, as relates to the jurisdiction of Henria police-station, in thana Bhagwanpur, in the district of Midnapore and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in

Midnapore.

Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No. of village.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Bhagwanpur.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Ektarpur ...	238	4728
2	Madhakhali ...	239	2139
3	Kut or Kutbuddhipur.	240	2140
4	Dauri Bar ...	241	2143
5	Ramchak ...	244	2127
6	Chandunia ...	245	2126
7	Bajkul ...	251	2106
8	Pora Chingra ...	252	2104
9	Bajkul Kismat ...	253	2102
10	Lachanananda Chak	254	2133
11	Champak Roy's Chak.	255	2132
12	Gobinda Chak ...	256	2131
13	Brindabanpur ...	257	2130
14	Bhairabi Chak ...	258	2129
15	Lalua ...	259	2128
16	Sukrullapur ...	260	2142
17	Paschim Chak ...	261	2134
18	Govinda Chak part 1.	262	2135
19	Uttar Chak ...	263	2136
20	Garaia ...	264	2141
21	Akhpatri or Ikshupatrika.	265	2137
22	Bamania ...	266	2138
23	Jukhia ... / Sitadighi ...	267	2096
24	Nabadhula or Dhalua.	268	2095
25	Meria Gopalchak	269	2094
26	Bagadari ...	270	4729
27	Bali or Ranichak	271	4733
28	Ramchak ...	272	4732
29	Nayabasan or Daipukhuria.	274	4744
30	Sibrampur ...	275	4743
31	Sibramchak ...	276	4745
32	Naruabila ...	277	4692
33	Madhubila ...	278	4746
34	Arjunnagar ...	279	4747
35	Purulia ...	280	4741
36	Kurulia ...	281	4740
37	Bamnia Uttar ...	282	4739
38	Maheshda Uttar	283	4761
39	Kaimgeria ...	284	4762
40	Maheshda Dakshin.	285	4757
41	Idal Bar ...	286	4758
42	Kanuraut Bar ...	287	4768-22
43	Chaita Mali ...	288	4754
44	Analbaria ...	289	4753
45	Kunicha Bar ...	290	4751
46	Ratnagar ...	291	4755
47	Kumirajor ...	292	4756
48	Barhanpur ...	293	4748
49	Khejurgachia ...	294	4749
50	Bhonslagaria ...	295	4750
51	Khalia ...	296	5260
52	Kalikadari ...	297	4768-14
53	Kondua ...	298	4768-13
54	Bhaja Chaulia ...	299	4768-12
55	Muragachia ...	300	4768-11
56	Basulia Bar ...	301	4768-17
57	Jalumalu ...	302	4768-16
58	Jathai Bar ...	303	4768-15
59	Narua Nij ...	304	4768-18
60	Haturia ...	305	4752
61	Haturia Dal Bar	306	4768-19
62	Kotdal Bar ...	307	4768-20
63	Nischinta Uttar...	308	4768-21
64	Bijaynagar ...	309	4768-23
65	Dighadari ...	310	4759
66	Simulia ...	311	4760
67	Gora Mulda ...	312	4736
68	Gholda Khas Mulda.	313	4737
69	Agor Mulda ...	314	4738
70	Nayabasan or Natagachia.	315	4735
71	Katapukhiria ...	316	4730
72	Baruj Uttar ...	317	4763
73	Baruj Dakshin ...	318	4764
74	Simulbari ...	319	4765
75	Kalikapur ...	320	4768-25
76	Panshi ...	321	4768-24
77	Chirakati ...	322	4768-26
78	Gholbagda ...	323	4768-27
79	Bajbajia ...	324	2084
80	Benipur Krishnagar.	325	2086
81	Mukutsila ...	326	2086
82	Debichak ...	327	2092
83	Biribari ...	328	2093
84	Khoram ...	329	2090
85	Mahati ...	330	2091
86	Shyamchak ...	331	2087
87	Jiratnagar ...	332	2089
88	Gobindachak ...	333	2088
89	Haria ...	334	2077
90	Bikramnagar ...	335	2076
91	Kaliachak ...	336	2097
92	Saduliachak ...	337	2098
93	Fakirchak ...	338	2099
94	Barabari ...	339	2100
95	Thakurnagar ...	340	2075
96	Maklasi ...	341	2101
97	Purliachak ...	342	2103
98	Madhusudanchak	343	2073
99	Lakshmi ...	344	2074
100	Deanchak or Shyamraychak.	345	2071
101	Mitrachak ...	346	2078
102	Tikasi ...	347	2079
103	Kalamdan Uttar	348	2081
104	Sahabari ...	349	2080

Jessore.

No. 13393P.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*s*) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, so far as they relate to the area included in Kaliganj police-station in the district of Jessore, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No. of village.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Kaliganj.	Revenue Survey No.
1	Kalukhali ...	1	376
2	Kadirkol ...	2	376
3	Bajuarpol ...	3	375
4	Singdaha ...	4	377
5	Kumalpur ...	5	380
6	Sundarpur ...	6	384
7	Durgapur ...	7	386
8	Mahadebpur ...	8	381

Serial No of village.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Kaliganj.	Revenue Survey No.
9	Gopalpur ...	9	382
10	Bezpara ...	10	383
11	Bhatpara ...	11	411
12	Kadirpur ...	12	407
13	Jagannathpur ...	13	437
14	Kashima ...	14	436
15	Paikpara ...	15	435
16	Khairtala ...	16	366
17	Bakulai ...	17	367
18	Srirampur ...	18	368
19	Alakdia ...	19	369
20	Alaipur ...	20	879
21	Par Srirampur ...	21	378
22	Madhupur ...	22	374
23	Arazi Kalukhali ...	23	373
24	Ektarpur ...	24	372
25	Sundarpur ...	25	361
26	Chandbha ...	26	362
27	Khajarpol or Azmatnagar ...	27	371
28	Chanchra ...	28	370
29	Sibnagar ...	29	364
30	Arpara ...	30	427
31	Chapali Kaliganj ...	31	365
32	Faila ...	32	428
33	Ghoshnagar ...	33	430
34	Nizamatpur ...	34	444
35	Barapakhia ...	35	443
36	Mahisdera ...	36	446
37	Farashpur ...	37	432
38	Salikha ...	38	431
39	Bade Heli ...	39	429
40	Bara Raygram ...	40	425
41	Nischintapur ...	41	426
42	Iswarba ...	42	363
43	Rukanpur ...	43	356
44	Simla Chhota ...	44	357
45	Patbila ...	45	359
46	Ghighati ...	46	360
47	Shahapur or Ghighati ...	47	327
48	Ghighati Chhota ...	48	326
49	Trikona or Srilochanpur ...	49	330
50	Gopinathpur ...	50	328
51	Simla Bara ...	51	358
52	Pukharia ...	52	354
53	Babra ...	53	355
54	Khamar Mundia ...	54	423
55	Dulal Mundia ...	55	424
56	Khurd Raigram ...	56	419
57	Bara Mundia ...	57	420
58	Purusottampur Agmundia ...	58	413
59	Hajipur Mundia ...	59	421
60	Mandharpur ...	60	422
61	Mollakua ...	61	851
62	Tilla ...	62	343
63	Baurai ...	63	347
64	Baliadanga ...	64	346
65	Madhupur ...	65	329
66	Dala ...	66	345
67	Madandia or Dadpur	67	344
68	Chakla ...	68	335
69	Kuarpur ...	69	336
70	Swaruppur ...	70	337
71	Fakirabad ...	71	338
72	Jahirat ...	72	339
73	Tahirpur ...	73	810
74	Tabizpur ...	74	811
75	Hakimpur or Sultanpur ...	75	340
76	Hasanhati ...	76	341
77	Ballahati ...	77	342
78	Chandrapara ...	78	343
79	Salbandha ...	79	348
80	Madarberia ...	80	349
81	Rakhalgachi ...	81	351
82	Bahirgachi ...	82	352
83	Bagergachi ...	83	849
84	Naradahi ...	84	848
85	Subidpur ...	85	850
86	Baje Kulapara ...	86	852
87	Inayetpur ...	87	855
88	Nataberia ...	88	854
89	Kullapara ...	89	853
90	Raghunathpur ...	90	882
91	Jatrapara ...	91	884
92	Bharaupaita or Bhatghara ...	92	412
93	Dayapur ...	93	414
94	Magurkhirda ...	94	415
95	Bade Singhi ...	95	418
96	Singhi ...	96	417
97	Gomrail ...	97	416
98	Bonkheda ...	98	885
99	Ektarpur ...	99	888
100	Debrajpur ...	100	891
101	Par Khirda ...	101	889
102	Gayaspur ...	102	887
103	Satberia ...	103	886
104	Bethuli ...	104	2115
105	Balakandar ...	105	454
106	Nagar Chaprail ...	106	453
107	Chaprail ...	107	452
108	Arua Salua ...	108	451
109	Anupampur ...	109	450
110	Hari Gobindapur ...	110	448
111	Mustafapur ...	111	449
112	Baruipara ...	112	433
113	Dabna ...	113	434
114	Mahesh Chanda ...	114	447
115	Paikan ...	115	456
116	Mallikpur Nathilpur	116	455
117	Daulatpur ...	117	457
118	Bholpara ...	118	458
119	Durgapur ...	119	459
120	Balarampur ...	120	445
121	Kuarnia ...	121	442
122	Khamarail ...	122	439
123	Telkupi ...	123	438
124	Guti Thana ...	124	440
125	Dubrajpur ...	125	441
126	Gopalpur ...	126	461
127	Bagdanga ...	127	463
128	Atsuti Alsha or Bhatpara ...	128	462
129	Raghunathpur ...	129	460
130	Kadirdanga ...	130	467
131	Binodpur ...	131	468
132	Krishnapur ...	132	469
133	Sherpur ...	133	470
134	Khankula ...	134	472
135	Kola ...	135	466
136	Kaklash ...	136	465
137	Khanpur ...	137	464
138	Kabilpur ...	138	476
139	Ula ...	139	488
140	Huda Bhauti ...	140	497
141	Basudebpur ...	141	498
142	Bhauti ...	142	489
143	Nakberia ...	143	477
144	Pal Khalkula ...	144	475
145	Maidharpur ...	145	473
146	Pariay ...	146	474
147	Talain ...	147	478
148	Lachati ...	148	479
149	Tialian Khurd ...	149	480
150	Latpara ...	150	505
151	Garaberia ...	151	481
152	Rambhandrapur ...	152	482
153	Barabaisha ...	153	483
154	Khedapara ...	154	471
155	Teghari Huda ...	155	2109
156	Das Baisha ...	156	2108
157	Barat ...	157	2105
158	Krishnapur ...	158	2104
159	Rakra ...	159	2110
160	Kamalhat ...	160	2111
161	Mathurapur ...	161	2113

Serial No. of village	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Kaliganj.	Revenue Survey No.
162	Kharikadanga ...	162	2112
163	Mirzapur ...	163	2114
164	Kanipara ...	164	2116
165	Matiut ...	165	2118
166	Manoharpur ...	166	2117
167	Paramanandi ...	167	890
168	Daskhuni or Panchkahuni ...	168	2120
169	Talibpur or Tartibpur	169	2119
170	Barpha ...	170	2092
171	Mangalpaita ...	171	893
172	Sumraildanga ...	172	894
173	Faridkati ...	173	892
174	Pirojpur ...	174	883
175	Ekdala or Tikdanga	175	879
176	Arazi Barabazar ...	176	880
177	Khosalpur ...	177	881
178	Tentulberia ...	178	856
179	Satgachia ...	179	857
180	Mathanpur ...	180	844
181	Molladanga ...	181	847
182	Rukanpur ...	182	846
183	Barakhamar ...	183	845
184	Chandpara ...	184	350
185	Khurd Dhopadi ...	185	830
186	Bara Dhopadi ...	186	829
187	Jatrapur ...	187	815
188	Arazi Sultanpur ...	188	813
189	Arazi Debipur ..	189	812
190	Arazi Tahirpur ...	190	819
191	Debipur ...	191	818
192	Arazi Tazbizpur ...	192	814
193	Chota Chakla or Mat	193	817
194	Hajipur ...	194	816
195	Bakshipur ...	197	820
196	Murjat Baor ...	217	832
197	Murjal ...	218	831
198	Nalbhanga ...	219	840
199	Khurd Khamar ...	220	841
200	Abdalpur ...	221	842
201	Rampur ...	222	839
202	Kumarhati or Nityanandi ...	223	843
203	Nityanandi ...	224	838
204	Arazi Thikdanga ...	225	859
205	Thikdanga ...	226	860
206	Gaurinathpur ...	227	861
207	Kastabhanga ...	228	862
208	Jhunjhunia ...	229	863
209	Jhunjhunia ...	230	845
210	Mashalia ...	231	864
211	Hasilbak ...	232	874
212	Sadikpur ...	233	858
213	Barabazar ...	234	875
214	Belat Daulatpur ...	235	876
215	Kismat Sadikpur ...	236	873
216	Mithapukuria ...	237	877
217	Belat Khondkar ...	238	872
218	Faridpur ...	239	871
219	Arazi Bade Dihi ...	240	870
220	Kalupara ...	241	869
221	Phulbari ...	242	868
222	Maheshkati ...	243	867
223	Bade Dihi ...	244	878
224	Dadurgacha ...	245	895
225	Jalkar Majdia ...	247	897
226	Gram Majdia ...	247	898
227	Jagannathpur ...	248	896
228	Luchia ...	249	2076
229	Subarnasara ...	250	2075
230	Salua ...	251	2103
231	Damodarpur ...	252	2100
232	Sasarpara ...	253	2095
233	Chakulia ...	254	2094
234	Magura ...	255	2093

Jessore.

No. 13394P.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*s*) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, so far as they relate to the area included in Chowgacha police-station in the district of Jessore, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the said police-station shall include the following area, namely :—

Serial No. of village.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Jessore.	Revenue survey No.
1	Chowgacha ...	1	1023
2	Mannathpur ...	2	1026
3	Chandpur ...	3	1027
4	Dighalsinga ...	4	1028
5	Mushampur ...	5	1030
6	Arazi Rambhadrapur...	6	1031
7	Arazi Azmatpur ...	7	1032
8	Arazi Singri ...	8	1033
9	Shahazadpur ...	9	1034
10	Kabilpur ...	10	1035
11	Mukundapur ...	11	1038
12	Azmatpur ...	12	1036
13	Rambhadrapur ...	13	1037
14	Kushtia ...	14	1039
15	Dhuliani ...	15	1041
16	Moktarpur ...	16	1042
17	Uzipur ...	17	999
18	Arazi Moktarpur ...	18	998
19	Raghunathpur ...	19	996
20	Dashpakhia ...	20	995
21	Pashapol ...	21	997
22	Arazi Huda Fatehpur	22	1001
23	Banurhuda ...	23	1000
24	Bhadra ...	24	1043
25	Fatehpur ...	25	1044
26	Singra ...	26	1040
27	Bar Gobindapur ...	27	1029
28	Arazi Goribpur ...	28	1047
29	Huda Fatehpur ...	29	1045
30	Jahangirpur ...	30	1003
31	Garibpur ...	31	1004
32	Pitambarpur ...	32	1047
33	Nashkarpur ...	33	1025
34	Kayarpara ...	34	1024
35	Jalnira ...	35	1018
36	Majhali ...	36	1019
37	Bara Singjhuli ...	37	1009
38	Jamalta ...	38	1066
39	Jagannathpur ...	39	1005
40	Khurd Singhuli ...	40	1007
41	Baliapara ...	41	1010
42	Barnihati ...	42	1014
43	Mahmudpur ...	43	1013
44	Raynagar ...	44	1012
45	Sibnagar ...	45	1011
46	Arardaha ...	46	1008
47	Phulsara ...	47	988
48	Beruli ...	48	1002
49	Hauli ...	49	989
50	Durali ...	50	1105
51	Salua ...	51	974
52	Afrah ...	52	987

Serial No. of village.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Jessore.	Revenue survey No.
53	Chanda ...	53	986
54	Tetulbari ...	54	985
55	Chorabari ...	55	984
56	Kotalipur ...	56	981
57	Saidpur ...	57	980
58	Arazi Kotalipur ...	65	978
59	Durgabarkati ...	66	979
60	Sureshwarkati ...	81	1107
61	Matigati ...	82	973
62	Rangiali ...	83	1106
63	Suchitrapur ...	84	1104
64	Kaliakundi ...	85	1103
65	Bil Arul ...	86	990
66	Gopinathpur ...	87	991
67	Matsaranga ...	88	994
68	Burinda ...	89	1049
69	Palua ...	90	1048
70	Galirghop ...	97	992
71	Bar Gobindapur ...	98	1102
		Jurisdiction list No. of thana Kaliganj.	
72	Haibatpur ...	195	823

Serial No. of village.	Name of village.	Jurisdiction list No. of thana Kaliganj.	Revenue survey No.
73	Patibila ...	196	822
74	Khurd Brahmapur or Niamatpur.	198	821
75	Khurd Namna or Panch Namna.	199	1122
76	Ichhapur ...	200	1021
77	Muktadaha ...	201	827
78	Bhabanipur ...	202	828
79	Rustampur ...	208	1020
80	Sadipur ...	204	1017
81	Par Huda ...	205	825
82	Tegnari ...	206	826
83	Bishwanathpur ...	207	824
84	Jagdaspur ...	208	833
85	Suprajpur ...	209	834
86	Jhinaikunda ...	210	1016
87	Marua ...	211	1015
88	Dakhinagar ..	212	963
89	Arpara ...	213	982
90	Kandi or Marua Kandi	214	837
91	Kandi ...	215	835
92	Mirzapur ...	216	836

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Draft Rules for regulating Traffic on the occasion of the Departure of Ocean-going vessels from the Pontoon at Outram Ghât.

The following draft of rules, which the Commissioner of Police intends to make under clauses (*b*) and (*c*) of section 62 of the Calcutta Police Act (Bengal Act IV of 1866), with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 6th January 1917, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Rules.

On the occasion of the arrival or departure of any ocean-going vessel from the Pontoon at Outram Ghât the following rules shall be observed :—

(1) All vehicles of intending passengers and their friends shall be parked in a double line by the side of the west footpath of the Strand Road facing north. The line shall begin from a point at least ten yards distant from the south side of the entrance to the Pontoon.

(2) The north and south gangways to the Pontoon shall be used by duly-licensed or authorised baggage coolies.

(3) No person shall be allowed on to the Pontoon until the vessel approaching the Pontoon has been made fast.

(4) Only passengers and licensed baggage coolies shall be allowed on the deck portion of the Pontoon and other persons accompanying passengers shall proceed upstairs on to the verandah.

R. CLARKE,

Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.

CALCUTTA, *the 1st December 1916.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th November 1916.

No. 122.—Mr. Banke Lal Subarwal, Assistant Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Circular and Eastern Canals Division to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

No. 123.—Babu Provat Chandra Roy, Assistant Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division to the Circular and Eastern Canals Division.

The 4th December 1916.

No. 127.—Mr. Banke Lal Subarwal, Assistant Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division, passed the Professional Examination held on the 27th November 1916.

No. 128.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chatterji, Apprentice Engineer, is re-transferred in the interests of the public service from the office of the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, to the Nadia Rivers Division.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 30th November 1916.

No. 124.—The following promotion is made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment, with effect from the 14th October 1916:—

Name.	From—	To—	Division in which employed.
Sen, Satish Chandra ...	Overseer, 1st grade ...	Supervisor, 2nd grade, temporary rank.	Northern Drainage and Embankment.

N.B.—*Vice* Sergeant F E. Chapman, Supervisor, 2nd grade, on long leave.

No. 125.—Babu Sudhindra Nath De, Overseer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Duars Road to the Darjeeling Division.

H. H. GREEN,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 2nd December 1916.

No. 126.—Babu Prasad Das Sen Gupta, Overseer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Chittagong to the Nadia Rivers Division.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 4th December 1916.

No. 117Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 36 of the Indian Steamships Act, 1884, the Governor in Council, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules to regulate the granting of certificates of competency to Engineers of sea-going steamships, which were published under the notification of this Department. No. 172Marine, dated the 30th December 1913.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

AMENDMENTS TO THE REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE EXAMINATIONS OF ENGINEERS.

Paragraph 19.—Add the following:—

Failure in a number of elementary questions involving fundamental principles, or in questions ignorance of which might lead an Engineer to do something actually unsafe in the management of any part of a ship's machinery, will be regarded as failure in practical knowledge.

Paragraph 28.—Add the following:—

Each candidate who claims remission of sea service on account of attendance at a recognized Marine Technical School must produce his class notebooks when he makes application to be examined.

These books will be forwarded to the Examiner, in order that he may satisfy himself that the candidate has followed the approved course of instruction, and that the remission of sea service claimed may be allowed accordingly.

Application for examination of candidates claiming remission of sea service should, as a rule, be made at least a week before they desire to sit.

A list of the Marine Technical Schools recognised for this purpose is given in Appendix J.

Paragraph 31.—Add the following:—

This paragraph applies only to works at which the making and of repairing of steam-engines, boilers, etc., forms part of the regular business for which the works exist. Service at works where the repairing of steam-engines, boilers, etc., is merely incidental to the running of plant, however large, which is used for the production of power for other machinery, etc., should be dealt with under paragraph 33, each case being considered on its merits.

Insert after paragraph 33—

Service in Colonial and Foreign Workshops.—Paragraphs 31 to 33 apply to service in the United Kingdom and India only. Service in a Colonial or foreign workshop will not be accepted unless the Examiner is satisfied in each case that its value is substantially equivalent to that of service in the United Kingdom and India. In cases where the Examiner is not satisfied that the value is equivalent, he will refer the matter for decision.

Workshop service in India is to be taken as equivalent to not more than four-fifths of the same period of service in the United Kingdom.

Paragraph 34.—Add the following:—

Time spent in attending evening classes in Engineering at approved Technical Schools will similarly be allowed to count under the following conditions:—

(1) Each candidate claiming an allowance for time spent in attending evening classes at a Technical School must produce a certificate signed by the Principal of the School to the effect that he has attended regularly at a definite class or classes, which should be specified, and has made satisfactory progress. This certificate must also state the total number of hours spent by the candidate in attending each class.

(2) Time spent by the candidate in attending such classes as have a direct bearing on the training of a Marine Engineer will be reckoned at the rate of five hours to one day. The total number of days so obtained will then be accepted in lieu of a certain fraction of the same period of workshop service. This fraction will be fixed for each school at the time of approval and will generally be two-thirds.

(3) A candidate who has attended a Technical School in the evening, while being employed as an apprentice or journeyman Engineer during the day, must, in order that the school time may be accepted, produce satisfactory proof that he has spent the full working day in the works, at which he is employed, before attending the school. Such proof will usually take the form of a statement in the testimonial as to workshop service given by the employer.

(4) Allowance will only be given for classes attended after the candidate has reached the age of 15.

Paragraph 44.—Add the following :—

Where an Engineer is employed on a fishing or other vessel and is required to do stoking or other work not usually performed by an Engineer in the Mercantile Marine, such service cannot be accepted as qualifying.

The Examiners of Engineers will in all cases satisfy themselves that service on fishing boats, when claimed as qualifying for a certificate as Engineer, is of a similar nature to that performed by Engineers in the Mercantile Marine.

Paragraph 48.—Add the following :—

It is not necessary for applications of Chief Engine-room Artificers and Mechanicians, who have left the Royal Navy and who desire to be examined for certificates of competency as Engineers in the Mercantile Marine, to be forwarded either through their Commanding Officers or through the Admiralty. Men who are still serving in these ratings in the Royal Navy should make their applications through their Commanding Officers.

Artificer Engineers, however, being Warrant Officers, should make their applications in the same manner as that laid down for other officers of the Royal Navy.

Appendix J.—Substitute the following :—

The following is a list of Technical Schools attendance at which is recognised by the Government as affording remission of some period of the service required to qualify a candidate for examination for a certificate of competency as Engineer.

(I) Day Classes.

When nothing is stated to the contrary, time spent in attending the day classes in Mechanical Engineering of a recognised Technical School is accepted as equivalent to artisan service at the ratio of three years of the former to two of the latter, provided the applicant was over 15 years of age and can produce the Principal's certificate for continuous and regular attendance at all the approved classes and for satisfactory progress. Such time cannot as a rule be accepted as equivalent to more than two years' artisan service.

Name of School or Institution.

Belfast	...	Municipal Technical Institute, Belfast.
Birmingham*	...	University of Birmingham.
Birmingham†	...	City of Birmingham Municipal Technical School. Suffolk Street, Birmingham (Afternoon Classes).
Bombay‡	...	Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Bombay.
Bradford	...	Municipal Technical College, Bradford.
Brighton	...	Municipal Technical College, Brighton.

*Time spent by students of the Electrical Engineering Department on work similar to that in the Mechanical Engineering Department to count as equivalent.

†Time spent at afternoon classes to count as equivalent to two-thirds of the same period of workshop service, five hours in the classes being reckoned as equivalent to one day.

‡Half the time only to be counted.

Bristol	...	Merchant Venturers Technical College, Bristol.
Bristol	...	University College, Bristol.
Cardiff*	...	City of Cardiff Day Preparatory Technical School, Cardiff.
Cardiff	...	University College of South Wales and Monmouthshire, Cardiff.
Devonport†	...	Royal Naval Engineering College, Devonport.
Dublin‡	...	Pembroke Day Trades Preparatory School, Ringsend, County Dublin.
Edinburgh	...	Heriott-Watt College, Edinburgh.
Exeter	...	Junior Engineering and Technical School of University College, Exeter.
Glasgow §	...	Royal Technical College, Glasgow.
Glasgow §	...	James Watt Engineering Laboratories, Glasgow University.
Huddersfield	...	Huddersfield Technical College, Huddersfield.
Hull	...	Municipal Technical School, Hull.
Leeds	...	The University of Leeds.
Liverpool	...	The Faculty of Engineering, The University of Liverpool, Liverpool.
London	...	Battersea Polytechnic, London, S. W.
London	...	Central Technical College, London, S. W.
London	...	City and Guilds Technical College, Finsbury, London, E. C.
London	...	East London College (University of London), Mile End Road, London, E.
London ‖	...	Day Technical School for Boys, Borough Polytechnic Institute, 108, Borough Road, London, S. E.
London ¶	...	Electrical Standardising Testing and Training Institution, Southampton Row, London, W. C.
London **	...	King's College, Strand, London, W. C.
London	...	London County Council School of Engineering and Navigation, Poplar, London, E.
London ††	...	Day Technical School for Boys of London County Council School of Engineering and Navigation, Poplar, London, E.
London ‡‡	...	Northampton Polytechnic Institute, Clerkenwell, London, E. C.
London	...	Polytechnic School of Engineering, Regent Street, London, W.
London §§	...	St. Olave's Grammar School, London, S. E.
London	...	South-Western Polytechnic, Manresa Road, Chelsea, London, S. W.
London	...	University College, Gower Street, London.
Londonderry ††	...	Municipal Day Trades Preparatory School, Londonderry.
Manchester	...	Manchester Municipal School of Technology, Manchester.

* One-sixth of the time only to be counted

† Time to count in full up to three years, or in the case of students who were in training in or before September 1908, up to four years under the following conditions:—

(*a*) A certificate of practical workmanship and good conduct must be produced.
(*b*) A student must have been at least 20 on completion of his training.
(*c*) Any deficiency in workshop service to be made good by service as engine fitter in shops where steam-engines are made or repaired.

‡ One-third of time to count with a maximum of one year.

§ A complete session to count as six months.

‖ One-third of the time only to be counted.

¶ Half the time only to be counted.

** Two-thirds of time to count, with a maximum of two years for three-year students, and two years and eight months for four-year students who have spent three summer sessions in the works of a maker of steam-engines, for which no separate allowance is claimed.

†† One-third of the time only to be counted.

‡‡ Two-thirds to count with a maximum of two years eight months.

§§ One-third of time to count with a maximum of one year.

Manchester	...	Owens Technical College, Manchester.
New-Castle-on-Tyne	...	Armstrong College, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
New-Castle-on-Tyne*	...	Rutherford Technical College, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Oundle†	...	Engineering Department of Oundle School, Northants.
Portsmouth	...	Portsmouth Municipal College, Portsmouth.
Salford	...	Royal Technical Institute, Salford
Sheffield	...	University of Sheffield, Sheffield.
Sibpur	...	Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Bengal.
Southampton	...	Hartley University College, Southampton.
Sunderland	...	Sunderland Technical College, Sunderland.
Swansea	...	Swansea Technical College, Swansea.
West Ham	...	Municipal Technical Institute, West Ham.

(II) Evening Classes.

Time spent in attending Evening Classes in Engineering at approved Technical Schools is accepted as equivalent to workshop service, five hours in the classes being reckoned as equivalent to one day, and two-thirds of the number of days so obtained counting as workshop service, subject to the provisions laid down in paragraph 34 as amended.

Name of School or Institution.

Belfast	...	Municipal Technical Institute, Belfast.
Birmingham‡	...	City of Birmingham Municipal Technical School, Suffolk Street, Birmingham.
Brighton	...	Municipal Technical College, Brighton.
Bristol	...	Merchant Venturers Technical College, Bristol.
Cardiff§	...	City of Cardiff Technical Schools.
Dundee	...	Dundee Technical College, Dundee.
Edinburgh	...	Heriott-Watt College, Edinburgh.
Glasgow	...	Royal Technical College, Glasgow.
Greenock	...	Greenock Technical School, Greenock.
Huddersfield	...	Huddersfield Technical College, Huddersfield.
Leeds	...	University of Leeds.
Leith	...	Leith Technical College, Leith.
Liverpool	...	Municipal Central Technical School, Liverpool.
London	...	Battersea Polytechnic, London, S. W.
London	...	Borough Polytechnic Institute, 103, Borough Road, London, S. E.
London	...	London County Council School of Engineering and Navigation, Poplar, E.
London	...	Northampton Polytechnic Institute, Clerkenwell, E. C.
London	...	Polytechnic School of Engineering, 307, 309 and 311, Regent Street, London, W.
London	...	South-Western Polytechnic Institution, Manresa Road, Chelsea, S. W.
Londonderry	...	Municipal Technical School, Londonderry.
Manchester	...	The Manchester Municipal School of Technology, Manchester.
Newcastle-on-Tyne	...	Armstrong College, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Newcastle-on-Tyne	...	Rutherford Technical College, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Preston	...	Harris Institute, Preston.
Salford	...	Salford Royal Technical Institute, Salford.
Sheffield	...	Department of Applied Service, University of Sheffield, St. George's Square, Sheffield.
Southampton	...	Hartley University College, Southampton.
South Shields	...	The Marine School, South Shields.
Swansea	...	Swansea Technical College, Swansea.

* A complete session to count as four months.
† One-third of time to count with a maximum of one year.
‡ Afternoon classes also count in the same proportion.
§ Time spent by students of the Electrical Engineering Department on work similar to that in the Mechanical Engineering Department to count as equivalent.

(III) Marine Technical Schools.

When nothing is stated to the contrary time spent at a Technical School recognised as suitable for the training of Marine Engineers will, subject to the provisions laid down in paragraph 28 of the Regulations, be allowed to count as sea service in the ratio of three months at the Technical School to two months at sea, time so spent not to be accepted as equivalent to more than one-sixth of the total sea service required for a certificate.

Name of School or Institution.

Greenock	...	Watt Memorial School, Greenock.
South Shields	...	The Marine School, South Shields.

TEMPORARY MODIFICATIONS IN THE REGULATIONS APPLYING ONLY DURING THE WAR.

Service under the Admiralty.—All service afloat during the war in His Majesty's ships or in auxiliary supply ships or any other ships in attendance on the Fleet will be accepted in full (subject to the ordinary conditions as laid down in the Government's Regulations) as qualifying sea service for the purpose of the Government's examination of Engineers.

The Government cannot undertake to accept the whole or any definite proportion of service in the Royal Naval Reserve, which is not qualifying service in accordance with the Regulations, but they will be prepared to consider sympathetically an application for examination from a candidate who has been prevented by his service in the Royal Naval Reserve from complying fully with the Government's requirements. This may be taken as applying to service in the engine-room, during which a candidate for a First Class certificate was not the senior Engineer in charge of the whole watch on the main engines or boilers.

Service in the Royal Naval Reserve: Ante-dating Certificates.—Government has considered the case of men serving in the Royal Naval Reserve during the war who are prevented by the exigencies of the service from presenting themselves for examination on completion of the period of qualifying service required by the Government's Regulations. Arrangements have been made whereby if such a person passes the examination for a certificate of competency at a time not remote from the conclusion of hostilities, he may have his certificate ante-dated to the date on which the period of qualifying service was completed; and service performed after that date, if eligible, will be accepted as qualifying for a higher certificate. No certificate, however, will be ante-dated to a date prior to that on which the candidate was called out for Active Service.

Service in the Army.—The Government is anxious that, so far as it is reasonably possible, seamen or apprentices who are at the present time serving in the Army should not be hindered in their ordinary profession: but the Government cannot, in the absence of any indication of the probable duration of the war, give a definite undertaking with regard to the extent to which such service could be accepted as part of the service required to qualify for certificate of competency in the Mercantile Marine. The Government must have regard to the essential condition that their certificates must testify to actual competency, but they will be prepared in due course to consider sympathetically any application to be examined by a candidate who has been prevented from complying fully with the Regulations owing to his service in the Army.

This may be taken as applying to candidates for Engineers' certificates who were prevented, by serving with His Majesty's forces, from completing before January 1st, 1915, the twelve months' sea service required by the Regulations then in force. (See paragraph 25.)

First Aid Certificates.—A First Aid Certificate which, though otherwise valid, is more than three years old will be accepted during the war if the holder has been prevented from renewing it by reason of the exigencies of the war service.

Examination of Enemy Aliens.—So long as the war lasts no subject of an Enemy State will be allowed to present himself for examination for a certificate of competency in the Mercantile Marine.

The 4th December 1916.

No 118Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 36 of the Indian Steamships Act, 1884, the Governor in Council proposes to make the following amendments in the rules to regulate the granting of certificates of competency to Engineers of sea-going steamships which were published with this Department's Notification No. 172Marine, dated the 30th December 1913, as amended by this Department's Notification No 117Marine, dated the 4th December 1916.

The draft amendments will be taken into consideration after the expiry of a month from the date of their publication in the Gazette, and the Governor in Council will be pleased to consider any suggestions or observations which may be made concerning them within that period.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DRAFT AMENDMENTS.

CHAPTER II.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED FOR THE VARIOUS GRADES.

Ordinary Certificates.

24. **Value of Ordinary Certificates.**—Ordinary Certificates will entitle the holders to go to sea in the grade certified as Engineers of any vessel in the British Mercantile Marine.

25. **Second-class Engineer.**—A candidate for a Second-class Engineer's Certificate must not be less than 21 years of age ;

(*a*) He must have served as an apprentice Engineer for four years in Europe or five years in India at least, and prove that during the period of his apprenticeship he has been employed in the manner set forth in paragraph 31 of the Regulations relating to the Examination of Engineers.

Journeyman's time will be considered as equivalent to apprenticeship.

Every applicant must produce testimonials of ability as a practical Engineer to the satisfaction of the Port Officer.

If the candidate has served as an apprentice Engineer or as journeyman, under the conditions above prescribed, for less than four years in Europe or five years in India, he will be required to make up the deficiency or to complete the equivalent of four years' European apprenticeship by service as Engineer at sea on regular watch on the main engines or boilers (1) of a foreign-going steamer of not less than 66 nominal horse-power, or (2) of a home-trade steamer of not less than 66 nominal horse-power, such service to be counted as equivalent in the case of (1) to two-thirds, and in the case of (2) to four-ninths, of service as apprentice Engineer or as journeyman.

If the candidate has not served at all as apprentice Engineer or as journeyman, he will be required to have served at sea, in lieu thereof, as Engineer on regular watch on the main engines or boilers, six years in a foreign-going steamer of not less than 66 nominal horse-power, or nine years in a home-trade steamer of not less than 66 nominal horse-power.

(*b*) In addition to the apprenticeship as above described, or the alternative sea service, the applicant must have served eighteen months at sea as Engineer on regular watch on the main engines or boilers of a foreign-going steamer of not less than 66 nominal horse-power; or twenty-seven months in a home-trade steamer of not less than 66 nominal horse-power.

(*See also* paragraphs 12, 43, 44, and 45 of the Regulations.)

(*c*) He must write a legible hand, and have a good knowledge of arithmetic up to and including vulgar and decimal fractions and square root. He must also be able to apply these rules to questions relating to safety valves, coal consumption, consumption of stores, capacities of tanks, bunkers, &c., and other similar problems; and be able to calculate the suitable working pressure for a steam boiler of given dimensions, and the stress per square inch on crank and tunnel shafts and other parts of the machinery when the necessary data are furnished.

(*d*) He must be able to pass a creditable examination as to the various designs of paddle and screw engines in general use, including turbines; as to the details of the different working parts, external and internal, and the use of each part.

(*e*) He must have a satisfactory knowledge of the methods of construction of engines and boilers as used in the workshop, and of the attention required by the different parts of the machinery on board ship.

(*f*) He must be able to give a satisfactory description of boilers, and the methods of staying them, together with the use and management of the different valves, cocks, pipes and connexions.

(*g*) He must understand the precautions necessary to be taken when raising steam in boilers and when opening stop valves to admit steam to pipes, &c.

(*h*) He must understand how to make good the results of ordinary wear and tear to the machinery, how to correct defects from accident, decay, &c., and how a temporary or permanent repair could be effected in case of derangement or total breakdown.

(*i*) He must understand the use of the water gauge, pressure gauge, barometer, thermometer, and salinometer, and the principles on which they are constructed.

(*j*) He must be able to state the causes, effects, and usual remedies for incrustation and corrosion.

(*k*) He must be able to explain the methods of testing and altering the setting of the slide valves, and methods of testing the fairness of shafts and adjusting them.

(*l*) He must understand the construction and working of evaporators, feed filters, and feed heaters.

(*m*) He must understand the construction and working of centrifugal, bucket, and plunger pumps, and the principles on which they act.

(*n*) He must understand the construction and working of steering engines, electric light engines and dynamos, electric motors, refrigerating machinery, hydraulic machinery, and such internal combustion engines as are used to drive ships' launches, emergency and auxiliary machinery on board ship.

(*o*) He must possess a creditable knowledge of the prominent facts relating to combustion, heat and steam.

(*p*) He must be able to take off and calculate indicator diagrams and understand the distribution of the steam in the cylinder as shown thereby.

(*q*) He must be able to make a dimensioned working sketch or drawing of some simple part of the machinery.

26. **First-class Engineer.**—A candidate for a First-class Engineer's Certificate must be not less than 22½ years of age.

A more extended knowledge of the subjects named in paragraph 25 will be required and in addition to the qualifications specified for a Second-class Engineer,

(*a*) He must—

(i) have served at sea for 18 months, with a Second-class Certificate of Competency or Service, on regular watch on the main engines or boilers of a foreign-going steamship of not less than 99 nominal horse-power, as senior engineer in charge of the whole watch (*see* paragraph 36 of the Regulations); or

(2) have served at sea for 2 years and 3 months, with a Second-class Certificate of Competency or Service, as First Engineer of a home-trade steamer of not less than 99 nominal horse-power; or 3 years with a Second-class Certificate of Competency or Service as Second Engineer of a home-trade steamer of not less than 99 nominal horse-power; or

(3) have served 3 years and 9 months with a Second-class Certificate of Competency or Service as Third or Fourth Engineer of a home-trade steamer of not less than 99 nominal horse-power, and during the entire period have been the senior engineer in charge of the whole of a watch on the main engines and boilers (*see* also paragraphs 42, 43, 44 and 45 of the Regulations); or

(4) possess, or be entitled to, a First-class Certificate of Service.

(*b*) His knowledge of arithmetic must include the mensuration of superficies and solids and the extraction of square and cube roots, and the application of these rules to questions relating to the power, duty, and economy of engines and boilers, and to the stresses in rods, shafts, and levers of the engine. He should also be able to calculate the effect of the application of the lever, pulley, inclined plane, and other mechanical powers.

(*c*) He will be required to make an intelligible hand sketch, or a working drawing, of one or more of the principal parts of a steam-engine or boiler, and to mark upon it all the necessary dimensions in figures, so that the sketch or drawing could be worked from.*

(*d*) He must be able to take off and calculate indicator diagrams, and to recognise and know how to correct defects in the distribution of the steam as shown thereby.

(*e*) He must be able to calculate safety-valve pressures and the strength of the boiler shell and riveting, and of the furnaces, flat surfaces and stays.

(*f*) He must be able to state the general proportions borne by the principal parts of the machinery to each other, and to calculate the direct stress, the torsional stress, and the bending stress in round bars, and the direct stress and the bending stress in rectangular bars with given loads.

(*g*) He must be able to explain the method of testing and altering the setting of the slide valves, and to sketch approximately the difference any alteration in the slide valve will make in the indicator diagram.

(*h*) He must be conversant with surface condensation, superheating, and the working of steam expansively.

(*i*) He must understand the construction and working of, and be able to maintain in working condition the auxiliary machinery which is placed under his charge, viz.: refrigerating machinery, electric light engines and dynamos, electric motors, hydraulic machinery, the various descriptions of steering engines, and internal combustion engines as used in launches and for auxiliary and emergency machinery on board ship, &c.

(*j*) He must know how to provide against defects and breakdowns of the machinery, and be able to direct and carry out any ordinary repairs that may be required either to the engines or the boilers.

27. **First-class Certificates without Second.**—The Government may see fit to allow an applicant who, in consequence of service abroad, has had no opportunity to obtain a Second-class Certificate, to be examined for a First-class Certificate, although he does not possess a Certificate of the lower grade, provided he is able to satisfy them as to the satisfactory character of his services, but these must be ample both as regards length and experience. As a rule, at least 4 years' sea service, a fair proportion of which must have been in a responsible capacity and qualifying for First Class, will be required.

* *See* Appendix C of the Regulations.

If any such candidate fails to pass the examination for the First-class Certificate, but passes that for the lower grade, he may be given a Second-class Certificate of Competency, but no part of the fee will be returned. If he fails in practical knowledge, he may be re-examined for a Second-class Certificate only, subject to the usual regulations relating to such failures.

28. **Marine Technical Schools.**—A candidate for either a Second-class or a First-class Certificate who within two years from the date of application to be examined has attended an approved course comprising general mathematical and scientific instruction at a Technical School recognised by the Government as suitable for the training of *Marine* Engineers, will be allowed to count time so spent as equivalent to sea service in the ratio of three months at the Technical School to two months at sea. Time so spent cannot be accepted as equivalent to more than one-sixth of the total sea service required for either Certificate, but a candidate who has been allowed to count such time on examination for a Second-class Certificate, will not be debarred from counting similar subsequent time on examination for a First-class Certificate.

In every case in which an allowance is made for time spent at a Marine Technical School, the candidate will be required to produce the Principal's Certificate for continuous and regular attendance at all the approved classes and for satisfactory progress.

Sea Service.—It is desirable that the whole of the candidate's sea service should be covered by testimonials certifying to his sobriety, experience, ability, and general good conduct, but in future the usual testimonials will be required for at least the last 18 months at sea preceding the date of the application to be examined.

All candidates, including those for First Class who have not been in charge of the whole of a watch but qualify under paragraph 36 of the Regulations as the second or third senior of the watch and have been in charge of a section of the machinery only, will be required to have served at sea on regular watch on both the main engines and the boilers, not less than six months being spent on each.

The service described in paragraphs 42, 43, 44 and 45 of the Regulations may as heretofore be accepted as qualifying for examination in accordance with the conditions specified in those paragraphs.

Elementary Questions.—In future, the Elementary Questions, referred to in paragraph 69 of the Regulations, will not necessarily be taken from Appendix 15, but may be new questions somewhat similar in form and covering much the same ground.

Certificates for Engineers of Home-trade ships propelled by oil engines.

29. **Oil engine certificates.**—Candidates may be examined for second class Certificates of Competency as Engineers of vessels propelled by oil engines.

These certificates will entitle the holders to go to sea as Second-class Engineers of home-trade ships propelled by oil engines, but will not entitle them to go to sea as Second-class Engineers of Foreign-going or Home-trade steamships.

30. **Second-class Engineer (Oil Engines).**—A candidate for a Second-class Oil Engine Certificate must be at least 21 years of age.

(*a*) He must prove—

(1) Four years' experience at the making or repairing of machinery of which at least six months must be at the making or repairing of oil engines, or

(2) Three and-a-half years' experience in charge of engines and boilers at sea or an equivalent suitable experience on shore,

and, in addition to either (1) or (2)—

(3) Six months' experience with oil engines at sea.

(*b*) He must write a legible hand, and have a good knowledge of arithmetic up to and including vulgar and decimal fractions and square root. He must also understand the application of these and other rules to problems relating to spring and lever-loaded relief valves, and be able to solve questions about the relative speeds of a vessel at different revolutions, the capacity of oil tanks, &c.

(*c*) He must be able to give a clear explanation of the principle on which an oil engine works, and to show by means of illustrative sketches and otherwise that he understands the construction of those in general use.

(*d*) He must be able to describe the chief causes which may make the engine difficult to start, and to explain how he would proceed to remedy any defects.

(*e*) He must be able to show that he understands the mechanism of the starting and reversing arrangement, and is competent to deal with defects which may lead to failure in the prompt handling or reversing of the engine.

(*f*) He must have sufficient mechanical ability to be able to overhaul the engine, to adjust the working parts, and to put the engine together again in good working condition.

(*g*) He must be able to give satisfactory answers to the elementary questions numbered 305 to 310 inclusive in Appendix B (p. 82).

(*h*) He must be able to prove (by actual trial if practicable) that he is competent to manipulate an oil engine when under way by starting, running the engine, stopping, reversing or slowing down.

NOTE.—Alternative service to the above may be considered, but it is essential that the candidate should have experience with oil engines, and have spent at least six months at sea in the engine-room of a sea-going vessel.

(*i*) He must understand what is meant by the flash point, and have a knowledge of the explosive properties of the oil generally used in oil engines when exposed in the open air, and the danger of exposing any vapour from the oil to a light or of allowing any leak from the oil tanks, particularly into the vessel's bilges.

(*j*) He must understand the action of wire gauze diaphragms when placed in pipes and connections to all tanks, etc., for the purpose of preventing the explosion or ignition of oil vapour therein.

(*k*) He must be able to take the necessary precautions to guard against the escape of inflammable vapour from the vaporiser when the engines are stopped.

(*l*) He must be able to explain the principle and construction of a dynamo and the construction and arrangement of primary and secondary batteries and induction coils, so far as is necessary for the efficient management of an oil engine.

31. **Workshop service.**—Workshop service must have been performed in works where steam-engines, boilers, etc., are made or repaired, but no time served before the age of 15 will be counted.

Not less than two years in Europe or three years in India of the apprentice time must have been spent at fitting, erecting, or repairing engines and machinery either in the works or outside. The remaining two years may be made up of time spent in engine works at fitting, erecting, or repairing engines and machines or at one of the other branches of the trade given below, or at an approved technical day school (*see* Appendix J), the time so spent to count as follows :—

Fitting, erecting, repairing, or turning.	Full time.
Working in drawing office ...	Full time up to one year, and beyond one year one-half time.
Pattern-making ...	One-half time with a maximum allowance of one year.
Planing, slotting, shaping and milling.	One-third time.
Boiler-making or repairing	One-half time.
Smith work ...	One-half time with a maximum allowance of one year.
Coppersmith work ...	One-third time with a maximum allowance of six months.

This paragraph applies only to works at which the making and or repairing of steam engines, boilers, etc., forms part of the regular

business for which the works exist. Service at works where the repairing of steam engines, boilers, etc., is merely incidental to the running of plant, however large, which is used for the production of power for other machinery, etc., should be dealt with under paragraph 33, each case being considered on its merits.

In the event of the apprentice time being extended to five years in Europe or six years in India, or more, four years at turning followed by one year in Europe or two years in India at fitting or erecting may be accepted as qualifying.

32. **Workshop service other than the above.**—When the workshop service has been performed in a place where engines are made but not in the manner specified in paragraph 31, the case must be referred to the Government with a report upon the service performed. If the service be such as is useful training for an Engineer, the Government may accept the service; but in every such case the applicant must prove additional engine-room or marine engine workshop service as required in the succeeding paragraph.

33. **Workshop service where engines are not made.**—When the workshop service has been performed in a place where steam-engines are not made or repaired, and the class of work done is similar to that required in engine making, the service may be accepted with an additional year of qualifying service; that is, four years in Europe or five years in India of workshop service and either two years at sea on regular watch, or one year at engine fitting in a suitable marine engine workshop and one year at sea in the engine-room. The approval of the Port Officer must be obtained in every such case before the candidate is examined.

Service in Colonial and Foreign Workshops.—Paragraphs 31 to 33 apply to service in the United Kingdom and India only. Service in a Colonial or foreign workshop will not be accepted unless the Examiner is satisfied in each case that its value is substantially equivalent to that of service performed in the United Kingdom and India. In cases where the Examiner is not satisfied that the value is equivalent, he will refer the matter for decision.

Workshop service in India is to be taken as equivalent to not more than four-fifths of the same period of service in the United Kingdom.

34. **Technical Schools.**—Time spent after the age of 15 at a technical day school (recognised by the Government as suitable) where there is an engineering laboratory, may be taken into account and accepted as equivalent to artisan service, usually at the ratio of three years in the technical school to two in artisan service, provided that the applicant has taken the full engineering course and can produce the Principal's certificate for regular attendance at all the approved classes and for satisfactory progress; and provided also that the remaining portion of the time has been spent in works where steam-engines, boilers, etc., are made or repaired, in accordance with the scale of values indicated above.

For list of approved technical schools and time allowed for attendance at each (*see* Appendix J).

Time spent in attending evening classes in Engineering at approved Technical Schools will similarly be allowed to count under the following conditions:—

(1) Each candidate claiming an allowance for time spent in attending evening classes at a Technical School must produce a certificate signed by the Principal of the School to the effect that he has attended regularly at a definite class or classes which should be specified, and has made satisfactory progress. This certificate must also state the total number of hours spent by the candidate in attending each class.

(2) Time spent by the candidate in attending such classes as have a direct bearing on the training of a Marine Engineer will be reckoned at the rate of five hours to one day. The total number of days so obtained will then be accepted in lieu of a certain fraction of the same period of workshop service. This fraction will be fixed for each school at the time of approval, and will generally be two-thirds.

(3) A candidate who has attended a Technical School in the evening, while being employed as an apprentice or journeyman Engineer during the day, must, in order that the school time may be accepted, produce satisfactory proof that he has spent the full working day in the works, at which he is employed before attending the school. Such proof will usually take the form of a statement in the testimonial as to workshop service given by the employer.

(4) Allowance will only be given for classes attended after the candidate has reached the age of 15.

35. **Sea-service.**—The sea-service required by these regulations is, unless otherwise stated, service performed in foreign-going ships of at least the nominal horse-power specified for the respective grades of Certificate. The nominal horse-power, as given on the vessel's Certificate of Registry, may in all cases be accepted by the Examiners.

36. **Qualifying service defined.**—In the case of candidates for First-class Certificates qualifying service means, as a rule, service on regular watch on the main engines or boilers as senior Engineer in charge of the whole watch. When, however, three or four Engineers are on watch at the same time the service of the two seniors may be allowed to count, and when not less than six Engineers are on watch together that of the three seniors, provided a certificate from the Superintending Engineer is produced stating the number of Engineers on watch, the rank held by the applicant and that he was in full charge of a watch on a definite section of the main engines or boilers. During the whole of the period claimed, candidates must have been in possession of Second-class Certificates.

In the case of candidates for Second-class Certificates qualifying service means service as Engineer on regular watch on the main engines or boilers. In no case will time spent in clerical work be allowed to count.

37. **Further as to Qualifying Service.**—Only such service as gives the experience required to make a man thoroughly competent as a sea-going Engineer is accepted as qualifying service. Even for a Second-class Certificate the candidate must prove to the satisfaction of the Examiner that he is qualified by experience and knowledge to act as Chief Engineer in an under-powered steamer of 99 nominal horse-power on a voyage, say, from India to Egypt, taking full responsibility for engines and boilers.

38 **Foreign Engineers.**—Foreign Engineers cannot be examined for a First-class Certificate unless they have performed the sea-service stated in paragraph 26 with the requisite British Certificate. The service may have been performed in foreign vessels if the candidate can produce satisfactory testimonials as to conduct and character, and is able to prove that the service has been in the required capacities, and that during the period of service he has held a British Certificate of Competency of the rank required by the Regulations (*see* paragraph 15).

39. **Names on Articles.**—In all cases the candidates' names must have been duly entered on the ship's Articles as Engineers in their proper ratings.

40. **Regular Watch.**—Being on regular watch means being on watch for at least eight hours a day.

41. **Home-trade Service.**—Service in the home or coasting trade is regarded as being equivalent to two-thirds of the same period of time served in the foreign trade except where other allowances are specified [*see* paragraphs 26 (*a*) (2) and (3), 42, 44 and 45]. Also except in the case of Indian coasting voyages extending beyond a distance of 500 miles from the port of departure in steamships commanded by masters holding foreign-going certificates, when such service will count as foreign-voyages, and will be reckoned as full time; but the time spent in the port of departure or Home Port will not be allowed to count. In all cases the length of service is deemed to commence on the date of sailing from the port of departure or Home Port and to end on the date of arrival at the Home Port. Such service must be vouched for in the form laid down in Appendix K.

42. **Lake or River Service.**—Service as watch-keeper on a lake or river steamer of not less than 66 nominal horse-power may be accepted under the following conditions :—

(*a*) the service will only count half as much as sea service, *i.e.*, every two months of lake or river service is only equivalent to one month's foreign-going sea service;

(*b*) candidates for Second-class Certificates must prove, in addition to the lake or river service, at least three months' qualifying service at sea in a foreign-going steamship of not less than 66 nominal horse-power, or four and-a-half months' similar service in the home-trade;

(*c*) candidates for First-class Certificates must prove, in addition to lake or river service in vessels of not less than 99 nominal horse-power, at least six months' qualifying service at sea, with a Second-class Engineer's Certificate, in foreign-going vessels of not less than 99 nominal horse-power or nine months' similar service in the home-trade.

43. **Service in Auxiliary Screw Steamships.**—Service performed on board auxiliary screw whalers and other vessels with auxiliary steam-power of not less than 66 nominal horse-power in the capacity of Engineer may be allowed to count towards qualifying candidates for examination for Second-class Engineers' Certificates of Competency to the extent of one-half the time the vessel is actually at sea. If the candidate is able to prove a larger amount of time under steam, he will be allowed to count the whole of such extended time.

44. **Service in dredgers, fishing boats, Tug-boats, or Pilot-vessels.**—Service in sea-going steam dredgers, fishing boats, or tug-boats, and in sea-going pilot-vessels when on their station or when going to or returning from the same, may be accepted under the following conditions:—Two months of such service is only equivalent to one month's qualifying service in a foreign-going steamer. Candidates for Second-class Certificates may perform all their sea service in sea-going steam dredgers, fishing-boats, tug-boats, or pilot-vessels, but they must have been on regular watch on the main engines or boilers and the vessels must not be less than 66 nominal horse-power. Candidates for First-class Certificates must, while in possession of a Second-class Certificate, have served in vessels of at least 99 nominal horse-power, and have been in charge of a watch on the main engines or boilers. They must, in addition, have served in a qualifying capacity for at least six months in a foreign-going cargo or passenger steamship, or nine months in a home-trade cargo or passenger steamship. This rule will not apply to service on the steam pilot-vessels at the Sandheads. Service on the regular watch on board such vessels for the period the vessels are on the station, or when going to, or returning from the same, shall be accepted as equivalent to two-thirds of the time performed in foreign-going trading vessels, as in the case of steam yachts.

Where an Engineer is employed on a fishing or other vessel and is required to do stoking or other work not usually performed by an Engineer in the Mercantile Marine, such service cannot be accepted as qualifying.

The Examiners of Engineers will in all cases satisfy themselves that service on fishing boats, when claimed as qualifying for a certificate as Engineer, is of a similar nature to that performed by Engineers in the Mercantile Marine.

45. **Service in yachts.**—Service performed in steam yachts, either within or beyond home-trade limits, may be accepted as equivalent to two-thirds of the time performed in foreign-going trading vessels, provided that the candidate's name is entered on the vessel's articles, and that he can prove to the satisfaction of the Examiner, that the time claimed was actually served at sea.

Candidates for Second-class Certificates may perform all their service in yachts, but the candidate must have been on regular watch on the main engines or boilers and the vessel must be of not less than 66 nominal horse-power.

Candidates for First-class Certificates must have served on vessels of not less than 99 nominal horse-power, and must have been in regular charge of the main engines or boilers. In addition they must have served for at least three months in a qualifying capacity on board a foreign-going cargo or passenger steamship. This additional service will, however, not be required in the case of a candidate who has served for 18 months as First Engineer, or for two years as second Engineer, of a steam yacht of the requisite power.

46. **Certificates of Service.**—An officer who has attained the rank of Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Navy or the rank of Engineer or Assistant Engineer in the Indian Marine Service, is entitled without examination, if an Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as First-class Engineer, and if an Engineer Sub-Lieutenant or Assistant Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as Second-class Engineer. These officers may be examined for a Certificate of Competency on the same conditions as Engineers of the Mercantile Marine.

An officer who has attained the rank of Chief Artificer Engineer in His Majesty's Navy is also entitled without examination to a Certificate of Service as Second-class Engineer.

47. **Examination of Engine-room Artificers.**—Artificer Engineers, Chief Engine-room Artificers, Engine-room Artificers, and Mechanicians in the Royal Navy may be examined for Certificates of Competency on the same conditions as Engineers of the Mercantile Marine.

48. **Application by Naval Officers.**—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have directed that applications from officers of the Navy for Certificates of Service or for permission to be examined for Certificates of Competency must, in the case of officers on the active list, be made through the Commanding Officer to the Secretary to the Admiralty, and in the case of officers who are on half-pay or who have retired, direct to the Secretary to the Admiralty, who in either case will forward the applications to the Port Officer.

It is not necessary for applications of Chief Engine-room Artificers and Mechanicians, who have left the Royal Navy and who desire to be examined for Certificates of Competency as Engineers in the Mercantile Marine, to be forwarded either through their Commanding Officers or through the Admiralty. Men who are still serving in these ratings in the Royal Navy should make their applications through their Commanding Officers.

Artificer Engineers, however, being Warrent Officers, should make their applications in the same manner as that laid down for other officers of the Royal Navy.

49. **Masters' and Mates' Examination in steam.**—Particulars of the examination of Masters and Mates in steam will be found in Appendix F, pages 35-37.

50. **Certificates.**—The term "Certificate" in these regulations means a Certificate issued by the Board of Trade, or by a British Possession under Order in Council in accordance with section 102 of the Merchant Shipping Act 1894. A list of the Colonial Certificates issued under Order in Council is given in Appendix G, and the holder of a Certificate so issued must not be examined in the United Kingdom for a Certificate of the grade already held.

51. **Colonial Local Certificates.**—The holder of a Colonial Certificate of Competency not granted under the Merchant Shipping Act, or of a Certificate of Competency granted after examination on board one of His Majesty's ships, who wishes to be examined for a Government of Bengal Certificate of the same grade, must prove that he has performed the amount of service required by these regulations for that grade, and complied with the conditions laid down as to testimonials. No fee will be demanded for the first attempt, but if the candidate fails the usual fee will be demanded on any subsequent attempt.

All Colonial Certificates for marine purposes, whether local or issued under Order in Council, must be given up before a further Certificate is issued by the Government of Bengal.

The 4th December 1916.

No. 116Marine.—Mr. C. W. H. Ansell, Senior Master Pilot, has been granted privilege leave for two months, under article 676(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st November 1916.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8768A.

No. 8525A.—The 29th November 1916.—Maulvi Samiruddin Bhuiyan, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Birbhum, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Birbhum.

No. 8605A.—The 1st December 1916.—Babu Anil Chandra Lahiri, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the Tippera district on relinquishing charge of his duties as Chaukidari Circle Officer of that subdivision.

Tippera.

No. 8674A.—The 4th December 1916.—In modification of the orders, dated the 2nd October 1916, Babu Phani Bhusan Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months and twelve days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd November 1916.

No. 8713A.—The 4th December 1916.—The officers, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Sub Deputy Collectors :—

Babu Shashi Bhushan Ghosh, Settlement Kanungo.
„ Rajendra Nath Biswas, District Kanungo.

The postings of these officers are under consideration.

No. 8715A.—The 4th December 1916.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Sub Deputy Collectors :—

Babu Nagendra Nath Mazumdar, M.A.
Maulvi Saiyid Ali Ahmad, B.A.
„ Fazl-ul-Azim, B.A.
Babu Mati Chand Pradhan, B.A.
„ Ajit Kumar Basu, B.A.
Maulvi A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A.

The postings of these officers are under consideration and the appointments of those who have not submitted certificates of health and age are subject to the submission and acceptance of those certificates.

No. 8754A.—The 5th December 1916.—Babu Manindra Lal Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kandi, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave previously granted to him.

Murshidabad.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 13666, dated Calcutta, the 28th November 1916.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Nath Gupta is appointed to be Resident Medical Officer, Police Hospital, Calcutta, *vice* third grade Assistant Surgeon Rai Sahib Girish Chandra Bagchi, transferred.

No. 13668, dated Calcutta, the 28th November 1916.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Braja Gopal Chatarji, of the Patuakhali subdivision and dispensary, Bakarganj district, is appointed to be Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, at Parbatipur, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Nabajiban Banerji, transferred.

No. 13671, dated Calcutta, the 28th November 1916.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Rash Bihari Bakhshi, on leave, is appointed to the Asansol subdivision, Burdwan district, *vice* third grade Assistant Surgeon Indra Narayan Sen Gupta, transferred.

No. 13781, dated Calcutta, the 30th November 1916.—The following Sub-Assistant Surgeons of the Bengal Establishment having passed the Professional Examination held on the 30th October 1916 are promoted to the next higher grades with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Present grade.	Names.	Where attached.	Grade to which promoted.	Date from which promoted.	Remarks.
				1916.	
3rd	Surendra Nath Roy Chaudhuri.	Chuadanga Subdivision and Dispensary, Nadia.	2nd	24th May ...	Passed with credit.
3rd	Bepin Behari Das ...	Military duty ...	2nd	25th „ ...	Passed with great credit.
3rd	Abinash Chandra Das Gupta.	Central Lunatic Asylum, Berhampur.	2nd	25th „	
3rd	Birendra Nath Ghosh	Relieving Sub-Assistant Surgeon, E. B. Railway.	2nd	25th „ ...	Passed with credit.
3rd	Hari Charan Bhattacharji.	Ambaria Dispensary, Mymensingh.	2nd	25th „ ...	Ditto.
3rd	Surendra Nath Bhattacharji.	Jail Hospital, Berhampur	2nd	10th July ...	Ditto.
3rd	Hem Chandra Das Gupta.	Jhenidah Subdivision and Dispensary, Jessore.	2nd	27th „ ...	Ditto.
3rd	Bhujendra Mohan Chaudhuri.	Jail Hospital, Jessore ...	2nd	2nd August ...	Ditto.
3rd	Phani Bhusan Pattuk	Resident Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Campbell Hospital.	2nd	12th September.	
3rd	Indra Kamal Roy ...	E. B. Railway Dispensary, Sarisabari.	2nd	5th October ...	Passed with great credit.
3rd	Suresh Chandra Ghosh	2nd Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Police Hospital, Calcutta.	2nd	5th „	
3rd	Bahadur Ali ...	Akra Brick Factory Dispensary. 24-Parganas.	2nd	16th „	
3rd	Mono Mohan Chakrabatti.	Relieving Sub-Assistant Surgeon, E. B. Railway.	2nd	16th „	
3rd	Satya Charan Majumdar.	Jail Hospital, Hooghly ...	2nd	16th „	
3rd	Dhirendra Nath Mitra	E. B. Railway Dispensary. Saidpur.	2nd	30th „	
3rd	Chinta Haran Chanda	Harishpur Dispensary, Noakhali.	2nd	30th „	
3rd	Jogendra Chandra Sen	Jail Hospital, Suri ...	2nd	8th December ...	Passed with credit.
				1917.	
3rd	Nanda Gopal Banerji	Goalundo Ghat Hospital, Faridpur.	2nd	15th April.	
3rd	Atal Behari De ...	Resident Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Campbell Hospital.	2nd	15th „ ...	Passed with credit.
3rd	Jogesh Chandra Ganguli.	Jail Hospital, Barisal ...	2nd	15th „ ...	Ditto.
3rd	Jatindra Mohan Sen Gupta.	Senior Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical School, Dacca.	2nd	12th June ...	Ditto.
3rd	Suresh Chandra Kundu	Travelling Sub-Assistant Surgeon, E. B. Railway, Naihati.	2nd	8th August ...	Ditto.
				1916.	
4th	Mati Lal Das Gupta...	Banderban Police Hospital, Chittagong Hill Tracts.	3rd	18th April ...	Passed with great credit.
4th	Priya Nath Mahalanavis.	2nd Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Central Jail, Dacca.	3rd	1st July ...	Ditto.
				1917.	
4th	Jatindra Nath Maitra	2nd Demonstrator of Anatomy, Campbell Medical School.	3rd	14th March ...	Passed with credit.

No. 13675, dated Calcutta, the 28th November 1916.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Indra Narayan Sen Gupta, of the Asansol subdivision, Burdwan district, is appointed to the Kandi subdivision and dispensary, Murshidabad district, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Monoj Nath Gupta, transferred.

No. 13678, dated Calcutta, the 28th November 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Monoj Nath Gupta, of the Kandi subdivision and dispensary, Murshidabad district, is appointed temporarily to the Patuakhali subdivision and dispensary, Bakarganj district, *vice* second grade Assistant Surgeon Braja Gopal Chatterji, transferred.

No. 13776, dated Calcutta, the 30th November 1916.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Guru Prasad Mitra, M.B., Teacher of Anatomy, Medical School, Dacca, having been exempted from appearing at the Septennial Examination, is promoted to the 1st grade with effect from the 5th March 1916.

No. 13863, dated Calcutta, the 4th December 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Bijitendra Basu is appointed temporarily Additional Assistant Surgeon, Sambhu Nath Pundit Hospital, Bhowanipore, with effect from the 14th November 1916, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Chandi Charan Mitra, transferred.

No. 13872, dated Calcutta, the 4th December 1916.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Narendra Nath Ghosh, of the Police Training College, Sardah, Rajshahi district, is appointed to the Ghatal Subdivision and Dispensary, Midnapore district, *vice* Temporary Assistant Surgeon Manmatha Nath Chatarji, transferred.

No. 13875, dated Calcutta, the 4th December 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Manmatha Nath Chatarji, of the Ghatal Subdivision and Dispensary, Midnapore district, is appointed temporarily to the Police Training College at Sardah, Rajshahi district, *vice* third grade Assistant Surgeon Narendra Nath Ghosh, transferred.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU BHUPAL CHANDRA SEN, Additional Munsif of Chittagong, is vested under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), as amended by the Decentralization Act, 1914 (IV of 1914), with powers to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the district of Chittagong.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
CIVIL;
The 28th November 1916.

BABU PASHUPATI MUKHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Meherpur, in the district of Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Meherpur Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
CIVIL,
The 1st December 1916.

THE Hon'ble the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, appointed Babu Ojit Coomar Gangoly, Head Assistant, Insolvency Office, on Rs. 150 to Rs. 175, to be an Assistant Registrar on Rs. 200 to Rs. 300, with effect from the 16th November 1916, *vice* Babu Nursing Chunder Mukerjee who has been promoted to the office of an Assistant Registrar in the Taxing Office on Rs. 300.

By order of the High Court,

J. H. HECHLE,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
ORIGINAL SIDE,
The 30th November 1916.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act), for the month of January 1917, until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly, will hold his sitting as detailed below:—

January 1917.

Hooghly	...	From 1st to 11th.
Serampore	...	,, 12th to 21st.
Howrah	...	,, 22nd to 31st.

Sundays and holidays are excepted.

ASHUTOSH GHOSH, *Judge, Small Cause Court, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly.*

SERAMPORE, *the 18th November 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 29th November 1916.

No. 94P.—Maulvi Abdur Rahaman Khan is confirmed is his appointment as Professor of the Dacca Training College, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from 17th November 1914.

The 30th November 1916.

No. 95P.—Babu Rakhal Das Ghosh, Professor, Dacca College, in class III of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave, on half pay for one month and twenty-seven days, with effect from 23rd November 1916.

The 2nd December 1916.

No. 96P.—Babu Brada Kanta Datta, Teacher, Government School of Art (class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is declared to have acted as Head Master of that school, and in the Provincial Educational Service, on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, from 15th September 1915 to 18th June 1916, both days inclusive, *vice* Babu Hari Narayan Bose, on deputation.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 17For.—The 27th November 1916.—Babu Sachindra Nath Mitra, B. Sc., Probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Sundarbans Forest Division, is transferred to the Chittagong Forest Division on special duty in connection with the demarcation and survey of reserved forest boundaries with head-quarters at Chittagong.

Sundarbans. Chittagong.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Offg. Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 253R.G.—Babu Bankim Behary Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to Barasat, in the 24-Parganas.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER Government Order No. 169 P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, the gentlemen named below are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Noakhali Jail.

1. Babu Radha Kanta Aich. | 2. Maulvi Muzaffar Ahmed.

K. C. DE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 23rd November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 251R.G.—Babu Kali Charan Some, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is transferred from the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district to Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 30th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3085M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, in the bye election held on the 15th November 1916 in ward No. I of the Pabna Municipality, Babu Man Mohan Chaudhuri was duly elected as a Commissioner in the place of Babu Kunja Lal Nandi, deceased.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 27th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the 5th January 1917 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner in ward No. 1 of the Bankura Municipality in the district of Bankura in place of Babu Umes Chandra Das, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 29th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5299J.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the general election held on the 2nd November 1916, the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Jhalakati Municipality, in the district of Bakarganj, for the several Wards mentioned against their names :—

Ward No. I	...	1. Babu Lal Mohan Saha. 2. „ Aswini Kumar Das.
Ward No. II	...	1. Babu Rajani Kanta Chatterjee. 2. „ Mukanda Lal Pal. 3. „ Upendra Lal Pal.
Ward No. III	...	1. Babu Jitendra Nath Bose.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 2nd December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3148M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 3rd February 1917, has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner of the Kurseong Municipality, in place of Mr. G. B. Cresswell, removed under section 20 (*a*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 2nd December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 59L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, Babu Nagendra Nath Ghosh has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the Management of the Garulia Municipal Dispensary in the district of the 24-Parganas in place of Dr. Dhirendra Nath Ghose, resigned.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 24th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5278J.—Under rule 20(*b*) of the Rules for the Management of Hospitals and Dispensaries, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Managing Committee of the dispensaries noted against their names:—

District Faridpur.

Baliakandi.	1.	Sub-Registrar of Baliakandi ...	*Secretary* (*ex-officio*).
	2.	Sub-Inspector of Police, Baliakandi	(*Ex-officio*).
	3.	Babu Ganga Charan Choudhury.	
	4.	„ Tarak Chandra Bakshi.	
	5.	„ Bidhu Bhusan Choudhury.	
	6.	„ Profulla Kumar Lahiry.	
	7.	„ Bepro Das Choudhury.	
	8.	Md. Ismail Khan.	
	9.	Md. Masemali Biswas.	
	10.	Babu Hridoy Nath Roy.	
Muksudpur.	1.	Subdivisional Officer, Gopalganj ...	*President* (*ex-officio*).
	2.	Sub-Registrar, Muksudpur ...	*Vice-President* (*ex-officio*).
	3.	Khan Shahib Maulvi Khadem Hossein Khondker, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar ...	*Secretary.*
	4.	Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Muksudpur	*Ex-officio.*
	5.	Sub-Postmaster, Muksudpur ...	
	6.	Sabdar Hossein.	
	7.	Babu Bhabani Charan Dutt.	
	8.	„ Kailash Chandra Kundoo.	
	9.	Munshi Mohon Miah of Chandibardi.	

Rajbari.

1.	Subdivisional Officer, Goalundo ...	*President (ex-officio).*
2.	Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway ...	*Secretary (ditto).*
3.	1st Munsif of Goalundo ...	*(Ex-officio.)*
4.	Assistant Surgeon, Rajbari ...	
5.	Sub-Registrar of Goalundo ...	
6.	Mr. R. Pestonji, Railway Public Works Department Inspector.	
7.	Babu Bani Chandra Sanyal.	
8.	„ Mati Lall Ghosh, Dastider.	
9.	„ Guru Gobinda Pattadar.	
10.	„ Trailakhaya Nath Bhattacharjee.	

Bhanga.

1.	1st Munsif of Bhanga ...	*President (ex-officio).*
2.	2nd Munsif of „ ...	*(Ex-officio.)*
3.	3rd Munsif of „ ...	
4.	Sub-Registrar of „ ...	
5.	Inspector of Police „ ...	
6.	Babu Madhu Sudan Banerjee, B.L....	*Secretary.*
7.	„ Ashutosh Das Gupta, B.L.	
8.	„ Sashi Kamal Das Gupta.	
9.	Maulvi Fasiuddin Ahamed, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar.	
10.	Munshi Abdul Rob.	

Pangsa.

1.	Sub-Registrar, Pangsa ...	*President (ex-officio).*
2.	Babu Charu Chandra Bhattacherjee	*Secretary.*
3.	Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Pangsa	*Ex-officio.*
4.	Sub-Postmaster, Pangsa ...	
5.	Maulvi Abdul Wazed.	
6.	„ Qazi Abdul Jabbar.	
7.	Babu Rajani Kanta Bhattacherjee.	
8.	„ Sarat Chandra Chakrabarty.	
9.	„ Syam Lall Kundo.	
10.	„ Amar Nath Kundoo.	

Boalmari.

1.	Sub-Registrar of Boalmari (Saidpur)	*Secretary (ex-officio).*
2.	Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Boalmari	*Ex-officio.*
3.	Babu Jnanada Ranjan Ghosh.	
4.	„ Hridoy Nath Saha.	
5.	„ Satish Chandra Roy.	
6.	„ Sarada Raman Chatterjee.	
7.	„ Rakhal Chandra Karmoker.	
8.	Maulvi Abdur Rahaman, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar, Bhusna.	
9.	Munshi Abdul Aziz of Baikhir.	
10.	„ Abdul Alim Mia of Gambaha.	

Kotwalipara.

1.	The Subdivisional Officer, Gopalgunj	*President (Ex-officio).*
2.	„ Sub-Registrar of Kotwalipara	*Secretary (ditto)*
3.	„ Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Kotwalipara	*Ex-officio.*
4.	„ Sub-Postmaster of Kotwalipara	
5.	Babu Nil Madhab Roy Choudhury.	
6.	„ Basanta Kumar Mukherjee.	
7.	„ Gopal Gobinda Das Gupta.	
8.	„ Prasanna Kumar Sikder.	
9.	„ Maulvi Abdul Hasib Choudhury.	
10	„ Jyotish Chandra Bhattacharya.	

Sibchar.	1.	The Sub-Registrar of Sibchar ...	*President (Ex-officio).*
	2.	,, Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Sibchar ...	*Ex-officio.*
	3.	,, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar of Sibchar ...	
	4.	,, Head Master, N. K. Institution, Sibchar	
	5.	Babu Rash Mohan Saha ...	*Vice-President.*
	6.	,, Rasik Lal Saha.	
	7.	,, Lalit Mohan Dey.	
	8.	,, Raj Kumar Kundu.	
	9.	,, Madan Mohan Saha.	
	10.	Munshi Abdul Halim.	
	11.	Babu Bhuban Mohan Saha.	
	12.	Maulvi Aba Khaled Rashiluddin Ahmed.	
Palong.	1.	The Sub-Registrar of Palong ...	*President and Secretary (Ex-officio).*
	2.	The Senior Sub-Inspector of Police, Palong	*Ex-officio.*
	3.	Pandit Ruhini Kanta Shankhyatirtha, Talukdar.	
	4.	Babu Guru Charan Banerjee, Pensioner.	
	5.	Babu Bhabesh Chandra Ghose, B.A., Head Master, Tulasar H. E. School.	
	6.	Babu Mahendra Chandra Sarker, Merchant.	
	7.	Babu Chinta Haran Chakravarty, Merchant.	
	8.	Babu Chandra Mohan Sarker, Namasudra.	
	9.	Munshi Nesar Hosain Khondaker, Muhammadan Marriage Registrar.	
	10.	Munshi Naziruddin Ahmed.	
Gopalganj.	1.	The Subdivisional Officer, Gopalgunj	*Chairman (Ex-officio).*
	2.	Babu Sashi Bhusan Biswas.	
	3.	,, Chandra Kanta Kirtunia.	
	4.	Maulvi Abdul Kader.	
	5.	,, Abdul Latif.	
	6.	Mr. D. C. Bose	*Secretary.*
	7.	Babu Hara Chandra Saha.	
	8.	,, Kali Charan Mukherjee, Sub-Deputy Collector	*Vice-Chairman.*
	9.	Maulvi Jonab Ali.	
	10.	Babu G. C. Dey, Head Master, M. E. School.	
Kalkini.	1.	Babu Barada Kanta Sarker, Khas Tahsildar	*Chairman.*
	2.	,, Ganga Charan Ghosal, Khas Tahsildar	*Vice-Chairman.*
	3.	,, Peari Lal Guha, Khas Tahsildar	*Secretary.*
	4.	,, Sarada Charan Rai Choudhury	*Members.*
	5.	,, Ram Charan Banerjee ...	
	6.	,, Umesh Chandra Mazumder ...	
	7.	Pandit Chandra Kanta Shmritiratna	
	8.	Babu Surja Kumar Kundu ...	

Banderkhola.
1. Khas Mehal Officer, Faridpur ... *President (ex-officio).*
2. Khas Tahsildar, Banderkhola ... *Secretary (ditto).*
3. Abdul Satter Kazi.
4. Babu Nibaran Chandra Chakravarty.
5. Hachim Bepari.
6. Taher Sikder.
7. Maulvi Abdul Hakim.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 29th November 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4082J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Godagari, in the district of Rajshahi:—

1. Sub-Inspector of Police, in charge of Godagari thana ... ... *Ex-officio.*
2. Babu Ramapada Banerji.
3. „ Ishan Chandra Pandey.
4. „ Jnanada Charan Majumdar.
5. „ Debi Das Mandal.
6. Munshi Jan Mahammad Biswas.
7. „ Sadekulla Shaikh.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries, the undermentioned gentlemen have been appointed members of the Indas Dispensary, in the district of Bankura :—

(1) The Civil Surgeon of Bankura ... ...
(2) Subdivisional Officer of Vishnupur ... } *Ex-officio.*
(3) Sub-Registrar of Indas ... ...
(4) Syed Fazlar Rahaman.
(5) Syed Mahammad Matahar.
(6) Babu Prafulla Chandra Sarkar.
(7) „ Madhu Sudan Das Mahanta.
(8) „ Bankim Chandra Sarkar.
(9) „ Kamini Kumar Bose.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 2nd December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 656P.W.—In exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, under section 35 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, I hereby direct that the Prayagpur ferry on the river Kulick on the 36th mile of District Board road No. 19 between Nekmard and Pirganj in the district of Dinajpur which has been acquired and declared to be a public ferry under this office Notification No. 7P.Wct., dated the 25th May 1916, shall be managed by the District Board of Dinajpur, and that all the proceeds of the said ferry and the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the Dinajpur District Fund with effect from the date of this notification.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st December 1916.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1913R.—The 2nd December 1916.—Whereas I am of opinion as the result of an enquiry held under sub-section (1) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Sahabajpur Jootha Bank (registered No. 32 of 1915), in the district of Tippera, that the Society ought to be dissolved :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 39 of the said Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Subdivisional Officer, Brahmanbaria, to be liquidator of the said Society.

No. 1927R.—The 4th December 1916.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of enquiry held under sub-section (1) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, into the constitution, working and financial condition of the marginally-noted Societies, in the district of Jessore, that the Societies ought to be dissolved :

1. Balia Bhekutia Rural Co-operative Credit Society (registered No. 527 of 1909).
2. Bhaina Rajapur Jootha Bank (registered No. 43 of 1913).

Now therefore in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 39 of the said Act, I hereby cancel the registrations of the said Societies.

And further in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Jessore, to be Liquidator of the said Societies.

J. M. MITRA.

Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 22Exc.—The 2nd December 1916.—The following officers are promoted to the sixth grade of Inspectors of Excise and Salt with effect from the 1st November 1916 :—

(1) Babu Rajendra Nath Sen.
(2) „ Debendra Chandra Sen.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 2nd December 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

INCOME TAX.

Delhi, the 1st December 1916.

No. 1608-F.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 38 of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to cancel rule 9 of the rules published with the Finance and Commerce Department's Notification No. 2763, dated the 6th June 1890, and Forms B and C appended to those rules.

H. F. HOWARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 2nd December 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 2nd December 1916.

No. 113-C.I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 7765-W.-II, dated the 26th August 1916, namely :—

After the entry "Metzker and Company" insert an entry "Polacek and Colley."

No. 114-C. I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 11255-W.-II, dated the 18th November 1916, viz :—

ADDITIONS.

PERSIA.

Kayanian (Rustam Kaikhosrow and Sons), Kerman.
Rustam Kaikhosrow and Sons (*alias* Kayanian), Kerman.

REMOVALS.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Petroleum Products Company of California, Inc., San Francisco, California.

No. 137-C. I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations and additions shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, viz:—

(*i*) *For* the existing entry against item 58 (first column) *substitute* the following:—

Oils, all non-essential vegetable, except castor oil, coconut oil, cotton seed oil, ground-nut oil and linseed oil.

(*ii*) *Omit* the words "castor beans" against item 59.

(*iii*) *Add* the following after the word "mhowra" in item 48:—

"Castor seed and castor oil."

No. 138-C. I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9954-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended:—

For existing sub-clause (*g*) to proviso (*ii*), *substitute* the following:—

"(*g*) imports of sugar, petroleum or meat."

No. 139-C. I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 1903-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, viz:—

Additions.

Akai Yoko,	Tientsin.
Evans, D.,	,,
Osawa Yoko,	,,
Sin Tek Kee,	Amoy.
Tong Chee Drug Co.,	,,

COMPANIES.

The 2nd December 1916.

No. 11614.—In pursuance of the proviso to sub-section (3) of section 277 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exempt the Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris from the requirements of sub-section (3) of the said section, provided that it files with the Registrar of the province, in which it has its principal place of business, a copy in French of the Report of the Council of Administration of the bank containing a copy of its annual balance-sheet, together with an English translation thereof, certified in accordance with rule 8 of the Indian Companies Rules, 1914.

(COTTON DUTIES.)

Delhi, the 2nd December 1916.

No. 133-D.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 36 of the Cotton Duties Act, 1896 (II of 1896), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the Forms A and B, annexed hereto, shall be substituted for Forms A and B appended to the rules made under the said Act, which were published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 864-S.R., dated the 21st February 1896, as amended by the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 2080-3, dated the 17th March 1906.

Form A.

Particulars of all cotton goods produced at Mill during the period beginning _____ and ending _____ 191 .

Description of goods (1).	ISSUED OUT OF THE PREMISES.		Real value.	Deduction claimed under section 15 on account of quantity warehoused in lbs.	Deduction claimed under section 19 on account of quantity exported in lbs.	Balance on which duty is now leviable.
	Weight lbs.	Yards or dozens.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
PART I.						
Grey and bleached piece-goods.						
(To be reported in lbs. and yards and bleached to be distinguished from grey goods.)						
1. Chadars						
2. Dhuties						
3. Drills and jeans						
4. Cambrics and lawns ...						
5. Printers						
6. T. Cloth, domestics and sheetings						
7. Shirtings and longcloth ...						
8. Tent cloth						
9. Other sorts						
PART II.						
Coloured piece-goods.						
(To be reported in lbs. and yards.)						
1. Chadars						
2. Lungis and dhuties						
3. Drills and jeans						
4. Greys, dyed						
5. Coloured striped saris and susis						
6. Cotton tweeds and checks ...						
7. Other sorts						
PART III.						
Grey and coloured goods other than piece-goods.						
(To be reported in lbs. and dozens, and grey, bleached and coloured goods of each description to be distinguished.)						
PART IV.						
Hosiery.						
(To be reported in lbs. and dozens.)						
PART V.						
Miscellaneous cotton-goods						
(To be reported in lbs. only.)						
PART VI.						
Cotton goods mixed with silk or wool.						
(To be reported in lbs. only.)						
Total ...						

(1) To be shown separately for goods of different dimensions.

I do hereby declare that I have compared the above particulars with the records and books of my mill, and that they are, in so far as I can ascertain, accurate and complete.

Dated this day of 191 .

(Signed)

(To be signed by the Millowner, Managing Agent, or other Principal officer of the mill.)

Form B.

Statement of cotton goods assessed to duty, with amount payable thereon.

Description of goods.	Weight lbs.	Real value.	Total real value.	Rate of duty payable.	Total duty payable.
1	2	3	4	5	6
Part I.—Grey, and bleached piece-goods					
Part II.—Coloured piece-goods ...					
Part III.—Grey and coloured goods other than piece-goods.					
Part IV.—Hosiery					
Part V.—Miscellaneous cotton goods ...					
Part VI.—Cotton goods mixed with silk or wool.					
Total ...					

(Signed)

Collector.

Dated this day of 191 .

CUSTOMS.

The 2nd December, 1916.

No. 11729-W.-II.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

The 23rd day of October, 1916.

BY THE LORDS OF HIS MAJESTY'S MOST HONOURABLE PRIVY COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(*b*) Chronometers ;
(*b*) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather ;
(*c*) Hemp braid ;
(*a*) Hemp other than Manila hemp ;
(*c*) Hemp Manila ;
Hemp, the following manufactures of :—
(*b*) Binder and reaper twine ;
(*b*) Cloth ;
(*b*) Cordage and twine (except cordage or twine of Manila hemp, and binder or reaper twine) :
(*c*) Cordage and twine of Manila hemp ;
(*a*) Hemp ropes, old ;
(*a*) Hemp waste ;
(*b*) Needles, hosiery ;
(*b*) Rubber, gutta percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of (except rubber hose covered with steel wire) ;
(*a*) Rubber hose covered with steel wire ;
(*b*) Sheepskins, haired or woolled ;
Silk and silk manufactures, the following :—
(*b*) Broad silks of all kinds, whether all silk or of silk mixed with other yarns (except with artificial silk yarn or metal threads), in the grey or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed but unweighted ;
(*a*) Silk braid, silk cloth, silk thread, suitable for cartridges ;
(*b*) Schappe and spun yarns ;
(*b*) Shantung silk ;
(*a*) Silk noils ;
(*b*) Silk, raw or thrown ;
(*b*) Silk waste.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—

(*c*) Agar-agar ;
(*a*) Basic slag and superphosphates ;
(*b*) Binder twine (except binder twine made of Manila hemp) ;
(*a*) Chronometers ;
(*a*) Copper wire and cables containing copper ;
(*c*) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather ;
Hemp and hemp manufactures, the following :—
(*a*) Italian, Russian and Manila hemp, Maguey fibre, and manufactures thereof ;
(*c*) Other hemp and manufactures thereof (except binder twine) ;
(*b*) Needles, hosiery machine (latch and bearded) ;
(*c*) Quillaia bark ;
(*b*) Rubber, gutta percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of (except rubber hose, armoured or reinforced with steel or iron wire) ;
(*a*) Rubber hose, armoured or reinforced with steel or iron wire ;
(*b*) Sheepskins, haired or woolled, and pelts ;
Silk and silk manufactures, the following :—
(*a*) Cocoons ;
(*a*) Raw silk and all threads, yarns and twists thereof (except thrown silk undyed) ;

(*a*) All threads, yarns and twists of Tussah silk and of artificial silk;

(*a*) Silk waste of all kinds (including artificial silk waste) and all threads, yarns and twists thereof, including noils and noil yarns;

(*b*) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds and widths (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials, in the grey or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted;

(*c*) Made up articles of silk or artificial silk of all kinds, whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials;

Woods, the following:—

(*c*) Poplar.

Now, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

(EXPLOSIVES.)

The 2nd December 1916.

No. 92-C.—In accordance with the provisions of section 18 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department No. 1964, dated the 2nd September 1887, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to publish, for general information, the following amendment which His Excellency in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the said Act, proposes to make in the Indian Explosives Rules, 1914, published with the Notification in this Department No. 4013-33, dated the 6th June 1914.

The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on the expiration of two months from the date of publication of this Notification in the *Gazette of India*.

Draft amendments.

1. In rule 4 of the said rules, after clause (6), the following shall be inserted as clause 6 (*a*):—

"District Magistrate" includes, in cases where the Local Government so directs, "the Additional District Magistrate in respect of such area as such Local Government may so order."

No. 142-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the Indian Explosives Rules, 1914, published with the Notification in this Department No. 4013-33, dated the 6th June 1914:—

I. *To* the entry against rule 97 in the list of contents prefixed to the said rules the words "and Chinese crackers" shall be added.

II. *For* rule 97 of the said rules the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"97. Nothing in rules 80 to 89 shall apply to ammunition (Division 1) and in the case of the transport by rail of Chinese crackers (Division 2 of class 7—Fireworks) the provisions of rule 89 may be relaxed during the period from July to March inclusive under an order of the District Traffic Officer when the number or size of consignments offering is such that, in his judgment, serious delay would be caused by the observance of the rule: provided that in both instances, all due precautions shall be taken to prevent explosion."

Saving as to the conveyance of ammunition and Chinese crackers.

III. For clause (*d*) of rule 134 of the said rules the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*d*) sporting gun-powder packed in double packages as provided in schedule IV, so long as the gun-powder is contained in tin canisters containing not more than 5 lbs. each and packed in a stout wooden case with an outer covering of tin or zinc completely spark-proof, or in metal-lined cases of a pattern approved by the Chief Inspector of Explosives. But no outer case shall contain more than 25 lbs. of gun-powder, and the total consignment by one train shall not exceed 80 lbs."

IV. In column 1 of form H in form I and in the first column of the table of distances appended to the said rules, below the entry "Government building" the words "Wireless station" shall be inserted.

A. H. LEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 2nd December 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 29th November 1916.

No. 295-D.—Mr. C. L. S. Russell of the Political Department is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for nine months, with effect from the 17th November 1916, under articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

J. B. WOOD,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 2nd December 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 1st December 1916.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

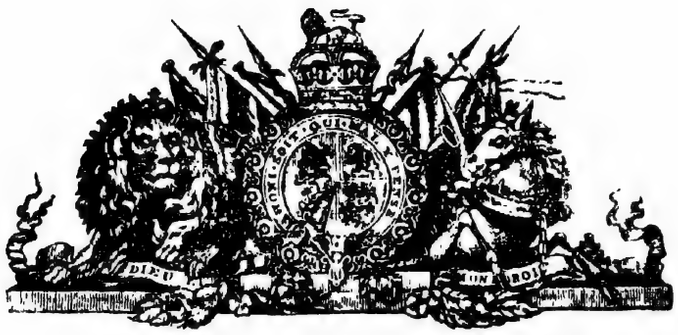
No. 1451.—The following promotions are made :—

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Reginald Alexander Boermel, *seconded*, to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, and to remain *seconded*.

John Gustavus Thomas Matthews, *seconded*, to be Senior Assistant Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, and to remain *seconded*.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major General*,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2640M.—The 28th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*d*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in pursuance of the recommendation made by the Commissioners of the Bhadreswar Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, at a meeting, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare his intention to subdivide the said Municipality into two Municipalities, namely, (1) Bhadreswar and (2) Champdani, Bhadreswar Station Road and Sadar Ghat Street forming the southern boundary of, and lying within, the new Bhadreswar Municipality.

Hooghly.

2. Any rate-payer or inhabitant of the Bhadreswar Municipality who objects to the proposed subdivision of the Municipality should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate to the undersigned before the 20th January 1917.

No. 2641M.—The 28th November 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in pursuance of the recommendation made by the Commissioners of the Baidyabati Municipality in the district of Hooghly, at a meeting, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare his intention to exclude the following area from the Baidyabati Municipality, the boundaries of which are as follows :—

Hooghly.

North—The present northern boundary of the Baidyabati Municipality.

East—The river Hooghly.

West—The portion of the Darijangal road, lying between the northern boundary of the Baidyabati Municipality and the Deanston Road.

South-West.—An imaginary straight line drawn from the point of junction of the Darijangal road and Deanston Road to the point of junction of the Grand Trunk Road and south-western corner of Raj Kristo Mukharji's Lane and the same imaginary line being produced up to the river Hooghly meeting at the river at a point to the south of Babu Sarat Chandra Mukharji's Ghat.

2. Any rate-payer or inhabitant of the Baidyabati Municipality who objects to the proposed exclusion of this portion of the Municipality should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate to the undersigned before the 20th January 1917.

No. 2655M.—The 4th December 1916.—The following draft of by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of that Act, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Murshidabad.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 20th January 1917, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned, through the District Magistrate before that date, will be duly considered.

DRAFT BY-LAWS FOR THE BERHAMPORE MUNICIPALITY.

DEFINITIONS.

1. In these by-laws—

(1) "carriage" includes also a motor-car ; and
(2) "cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTION.

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force, no act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under by-law 36.

PENALTIES

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,
(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and
(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

6. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road, between half an hour after sunset and half an hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows :—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side ;
(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light ·
(*c*) every elephant, camel, herd of buffaloes, or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light ;
(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front :

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon, or on the four nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

8. No person shall drive any motor-car, or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle, on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

9. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of twenty maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, bullas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

11. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

12. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

13. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, take any elephant or camel along any road.

Fine, Rs. 50.

14. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

15. No person shall drive a bullock-cart on the centre of any road on which cart-tracks are provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

16. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

17. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle, on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

18. No parent or guardian of any child below the age of seven years shall allow such child to play or wander about on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs 10.

19. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

20. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road, or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

21. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

22. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road, or into any drain in or near a road, except through a downpipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

23. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

24. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way that it may fall on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

25. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

26. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

27. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

28. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

29. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

30. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely-covered receptacle of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

31. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *tatti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

32. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill, or clean the carcass of, any cattle or poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

33. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING-OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

34. No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except—

(1) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and
(2) on payment of the following fees:—

	Rs.
Fireworks including bombs	2
Fire-balloons	1

Fine, Rs. 10.

This byelaw shall not apply to the letting-off of harmless squibs or crackers.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING-PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

35. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

36. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10: daily fine, Rs. 2.

37. No person shall bathe, or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other article, within a distance of ten feet from the lowest platform of any public well (or of any filtered water stand-pipe which is used by the public).

Fine, Rs. 10.

38. Except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and under such conditions as they may from time to time prescribe, no person shall use any stand-pipe or fountain, belonging to the Commissioners, for any purpose other than drawing water—

(*a*) for drinking on the spot, or

(*b*) for carrying away for domestic purposes.

Fine, Rs. 10.

39. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

40. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course, or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes, any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50

41. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing-place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

42. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing-place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

43. No person shall deposit night-soil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

44. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Fine, Rs. 50.

45. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises, from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the Municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

46. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

47. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the Conservancy Overseer of the Ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

48. No male person above twelve years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

49. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain, any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

50. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain, any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS, AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

51. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

52. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

53. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

54. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

55. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

56. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, night-soil and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

57 No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawalli, or person entrusted with the daily supervision, or in charge, of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

58. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

59. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food and every vender or hawker of such articles shall keep the same in a glass case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

60. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 5.

61. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 25; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

62. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera, or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

63. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS.

64. The by-laws which were confirmed by Government Order No. 5463-M., dated the 18th December 1897, and subsequently added to and modified by Government Order No. 998-M., dated the 6th March 1900, and Notification No. 308-M., dated the 10th February 1910, are hereby cancelled.

Howrah.

No. 2675M.—The 5th December 1916.—The Governor in Council is pleased to declare his intention, in exercise of the power conferred by section 640 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), toextend to the town of Howrah Schedule VIII of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, which is set forth in the annexure hereto, subject to the modifications and restrictions therein, which are shown, as far as possible, in antique type, and in supersession of the adapted Schedule VIII of that Act extended thereto by Notification No. 2558-M., dated the 5th October 1914.

II. Any objection to such extension on the part of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Howrah or any inhabitant thereof should be submitted in writing through the District Magistrate, Howrah, to the undersigned before the 8th January 1917.

ANNEXURE.

SCHEDULE VIII.

Tax on carriages and animals (see sections 188 and 191.)

	Per half year Rs.
On every four-wheeled carriage propelled by electricity or any other mechanical power	12
Where any person owns more than one **four-wheeled carriage propelled by electricity or any other mechanical power,** then on every such carriage after the first	8
On every four-wheeled carriage drawn by two horses ...	6
On every four-wheeled carriage drawn by one horse, pony or mule, or a pair of ponies or mules under 13 hands	4
On every two-wheeled carriage drawn by one or more animals	3
On every jinrickshaw	1
On every horse (not being a race-horse)	3
On every race-horse	6
On every bicycle	1
On every tricycle	1
On every pony or mule of or over 13 hands	3
On every pony or mule under 13 hands	1

Burdwan.

No. 2657M.—The 4th December 1916.—Under rule 7 of the Local Authorities' Loans Rules, 1915, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Governor in Council intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Katwa Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, for a loan of Rs. 15,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, and repayable in forty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 597-8-8 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said municipality.

Application from the Commissioners of the Katwa Municipality for a loan of Rs. 15,000.

The work or works for which the loan is required and the estimate of the cost thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	RECEIPT OF LOAN. (a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) The rate of interest at which it is proposed to borrow.	(c) The number of instalments in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The date proposed for receiving each such instalment.	REPAYMENT OF LOAN. (f) The number of instalments in which the loan is repayable and the dates of payment thereof.	(g) Amount of each instalment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Construction of drains according to the drainage scheme estimated to cost Rs. 24,734.	Rupees 15,000.	Katwa Municipal Fund.	Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1894.	Twenty years.	5 per cent. per annum.	One instalment.	Rupees 15,000.	15th January 1917.	In forty equal half-yearly instalments payable on the 15th July and 15th January of every year commencing from the 15th July 1917 till the loan is paid off.	Rupees 597-8-8.

FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE LOCAL BODY.

REVENUE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS).

Sources from which the revenue is derived.	Amount for— 1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.
12	13	14	15
(A) Municipal rates and taxes.	Rs. A. P. 10,710 2 9	Rs. A. P. 10,849 15 9	Rs. A. P. 10,743 11 6
(B) Realisations under Special Acts.	310 0 0	310 0 0	356 0 0
(C) Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.	2,986 1 3	3,730 13 6	4,246 6 1
(D) Grants and contributions for general and special purposes (ordinary).	949 12 0	1,386 2 6	566 14 1
(E) Miscellaneous	31 9 9	82 13 11	176 9 9
Total ordinary income ...	14,997 9 9	16,259 14 8	16,089 9 5
(F) Extraordinary and debt	17,907 4 9	2,699 10 3	6,032 7 11
(G) Receipts of abnormal character.	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	32,904 14 6	18,959 8 11[illegible]	22,122 1 4
Opening balance ...	28,823 5 7	46,544 12 1	45,521 4 5
GRAND TOTAL ...	61,728 4 1	65,504 5 0	67,643 5 9

EXPENDITURE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS).

Objects on which the expenditure is incurred.	Amount for— 1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.
16	17	18	19
1. General administration and collection charges.	Rs. A. P. 1,139 12 3	Rs. A. P. 1,122 4 0	Rs. A. P. 1,116 5 3
2. Public safety ...	616 1 9	869 2 3	637 5 3
3. Public health and convenience (excluding expenditure from loan funds and from grants other than ordinary).	9,597 14 3	12,997 2 0	23,241 5 8
4. Public instruction ...	412 4 6	421 0 0	416 0 0
5. Miscellaneous ...	734 8 3	379 15 1	1,502 4 5
6 Repayment of loan ...	.....	.....	248 5 4
Total ordinary expenditure	12,500 10 0	16,789 7 4	27,163 9 11
7. Extraordinary and debt (excluding repayment of loan).	2,682 14 0	3,193 9 3	7,080 0 10
8. Expenditure from loan funds and from grants included under the head "Receipts of abnormal character."	.....	.....	15,000 0 0
Total ...	15,183 8 0	19,983 0 7	49,243 10 9
Closing balance ...	46,544 12 1	45,521 4 5	18,399 11 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	61,728 4 1	65,504 5 0	67,643 5 9

The normal surplus which may be expected in future, i.e., the difference between the average ordinary income and the average ordinary expenditure, calculated on the figures in columns 13 to 15 and 17 to 19, respectively.	Remarks.
20	21
- Rs. 3,034.	

In addition to the details on the reverse, information under the following heads is also given :—

a) If the ordinary surplus is insufficient to meet the charges of the proposed loan, the particular steps which the municipality has taken, or has agreed to take, in order to make good the deficiency.	The ordinary surplus is inadequate to meet the charges of the proposed loan. The Municipal Commissioners propose to make good the deficiency by raising taxes as stated below.
(*b*) The reserve of taxation or other possible means of increase in the revenues of the municipality.	The revenues of the municipality are likely to increase under the head "Tax on professions and trades," as the Municipal Commissioners have resolved at a meeting held on 22nd December 1915 to revise the scale of fees of licenses which has been sanctioned by the Divisional Commissioner and also the head "Hackney Carriages."
(*c*) A statement of all outstanding loans specifying, in respect of each loan, the date when taken, the purpose (very briefly), the amount, the annual charges involved, and the amount still payable.	A loan of Rs. 15,000 was taken from Government on 1st October 1913 for the purpose of constructing new drains according to the drainage scheme. Rupees 1,096-10-9 is the annual charge, and Rs. 14,451-10-8 is still payable.
(*d*) Any explanations in regard to receipts and expenditure to show the true financial position of the municipality when such position is otherwise than the ordinary surplus would indicate.	Nil.

No. 2673M.—The 4th December 1916.—The Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality, in the district of Howrah, recommended at a meeting held on the 22nd September 1916—

Howrah.

(*a*) that two local areas (hereinafter referred to as plots A and B) which are contiguous to that Municipality, and the boundaries of which are hereinafter described, should be included within the said Municipality, and

(*b*) that two local areas (hereinafter referred to as plots C and D) which are comprised within the said Municipality, and the boundaries of which are also hereinafter described, should be excluded from the said Municipality.

The Governor in Council is accordingly pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*b*) and (*c*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), to declare his intention to give effect to the said recommendations (*a*) and (*b*).

2. The boundaries of plots A and B which are to be included within the Howrah Municipality are, respectively, as follows :—

BOUNDARIES OF PLOT A.

North—Northern side of the proposed drainage canal from its junction with Belgachia Road westward.

East—Western side of Belgachia Road from its junction with the proposed drainage canal to the south-east corner of Dino Sen's garden as formerly known in 1884 and thence in a direct line across the paddy-fields to a point on the Makardah Road about 1,764 feet east of the toll-house which was in existence in 1884 and thence across that road and in a direct line to the north-east corner of Domrar Jollah and also eastern edge of Domrar Jollah.

South—Southern edge of Domrar Jollah.

West—Western side of the proposed drainage canal.

BOUNDARIES OF PLOT B.

North—Buxara Road from its junction with Buxara Village Road up to culvert over the Buxara Khal and thence along the western and northern bank of that khal and western and northern edge of Puddopukur Jollah to Belliah Khal.

South—North side of Andul Road from its junction with Buxara Village Road to its junction with Belliah Khal.

East—Western bank of Belliah Khal.

West—Western side of Buxara Village Road from its junction with Buxara Road up to Andul Road.

3. The boundaries of plots C and D which are to be excluded from the Howrah Municipality are respectively as follows :—

BOUNDARIES OF PLOT C.

North—Outfall drain on the south of a garden formerly known as Horo Dhole's garden from its junction with Kunnapukur Lane to Girish Ghose Lane.

South—Bustee road newly opened connecting Joya Bibi Lane with Girish Ghose Lane.

East—Joya Bibi Lane.

West—Nil.

BOUNDARIES OF PLOT D.

North—Southern side of Domrar Jollah from the western side of the proposed drainage canal, thence in a direct line and across Kedar Bhattacharjee's Lane to a point on the Sakher Bazar Road, where there was Dino Sankra's house in 1884.

South—Northern side of Sakher Bazar Lane from the point where there was Dino Sankra's house up to its junction with Sakher Bazar Bye-lane and thence in a direct line to a point on the proposed drainage canal about 1,000 feet north of Circular Road.

East—Western side of proposed drainage canal from a point 1,000 feet north of Circular Road to the southern edge of Domrar Jollah.

West—Nil.

4. The boundaries of the Howrah Municipality after the inclusion and exclusion of the said areas will be as follows :—

The boundary of the Howrah Municipality shall be a line as indicated by boundary marks, commencing from the river Hooghly at the eastern extremity of the road (now closed) formerly known as Joya Bibi Lane, but now included within the Central Jute Mill; thence along the line formerly occupied by that road to the existing Joya Bibi Lane; thence along the western and northern side of Joya Bibi Lane up to its junction with the bustee road at the south of the Victoria Cotton Mill; thence along the northern side of that road to its junction with Girish Ghose Lane; thence across Girish Ghose Lane to Chandalpara Lane; thence along the northern side of Chandalpara Lane up to its junction with Grand Trunk Road; thence along the western side of the Grand Trunk Road up to its junction with Kali Majumdar Road; thence along the northern side of Kali Majumdar Road up to its junction with Dharmatolla Lane; thence along the eastern and northern side of Dharmatolla Lane to a point where it meets the East Indian Railway line at the centre of the up passenger main line; thence southwards along the centre line of the up passenger main line up to its junction with the Old Benares Road; thence along the northern side of the Old Benares Road up to its junction with Belgachia Road; thence along the western side of Belgachia Road up to its junction with the proposed new drainage canal as indicated by boundary marks; thence along the western side of the proposed new drainage canal up to a point 1,000 feet north of its junction with Circular Road, as indicated by boundary marks; thence in a direct line demarcated by boundary marks westwards to the junction of Sakherbazar Bye-lane and Sakherbazar Lane: thence along the northern side of Sakherbazar Lane up to its junction with Ambica Kundu Lane; thence along the western side of Ambica Kundu Lane and Braja Nath Lahiri Lane up to its junction with Buxara Road; thence along the northern side of Buxara Road up to its junction with Buxara Village Road; thence along the western side of Buxara Village Road up to its junction with Andul Road; thence along the northern side of Andul Road up to the north-east corner of the Royal Botanic Garden; thence proceeding southwards along the boundary of the Royal Botanic Garden up to the river Hooghly to the edge of the water at the lowest tide; thence eastward and northward along the edge of the water of the river at the lowest tide to the eastern extremity of the road (now closed) formerly known as Joya Bibi Lane but now included within the Central Jute Mill.

5. Any rate-payer of the said Municipality or any inhabitant of the said local areas who objects to the inclusion in or exclusion from the said Municipality of the said local areas should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner to the undersigned before the 24th January 1917.

Howrah.

No. 2647M.—The 2nd December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Calcutta Survey Act, 1887 (Bengal Act I of 1887), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. A. P. Peters, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey for the purpose of a survey of the lands within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, ordered in Notification No. 227T.M., dated the 9th May 1914, published in page 209, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem.

24-Parganas.

No. 2653.M.—The 4th December 1916.—Under rule 7 of the Local Authorities' Loans Rules, 1915, it is hereby notified for general information that the Governor in Council intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Garden Reach Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a loan of Rs. 10,000 from Government bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum and repayable in 30 equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 477-12-5 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said Municipality.

Application from the Commissioners of the Garden Reach Municipality for a loan of Rs. 10,000.

The work or works for which the loan is required and the estimate of the cost thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	RECEIPT OF LOAN. (a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) The rate of interest at which it is proposed to borrow.	(c) The number of instalments in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The date proposed for receiving each such instalment	REPAYMENT OF LOAN. (f) The number of instalments in which the loan is repayable and the dates of payment thereof.	(g) The amount of each instalment.	FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE LOCAL BODY. REVENUE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS). Sources from which the revenue is derived.	Amount for— 1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	EXPENDITURE (DETAILS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS). Objects on which the expenditure is incurred.	Amount for— 1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	The normal surplus which may be expected in future.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Drainage scheme for the central portion and construction of Outfall No. 1, eastern portion. Estimate Rs 91,800.	Rs. 10,000.	Municipal Fund.	Act III (B C.) of 1884.	Fifteen years.	At 5 per cent. per annum.	In one instalment.	Rs. 10,000.	1st February 1917.	Thirty half-yearly instalments payable on the 1st August and 1st February of each year, commencing from the 1st August 1917 till the loan is paid off.	Rs. 477-13-4.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. 573.	
											(a) Municipal rates and taxes ...	97,967	94,496	1,00,814	(1) General administration and collection charges.	4,885	5,716	6,790		
											(b) Realisations under special Acts	3,880	3,758	3,408	(2) Public safety	9,068	9,594	10,055		
											(c) Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.	686	682	1,593	(3) Public health and convenience (excluding expenditure from loan funds and from grants other than ordinary).	65,071	96,898	89,957		
											(d) Grants and contributions for general and special purposes (ordinary).	...	2,648	990	(4) Public instruction	1,655	1,957	1,971		
															(5) Miscellaneous	1,397	4,791	2,196		
											(e) Miscellaneous	6	62	1,155	(6) Repayment of loan	.....	.....	.....		
											Total Ordinary income ...	1,02,509	1,01,642	1,07,960	Total Ordinary expenditure ...	82,074	1,17,953	1,10,969		
											(f) Extraordinary and debt ...	360	2,051	25,475	(7) Extraordinary and debt excluding repayment of loans.	26,934	396	453		
											(g) Receipts of abnormal character	.....	.....	.....	(8) Expenditure from loan funds and from grants included under the head "Receipts of abnormal character."	.....	.....	.....		
											Total ...	1,02,869	1,03,694	1,33,435						
															Total ...	1,09,008	1,18,348	1,11,422		
											Opening balance ...	60,057	58,918	43,264						
															Closing balance ...	59,918	43,264	67,277		
											GRAND TOTAL ...	1,62,926	1,62,612	1,78,699	GRAND TOTAL ...	1,62,926	1,62,612	1,78,699		

Noakhali.

No. 2659 L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th January 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate of Noakhali before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act. III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of mauzas in thana Begamganj, in the district of Noakhali, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their jurisdiction list numbers.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Noakhali ...	Chaumuhani.	9, of whom 6 to be elected and 3 appointed.	Hajipur ...	328	*North.*	
			Lakhinarayanpur ...	325	Chandpur ...	167
			Begumganj ...	237	Mirwarishpur ...	170
			Darbeshpur ...	236	Narattampur ...	241
			Karimpur ...	238	Durgapur ...	323
			Ganipur ...	239	Karimpur Araxi ...	240
			Nazirpur ...	171	*East.*	
			Amanatpur ...	172	Kutubpur ...	324
			Kendirbag ...	169	Rasulpur ...	326
					Latifpur ...	327
					Ghatla ...	341
					South.	
					Khanpur ...	335
					Saripur ...	329
					Eklashpur Kazinagar	235
					Mujahidpur ...	175
					Islampur ...	174
					West.	
					Mahabbatpur Jora ...	173
					Kalikapur ...	160
					Tita Hazra ...	161

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Chaumuhani Union is not ripe for a solely elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of nine members of whom three are to be appointed by the Commissioner of the Chittagong Division and six to be elected by the residents of the Union.

Nadia.

No. 2669 L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor

in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Nadia, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Nadia ...	Ranaghat	Anulia ...	9	Nadigaat ... 126 Hat, Sambhuganj (Baganpara). 127 Gurpara, Bagnadighat. 138 Jamsharpur or Ghoragacha. 144 Birdkal ... 145 Anulia ... 146 Gopalpur ... 147 Kismat Anulia or Satigachi (and Srinathpur). 153 Kismat Anulia Chak. 154	*North.* River Churni. *East.* Ranaghat ... ... 155 Naushra ... ... 156 Mandal Pukhuria ... 152 Patuli ... ... 151 Kusheria ... ... 150 Belgaria ... ... 149 *South.* Parbatipur or Payradanga ... 148 Gilapal ... ... 143 Nakadi ... ... 139 *West.* Haradham 2nd ... ... 128 Ditto 1st with Patiganashpur. 137

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Anulia Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Nadia.

No. 2661 L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of mauzas, in the district of Nadia, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list (thana Krishnagar.)	Boundaries of the Union.
Nadia ...	Chapra ...	9	Dipchandrapur ... 32 Bangalghi ... 33 Bora Balidanga ... 37 Malamgacha ... 38 Chapra and Hatchpara ... 39 Majida ... 40	*North.* Arangaharia ... (41) *East* Badelangi ... ... (42) Kalyandaha ... ... (43) Lakshmipur ... ... (63) *South.* Chandpur ... ... (36) Kalinga ... ... (34) Mahatpur ... ... (100) River Jellinghee. *West.* River Jellinghee. Pitambarpur ... ... (31) A portion of Arangaharia (41)

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Chapra Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2671 L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 10th January 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft order.

Rangpur.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Nageswari, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
					North.	
Rangpur ...	Bhitarband	9	Nundanpur ...	85	Poradanga ...	82
			Chandipur ...	86	Arazi Kumarpur ...	83
			Sripur	87	Kumarpur ...	84
			Bhangamora ...	88	*East.*	
			Hazipur	89	Solmara ...	103
			Debipur	90	Manairpukur ...	102
			Bhabanipur ...	91	Pattala ...	99
			Digdari-Bhabanipur ...	92	*South.*	
			Digdari-Nunkhawa ...	93	Kapna ...	94
					Thana Kurigram (portion).	
					West.	
					Thana Kurigram (portion).	
					Hasnabad Khamar	81

In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, as the said Union is not ripe for an elective system of membership, the Committee of that Union shall consist of members appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Nadia.

No. 2664 L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Chapra Union, in the district of Nadia, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Nadia.

No. 2663 L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of mauzas, in the district of Nadia, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list (thana Kushtia).	Boundaries of the Union.
Nadia ...	Gosain Durgapur.	9	Magura (70), Chak Durgapur (71), Magura (72), Durgapur (73), Gangdi (74), Karimpur (75), Natna (76), Naranari Diar (77), Byaspur (78), Asannagar (86), Sankardi (87), Arpara (88), Bamangram (89), Chhadimpara (90), Digla and Chandpur (91), Chak Chhadimpara (93).	*North.* Patkabari ... ... 69 Majula ... ... 67 Part of Haruria ... 92 *East.* Part of Haruria ... 92 Jhandia ... ... 95 Hatibhanga ... ... 94 Kandarpadiar ... 85 *South.* Chhaghori ... ... 81 Narasinghapur ... 79 *West.* River Kumar.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Gosain Durgapur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Nadia.

No. 2662 L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of mauzas, in the district of Nadia, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list (thana Chuadanga).	Boundaries of the Union.
Nadia ...	Damurhuda	9	Dasami ... ... 62 Damurhuda ... .. 63 Puropara ... ... 64 Koshaghata ... ... 65 Ujirpur 66	*North.* River Howlia Bhugrula (5) in thana Chuadanga. *East.* Sumurdia Nurpur (8) in thana Chuadanga Goidghat (67). *South.* Joyrampur (68), Jeliamahal (61). *West.* River Howlia.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Damurhuda Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2665L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M. dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Dumarhuda Union, in the district of Nadia, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Nadia.

No. 2666L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Chapra Union, in the district of Nadia, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Nadia

No. 2667L.S.-G.—The 4th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Dumarhuda Union, in the district of Nadia, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Nadia.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define a modified general line of buildings in Gora Chand Road in Ward No. 20 in supersession of the alignment published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st September 1909, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 24th August 1916.

S. W. GOODE,

Acting Chairman of the Corporation.

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE:

The 4th December 1916.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR, *the 9th March 1916.*

JOINT TECHNICAL EXAMINATION BOARD.

BY order of the Joint Technical Examination Board, it is announced that the annual Overseer and Sub-Overseer Examinations for students in the Overseer and Sub-Overseer classes of the major and minor institutions affiliated to the above Board will be held in March 1917, at three centres, viz :—

Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Ashanulla School of Engineering, Dacca, and Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipore.

The names of candidates who have passed the school monthly or other test examinations and are otherwise qualified should be sent by the Head of the Institution on the prescribed registration forms so as to reach the office of the Secretary of the Board at Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, on or before the 1st February 1917.

Each form should be accompanied by an examination fee of Rs 10 for each Overseer candidate and Rs. 20 for each Sub-Overseer candidate.

An outline time-table is appended. The detailed time-table will be issued later to the institutions concerned.

Overseer Workshop	..	...	March, 5th to 7th.
Ditto Theory	...	...	,, 9th to 16th.
Sub-Overseer Workshop	...	...	,, 5th and 6th.
Ditto Theory	...	...	,, 9th to 15th.

W. H. EVERETT,
Secretary, Joint Technical Examination Board.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA,
The 4th December 1916.

NOTIFICATION.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF PLEADERS IN SURVEYING.

(*See* Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909.)

(*Modified in Government Notification No. 320J.D., dated 16th July 1914.*)

1. The next examination will be held in February 1917 and will be conducted at the following centres (provided that not less than five names be registered at each centre):—Sibpur and Dacca, in Bengal, and Bankipur and Cuttack, in Bihar and Orissa

2. Each examination is complete in itself. A candidate will be required to pass by every test and will not be exempted from any test on the ground that he has previously satisfied the examiner in it.

3. Candidates practising in the Courts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions will be required to present themselves at Sibpur, in Orissa at Cuttack, in Patna, Tirhoot, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions at Bankipur, and in Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions at Dacca.

4. In the event of more than 20 or less than 5 names being registered for examination at any one centre, the Secretary may direct the candidates to present themselves at any other centre.

5. No candidate will be admitted to the examination unless he has been enrolled as a Pleader and

(*i*) has obtained credit for attendance at the special course of instruction at Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, in 1913, 1914, 1915 and 1916, and has not previously appeared at the examination more than twice, or

(*ii*) has been registered for admission to the Intermediate Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University, or

(*iii*) has passed the Sub-Overseer Examination, or

(*iv*) has obtained the Surveyor's certificate of one of the Government Survey Schools, or

(*v*) has been specially exempted from the operation of this rule by the Board controlling the examination.

6. Candidates wishing to appear at the examination will apply upon the prescribed registration form, obtain the necessary countersignature of the District Judge in whose Court he is enrolled, and forward the same so as to reach the Secretary of the Examination Board at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than the 11th January 1917. The form may be had from the Principal, Civil Engineering College.

7. Each application must be accompanied by a receipt from the local treasury certifying to the receipt of the examination fee of Rs. 50, *which fee will in no case be returned.*

8. The exact date of the examination and the proposed programme will be published in the Calcutta, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam Gazettes.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,
and Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 2nd November 1916.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 29th November 1916.

No. 5K.—The following consolidated list of alternative text-books authorised for use in aided High Schools for boys and girls and Middle English and Vernacular Schools for boys in the Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions, is published for general information. *This cancels all authorised lists of alternative text-books published before* :—

(a) High Schools for Boys and Girls and Middle English Schools for Boys.

VERNACULAR READING (BENGALI).

Class I—

Bengali Primer, Part I, by Jaladhar Sen. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 2-6.
Bengali Primer, Part II, by Jaladhar Sen. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 3.
Saral Niti, by Prasanna Kumar Guha. Published by Pran Kumar Guha. As. 2.
Shishu Sakha, by A. L. Sarkar. Published by Hariram Dhar. As. 2.
Barna Path, Part I, by Kali Prasanna Ghosh. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. A. 1-6.
Amiya Path, by Abinash Ch. Roy. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 2.
Saral Sahitya. Published by Amritananda Kabyabenode. As. 2-6.
Barna Path, by Abinash Chandra Gupta, M.A. Published by N. Sen, M. Sc. A. 1-6.
Hamaguḍi, by Surendra Nath Das Gupta, B.A. Published by the author. A. 1-6.
Sahitya Path (revised edition), by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 2-6.
Komal Katha, by Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 2.
Amiya Katha, by Hara Nath Ghosh. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh. As. 2-6.
Komal Path, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 2.
Shishubodh, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.
Shishu Path, by Ashutosh Dhar. Published by the author. A. 1.
Sahitya Path, Part I, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. A. 1.
Shishu Sakha, by Pran Kumar Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.
Bangla Path, Part I, by a lady. Published by B. C. Basak, Dacca. As. 2.
Shishutosh, by Manomohan Sen. Published by Devendra Nath Bhattacharyya A. 1.
Nutan Shishupath (revised edition), by Rai Sahib Isan Chandra Ghosh. Published by G. C. Neogi. A. 1.
Adarsha Balya Shiksha, by Rash Behari Mukhoti. Published by Jitendra Nath Mukhoti. A. 1.
Saral Shishu Sahitya. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. A. 1-9.
Barna Manjari, by Sitanath Vidyabenode. Published by Gopimohon Datta. A. 1-6.
Khokar Sathi, by Kailash Chandra Acharyya. Published by Acharyya & Co. A. 1.
Balya Sakha, Parts I and II, by Sahabuddin Ahmed, B.A. Published by the author. A. 1-3.
Barna Shiksha, Parts I and II, by Rev. J. F. Hewitt. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. A. 1 each part. (For teachers only.)

Class II—

Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book I, by Basu & Majid. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 5.

Hitakatha, by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by Ashutosh Library, Dacca. As. 2-6.

Naba Sahitya Path, Part I, by Tasadduk Ahmed. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 2-6.

Saral Path, by Rajendra Chandra Kushari. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 2.

Shishu Sahitya, by Abinash Chandra Gupta, M.A. Published by Amritananda Kabyabenode. As. 2.

Balya Binode. Published by Hariram Dhar, B.A. As. 2.

Shishuranjan, Part I (Revised edition), by Padma Lochan Ghosh. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy, Dacca. As. 3.

Benode Katha (Improved edition), by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by the author. As. 2.

Priya Path (Revised edition), by Paresnath Mahalanavis. Published by the author. As 2-3.

Shishur Sathi, by Indira Devi. Published by Atul Chandra Chakravarti. As. 3.

Balak Path, Part II, by Rajendra Kumar Guha. Published by Radhaballav Basak. As. 2-9.

Shishu Sakha, by Pyari Mohan De. Published by the author. As. 2-3.

Class III—

Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book II, by Basu and Majid. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 6.

Sahitya Sar, by Pran Kumar Guha. Published by Jitendra Nath Ghosh. As. 4.

Sahitya Shiksha, by Majammal Haque. As. 3.

Parimal Path, Part II, by Amar Chandra Datta. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 3.

Priya Path, by Sarajubala Datta. Published by Hemendra Nath Datta, Dacca. As. 5.

Adarsha Nimnapath, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 6.

Saral Nimnapath, by Rai Sahib Dinesh Chandra Sen and Nabin Chandra Basu. Published by Atul Library. As. 6.

Pathmala, by Abinash Chandra Gupta, M.A. Published by Jatindra Mohon Vyakarantirtha. As. 3-6.

Sukha Sahitya, by Anukul Chandra Shastri. Published by Amritananda Kabyabenode. As. 4-6.

Suniti Path (revised edition), by Suresh Chandra Ghosh, B.A. Published by the author. As. 5.

Balya Sakha, by Atul Chandra Sen, M.A. Published Rajendra Narayan De, School Library, Dacca. As. 4-6.

Naba Path, by Rajendra Chandra Kushari. Published by Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, B.A. As. 4.

Mukul (revised edition), by Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. Published by Kumud Chandra Bhattacharyya. As. 4

Shiksha Mukul, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh. As. 3.

Niti Katha, by Rajani Chandra Datta Kabyaranjan. Published by Sarat Chandra Datta. As. 5.

Saishab Shiksha, Part I, by Amritananda Kabyabenode. Published by Prabhat Chandra Basu. As 5.

Bodh Bikash, by B. N. Sinha Choudhuri. Published by the author. As. 6.

Shishupathya Komal Katha, by Kali Bhusan Mukherjee. Published by Nripendra Chandra Roy. As. 5.

Sahitya Sudha, by Jogendra Nath Gupta. Published by S. N. Das Gupta. As. 5.

Sukatha, by Atri Kumar Nag and Kunja Behari Ganguli. Published by the authors. As. 5-6.

Niti Mukul, by Haridhan Kabyavyakarantirtha and Kalinath Kar. Published by Jogesh Chandra Bose. As. 4.

Jnanodaya, by Atul Chandra Chakravarti. Published by the author. As. 6.

Class IV—

Sahitya Pustak, Part I (revised edition), by Mahamahopadhyaya Prasanna Chandra Vidyaratna. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 6.

Niti Kusum, by Bipin Behari Ganguli. Published by Ashutosh Library, Dacca. As. 3.

Naba Shiksha, by Sreenath Chanda. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 4.

Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book II, by Basu and Majid. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 6.

Sukha Path, by Jogesh Chandra Chakravarti. Published by Atul Library. As. 4.

Sahitya Sopan, Part I, by Jahirul Haque, B.A. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 4.

Nutan Prathamic Path, Part I, by Atul Chandra Mukherjee. Published by B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca. As. 6.

Naba Sandarva, by Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. Published by the author. As. 5

Benode Path, by Lakshmi Charan Das Gupta, B.A. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 6.

Chhatra Sukha. Part II (revised and improved). Published by Kamakhya Charan Kabyaratna. As. 6.

Chhatra Path, by Jogendro Narayan De, B.A Published by Jogesh Chandra Basu. As. 5.

Saral Sandarva, by Kali Bhushan Mukherjee. Published by Birendra Nath Sinha-Choudhuri. As. 5.

Sahitya Prasun, by Prasanna Kumar Guha. Published by Pran Kumar Guha. As. 6.

Shiksha Manjari (revised), by Hara Nath Ghosh. Published by Jitendra Nath Ghosh. As. 5.

Prabandha Path, Part I, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 5.

Mani Mala, by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by Madhab Chandra Basak. As. 6.

Upadesh Ratnabali, by Mahamahopadhyaya Madhab Chandra Tarkachudamani. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh. As. 6.

Sandarva Mala, by Manomohan Ray. Published by Pran Kumar Guha. As. 5.

Sahitya Shiksha, Part I, by Jogendra Nath Gupta. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 5.

Kavita Sopan, by Sreemati Hiranbala Gupta. Published by A. C. Chakravarti and Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 6.

Sushiksha, by Banka Behari Kar. Published by the author. As. 6.

Charu Prasanga (revised edition), by Pareshnath Mahalanabis. Published by the author. As. 4.

Sahitya Prasanga, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by Bengal Library. As. 6.

Saral Path, by Charu Chandra Kaviratna. Published by J. N. Das. As. 4.

Niti Koumudi, by Jogesh Chandra Chakravarti. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 5.

Nithi Path, by Rajani Kanta Gupta. Published by Mohini Kanta Gupta. As. 6.

Shiksha Manjari, Part I, by Purnananda Gupta. Published by Prabhat Chandra Basu. As. 5.

Kalyan Mala by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by Jagadish Chandra Ghosh. As. 6.

Suniti Shiksha, by Purna Chandra Guha Thakurta. Published by Narendra Nath Bhadra. As. 6.

Prabandha Ratnamala, by Raj Kumar Chakravarti. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 4.

Ratna Malya, by Prabodh Chandra Ghosh. Published by Pran Kumar Guha. As. 6.

Sahitya Path, by Suresh Chandra Ghosh. Published by the author. As. 6.

Sushiksha Sopan, by Rajani Kanta Banerji. Published by Jagadish Chandra Ghosh. As. 4.

Sahitya Path, Part I, by Surendra Sasi Gupta. Published by P. C. Bose. As. 5.

Balak Path, by Naziruddin Ahmed, M.A., and Jamiluddin Ahmed, B.A. Published by Hariram Dhar, B.A. As. 6.

Sahitya Darpan, by Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 5.

Class V—

Sahitya Pustak, Part I (revised edition), by Mahamahopadhyaya Prasanna Chandra Vidyaratna. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 6.

Sahitya Kusum, by Sadatali Khan, B.A. Published by Ashutosh Library, Dacca. As. 5.

Ratna Mala, by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by Hariram Dhar. As. 6.

Adarsha Path, by Ramoni Mohan Das, M.A. Published by the author. As. 5.

Sahitya Shiksha, Part I, by Dwarka Nath Das. Published by Ashutosh Dhar, Dacca. As. 3.

Sandarva Sar, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by Ambika Ch. Ghosh. As. 6.

Naba Sandarva, by Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. Published by the author. As. 5.

Benoda Path, by Lakshmi Charan Das-Gupta, B.A. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 6.

Chhatra Sakha, Part II (revised and improved). Published by Kamakhya Charan Kabyratna. As. 6.

Chhatra Path, by Jogendra Narayan De, B.A. Published by Jogesh Chandra Basu. As. 5.

Sahitya Kaumudi, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As 7.

Saral Sahitya (revised edition), by Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. Published by Sheikh Abdul Gani. As. 8.

Niti Sangraha, Part I, by Sheikh Shah Abdulla. Published by the author. As. 6.

Saral Sandarva, by Kali Bhusan Mukherjee. Published by Birendra Nath Sinha Chaudhuri. As. 5.

Sahitya Prasun, by Prasanna Kumar Guha. Published by Pran Kumar Guha. As. 6.

Shiksha Manjuri (revised), by Haranath Ghosh. Published by Jitendra Nath Ghosh. As. 5.

Prabandha Path, Part I, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 5.

Mani Mala, by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by Madhab Chandra Basak. As. 6.

Upadesh Ratnabali, by Mahamahopadhyaya Madhab Chandra Tarkachudamani. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh. As. 6.

Sandarva Mala, by Manomohan Roy. Published by Pran Kumar Guha. As. 5.

Jnan Bikash, by Muhammad Timur. Published by the author. As. 8.

Sahitya Sar, by Sarajubala Datta. Published by Devendra Nath Datta. As. 6.

Adarsha Sahitya, by Sheikh Abdul Jabbar. Published by the author. As. 5.

Sahitya Shiksha, Part I, by Jogendra Nath Gupta. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 5.

Niti Malya, by Rash Behari Basu, M.A. Published by Barada Kanta Majumdar. As. 6.

Suniti Sopan, by Ganga Gati Das. Published by Sarat Chandra Datta. As. 6.

Karuna Sopan, by Sreemati Hiranbala Gupta. Published by A. C. Chakravarti and Nagendra K. Roy. As. 6.

Sushiksha, by Banka Behari Kar. Published by the author. As. 6.

Charu Prasanga (revised edition), by Pareshnath Mahalanabis. Published by the author As. 4.

Sahitya Prasanga by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by Bengal Library. As. 6.

Saral Path, by Charu Chandra Kaviratna. Published by J. N. Das. As. 4.

Niti Koumudi, by Jogesh Chandra Chakravarty. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 5.

Niti Path, by Rajani Kanta Gupta. Published by Mohini Kanta Gupta. As. 6.

Shiksha Manjari, Part I, by Purnananda Gupta. Published by Prabhat Chandra Basu. As. 5.

Sahitya Kusumanjali, by Kumar Suresh Chandra Sinha and Sarat Chandra Dhar. Published by Birendra Nath Sinha Chaudhuri. As. 8.

Kalyan Mala, by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by Jagadish Chandra Ghosh. As. 6.

Suniti Shiksha, by Purna Chandra Guha Thakurta. Published by Narendra Nath Bhadra. As. 6.

Ratna Malya, by Prabodh Chandra Ghosh. Published by Pran Kumar Guha. As. 6.

Sahitya Path, by Suresh Chandra Ghosh. Published by the author. As. 6.

Sushiksha Sopan, by Rajani Kanta Banerji. Published by the Jagadish Chandra Ghosh. As. 4.

Jnananjana, Part I. by Ramani Ranjan Vidyabenode. Published by Dr. P. M. Sarkar As. 6.

Sushiksha (second series), by Abinash Chandra Basu. Published by S. K. Banerjee & Sons. As. 6.

Prabandha Kusum, by Kamini Kumar Sen, M.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6.

Sahitya Darpan, by Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 5.

Trisandhi, by Ajit Kumar Chakravarti, B.A. Published by S. K. Lahiri & Co. As. 6.

Class VI—

Sahitya Pustak, Part II (revised edition), by Mahamahopadhyaya Prasanna Chandra Vidyaratna. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 8.

Charu Prabandha, by Lalmohan Vidyanidhi. Published by Atul Library. As. 8.

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Urdu-Primer, by Maulvi Abid Ali Khan. Published by Muslim Store, Malda. A. 1. (Approved as an alternative text-book for the infant classes of schools where Urdu is taught).
Talime Urdu, by Hazi Abdur Rahim and Sitanath Basak. Published by Albert Library, Dacca. A. 1. (Approved for use by Muhammadan pupils in all grades of schools where Urdu is taught.)

(*ii*) Urdu-ka-Quaida, by Lala Rangbehari Lal. Published by Uttarchand Kafur & Sons, Lahore. P. 9

(*iii*) Urdu Copy-slips, I—IV, by Hafiz Jalaluddin Ahmed. Published by the author.
New series of Urdu Hand-writing Copy-books, First stage, I—IV. Published by Rai Sahib Gulab Singh & Sons.

Class VI—

(*i*) Urdu-ki-Dusri Kitab. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore.
Chamanistan-E-Urdu, by Hafiz Jalaluddin Ahmed. Published by the author. As. 8.
Urdu-ki-Chouthi Kitab. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore. As. 8.
Urdu Reader, I—VIII, by Rai Sahib Gulab Singh & Sons. Published by Education Department, Punjab.
Nakhlistan-i-Urdu, by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. As. 6. (Also for Madrasahs.)
Muallemul Akhlaq, by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. As. 4. (Also for Madrasash).
Urdu-ki-Dusri-Kitab, by M. Muhammad Ismail. As. 2.
Urdu-ki-Tisri-Kitab, by Ditto. As. 2-9.

(*ii*) Writing Copy-slips, I—IV, by Ramjidas Bhargo. Published by Allahabad Book Depôt.
Movable Copy-slips, I—V, by Ramjidas Bhargo. Published by Allahabad Book Depôt. A. 1 per complete set.

URDU (GRAMMAR).

Classes V and VI—

An Urdu Grammar for Beginners. Published by M. Hossain. Published by Albert Library, Dacca. As. 5.

HISTORY.

Classes IV and V—

(*i*) Bengali Model Lessons in the History of India (Bharatbarsher Itihas Bishayak Adarsha Pathmala). Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 12. (For teachers only.)

(*ii*) History of North-Eastern India, by S. N. Bhadra, M.A. Published by Benode Behari Ghose. As. 4. (For teachers only.)

Aitihasik Path, Part I, by Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. Published by Students' Library, Dacca As. 4 (For teachers only.)

Bengali History of North-Eastern India, by Nagendra Nath Majumdar, M.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 5. (For teachers only.)

Bangadesher Itihas, by B. Dhar. Published by Ashutosh Dhar, Dacca. As. 3. (For teachers only.)

Prathamshiksha Bharatbarsher Itihas, by Khagendra Nath Mitra, M.A. Published by the City Book Society, Calcutta. As. 8. (For teachers only.)

Prathamshiksha Bharat Itihas, by Brindaban Dhar, B.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6. (For teachers only.)

British Samrayyer Itihas, by Nishi Kanta Biswas. Published by Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons. As. 6. (For teachers only.)

Prathamic Itihas, by Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya, B,A., B.T. Published by Nagendra K. Roy As. 10. (For teachers only.)

Class VI—

Model Lessons in the History of India for higher classes. Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1-4. (For teachers only.)

Classes VII and VIII—

Model Lessons in the History of India for higher classes. Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1-4. (For teachers only.)

Classes VII and VIII—

(*i*) History of India for Junior classes, by E. Marsden. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 12. (For pupils.)

A Narrative of Indian History, by J. C. Allen. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 2*s*. (For pupils.)

A History of India for Junior students. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. Re. 1-4. (For pupils.)

(*ii*) Bharatbarsher Itihas, by Marsden & Vidyasagar. Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1. (For pupils, for those who would learn History through vernacular.)

Aitihasik Path, Part II, by Kazi Imdadul Haque. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 10. (For pupils, for those who would learn History through vernacular.)

Bharat Itibritter Mahapurushgan, by J. C. Allen, translated into Bengali by Sreemati Hemalata Debi. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 7. (For pupils, for those who would learn history through vernacular.)

Loke Itihas (revised edition), by Jogindra Ch. Chatterjee. Published by Albert Library. Re. 1-8. (For pupils, for those who would learn history through vernacular.)

GEOGRAPHY (BENGALI).

Classes II to IV—

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part I, by Kazi Imdadul Haque. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. Re. 1-2. (For teachers only.)

Classes V and VI—

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part II, by Kazi Imdadul Haque. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. Re. 1-2. (For teachers only.)

Bhugol Bijnan, by Ganga Charan Das Gupta, B.A. Published by Albert Library, Dacca. As. 8. (For teachers only.)

Sachitra Adarsha Bhugol, by Kedarnath Majumdar. Published by Hariram Dhar, B.A. As. 6-6. (For teachers only.)

Bhugol Path, Part I, by S. B. Chatterjee. Published by B. L. Chakravarty. As. 4. (For teachers only.)

Classes III and IV—

Pratham Shiksha Bhugol, by Dwijapada Banerjee and Ramesh Ch. Chakravarti. Published by Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co. As. 7-6. (For teachers only.)

Classes IV to VI—

Adarsha Bhuparichay, by Jnan Ranjan Mitra. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 5. (For teachers only.)

FOR MAP DRAWING.

Map Drawing, by Syam Chandra Datta. Published by Ashutosh Library, Dacca. As. 5.

GEOGRAPHY (ENGLISH).

Classes VII and VIII—

Longmans' Geographical series for India, Book I. The world in outline with fuller treatment of India. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 10.

An Introduction to Practical Geography, by Simmons and Richardson. Published by Macmillan & Co.

Geography for Junior Classes, by E. Marsden. Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1-4.

Reason why Geography—The World, by T. W. F. Parkinson. Published by Indian School Supply Depôt for Collins, Sons & Co. Re. 1-4. (For teachers in the Upper Classes of High Schools.)

ATLAS.

Classes VII and VIII—

Phillip's Indian Model Atlas. Published by Longmans, Green & Co As. 9.

The Edinburgh School Atlas, by W. A. K. Johnston.

Atlas for Indian Schools, by W. A. K. Johnston.

The Physical and Political School Atlas, by J. G. Bartholomew. Published by Oxford University Press, Bombay. 1s.

The Indian School Atlas, by J. G. Bartholomew. Published by Oxford University Press, Bombay. As. 12.

Atlas of Practical Geography, by T. W. F. Parkinson. Published by Indian School Supply Depôt for Collins Clear Type Press. As. 8. (Alternative text-book for those who take up Geography for Matriculation examination. Also a teacher's book.)

A School Economic Atlas, by J. G. Bartholomew. Published by Oxford University Press, Bombay. 2*s.* 6*d.* (For the use of teachers in the Upper Classes of High Schools and as a text-book for Matriculation Classes in Geography.)

ENGLISH READING BOOKS.

Class III—

(*i*) King Primer. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 3.

A New English Primer, by K. B. Basu and G. D. Banerjee. Published by the authors. As. 3.

A First English Reader, Llewelyn Tipping, B.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 2.

Third Standard English Reader, by Llewelyn Tipping, B.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 2.

Longmans' English Course for Indian Schools, Teachers' book (1st year), by J. C. Allen. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 6. (For teachers only.)

The Star of India Readers, Book 1, edited by Harry Banbury. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 4.

Longmans' New English Course for Indian Schools, Primer. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 3.

Rama and Sita, Grade 1. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. A. 1-6.

(*ii*) First Step in English Composition, by McMordie. Published by Canning Library, Calcutta. As. 10.

First Steps in teaching English by the Direct Method, by J. N. Fraser. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 2. (For teachers only.)

Class IV—

(*i*) Bengal Readers, Reader I. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 3.

King Reader, Part I. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 4.

First Steps in English, an English Primer, by J. N. Fraser Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 2.

Nelson's Indian Readers, Primer. Published by T. Nelson & Sons. As. 4.

Easy English Lessons, by P. K. Sen. Published by Popular Library Dacca. As. 5.

Fourth Standard English Reader, by Llewelyn Tipping, B.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As 3.

Longmans' English Course for Indian Schools. Second year Teachers' Book, by J. C. Allen. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 6. (For teachers only.)

The Star of India Readers, Book II. Edited by Harry Banbury. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 6.

Longmans' New English Course for Indian Schools, First Reader. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 4.

Macmillan's New English Readers, Reader I. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 4.

The Boyhood of Krishna, Grade II Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 2.

The Child's First Course, by A. C. Gupta, M.A. Published by B. M. De, Santi Press. As. 4.

Simple Lessons, by P. N. Mahalanabis. Published by the author. As. 4.

(*ii*) Beginner's English Grammar and Composition, by Pabitra Kumar Guha, B.A. Published by Narendra Nath Bhadra, Dacca. As. 5.

Elementary English Grammar, by S. M. Datta. Published by B. C. Basak, Dacca. As. 4.

The New Scheme Pictorial Grammar, by Som & Khan. Published by Cotton Library, Dacca. As. 4.

The Second Term in teaching English by the Direct Method, by J. N. Fraser. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 2. For teachers only.

A Handbook of English Grammar and Composition, by S. K. Sen. Published by Sen & Brothers. Nawabpur, Dacca As. 6.

The Child's Grammar in Bengali (revised and improved), by Kishori Mohan Basu Published by Gopimohan Datta, Dacca. As. 4.

Boys' Grammar, by A. C. Gupta, M.A. Published by N. Sen, M.Sc. As. 4.

Middle Class English Composition, by Brindaban Dhar, B.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6.

Child's Easy Grammar, by K. C. Sen, M.A. Published by the author. As. 4.

New English Grammar, by D. K. Brahmachari. Published by Charu Ch. Sen. As. 4.

Picture Composition (Pupil's book), by J. N. Fraser. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As. 8.

Picture Composition (Teacher's book), by J. N. Fraser. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As. 12. (Suitable for the use of teachers).

Class V—

(*i*) Bengal Readers, Reader II. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 4-6.

King Reader, Part II. Published by Macmillan & Co As. 6.

Nelson's Indian Readers, Book I. Published by Nelson & Sons. As. 8.

Fifth Standard English Reader, by Llewelyn Tipping, B.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 4-6.

Fairy Tales from Grimm (Intermediate Series). Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 6*d*.

Longmans' English Course for Indian Schools, Teachers' Book for the third year, by J. C. Allen Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 8. (For teachers only.)

The Star of India Readers, Book III, edited by Harry Banbury. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 8.

Longmans' New English Course for Indian Schools, Second Reader. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 6.

Macmillan's New English Readers, Reader II. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 6.

South Indian Tales, Grade III. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 3.

Simple English Readings, by Brindaban Dhar. B.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 4.

Class V—

(*ii*) Beginner's English Grammar and Composition, by Pabitra Kumar Guha, B.A. Published by Narendra Nath Bhadra, Dacca. As. 5.

The First Book of Grammar and Composition, by T. C. Paul. Published by Rajendra Narayan De, Dacca. As. 6.

Elementary English Grammar, by S. M. Datta. Published by B. C. Basak, Dacca. As. 4.

Child's First Grammar, by S. K. Chakravarty. Published by Raimohan De, Comilla. As. 4.

The New Scheme Pictorial Grammar, by Som and Khan. Published by Cotton Library, Dacca. As. 4.

Helps to Students, by Ananda M. Datta. Published by the City Book Society, Calcutta. As. 8.

The Third Term in teaching English by the Direct Method, by J. N. Fraser. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 3. (For teachers only.)

A Handbook of English Grammar and Composition, by S. K. Sen. Published by Sen & Brothers, Nawabpur, Dacca As. 6

The Child's Grammar in Bengali (revised and improved), by Kishori Mohan Basu. Published by Gopimohan Datta, Dacca. As. 4.

Boys' Grammar, by A. C Gupta, M.A. Published by N. Sen, M.Sc. As. 4.

Middle Class English Composition, by Brindaban Dhar, B.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6.

Child's Easy Grammar, by K. C. Sen, M.A. Published by the author. As. 4.

New English Grammar, by D. K. Brahmachari. Published by Charu Ch. Sen. As. 4.

Picture Composition (Pupil's book), by J. N. Fraser. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As 8.

Picture Composition. (Teacher's book), by J. N. Fraser. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As. 12. (Suitable for the use of teachers.)

Class VI—

(*i*) Bengal Readers, Reader III. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 8.

King Reader, Part III. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 8.

Nelson's Indian Readers, Book II. Published by Nelson & Sons. As. 12.

Newton Reader, Book II. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd.

The Reformed Series of English Books for Indian Schools, Reader II, by J. A. Yates and P. T. Srinivasa Aiyangar. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 10.

Sixth Standard English Reader, by Llewelyn Tipping, B.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 7.

Old Tales of Homeland. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 6*d*.

Tales from the Faerie Queene (Junior Series). Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 4*d*.

Fairy Tales from Grimm (Intermediate Series). Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 6*d*.

The Star of India Readers, Book IV. Edited by Harry Bambury. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 10.

Longmans' New English Course for Indian Schools, Third Reader. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 8.

Macmillan's New English Readers, Reader III. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 8.

The Story of Rama, Grade IV. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 4.

(*ii*) An Indroductory English Grammar, by Rowe & Webb. Published by S. K. Lahiri & Co. As. 10.

Beginner's English Grammar and Composition, by Pabitra Kumar Guha, B.A. Published by Narendra Nath Bhadra, Dacca. As 5.

The First Book of Grammar and Composition, by T. C. Paul. Published by Rajendra Narayan De, Dacca. As. 6.

Child's First Grammar, by S. K. Chakravarty. Published by Raimohan De Comilla. As. 4.

The New Scheme Pictorial Grammar, by Som and Khan. Published by Cotton Library, Dacca. As. 4.

Helps to Students, by Ananda M. Datta. Published by the City Book Society, Calcutta. As. 8.

A Handbook of English Grammar and Composition, by S. K. Sen. Published by Sen & Brothers, Nawabpur, Dacca. As. 6.

The Child's Grammar in Bengali (revised and improved), by Kishori Mohan Basu. Published by Gopimohan Datta. Dacca. As. 4.

The High School English Grammar, Part I, by Llewelyn Tipping, B.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 12.

Middle Class English Composition, by Brindaban Dhar, B.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6.

Child's Easy Grammar, by K. C. Sen, M.A. Published by the author. As. 4.

New English Grammar, by D. K. Brahmachari. Published by Charu Ch. Sen. As. 4.

Picture Composition (Pupil's book), by J. N. Fraser. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As. 8.

Picture Composition (Teacher's book), by J. N. Fraser. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As. 12. (Suitable for the use of teachers.)

An Elementary English Grammar in Bengali, by Benode Lal Mukherji. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 4.

Classes IV to VI—

The Middle School English Grammar (in two parts), by Llewelyn Tipping, B A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 6 each part.

Classes IV to VI—

Translation and Retranslation, by Atul Chandra Sen, M.A. Published by S. N. Banerjee, Universal Library, Calcutta. As. 8.

A Junior Class Book of English Translation (revised edition), by Harendra Nath Ghosh, B.A, Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6.

Juvenile Translator, by A. C. Gupta, M.A. Published by A. Sen Gupta. As. 8.

Primary Translation, by P. N. Mahalanabis. Published by the author. As. 8.

Classes V and VI—

The Rational Translator, by T. J. Collins and Satish Chandra Sen, B.A. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 8.

Classes IV to VI—

The "Do and Say" Method of Teaching English in Indian Schools, Part I, by E. C. Fergusson. Published by the Indian School Supply Depôt, Calcutta. As. 8. (For teachers only.)

The "Do and Say" Method of Teaching English in Indian Schools, Parts II and III, by E. C. Fergusson. Published by the Indian School Supply Depôt, Calcutta. As. 12 each. (For teachers only.)

Class VII—

(i) All books recommended by the Calcutta University for the Matriculation Examination and the following:—

Bengal Readers, Reader IV. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 12.

King Reader, Part IV. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 9.

Nelson's Indian Readers, Book III. Published by T. Nelson & Sons. As. 12.

Tales of a Grandfather (First Series), by J. H. Fowler. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.

Wonder Book, (edited by J. H. Fowler,) by Hawthorne. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.

A Book of Poetry, Parts I and II, by G. Dowse. Published by Macmillan & Co. 9*d*. each.

Peasant Life in Bengal, by Lal Behari De. Published by Macmillan & Co.

The Jungle Book, by Rudyard Kipling. Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1.

Easy Selections from English Literature, by Lethbridge. Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1.

A Book of Golden Deeds, Part II, by Miss Younge. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.

Episodes from Southey's Life of Nelson, edited by Spenser. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 10*d*.

Poetical Selections for Junior Students, by C. M. Barrow. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 8.

English Poetry for Indian Boys, by J. N. Fraser. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 1*s*.
Gulliver's Travels, Edited by G. C. Earle. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.
Heroes of Asgard. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.
Tales from the Faerie Queene (junior series). Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 4*d*.
Longmans' New English Course for Indian Schools, Fourth Reader. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 10.
Macmillan's New English Readers, Reader IV. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 12.
Romantic Tales and Legends, Grade V. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 6.
The Boys' Book of Verse, Parts I and II, by Satish Kumar Banerji. M.A. Published by S. K. Banerjee & Sons, Calcutta. As. 5.
King Arthur, by H. Malim. Published by Oxford University Press. As. 12.

(*ii*) Elementary Grammar through Composition, by J D. Rose. Published by George Phillip & Sons. 1*s*.
A Junior Course of English Composition on a new method, by an experienced teacher. Published by S. K. Nath and G. C. Nath. As. 12.
Elementary Grammar, by Rowe and Webb. Published by S. K. Lahiri & Co. As. 12.
A Larger English Grammar, by McMordie.
Helps to Students, by Ananda M. Datta. Published by the City Book Society, Calcutta. As. 8.
Longmans' Junior School Grammar for India, by David Salmon, A. J. Cooper, Oakley. M.A., and W. M. Theobald. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 12.
The High School English Grammar, Part I, by Llewelyn Tipping, B.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 12.
Elementary Modern Grammar, by Bidhu Bhusan Sarkar, B.A. Published by Hariram Dhar, B.A. As. 12.
English Composition for Indian High Schools, by H. Banbury, Published by the Oxford University Press, Bombay. Re. 1.
English Composition, by R. S. Bate. Published by G. Bell & Sons. (Also for teachers.)
Progressive Practice Book in English Composition—Oral and written, by P. C. Wren. Published by K. & J. Cooper. Re. 1-2.
Standard English Grammar, by Jnanada Prasad Das. Published by Surendra K. Das. Re. 1.

Class VIII—

(*i*) All books recommended by the Calcutta University for the Matriculation Examination and the following :—
King Reader, Part V. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 10.
Tales of a Grandfather (first series), by J. H. Fowler. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.
Wonder Book, (edited by J. H. Fowler), by Hawthorne. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.
A Book of Poetry, I and II, by G. Dowse. Published by Macmillan & Co. 9*d*. each.
Peasant Life in Bengal, by Lal Behari Dey. Published by Macmillan & Co.
The Jungle Book, by Rudyard Kipling. Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1.
Easy Selections from English Literature, by Lethbridge. Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1.
A Book of Golden Deeds, Part II, by Miss Younge. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.
Episodes from Southey's Life of Nelson, edited by Spencer. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 10*d*.
Poetical Selections for Junior Students, by C. M. Barrow. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 8.
English Poetry for Indian Boys, by J. N. Fraser. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 1*s*.
Gulliver's Travels. edited by G. C. Earle. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.

Heroes of Asgard. Published by Macmillan & Co. 1*s*.
Fairy Tales, by Hans Andersen. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd.
Fairy Tales, by Hans Andersen. Published by Oxford University Press.
Heroes of Indian History, by J. C. Allen. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 12.
Longmans' New English Course for Indian Schools, Fifth Reader. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 12.
Macmillan's New English Readers, Reader V. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 2.
Lamb's Tales from Shakespeare. Selected and edited by F. R. Tomlinson. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As. 14.
Lyric Selections, by A. L. Coverton. Published by Oxford University Press, Bombay. As. 8.
The Boys' Book of Verse, Parts I and II, by Satish Kumar Banerjee, M.A. Published by S. K. Banerjee & Sons, Calcutta. As. 5.
Indian Heroes, by C. A. Kincaid. Published by Oxford University Press. Re. 1.
King Arthur, by H. Malim. Published by Oxford University Press. As. 12.
The World at War, by N. Fraser. Published by Oxford University Press. As. 14. (Specially recommended.)
(*ii*) Elementary English Grammar through Composition, by J. D. Rose. Published by George Philip & Sons. 1*s*.
A Junior Course of English Composition in a new method, by an experienced teacher. Published by S. K. Nath and G. C. Nath As. 12.
Elementary Grammar, by Rowe and Webb. Published by S. K. Lahiri & Co. As. 12.
A Larger English Grammar, by McMordie.
Longmans' Junior School Grammar for India, by David Salmon, A. J. Cooper Oakley, M.A., and W. M. Theobald. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 12.
The High School English Grammar, Part I, by Llewelyn Tipping, B.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 12.
Elementary Modern Grammar, by Bidhu Bhusan Sarkar, B.A. Published by Hariram Dhar, B A. As. 12.
English Composition for Indian High Schools, by H. Banbury. Published by the Oxford University Press, Bombay. Re. 1.
English Composition, by R. S. Bate. Published by G. Bell & Sons. (Also for teachers.)
Progressive Practice book in English Composition (Oral and Written), by P. C. Wren. Published by K. & J. Cooper. Re. 1-2.
Standard English Grammar, by Jnanada Prasad Das. Published by Surendra K. Das. Re. 1.

Classes IV to VIII—

Matriculation Composition, by P. K. Sen, B.A. Published by Hariram Dhar, Dacca. Re. 1-6. (For teachers only.)
Elementary Lessons in English Composition (Oral and Written) for use in Indian Schools, Books I—III, by J. C. Nesfield. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 4, 5 and 6. (For teachers only.)

ENGLISH WRITING.

Classes III to VIII—

"Orient" Copy Books, 1 to 8. Published by Macmillan & Co. P. 6 each.
Semi-Upright English Copy books. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. A. 1 each.
Macmillan's Imperial Copy-books, Nos. 1-10. Published by Macmillan & Co. A. 1-6 each.
Collins' New Graphic Copy Books, Civil Service style. Parts 1—16 Published by Indian School Supply Depôt for William Collins, Sons & Co. As. 2 each part. (No. 13*a* for Girls' Schools.)

SCIENCE.

Class VIII—

Longmans' Elementary Science Mechanics, by Ball. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 1*s*. 6*d*.

DRAWING.

Classes I to VII—

Teachers' Manual of Drawing, Parts I and II, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. Re. 1 each. (For teachers only.)

Chitra Shiksha, Pratham Sopan and Dwitia Sopan, by J. C. Mahalanavis. Published by Bhattacharyya and Son. As. 6 and 8. (For teachers only.)

Drawing Tablets, I—VI, by Charu Ch. Guha. Published by the author. As. 3 and 4. (For pupils.)

Chitra Shiksha Tablets, I—VI, by J. C. Mahalanavis. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 3 and 4. (For pupils.)

Adarsha Chitra Pustak, Parts I—VI, by Syam Chunder Datta. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 3 and 4. (For pupils.)

DRILL.

Departmental Drill Book, revised by Dr. Gray. Published by Department of Public Instruction. As. 8.

PALI.

Class VII—

(*i*) Gray's "First Pali Course." Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, Calcutta.

(*ii*) Navaraj Barua's "Pali Grammar" (Inflections only). Published by U. L. Barua. As. 12.

Class VIII—

(*i*) Gray's "First Pali Delectus." Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, Calcutta.

(*ii*) Tilbe's "Pali Grammar." Printed at the American Baptist Mission Press, Rangoon.

Classes VII and VIII—

Pali First Book of Reading, by Nitipurna Barua. Published by the author. As. 6.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Nature Diary, by Percival Westell. Published by Blackie & Son, Bombay. 6*d*. (Recommended for use in the Training College.)

MISCELLANEOUS (BENGALI).

Senior Vernacular Teachers' Manual, by Nowshere Ali Khan Eusofzi. Published by Nilambar Das. Re. 1. (For Training classes in the Normal Schools.)

Sura Sangit. Published by Kedar Nath Chatterjee. As. 10. (Text-book for Normal Schools.)

Banga Bani, by Sasanka Mohan Sen. Published by B. C. Basak. Rs. 2. (Text-book for Normal Schools. Also suitable for use in College classes.)

(*b*) Vernacular Schools for Boys.

BENGALI READING BOOKS.

Class I—

Analytic Reading Sheets, Parts I and II, by A. C. Roy. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 14. Re. 1 As. 10. (For teachers only.)

Barnashiksha, Parts I and II. by Rev. J. F. Hewitt. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. A. 1 each part. (For teachers only.)

Class II—

Bengali Primer, II, by Jaladhar Sen. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 3.

Saral Niti, by P. K. Guha. Published by Pran K. Guha. As. 2.

Naba Sahitya Path, Part I, by Tasaduk Ahmed, B.A. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 2-6.

Amiya Path, by Abinash Ch. Roy. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 2.

Bangla Path, Part I, by a lady. Published by B. C. Basack, Albert Library, Dacca. As. 2.
Saral Sahitya. Published by Amritananda Kabyabenode. As. 2-6.
Shishuranjan, Part I (revised edition), by Padma Lochan Ghosh. Published by Nagendra K. Roy, Dacca. As. 3.
Sahitya Path (revised edition), by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 2-6.
Balya Benode. Published by Hariram Dhar, B.A., Dacca. As. 2.
Komal Katha, by Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 2.
Amiya Kutha, by Hara Nath Ghosh. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh. As. 2-6.
Komal Path, by Kshitis Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 2.
Priya Path (revised edition), by Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. Published by the author. As. 2-3.
Saral Shishu Sahitya. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. A. 1-9.
Balak Path, Part II, by Rajendra K. Guha. Published by Radhaballav Basak. As. 2-9.
Shishu Sakha, by Pyari Mohan De. Published by the author. As. 2-3.

Class III—

Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book I, by Basu and Majid. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 5.
Nutan Nimna Path, by Abinash Ch. Gupta, M.A., B.L. Published by the author. As. 5.
Sahitya Mukul, by Maulvi Matloob Ahmed Khan Choudhuri, M.A. Published by Haranath Ghosh. As. 5-6.
Adarsa Nimpapath, by Kshitish Ch. Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 6.
Priya Path, by Sarajubala Datta. Published by Hemendra Nath Datta, Wari, Dacca. As. 5.
Saral Nimna Path, by Rai Sahib Dinesh Ch. Sen, B.A., and Nabin Ch. Basu, B.A. Published by Atul Library, Dacca. As. 6.
Pathmala, by Abinash Ch. Gupta, M.A. Published by Jatindra Mohan Vyakarantirtha. As. 3-6.
Sukha Sahitya, by Anukul Chandra Shastri. Published by Amritananda Kabyabenode. As. 4-6.
Suniti Path (revised edition), by Suresh Chandra Ghosh, B.A. Published by the author. As. 5.
Balya Sakha, by Atul Chandra Sen, M.A. Published by Rajendra Narayan De, School Library, Dacca. As. 4-6.
Naba Path, by Rajendra Chandra Kushari. Published by Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, B.A. As. 4.
Shiksha Mukul, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh. As. 3.
Sukatha, by Atri Kumar Nag and Kunja Behari Ganguli. Published by the authors. As. 5-6.
Niti Mukul, by Haridhan Kabyavakarantirtha and Kalinath Kar. Published by Jogesh Ch. Ghosh. As. 4.
Jnanoday, by Atul Chandra Chakravarti. Published by the author. As. 6.

Class IV—

Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book II, by Basu and Majid. Published by Macmillan & Co As. 6.
Niti Path, by Pran Kumar Guha. Published by the author. As. 4.
Niti Kabita, by Pran Kumar Guha. Published by the author. As. 2.
Charu Shiksha, by Umesh Chandra De, B.A. Published by Cotton Library, Dacca. As. 6.
Niti Prabandha, by Rasik Ch. Das. Published by Albert Library, Dacca. As. 4.
Sahitya Prakash, by Syid Sarafat Ali. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta. As. 5.
Balika Benodini, by Kali Bhusan Mukhopadhyaya. Published by Nripendra Chandra Roy. As. 4. (For Girls' schools only.)

Class V—

(*i*) Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book II, by Basu and Majid. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 6.

Niti Path, by Pran Kumar Guha. Published by the author. As. 4.

Charushiksha, by Umesh Chandra De, B.A. Published by Cotton Library, Dacca. As. 6.

Niti Prabandha, by Rasik Chandra Das. Published by Albert Library, Dacca. As. 4.

(*ii*) Niti Kabita, by Pran Kumar Guha. Published by the author. As. 2.

Puran Prasanga, by Sreenath Chanda. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 2-6.

Kabita Sandarva, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by the author. As. 3.

Padya Prabandha, by Ambika Ch. Ghosh. Published by Jatindra Lal Basu; Dacca. As. 2-6.

Punya Gatha, by Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Krviratna, M.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar, Patuatuli, Dacca. As. 2-6.

Kavitamala (revised and corrected), by Rasik Chandra Bose. Published by Hariram Dhar, B.A., Patuatuli, Dacca. As. 2.

Niti Gatha, by Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. Published by the author. As. 2.

Niti Gatha, Part III, by Jagat Chandra Sen. Published by B. N. Sinha Chouduri. As. 3.

Kavita Koumudi, Part I, by Harish Ch. Mitra. Published by Nagendra K Roy. A. 1-6.

Padya Prakash, Parts I and II, by Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. Published by S. C. Auddy & Co. As. 2 and As. 3-6.

Samabaya Primer, by Jyotish Chandra Chakravarty. Published by Ashutosh Library, Dacca. A. 1. (Approved for the use of teachers in Primary Schools.)

Class VI—

(*i*) Charu Prabandha, by Lalmohan Vidyanidhi. Published by Atul Chandra Chakravarty, Dacca. As. 8.

Bibidha Prabandha, Part III, by Rajani Kanta Gupta. Published by Atul Chandra Chakravarty, Dacca. As. 8.

Sahitya Prabandha, by Upendra Ch. Mukherjee. Published by Bharat Ch. Sarkar. As. 6.

Sandarva Sar, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by Ambika Ch. Ghosh, Dacca. As. 6.

Jnan Sopan, by Jagadananda Roy. Published by the author. As. 6.

Ratnabali, by Manmatha Nath Ganguli, B.A. Published by Gopi Mohan Datta. As. 8.

Prabandha Path, by Mahamahopadhyaya Madhab Chandra Tarkachudamani. Published by Gouranga Chandra Kabyatiriha. As. 8.

Prabandha Path, Part II, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 8.

Kalyan Katha (revised edition), by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons. As. 8.

(*ii*) Kabita Pustak, by Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidysagar. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 3.

Kabita Sandarva, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by the author. As. 3.

Class VII—

(*i*) Prabhat Chinta, by Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 12.

Sandarva Chandrika, by Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. Published Atul Ch. Chakravarty, Dacca. As. 10.

Charu Prabandha, by Lalmohan Vidyanidhi. Published by Atul Ch. Chakravarti, Dacca. As. 8.

Sahitya Prabandha, by Upendra Ch. Mukherjee. Published by Bharat Ch. Sarkar. As. 6.

Sandarva Sar, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by Ambika Ch. Ghosh. Dacca. As. 6.

Bibidha Prabandha, Part III, by Rajani Kanta Gupta. Published by Atul Ch. Chakravarti. As. 8.

Ratnabali, by Manmatha Nath Ganguli, B.A. Published by Gopi Mohan Datta. As. 8.

Prabandha Path, by Mahamahopadhyaya Madhab Chandra Tarkachudamani. Published by Gouranga Chandra Kabyatirtha. As 8.

Prabandha Path, Part II, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A Published by the author. As 8.

Shiksha Manjari, Part II, by Purnananda Gupta. Published by Prabhat Chandra Basu. As. 8.

Sahitya Sandarva, by Beni Madhab Datta. Published by Jagadish Chandra Ghosh. As. 6.

Kalyan Katha (revised edition), by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons. As. 8.

(*ii*) Kabita Pustak, by Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 3.

Kabita Sandarva, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by the author. As. 3.

WRITING (BENGALI).

Class I—

Lipi Shiksha Chart, Nos. I and II. Published by Santi Press, Dacca, As. 2-6. (To be pasted on thick cardboard.)

Bengali Kindergarten Alphabet Charts. Published by P. Mukhopadhyaya & Sons, Calcutta. Rs. 2. (Each school may purchase a copy.)

Class II to V—

Lipi Shiksha, Parts I—III. Published by Biraj M. De, Santi Press, Dacca. A. 1 each part. (Without any ruled lines.)

Adarsha Lipi. Parts I—III, by Ashutosh Dhar. Published by the author. A. 1 each part.*

Adarsha Lekha, Parts I—III (New edition—slip size), by Syam Chandra Datta. Published by the author. A 1 each part.

Hater Lekha, Parts I—III, by Sunita Devi. Published by J. N. Banerjee, P. 9 each part.

Bangala Adarsha Likhan, Parts I—III. Published by B. C. Basak. A. 1 each part.

Adarsha Lipi, Parts I—III. Published by Upendra K. Roy. A. 1-3 each part.

* Approved also for Middle and Primary Schools for girls.

ARITHMETIC (BENGALI).

Class II—

Patiganit Shiksha Pranali, by Nagendra Nath Mazumdar, M.A. Published by Upendra Kumar Chanda, B.A. As. 6. (For teachers only.)

Saral Shishu Patiganit, Part I. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 2. (For teachers only.)

Classes III and IV—

Shankshipta Shishuranjan Patiganit, Parts I and II, by K. P. Basu, M.A. Published by D. N Sen. As. 5.

Ganit Sopan, by A. C. Gupta, M.A., B.L. Published by Nityaranjan Sen, M.SC. As. 5.

Adarsha Patiganit, by R. G. Nath, M.A. Published by Ananda K. Nath, Comilla. As. 6.

Nabya Ganit Benode, by Sarada Prasanna Das, M.A. Published by the author. As. 5.

Adarsha Ganit, by Kedar Nath Majumdar. Published by the author. As. 5.

Nava Sankshipta Patiganit, by Sreenath Bhattacharyya. Published by Devendra Nath Bhattacharyya. As 5.

Saral Ganit Shiksha (revised edition), by Mathura Nath Guha. Published by City Book Society, Calcutta. As. 4.

School Patiganit, by Bhuban Chandra Sen, B.A., and Hemanta Kumar Kayral, B.A. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh, Patuatuli, Dacca. As. 5.

Saral Ganit, Part I, by Jitendra Mohan Datta, M.SC. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6-6.

Ganit Bikash, Part I, by Ashutosh Bose, M.SC., and Pulin Chandra Bose, M.A. Published by the authors. As. 6.

Saishab Ganit, by Lakshman Chandra Sen. Published by Hariram Dhar. As. 5.

Class III—

Saral Shishu Patiganit, Part II. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 2.

Classes III and IV—

Shishu Patiganit, by Upendra Nath Banerjee. Published by the author As. 5-6.

Ganitankur, by Prasanna Kumar Sen, B.A. Published by Hariram Dhar, B.A. As. 5.

Patiganit, Part I, by Hara Kanta Basu, B.A. Published by Pyari Mohan De. As. 6-6.

Ganit Kusum, by Paresh Nath Basu, M.SC. Published by the author. As. 7.

Nabya Ganit-Shiksha, by Jogesh Chandra Sen, B.A. Published by B. M. Datta, Students' Library, Calcutta. As. 5.

Class IV—

Saral Shishu Patiganit, Part III. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. As. 3.

Classes III and IV—

Khokar Ank, by A. C. Chakravarti and B. C. Datta Published by Kula Chandra Das. As. 6-6.

Ganit Bijnan, by P. N. Kali. Published by Hariram Dhar. As. 5.

Shishu Patiganit, by Rajani Kanta De. Published by Nagendra K. Roy. As. 6.

Patiganit Shiksha, by Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.SC. (Glas.) Published by P. Sen & Brothers. As. 6.

Nutan Shuvankari, by Adinath Sen, M A. (Cal.), B.SC. (Glas.) Published by P. Sen & Brothers. A. 1-6. (For supplementary use.)

Manasik Ganana, by Adinath Sen, M A. (Cal.), B.SC. (Glas.) Published by P. Sen & Brothers. A. 1. (For supplementary use.)

Classes V to VII—

Shishuranjan Patiganit, Parts III and IV, by K. P. Basu, M.A. Published by D. N. Sen. As. 10.

Patiganit Sar, by S. P. Das, M.A. Published by the author. As. 10.

GEOMETRY (BENGALI).

Classes VI and VII—

A School Geometry, Part I (Bengali edition), by Hall and Stevens. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 4. (For teachers only.)

Adhunik Jyamiti, by P. C. Basak, B.A. Published by Amritalal Sen. As. 6. (For teachers only.)

Naba Jyamiti Bikash, by Mohan Ch. Basak. Published by Sarada Ch. Basak. As. 4. (For teachers only.)

Prathamic Jyamiti, by Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. Published by Sheikh Abdul Ghanny. As. 8. (For teachers only.)

The following "Hand-books" are recommended for the use of teachers in Vernacular Schools in the Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions:—

Classes I and II—

Teachers' Hand-book on Nature Lessons, Part I (Teachers' Hand-book of Correlated Lessons, Part I). Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1-8. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

Classes III to V—

Teachers' Hand-book on Nature Lessons, Part II (in two volumes), by J. A. Taylor, M.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. Re. 1-4. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

Classes II to V—

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part I, by Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. Re. 1-2. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

Classes IV and V—

Teachers' Hand-book of Tenancies and Records-of-rights in Eastern Bengal, by Rai Bahadur P. M. Basu. Published by the author. As. 5.

Classes VI and VII—

Teachers' Hand-book on Science Lessons, by J. A. Taylor, M.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 5. Also for Normal Schools.

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part II, by Kazi Imdadul Haque. B.A. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. Re. 1-2.

Teachers' Hand-book on Village Sanitation (Palligramo Swasthya Rakshya), by K. C. Banerjee. Published by the author. A. 1.

Bengali Model Lessons in the History of India (Bharatbarsher Itihas Bisyayak Pathmala) for teachers only*. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 12.

* In addition to the above books the teachers will also use a book on the History of N.-E. India. "Aitihasik Path," Part I, by Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A., or North-Eastern India," by S. N. Bhadra, M.A., should be used. "Prathamic Shiksha Bharat Itihas", by Khagendra Nath Mitra, M.A., "Prathamic Itihas", by Guruhandhu Bhattacharyya, B.A., B.T., and "British Samrayyer Sankshipta Itihas", by Syed Mohsin Ali, are also approved for the use of teachers in these classes.

DRILL.

Departmental Drill-Book, Revised by Dr. Gray. Published by Department of Public Instruction. (Also for Girls' schools.)

The following Drawing-books are recommended for use in Vernacular Schools :—

DRAWING.

Class I (1st year)—

Primary Tablet, Part I, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part I, by Satyendra Kumar Datta. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. IA, by J. C. Mahalanavis. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta. As. 2.

Class I (2nd year)—

Primary Tablet, Part II, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part II, by Satyendra Kumar Datta. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 1, by J. C. Mahalanavis. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta. As. 2.

Class II—

Primary Tablet, Part III, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part III, by Satyendra Kumar Datta. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 2, by J. C. Mahalanavis. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 2.

Class III—

Primary Tablet, Part IV. by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part IV, by Satyendra Kumar Datta. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 3, by J. C. Mahalanavis. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta. As. 2.

Class IV—

Primary Tablet, Part V. by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part V, by Satyendra Kumar Datta Published by the author. A. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 4, by J. C. Mahalanavis. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta. As. 2.

Class V—

Primary Tablet, Part VI, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part VI, by Satyendra Kumar Datta. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 5, by J. C. Mahalanavis. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. Calcutta. As. 2.

Classes VI and VII—

Chitrankan Pustak, Books Nos. 5 & 6, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. As. 4 each part.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A map of Bengal Presidency (in Bengali), by Joy Chandra Mahalanavis. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta A. 1-6. Recommended for use in middle and primary schools.

Nava Kindergarten Karma Sangit, by Salamatullah Ahmed. Published by the author. As. 2. (Recommended for teachers in Lower Primary schools.)

The following books are approved for use in Lower Primary Maktabs for boys:—

READING.

Class I—

Instructions for Maktab teachers (for teachers only), by Tafazzal Hossain. Published by D. N. Bhattacharyya. A. 1.

Class II—

Maktab Primer, by Tafazzal Hossain. Published by D. N. Bhattacharyya. A. 1-6.

Class III—

Maktab Reader, Part I, by Tafazzal Hossain. Published by D. N. Bhattacharyya. A. 1-9.

Class IV—

Maktab Reader, Part II, by Tafazzal Hossain. Published by D. N. Bhattacharyya. As. 2-3.

URDU.

Ur-du-ka-Qaida. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayati-i-Islam, Lahore. P. 6. (For maktabs.)

Books recommended for Middle Madrasahs.

How to teach Geography, by K M. Jalaluddin. Published by A. M. Zaman Brothers. As. 5.

Manual of Georgraphy on India, by an undergraduate. Published by Kacker Brothers. As 2-6.

Urdu-ki-Tisri-kitab. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayati-i-Islam, Lahore.

Mifta hussarf, by Kazi Muhammad Bashiruddin. As. 2.

Muntakhabun Nesaih, by Hazi Rahmatulla Badwi. Published by Quami Press, Cawnpore.

* *N. B.*—Books approved for High and Middle English Schools may also be used.

Books recommended for Maktabs and Madrasahs.

URDU.

Mazhar-i-Binish, by Maulvi Mazharul Haque. Published by Qayyumi Press, Cawnpore. P. 9. (For infant classes of maktabs.)

Fawaidul-Ain, by Maulvi Basharatullah. As. 3. (For the lowest classes of maktabs and madrasahs.)

Urdu-ki-Pahili Kitab, by Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. A. 1. (For maktabs.)

Urdu-ki-Dusri-Kitab, by Maulvi Mahammad Ismail. As. 2. (For maktabs.)

Urdu-ki-Tisri-Kitab, by Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. As. 2-9. (For madrasahs.)

Urdu-ki-Chouthi-Kitab, by Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. As. 3. (For madrasahs.)

Urdu-ki-Panchai-Kitab, by Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. As. 4. (For madrasahs)

Tuzuk-i-Urdu, by Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. Published by Newal Kishore Press, Lucknow. As. 8. (For the top classes of madrasahs.)

Kumuk-i-Urdu, by Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. Published by Newal Kishore Press, Lucknow. As. 6. (For madrasahs.)

ARITHMETIC (URDU).

* Arithmetic in Urdu, Parts I—III (improved edition), by P. Ghosh, Revised by A. S. Ghosh. Published by S. C. Auddy & Co. As. 4 each.

* Arithmetic in Urdu, Part IV (improved edition), by P. Ghosh Revised by A. S. Ghosh. Published by S. C. Auddy & Co. As. 3-6.

* Approved as alternative text-books for Lower Primary and Upper Primary sections of those schools in which the subject is taught through the medium of Urdu.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 30th November 1916.

BABU PROMODERANJAN DAS GUPTA, M.Sc., is granted a Post-graduate Research Scholarship to the value of Rs. 100 a month for carrying on researches in the investigation of the Physical and Physiological values of Indian articles of diet in the Physiological Laboratory of the Presidency College, Calcutta, *vice* Babu Snehamoy Dutt, M.Sc., with effect from 1st December 1916, or any subsequent date on which he undertakes his researches.

The scholarship is tenable until the 30th June 1917.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notices of Sale.

NOTIFICATION A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
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Krishnagar, the 18th November 1916.

BISWESWAR BHATTACHARYA, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1917, at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
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2466 Mjmali	Manada Sundari and others, pargana Govindapur.	652 13 0	No	12a. 8g. 1c. 3k. 12 tils shares only The remaining 3a. 11g. 2c. 8 tils share of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Manada Sundari Dasi, guardian of Atul Chandra Ghose, minor, and others.	550 13 0	.....	Land Revenue— 24 3 9 Cess— 4 14 9 29 2 6

Rajshahi, the 17th November 1916. A. CASSELLS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrear due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
284	Taluk Char Panchash Hazari, pargana Shahajpur.	1,895 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jadob Chandra Bagchi and others.	.....	65 12 0	.....
285	Ditto ditto ...	2,336 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Roy Parvati Sankar Chondhuri and others.	.....	190 0 1	.....

Faridpur, the 17th November 1916. K. B. GOSSAIN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with section 11 of Act VII of 1868, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.			Khash Mahal tenures.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
Lat No. 10 1927,	Haripur Tahsil Muzu, Char-Rahim Meadi Madhasatta No. 24.	548 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sremoti Asrafunnessa Begum and others.	.....	Rent 119 14 Cess 9 9 129 7	.....
Lat No. 6 1686.	Chargazi Tahsil Madhasatta No. 2.	613 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Palanmean	.....	Rent 135 15 Cess 23 1 157 0	.....

Noakhali Collectorate, the 20th November 1916. B. C. PRANCE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 11th December 1916, at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1916 which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Rauzan, Patiya, Town, and Satkania and Hathazari, kismat Ambika Babalta, taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 10 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Srimati Bama Sundari, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	182 1 6	.....
41	Thana Satkania, taraf Abdul Fazal.	643 3 7	Ditto ...	.....	Abdul Rauf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi and others.	.....	190 15 6	.....
478	Thana Hathazari, Fatikcheri, Rauzan, Patiya and Town, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest of 6as. will be sold excluding the unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest of 9as. 1p. 6¾kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-5 and also paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10p. 13¼kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-8.	Himangen Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	932 8 6	.....	228 15 2
564	Thana Hathazari, Patiya, Rauzan and Town, taraf Darpa Narayan	2,902 9 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 5 to the extent of interest 6as 8p. 16¾kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary shares and shares Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28 and 29 to the extent of interest 6as 10p. 14¾kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,250-12-4 and also unpaid shares 4, 13, 25 and 26 to the extent of interest 2as. 7p. 9kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 475-8.	Ram Krishna Sen, Rasik Ch. Ray.	1,176 4 8	.....	185 5 6
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf mauza Harina Babalta, taraf Maugat Ram Hazari.	693 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Rouf Khan for self and on behalf of Abdul Salam Khan, Srimati Biabibi.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1242	Thana Satkania according to recent cadastral survey Bashkhali, Patiya according to recent cadastral survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	Ditto ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	207 8 0	.....
1512	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, Patiya, Town and Satkania, taraf Krishna Kisore Kanungoe.	645 6 7	Ditto ...	.....	Satish Ch. Rakhit, Atul Ch. Nandi and others.	.....	135 11 4	.....
1513	Thana Patiya, Sitakund, Rauzan, Satkania, Hathazari and Town, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Srimati Promoda Kumari for Ramesh Charan Ray, Srimati Soudamini Ray for Akhoy Kumar Ray.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1485	Thana Hathazari, Rauzan, taraf Md. Raki Khansama.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De for self and on behalf of Kashi Chandra and others, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	273 6 11	.....
2368	Thana Fatikcheri, Hathazari according to recent cadastral survey Rauzan, taraf Oaz Abdul Hossin.	731 8 9	Ditto ...	.....	Sheik Hasi Md. Isa ...	.....	182 12 8	.....
2554	Thana Chakaria, Patiya, Town, Rauzan, taraf Ram Sundur Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share to the extent of interest 12as. and 10p. will be sold excluding paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3as. 2p. paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Srimati Rahimunissa...	681 6 6	.....	201 4 0

Chittagong, the 25th October 1916.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
81	Pargana Durgapur, Ramkishore Bose.	5,849 15 0	.....	S. A. No. 1, his. 2 as. 10 gds. ... ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 2 to 26 and residue share amounting to 13 as. 10 gds.	Maheschandra Pal	912 4 5	.....	319 6 11
112	Tappeh Kamrapur Ram Kishore Ghosh.	4,564 5 0	.....	Residue, viz :— ... ... 5 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarail, Kamtal, Tengabo, Nanaki, Naraudi, Aksha, Khargra Dhalchhatra, Goongaon, Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar-Maaiser. 2 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranir char, Oraba Buargaon, Hasali Alunia, Bhaber char, Goalghooni, Joar Khagatia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur. 1 a. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Joar Panchamighat. 7 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Joar Durgapur, 8 as. of remaining kismat except Joar Gutiaba. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 to 26 amounting to 10 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarail Kamtal, Tengabo, Nanaki, Naraudi, Aksha, Khargra, Dhalchhatra, Goongaon Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar Maaiser, 13 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranirchar, Oraba, Bhargao Hasali, Alunia Bhaber char, Goalghuni, Joar Ghagutia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur, 14 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Joar Panchamighat, 6 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Durgapur, 16 as. of Joar Gutiaba, 8 as. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Rai Chaudhury and others.	1,660 2 11	.....	368 5 8
194	Pargana Rajnagar, Chakla Nurpur Mudafat Hiaya Rajkrishna Sen.	708 10 0	16 ans.	.....	Joy Chandra Datta and others.	.....	67 1 7	.....
201	Pargana Rajnagar Mudafat Hiaya Rajkrishna Sen, Chakla Raipur Banga Chandra Banerjee.	1,979 4 1	.....	Residue, viz., 8 as. 17½ gds. 1 kt. of Joar Daudpur, 16 as. of remaining kismats. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 and 2 amounting to 7 as. 2 gds. 2 kt. 2 dt. of Joardoudpur.	Ram Kanai Pal and others.	1,911 4 3	.....	23 11 7
546	Pargana Rakanpur, tappeh Boukhanda John Hollow.	3,07[illegible] 10 8	.....	Residue, viz., 4 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Ghior, Takurkandi Kandapara, Ghoorer Char, Bandar, Bandakadamtali, Bandasundaipur, Banda Karatia, Degreerchar, 3 as. 10 gds. of Benodepur, 7 as. of Safuli, 8 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Rai Chaudhuri and others.	1,558 14 5	.....	27 13 8
9013	Pargana Nasti, kt. Salilya in char Mirpur.	961 0 0	.....	Residue, hisya 12 as. 9½ gds. 8 til ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz. :— S. A. No. 1, hisya 3 as. 10 gds. 2 kt.,	Mahini Kanta Saha Chondhuri and others.	750 2 6	.....	56 2 8
10809	Surplus to Raj rajeswar.	1,358 0 0	16 annas ...	... ..	Suryya Kumar Das and others.	.....	99 12 1	.....
10904	Pargana Nasti, surplus to Porakanda.	1,288 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rajkumar Boudapadhya.	.....	644 0 0	.....
10908	Tappeh Ran Bhowal surplus to Baloo char in mauza Gailmpur.	1,320 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rani Ananta Sundari Debi Choudhurani and others.	.....	39 7 8	.....
10946	Surplus to mauza Bil Xamarta.	649 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bibhabati Debi ...	.....	40 12 0	.....
13546	Pargana Nasti, parcel of land excluded from estate No. 10604.	564 8 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakraberty.	.....	5 2 7	.....
15643	Dearah, mahal Seydpur.	565 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Parbati Sundari Dasya and others.	.....	1,410 0 0	.....
15730	Dearah, mahal Rahitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Mr. F. W. Needham	.....	2,565 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 3rd November 1916

S. C. SINHA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Mymensingh, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26/Joint	Jemindary ph. Barabasu.	9,853 2 0	No ...	Joint share	Maulvi Wazed Ali Khan, Pani and others.	3,196 7 0	.....	237 3 3
26/3	Ditto ...	9,853 2 0	No ...	Separate account No. 3 6a. 8g. share of the estate.	Mr. E. Bignold, General Manager, Court of Wards, and others.	3,888 10 0	.....	126 5 6
9/Joint	Zemindary, ph. Atia ...	6,729 2 0	No ...	Joint share 5a. 4g. 1dt. 210½dhuls share of Kanchanpur, 5a. 9g. 1c. 2kt. 2dt. 301 $\frac{37}{480}$ dhuls. 2 kgs. share of Mangalhore, 5a. 9g. 1c. 1dt. 68 $\frac{591}{1440}$ dhuls 2kgs share of Lashkarpur and Dhangara, 5a. 9g. 1c. 2kt. 1dt. 98 $\frac{591}{1440}$ dhuls 2kgs. share of all other remaining kismats of the estate except the entire 16a. share of kismats Maithun and Bethrail will be sold. And 10a. 15g. 2c. 2kt. 2dt. 149¾ dhuls share of Kanchanpur, 10a. 10g. 1dt. 58 $\frac{443}{480}$ dhuls 2kgs. share of Mangalhore, 10a. 10g. 2kt. 2dt. 291 $\frac{849}{1440}$ dhuls 2kgs. share of Lashkarpur and Dhangara, 16a. share of Maithun and Bethroil, 10a. 10g. 2dt. 261 $\frac{849}{1440}$ dhuls 2kgs. share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Maulvi Abdul Gafur Choudhuri and others.	525 10 0	.....	348 13 3
5153/Joint.	Zemindary ph. Atia ...	842 4 4	No ...	Joint share 13a. 8g. 3c. 1dt. 291 $\frac{73}{77}$ dhuls 74 tils share of kismats Shingharagi, Panisail, Betuajani, Chhoto Begjan, Dari Bahar, Anoitara, Hudda, Banjuri, Kailsindur, Shislaid, Arrah and Bablapara with Chandina and 12a. 3g. 1dt. 1 dwip 291 $\frac{73}{77}$ dhu's 74 tils share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be sold and 2a. 10g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt. 68 $\frac{4}{77}$ dhuls 6 tils share of kismats Shingharagi, Panishail, Betuajani, Chhoto Begjan, Dari Bahar, Anaitara, Hudda, Banjuri, Kailshindur, Shislaid, Arrah and Bablapara with Chandina and 3a. 16g. 2kt. 2dt. 6 dwip 68 $\frac{4}{77}$ dhuls 6 tils share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Hoshenjan Chaudhuri and others.	655 2 0	.....	34 2 11
13333	Joar Baluakandi, ph. Baradakhat.	3,696 13 0	Yes ...	Whole estate	Sri Nath Ray Barman and others.	.....	1,032 3 6	.....
111	Zemindary ph. Nasirujial.	1,032 0 0	Yes ...	Ditto	Upendra Nath Chaudhury.	.....	268 13 0	.....

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 28th November 1916.

MIR HAFEZUDDIN AHMED, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Jessore, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 4th January 1917, at noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
5041-1	Dihi Karora, pargana Rajpur.	.....	No ...	Rs. 3g. 1c. 1k.	Gopal Devi and others	Rs. A. P. 885 12 9	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 20 11 5½

Jessore, the 16th November 1916. B. N. RAU, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Burdwan-Howrah Chord Railway, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Friday, the 12th January 1917, corresponding with the Bengali 28th Paush 1323 B. S., at Kamarkundu station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Hooghly ...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Khagragachi.	18	Situated on the north side of the Railway.	13 18 10	4·53	.....	.....	From chain 92·130 to chain 95·040.	*North*—By the lands of Naran Bose, Dhani Dasi, Amulya Kalia, Srinath Das, Babu Monohar Mukerji, Beni Patra, Srinibash Patra, Bason Dasi, Gulsam Kalia, Hari Malic, Kedar Malic, Abinash Santra, Srinibash Das, Bhiku Das, Nani Manna, Kritanta Dasi, Manoda Dasi, Sham Kalia, Bhut Nath Pal, Basudeb Bagh, Basudeb Kalia, Sadhu Kalia, Chaku Kalia, Hari Kalia, Manic Pal, Sidheswar Kalia, Tulsi Kalia, Kali Singh, Thanda Singh and Hem Kalia. *East*—By the lands of Raghu Pal and Dwaraka Nath Adak. *South*—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company. *West*—By the land of Naran Bose.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Bandipur, mauza Madhyahtjli.	18	Ditto ...	7 14 11	2·56	.....	.....	From chain 90·830 to chain 92·130.	*North*—By the lands of Raju Pal, Dwaraka Nath Adak, Mohesh Adak, Banai Santra, Gosta Santra, Muktaram Kalia, Mohendra Bagh, Gopi Dasi, Gokul Santra, Dasu Adak, Rakari Pal, Raghu Nath Pal, Babu Suresh Chandra Mukerji, and Gosta Santra. *East*—By the land of Karuna Singh; *South*—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company. *West*—By the land of Dhani Dasi and Beni Santra.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Bandipur, mauza Uchitpur.	18	Ditto ...	0 12 4	0·20	.....	.....	From chain 90·500 to chain 90·830.	*North*—By the Chakran lands of Karuna Sing, Nanda Lal Das and Gokul Mukerji. *East*—By the Chakran land of Karuna Singh. *South*—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company. *West*—By the land of Gosta Santra.

Burdwan, the 23rd November 1916. MATHURA NATH BANERJI, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1916, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land-revenue.

When, in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement, it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.
1448	Mahal Darihat Rajbarigunj, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	721 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakravarty and another.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1510	Mahal Kali Das Ghatak share 4 annas, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	694 5 0	Do. ...	.....	Rash Behari De and others.	.....	12 3 1	.....
1661	Taluk Shibjoy Banerjee, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	.....	Residuary share containing 10 anna 13 ganda 1 kara 1 kranti will be sold. The remaining 5 anna 6 ganda 2 kara 1 kranti share will be exempted from sale.	Hira Lall Pal Chowdhary and others.	4,087 11 1	.....	517 0 0

Barisal, the 28th November 1916.

H. C. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 28th November 1916.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs.	2,08,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „	50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs.	87,16,264 11 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches „	1,10,15,810 2 5	1,97,32,074	14	8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		20,84,20,833	2	5
Bank Post Bills, etc.		16,26,791	8	7
Sundries		13,64,159	13	0
		27,19,43,859	1	3

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		6,51,48,122	12	0
Other authorised Investments		1,11,08,145	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities		2,85,06,143	6	2
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,76,62,175	6	10
Bills discounted and purchased		2,69,32,247	12	7
Balances with other Banks		39,03,826	15	8
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		29,28,625	14	1
Stamps		11,842	6	1
Sundries		3,70,476	14	0
		19,05,71,206	7	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs.	3,24,36,444 2 11			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs.	4,23,85,708 6 11	7,58,72,152	9	10
		27,19,43,859	1	3

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs.; value Rs. 3,51,555 0 0
† Do. do do. „ 8,76,442 8 0
Rs. 12,27,997 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 3 per cent
Percentage, 32·60

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL.
Calcutta, the 30th November 1916

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN.
Secretary and Treasurer

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SALE NOTICE

Second Sub-Judge's Court Tippera.

No. 9 of 1916, EXECUTION CASE in a RENT DECREE in SUIT No. ¼ of 1910.

His Highness the Maharaja Birendra Keshore Manikya Bahadur, decree-holder.

Nabin Chandra Choudhuri and others, judgment-debtors.

No. 376.—Taksheshi Haatabudhi Taluk Darpa Narain Choudhuri with variable rent of Rs. 860-5-6 annually payable to the landlord, decree-holder, the said Maharaja, situated in the villages Khariala, Ekaichara, Kaimpur, Mandabhag, Nayanpur, Chaura, Natghar, in the pargana of Nurnagar, within police-station and sub-registry of Nabinagar and Kasba in the district of Tippera. The said taluk is in arrears. The approximate value thereof is Rs. 8,000.

The date fixed for sale is 5th January 1917. The decretal amount including execution costs is Rs. 4,934-0-9, for realization of which amount the properties have been advertized for sale.

CHANDRA BHUSHAN BANERJEE,
Second Sub-Judge, Tippera.

Comilla, the 24th November 1916. (2529—2)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 132 of 1910.

Re Hari Dassee Dassee, *ex parte* the creditor

NOTICE is hereby given that a final dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 15th day of January 1917 except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

The 1st December 1916. (2602—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 88 of 1915.

Re Herbert Joseph Cox, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 15th day of January 1917 except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

The 1st December 1916. (2603—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 60 of 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 8th September 1916, filed by Mansabali, son of late Asadali, of Sarta, thana Raozan, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent Babu Khirod Chandra Das, Pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 28th day of November 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2600—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 63 of 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 12th September 1916, filed by Abdul Nabi, son of Hason Ali, of Charia, thana Double Moorings, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged inso vent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, isappointed Receiver.

Dated this 29th day of November 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2619—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 52 of 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 11th August 1916, filed by Mahamed Ali Chowdhuri, son of late Innah Amin Chowdhuri, of Kadurkhil, thana Patiya, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 30th day of November 1916

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2620—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 62 of 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 12th September 1916, filed by Ali Hossain, son of S. Abdul Majid, of Guzera, thana Raozan, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, Pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 1st day of December 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2625—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 57 of 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 6th September 1916, filed by Kumini Mohan Pal, son of Murari Dhar Pal, of Kanchana, thana Satkania, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent Babu Khirode Chandra Das, Pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 1st day of December 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2626—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of the Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 73 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Haridhan Kongasabanikya, son of late Amari Kongasabanikya, of Dhankunia, police-station Lohajang, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th January of 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJIA, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 24th November 1916. (2512—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 72 OF 1915.

ON the application of the insolvent Sheik Munshi, son of late Paran, of Mahishbor, police-station Raipura, district Dacca, for being discharged the 6th January 1917, at 12 o'clock, has been fixed for hearing the said application

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJIA, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 28th November 1916 (2594—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 90 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Arabuddin Sheik, son of late Haidu Sheik, of Jindabahar Lane, police-station Sadar, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 19th December of 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJIA, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 28th November 1916. (2595—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 85 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Girish Chandra Kundu, son of late Amar Chandra Kundu, of Panam, police-station Munshiganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th December of 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 30th November 1916. (2615—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 86 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Madhu Sudhan *alias* Bengu Charan Kundu, son of late Amar Chand Kundu, of Panam, police-station Munshiganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 16th December of 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 30th November 1916. (2616—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of the Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 87 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Haralal Kunda, son of late Amar Chand Kunda, of Panam, police-station Munshiganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 16th December of 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJIA, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 30th November 1916. (2617—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 31 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 15th April 1916, filed by debtor Umedali Bepari, son of late Sheik Akali, of Baluchar, police-station Narasingdi, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

SUKUMAR BHATIACHARJIA, Sub-Judge.

Dated this 27th day of November 1916.

(2596—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of the Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 96 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Alimaddi Sarkar, son of late Baksher Saul, of Lakshmankhola, police-station Naraingani, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 6th January of 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJIA. Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 27th November 1916. (2618—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 37 OF 1916.

Petitioner—Samiraddi Biswas.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Samiraddi Biswas, of Khas Mathurapur, police station Daulatpur, district Nadia, has been admitted by this court as No. 37 of 1916, and that the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 27th November 1916. (2554—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 38 OF 1916.

Petitioner—Radhika Prasad Pal.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Radhika Prasad Pal, of Majila, police-station Kushtia, district Nadia, has been admitted by this court as No. 38 of 1916 and that the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 27th November 1916. (2555—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 39 OF 1916.

Petitioner—Rati Kanta Pal.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Rati Kanta Pal, of Majila, police-station Kushtia, district Nadia, has been admitted by this court as No. 39 of 1916 and that the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 27th November 1916. (2556—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 69 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Brojendra Nath Ray of Dharibund, Midnapore, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 8th November 1916, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 11th day of December 1916 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

		Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Muktanath Dhar ...	7,500	0	0
2.	Debi Prasad Vakat ...	2,296	0	0
3.	Santosh Chandra Dutt ...	3,000	0	0
4.	Kishori Mohan Bhattacharjee ...	1,221	0	0
5.	Abinash Chandra Mukerjee ...	864	0	0
6.	Ashu Tosh Anin ...	1,778	8	0
7.	Bipin Behary Ray ...	850	0	0
8.	Radhasyam Bose ...	530	0	0
9.	Ashutosh Ray ...	650	0	0
10.	Mohini Mohan Chakravarty ...	276	0	0
11.	Bhola Nath Ghose ...	375	0	0
12.	Anadi Nath Chakravarty ...	442	8	0
13.	Satya Charan Pan ...	320	0	0
14.	Loke Nath Bhakat ...	267	0	0
15.	Hemlata Debi ...	263	0	0
16.	Ganendra Nath Nandi ...	305	0	0
17.	Mati Lal Ghose ...	406	0	0
18.	Indumati Debi ...	470	0	0
19.	Narendra Nath Sarkar ...	90	0	0
20.	Nibaran Chandra Ray ...	383	6	3
21.	Kala Chand, Dawarka Nath Saha ...	1,309	0	0
22.	Bird & Co. ...	575	7	6
23.	Auckland & Co. ...	50	0	0
24.	Surja Mistri ...	511	0	0
25.	Madhabji Kachu ...	301	0	0
26.	Surendra Nath Bhattacharjee ...	550	0	0
27.	Golak Chandra Ghose ...	60	0	0
28.	Ashutosh Sen ...	100	0	0
29.	Kritibash Day ...	313	0	0
30.	Banamali Pakhuria ...	64	0	0
31.	Mohesh Chandra Singh ...	40	0	0
32.	Ram Gobinda Saha ...	50	0	0
33.	Dinu Nath Mullick ...	150	0	0

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

Midnapore, the 1st December 1916. (2450—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 33 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907).

In the matter of Abdul Sovan Khalita, of Jakrigali Kuakhana, police-station Murshidabad, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court dated the 25th November 1916.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 1st December 1916 (2614—1)

In the Court of the District Judge, Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 27 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Debendra Das Bairagi, son of Megha Mestari, of Iswargaon, police-station Muktagacha, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge

Mymensingh, the 23rd November 1916. (2557—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 106 OF 1916. ACT III OF 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Mohini Kanta Roy and others, of Nandanpur, station Santia, district Pabna, that the insolvency petition of Abdul Jabbar Kaji, son of late Abdul Kaji, of Deogram-Krishnapur, station Santia, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 14th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 24th November 1916. (2583—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1916.

ACT III OF 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ilam Pramanik, son of late Farid Pramanik, of Madarbaria, police-station Pabna, was adjudicated insolvant by this Court on the 4th day of August 1916.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 27th November 1916. (2589—1)

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, for the information of the general public, that any one alleging himself to be a creditor of the insolvent Abhoy Charan Mazumder, of Dilpasar, police-station Chatmohor, district Pabna, shall, within fifteen days from the date of this notice, submit before me the full particulars of the amount of his debts due to him by the said insolvent, in order to enable me to prepare a schedule of the creditors of the said insolvent as ordered by the District Judge of Benares, appointing me a Receiver of all properties of the said insolvent.

TARAN CHANDRA BASAK, Receiver.

Receiver's office, at the registered office of the Pabna Model Co., Ltd., dated Pabna, the 22nd November 1916.

(2526—1—2634)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 118 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Gangaram Barman, son of late Dhara Kanta Barman, of Haroa, police-station Nilphamari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 24th November 1916. (2578—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 119 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kamaruddin, son of Sabil Mamud Pramanik, of Soraikhan, police-station Kaligunge, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge

Rangpur, the 24th November 1916. (2579—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 117 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Padora Shaikh, son of Mamdi Shaikh, of Muktakothi, police-station Nakeswari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 24th November 1916. (2580—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 120 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Azimuddin, son of Ghana Shaikh, of Bakchi, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 25th November 1916. (2581—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 121 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Ghana Shaikh, son of late Ainulla, of Bakchi, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 25th November 1916. (2582—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 127 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Chandra Das, son of late Ukil Das, of Durgapur, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 27th November 1916. (2586—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 126 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Asimulla, son of late Abed Pramanik, of Raghu, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 27th November 1916. (2587—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 125 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S , District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Menajuddin, son of late Samir Shekh, of Raghu, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 27 November 1916. (2588—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

(INSOLVENCY CASE No. 128 OF 1916.)

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq.. I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Daimulla Shaikh son of Jahir Mamud Shaikh, of Khamar Danlia, police-station Sadullapur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 28th November 1916.

(2597—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

(INSOLVENCY CASE No. 129 OF 1916.)

PRESENT :

E. Milsom, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Jahir Mamud Shaikh, son of late Pir Mamud Shaikh, of Khamar Danlia, police-station Sadullapur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

E. MILSOM, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 28th November 1916.

(2598—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 76 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq.. I.C.S., District Judge.

SURJYA MOHAN DAS, son of Tongsha Dafadar, of Kakina, police-station Kaligange, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 22nd November 1916 adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 29th November 1916. (2609—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 75 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge

TONGSHA DAFADAR, son of late Braja Nath Dafadar, of Kakina, police-station Kaliganga, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 22nd November 1916 adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 29th November 1916. (2610—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 87 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

NEDESHA MAMUD, son of late Peiku Mamud, of Matukpur, police-station Domar, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 22nd November 1916 adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 29th November 1916. (2611—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 88 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

BHEK MAMUD, son of late Asharu Mamud, of Matukpur, police-station Domar, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 22nd November 1916, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 29th November 1916. (2621—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 89 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

EKAM UDDIN, son of late Asharu Mamud, of Matukpur, police-station Domar, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 22nd November 1916, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 29th November 1916. (2622—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 130 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Jahur Uddi Mamud, son of late Neoaz Basunia, of Itakhali, police-station Nilphamari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 29th November 1916. (2623—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 284 OF 1916.

Shaik Meher, son of late Shaik Sobordhone, of Nawabgunge, police-station Nawparah, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Momojan Khan Kabuli and others, creditors.

ON the 11th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of December 1916 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 17th November 1916. (2493—1—2627)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 293 OF 1916.

Raghu Nath Ram, of 48, Linton Street, Calcutta, applicant.

To Baladeo Pandey and others, creditors.

ON the 18th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of December 1916 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 29th November 1916. (2494—1—2635)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 243 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 23rd August 1916, made by Balkristo Rout, *alias* Balkristo Uria, son of Bhajan Rout, 14, Kalabagan, Uttadinghi, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 20th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2498—1—2628)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 248 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 26th August 1916, made by Abdul Sukur Khan, son of late Abdul Safur Khan, No. 24, Beniapukur Lane, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 20th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2499—1—2629)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 252 of 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 29th August 1916, made by Ganga Prosad Shaha, son of late Chaitu Sha, of Shambazar, Kachhibagan, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 20th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2500—1—2630)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 254 of 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 30th August 1916, made by Sheik Akrem Ali, son of Munsar Ali, of Kidderpore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 20th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2501—1—2631)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 255 of 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 28th August 1916, made by Sheik Yeasin Langra, son of late Ferozddin, of Gobra, thana Benepukur, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 20th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2502—1—2632)

MAULVI AZIZUL ALAM, B.L., intends to be admitted to practise as a Vakil in the High Court.

(2544—4)

Notice.

WANTED a District Engineer for the Malda District Board on a salary of Rs. 250—10—300 a month. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules. Applications with necessary certificates and testimonials are to be submitted on or before the 31st December 1916, in sealed and registered covers addressed to the Chairman, District Board, Malda, and superscribed "application for appointment of District Engineer."

J. H. LINDSAY, Chairman District Board, Malda.

Malda, the 1st December 1916. (2624—3)

Notice.

WANTED by the District Board of Noakhali an experienced Overseer on a monthly salary of Rs 60 plus a travelling allowance of Rs. 25.

The candidate must be qualified under the revised rules published in Bengal Government Notification No. 2330L.S.B., dated the 28th August 1916.

The selected candidate will have to furnish a security deposit of Rs. 300 half in cash and half in personal security bond and to undertake to serve the Board for at least 3 years

Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the District Engineer, Noakhali, up to 18th December 1916.

B. C. PRANCE, Chairman, District Board.

Noakhali, the 24th November 1916. (2585—2)

Advertisement.

WANTED a District Engineer for the Dacca District Board temporarily for six months from the 10th February 1917 on a monthly salary of Rs. 600 with 1st class travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations. Applicants must have the qualifications prescribed in Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, as subsequently amended. Applications with certificates and testimonials are to be submitted on or before the 10th January in sealed and registered covers addressed to the Chairman, District Board, Dacca, and superscribed "Application for post of District Engineer."

S. C. CHAKRABUTTY, for Chairman.

District Board Office, Dacca, the 20th November 1916.

(2509—3)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the notification dated the 7th September 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th September 1914, Part II, page 1229, it is hereby notified for general information, under the provisions of section 107 of the Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890, and with the approval of Government, that the rules relating to wharf rent at the Jetties have been revised with effect from the 7th December 1916.

The rules are as follows :—

(1) The free time allowed to importers for the clearance of goods from the Jetties will be two clear working days, except in the case of goods declared on the Shed Delivery Order for removal on a particular day and not so removed ; the free time in such case will, subject to the maximum of two days, be considered as having expired on the previous day, unless the consignee or his representative records on the Shed Delivery Order before the Shed closes on the same day his reason for not taking delivery.

(2) Wharf rent will be charged as follows :—

(*a*) For the first three days after the expiration of the prescribed free time according to the rates in the pamphlet containing the scale of charges notified in Part II of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 20th of May 1903.

(*b*) For all subsequent days, at double the rates prescribed in (*a*).

By order of the Commissioners.

J. MCGLASHAN, Offg. Secretary.

Calcutta, the 2nd December 1916. (2608—1)

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department will be held on 1st February 1917 at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital, at these stations and from—

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H. F. CLEVELAND, COL., I.M.S.,
Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 1st November 1916.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 056705 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 500 originally standing in the name of Hari Das Sreemaney and last endorsed to Aswini Kumar Das Gupta, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Aswini Kumar Das Gupta.

Residence—Bhatia, P.O. Siddhakati, Dist. Barisal.

(2481—3—2610)

Stolen.

A RECEIPT numbered 20778, dated 19th October 1916, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned are about to apply for surrender of the security :—

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			Rs.	
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161346 of 3½	,, of	Ditto	25,000	
096841 of 3½	,, of	Ditto	1,000	
046842 of 3½	,, of	Ditto	1,000	
097117 of 3½	,, of	Ditto	500	
251920 of 3½	,, of	1865	1,000	
194959 of 3½	,, of	Do.	1,000	
184605 of 3½	,, of	Do.	500	
185783 of 3½	,, of	Do.	500	
148700 of 3½	,, of	1900-1	1,000	
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202993 of 3½	,, of	Do.	500	
074929 of 3½	,, of	Do.	100	
074930 of 3½	,, of	Do.	100	
088095 of 3½	,, of	Do.	100	

Names of the proprietors—Khetter Moni Dassee, Indro Kumari Dassee, Nokur Chunder Dutt, Executors, Estate Nobin Chand Bural.

Residence—1-1, Premchand Bural Street.

(2584—1—2633)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913) and in the matter of The International Provident Assurance Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The International Provident Assurance Co., Ld., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 28th November 1916.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of Dumriadih Coal Co., Ld.

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W. STATHER HALE, Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 28th November 1916.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913).

NOTICE is hereby given that for the purposes of Table B of the First Schedule of the Indian Companies, Act, 1913, the Balance sheet and the Annual List of Members and Summary required to be filed under sections 134(1) and 92 respectively of the Act will in future be considered as separate documents and separate fees will be charged for filing these documents.

W. STATHER HALE,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, Bengal.

Calcutta, dated the 4th December 1916.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Arracan Petroleum Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Arracan Petroleum Company, Ltd., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,
Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 4th December 1916.

The Bengal Life Insurance Co., Ltd. (In Liquidation.)

PURSUANT to section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, a meeting of the members of the above Company will be held on Tuesday, the 2nd January 1917, at 4 P.M. at Canning House.

S. K. DAY,
Incorporated Accountant, Liquidator.

137, Canning Street, Calcutta, the 2nd December 1916.

(2627—1—2636)

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29th " "
15th March "
31st " "
15th April "
30th " "
15th May "
31st " "
15th June "
30th " "
15th July "
31st " "

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March ,,
April ,,
May ,,
June ,,

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15th February 1916.
29th „ „
15th March „
31st „ „
15th April „
30th „ „
15th May „
31st „ „
15th June „
30th „ „
15th July „
31st „ „
15th August „

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2nd half of February 1916.
1st „ „ March „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ April „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ May „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ June „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ July „
2nd „ „ „ „
1st „ „ August „

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29th July 1916.
5th August „
12th „ „
19th „ „
26th „ „
2nd September „

6*p.* (6*p.*).

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June „
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May „
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August „

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 27th November 1916.*

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Cuyo West Pass—Amendments to Charts.

No. 352 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1106 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Salimbubuk island, lat. 11° 19¼′ N., long. 120° 13¼′ E.

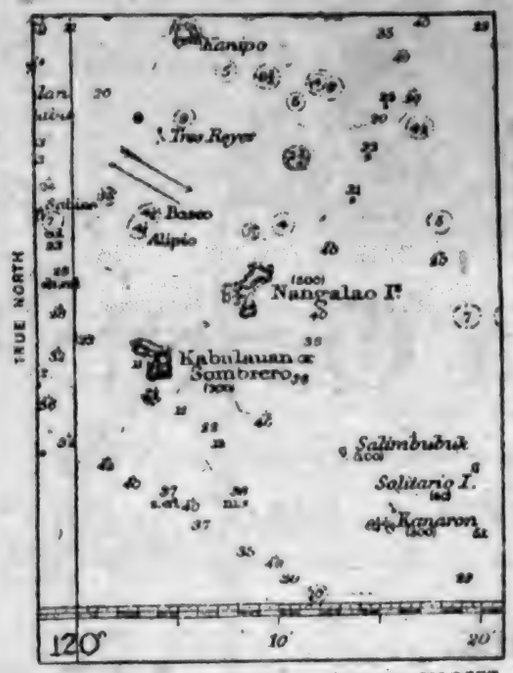
Details.—The existence of several shoals, and amendments to the charts with regard to existing shoals south-eastward of Kalamion (Kulion) island, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 2577, 967, 943 and 2661*b*.

Remarks.—The small islet shown on the charts about 3 miles westward from Salimbubuk island, and the reef extending northward from Nangalao island, do not exist and have therefore been omitted from the reproductions.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine islands, between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 967, Palawan island.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion, eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 61.

Authority.—U.S.A. Government Chart. (*H. 5425/16.*)



Reproduction of Portion of Chart No. 2577.

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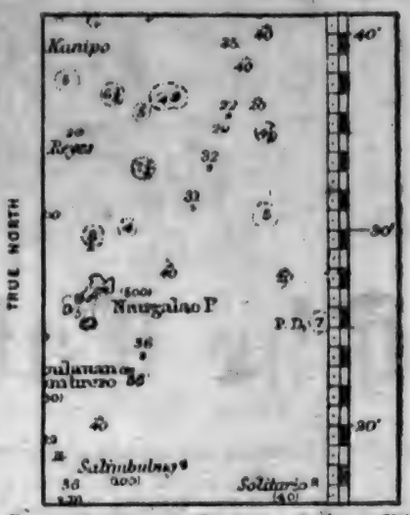

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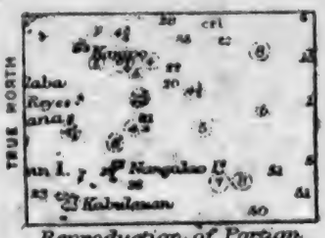

Reproduction of Portion of Chart No. 2661

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PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Tunghi Bay—Amended Buoyage and Depths.

No. 353 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1107 of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 341 of 1916. (*This office No. 149 of 1916.*)

Position.—Tunghi bay entrance, lat. 10° 44′ S., long. 40° 39′ E.

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 658 shows amended buoyage and depths in Tunghi bay.

Chart affected.—No. 658, Rás Pekawi to Cape Delgado.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 314, 315.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5586/16.*)

Reproduction of Portion of Chart No. 658

0 5 Sea Miles

AFRICA—EAST COAST.

Tanga Bay and Approaches—New Light established; Alterations in Buoyage.

No. 354 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1111 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) New light established :

Position.—On the north-eastern extreme of Ulenge island on the site of the former lighthouse which has been destroyed.
Lat. 5° 00½′ S., long. 39° 10½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *vis. 11 m.*

Details :

Character.—A *fixed white* light.

Visibility.—11 miles ; from 270° (*N. 85° W Mag.*) to 360° (*N. 5° E. Mag.*).

Structure.—An iron tripod, boarded in, 43 feet in height.

Note.—The sketch of Ulenge lighthouse is to be deleted from chart No. 663.

(*b*) Alterations in buoyage :

(1) Alteration in description of buoy :

Position.—At a distance of about 2 cables, north-eastward, from the northern end of Nuile reef.
Lat. 5° 03¾′ S., long. 39° 12½′ E.

Details.—"I. Tanga" buoy has been replaced by a black conical buoy with square topmark.

(2) Buoys disappeared :

Details.—With the foregoing exception, all the buoys outside Tanga island anchorage, shown on chart No. 663, have disappeared and are to be expunged from the chart.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 663, Mansa and Tanga bays, with plan of Tanga island anchorage and view B.
„ 1390, Chale point to Pangani.
„ 664, Zanzibar to Malindi.
„ 669, Cape Delgado to Port Mombasa.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 124.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 450, 451.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5587/16.*)

BORNEO, EAST COAST.

Balik Papan Bay and Mahakan River Entrance—Tidal Signals from Light-Vessels discontinued.

No. 355 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1114 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) Balik Papan pilot and light-vessel :
Position.—Lat. 1° 19′ S., long. 116° 57′ E.

(*b*) Muara Jawa pilot and light-vessel :
Position.—Lat. 1° 00½′ S., long. 117° 12′ E.

(*c*) Muara Bayor pilot and light-vessel :
Position.—Lat. 0° 38½′ S., long. 117° 41′ E.

Details.—The tidal signals formerly made from the above light-vessels have been discontinued.

Charts affected.—No. 2636, Strait of Makassar (*a*).
„ 2637, South part of Strait of Makassar (*a*).
„ 2662, Plan of River Mahakan (*b*), (*c*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1064.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 364, 367, 369.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1309 of 1916. (*H. 5761/16.*)

SUMATRA, EAST COAST.

Aru Bay and Palembang River—Tidal Signals from Light-Vessels discontinued.

No. 356 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1115 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) Aroe Baai pilot and light-vessel :

Position.—In the approach to Sembilang channel.
Lat. 4° 11′ N., long. 98° 22¼′ E.

(*b*) Palembang pilot and light-vessel :

Position.—At the entrance to Palembang river.
Lat. 2° 12′ S., long. 104° 57′ E.

Details.—The tidal signals formerly made from the above light-vessels have been discontinued.

Charts affected.—No. 3586, Aru bay (*a*).
„ 3471, Banka strait (*b*).
„ 2757, Banka strait to Singapore (*b*).
„ 2597, Banka strait (*b*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, Nos. 716, 975.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 92, 93.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 120.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1309 of 1916. (*H. 5761/16.*)

PERSIAN GULF.

Farsi, Arabi and Herkuz islands—Beacons erected.

No. 357 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 174M. of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Farsi Island.

Position.—Lat. 27° 59½′ N. long. 50° 10½′ E.

Details.—A wooden mast, 30 feet high, surmounted by a circular iron top-mark in two vertical planes, 9 feet in diameter, at the summit of the southern part of the island.

(2) Arabi Island.

Position.—Lat 27° 46½′ N. long. 50° 11′ E.

Details.—A wooden mast, 30 feet high, surmounted by an iron four-pointed star in two vertical planes, 9 feet in diameter, at the summit of the south-east extremity of the island.

Remarks.—This island is higher than as noted on the chart, the actual height being about 10 feet due probably to the successive layers of guano, and has a cairn of loose stones about 6 feet high at its northern end.

(3) Herkuz Island.

Position.—Lat. 27° 56′ N. long. 49° 41½′ E.

Details.—A wooden mast 30 feet high, surmounted by a circular iron top-mark in two vertical planes, 9 feet in diameter, at the summit in the centre of the island.

Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, pages 142 and 143.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding, R. I. M. S. "Nearchus" dated 22nd October 1916.

CHINA SEA—GULF OF PECHILI, ENTRANCE TO THE HAIHO.

Fort light discontinued.

No. 358 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 629 of 1916) that the Fort Light at the Entrance to the Haiho, Gulf of Pechili, has been discontinued.

The 20th November 1916.

JAVA, NORTH COAST—BATAVIA APPROACH, INNER CHANNEL.

Middelburg Island—Buoys established westward of.

No. 346 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1062 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On the northern side of Ketapang reef.
Lat. 5° 58′ 42″ S., long. 106° 40′ 35″ E.

Description.—A white conical buoy with ball topmark.

Remarks.—The black can buoy with a truncated cone topmark, formerly marking the south-eastern side of Ketapang reef, has been withdrawn.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about a quarter of a mile north-eastward from the white conical buoy with ball topmark, referred to above.
Lat. 5° 58′ 28″ S., long. 106° 40′ 43″ E.

Description.—A black can buoy with truncated cone topmark.

Note.—The positions given above are those of chart No. 933.

Charts affected.—No. 933, Batavia roads.
„ 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.
„ 1653, Island of Java, western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 81.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1224 of 1916. (*H. 5392 16.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Kwale Bay Entrance—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 347 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1066 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Kwale bay entrance, lat. 5° 00½′ S., long. 39° 10½′ E.

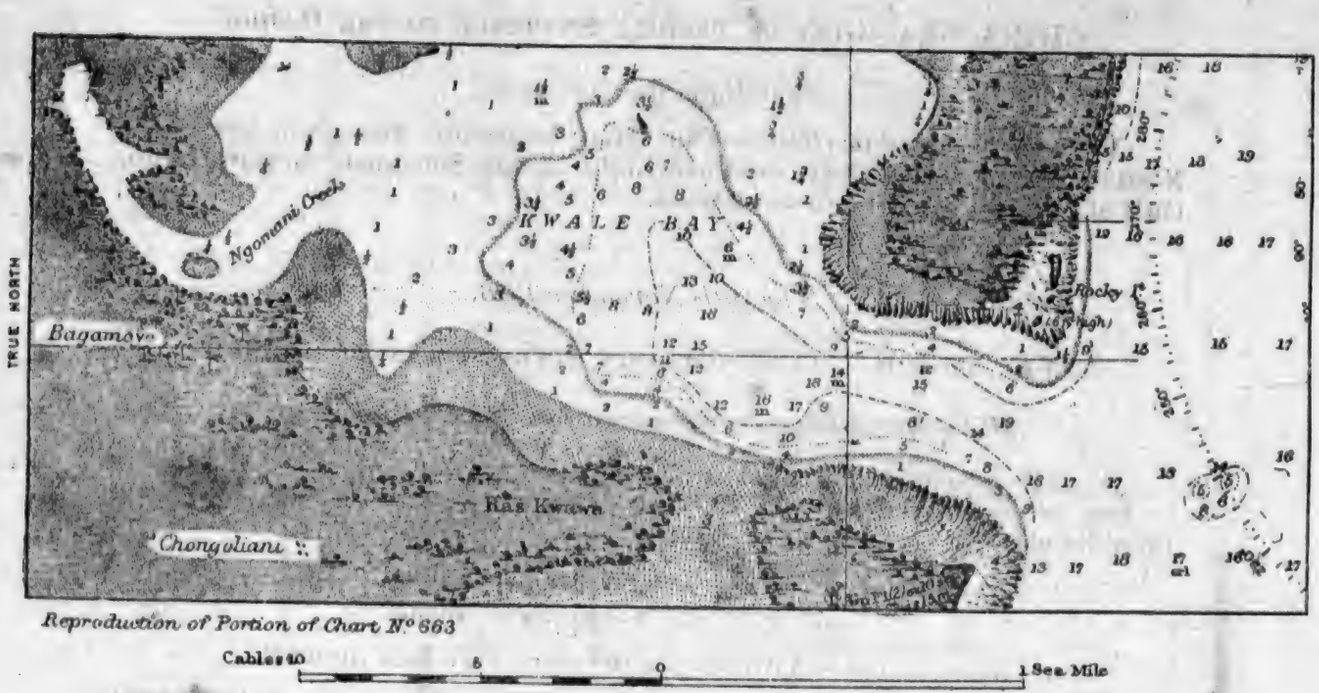
Details.—The position and description of a recently discovered shoal off the entrance to Kwale bay is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 663.

Remarks.—It will be observed that the name of the village hitherto marked "Chongoliani" on the charts is "Bagamoyo"; the correct position of the first named village is shown on the reproduction.

Charts affected.—No. 663, Mansa and Tanga bays.
„ 1390, Chale point to Pangani.
„ 664, Zanzibar to Malindi.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 454.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5057/16.*)



Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 663

CHINA, EAST COAST—SADDLE GROUP.

North Saddle Island Light—Replaced by Temporary Light.

No. 348 (second publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1071 of 1916), are republished:—

Position.—Lat. 30° 51¾′ N., long. 122° 40¼′ E.

Details.—The revolving white light has been discontinued whilst a new permanent light is being installed during which period a temporary light of the undermentioned description is being exhibited from the gallery on the northern side of the existing tower:—

A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse.
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

Note.—Further Notice will be given when the new permanent light has been established.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 1124, Southern approach to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1199, Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu, and Shikoku, &c.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki

„ 2459, North-west Pacific ocean, &c.

„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liautung.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1582.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 349.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 467 of 2nd August 1916. (*H. 5664/16.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Surabaya Strait, Panka Point—Extension of Bank northward of.

No. 349 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1075 of 1916), are republished :—

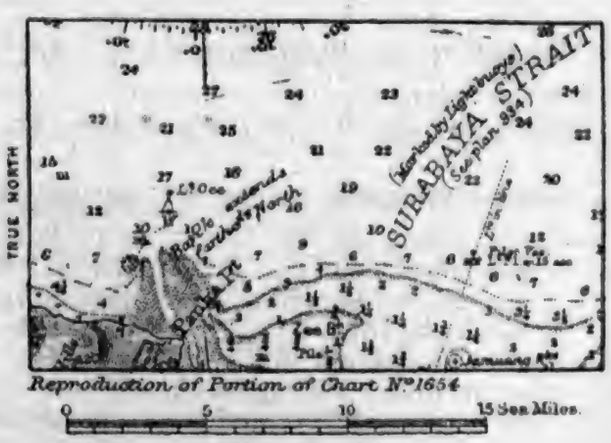
Position.—Panka point, lat. 6° 54½′ S., long. 112° 34½′ E.

Details.—A note "*Bank extends further to the Nd. (1916)*" is to be inserted on chart No. 934, and the necessary correction to chart No. 1654 is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of that chart.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Surabaya and Sapudi straits, &c.
„ 1654, Island of Java—eastern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 131.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1227 of 1916. (*H. 5395/16.*)



INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Bombay Floating light-vessel—Temporarily replaced by another light-vessel.

No. 350 (second publication).—

The Port Officer, Bombay, has given Notice dated 20th November 1916 that from about 6th to about 22nd December 1916 the Unattended Bombay

Floating Light-vessel will be withdrawn from her station and replaced by a Light-vessel painted red and having three masts

By day.—She will carry a red ball at the main mast head.

By night.—She will exhibit a white light revolving once in every 20 seconds at a height 36 feet above the water line, visible all round the horizon at a distance in clear weather of 10 miles.

INDIA. EAST COAST—BAY OF BENGAL.

Madras harbour, North arm light washed away.

No. 351 (second publication),—

Subject.—The light on the northern extremity of the breakwater, Madras harbour, has been washed away.

Position.—Lat. 13° 6′ N., long. 80° 18′ E.

Character.—Alternating occulting white and red light every 15 seconds.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Order.—4th.

Structure—Stone and cement column, 26 feet in height.

Charts affected.—No. 575, Madras to Ramapatnam with plan.
„ 71, Madras to Calimere Point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 562.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 218; Revised Supplement. 1916.

Authority.—Presidency Port Officer, Madras, telegram dated 23rd November 1916.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 13th November 1916.

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip Entrance—Information with regard to Depths.

No. 340 (third publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1045 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Point Lonsdale, lat. 38° 17½′ S., long. 144° 37′ E.

Details.—The fairway at the entrance to Port Phillip has been deepened to 40 feet for a width of 1,000 feet eastward of the line of Shortland bluff leading lights, and extending from the line of leading lights to the line of the Obelisk and Shortland bluff high light.

Except under the most favourable circumstances of sea and tide, it is considered dangerous to navigate any vessel having a greater draught than 32 feet through the entrance.

Note.—The cautionary note on the charts is to be amended to read :—
"*It is dangerous to navigate any vessel having a greater draught than 32 ft. through the entrance to Port Phillip (1916).*"

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, pages 424, 428, 475; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice, No. 15 of 1916. (*H. 5382/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SULU SEA.

Tub Bataha Reefs—Amendments to Charts.

No. 341 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 1047 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—North rock, lat. 8° 55¼′ N., long. 120° 02′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts respecting the position and extent of the Tub Bataha reefs, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 967, 2578, 943, 2660*b* and 1263.

Remarks.—It will be observed that the elevation of Tub Bataha light is 65 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.

„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.

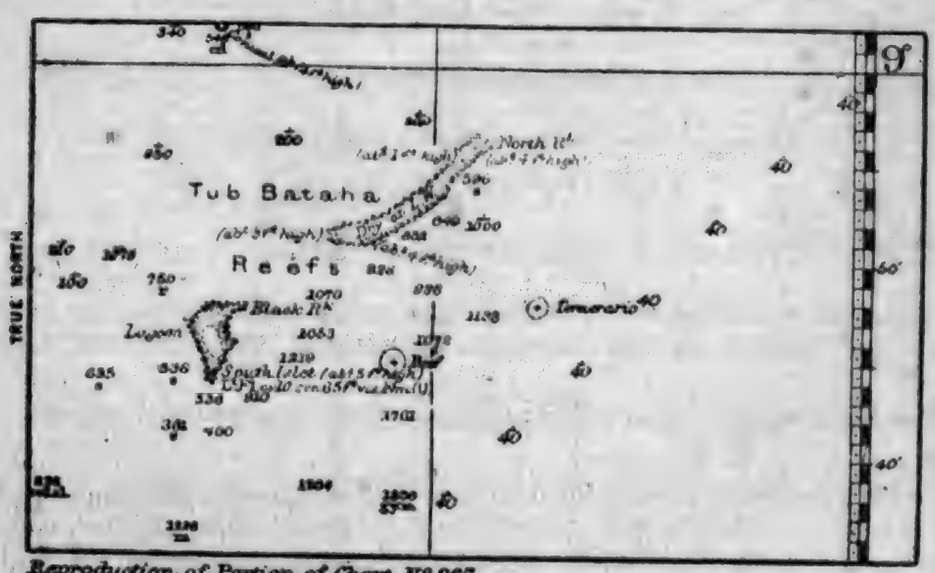
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.

„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1136.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 72.

Authority.—U.S.A. Government Chart. (*H. 5300/16*).



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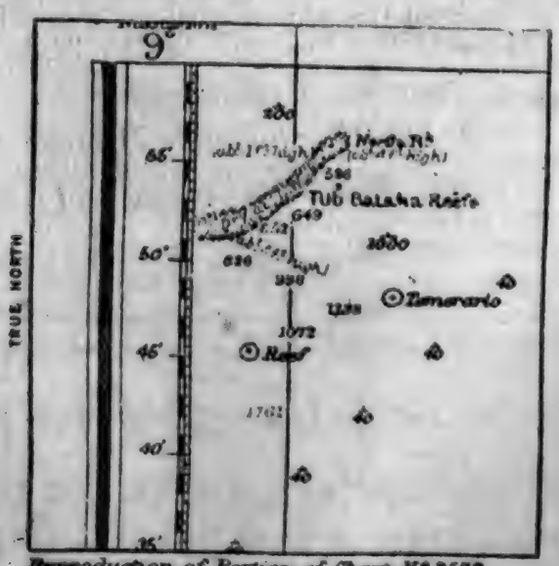

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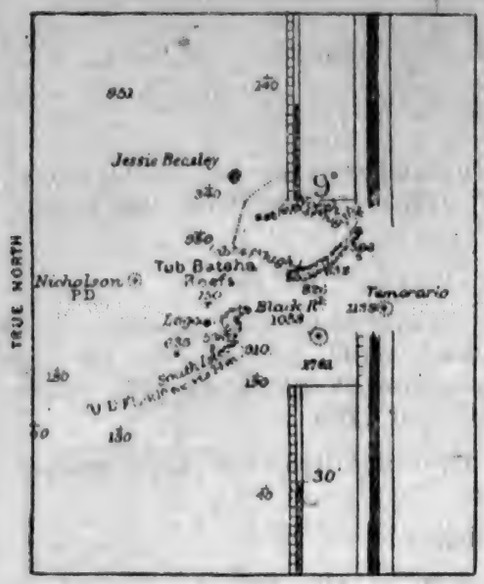

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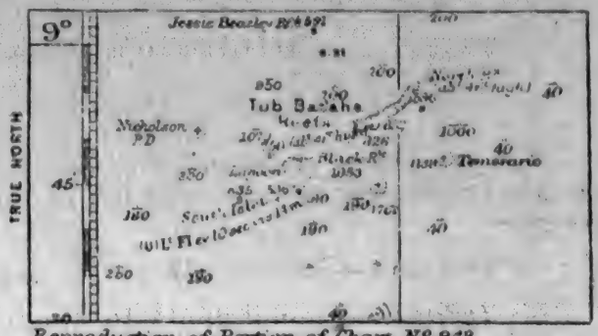

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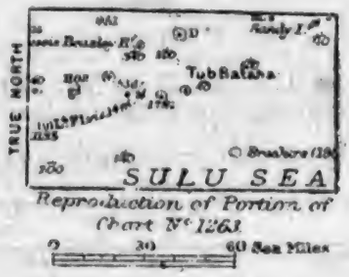


Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 1263

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Palawan Island, North-East Coast—Existence of Shoals.

No. 342 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1048 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—North point of Palawan island, lat. 11° 26′ N., long. 119° 29′ E.

Details.—The existence of numerous shoals, and amendments to the charts with regard to existing shoals off the north-east coast of Palawan island, and westward of Kalamion (Kulion) island, embodying the latest information, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 967, 2577, 2661*b*, 943 and 2660*b*.

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.

„ 2577, Philippine islands, between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.

„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.

„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion, eastern sheet.

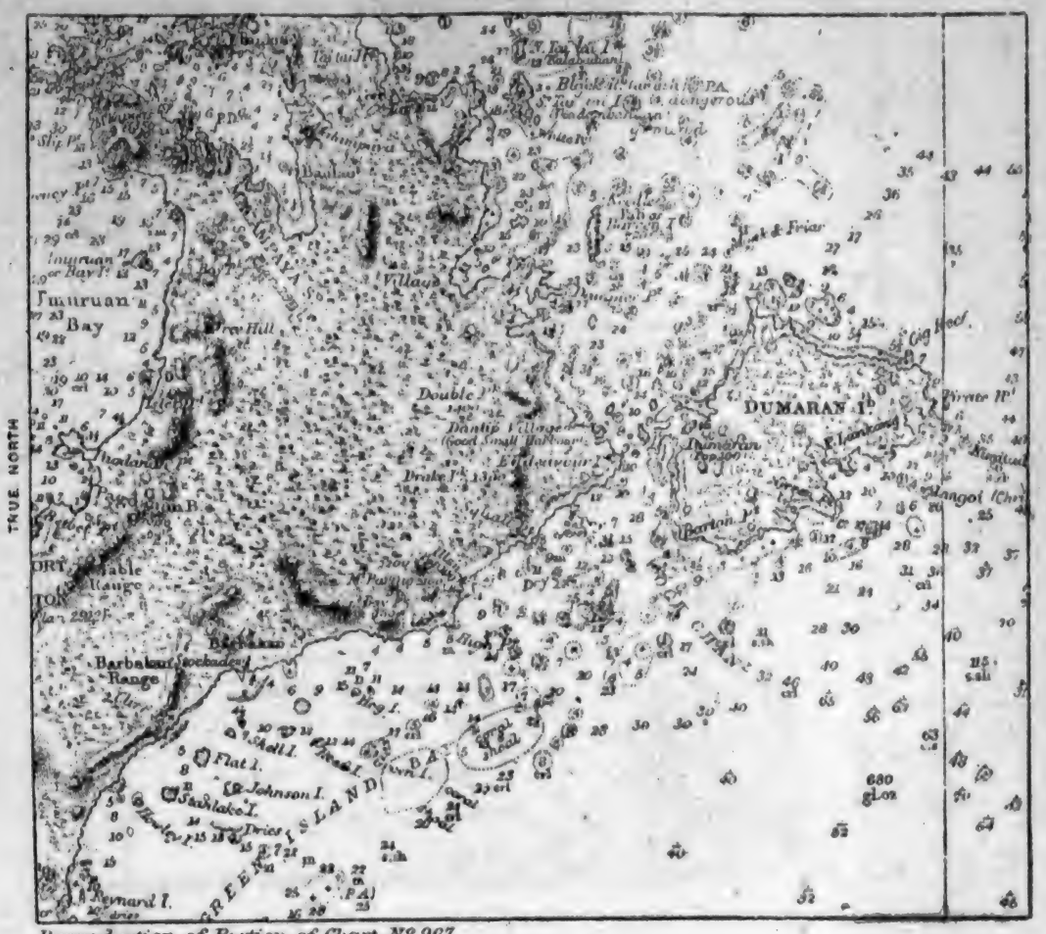
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion, eastern sheet.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, pages 53 to 95.

China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, pages 207, 208.

Authority.—U.S.A. Government Chart. (*H. 5263/16.*)



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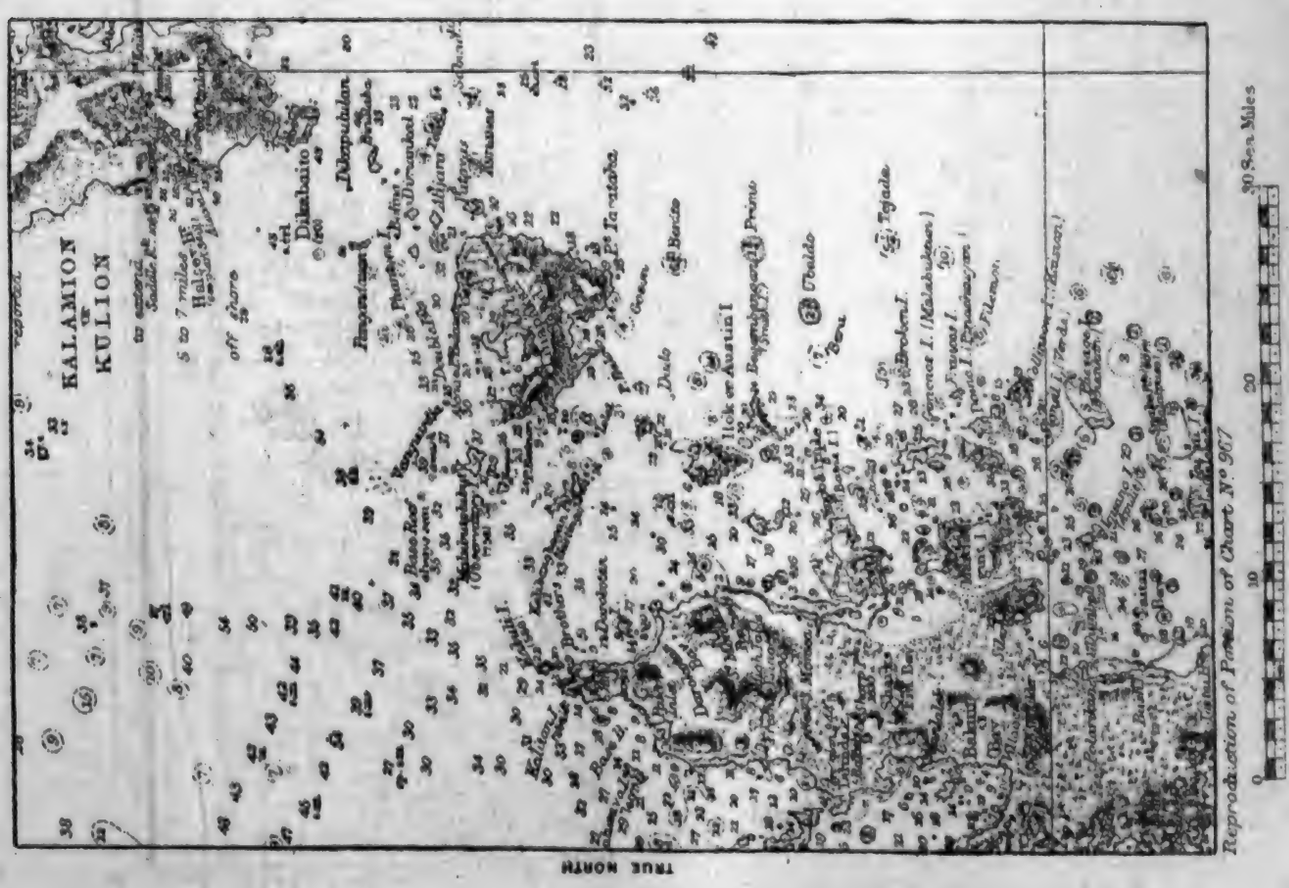

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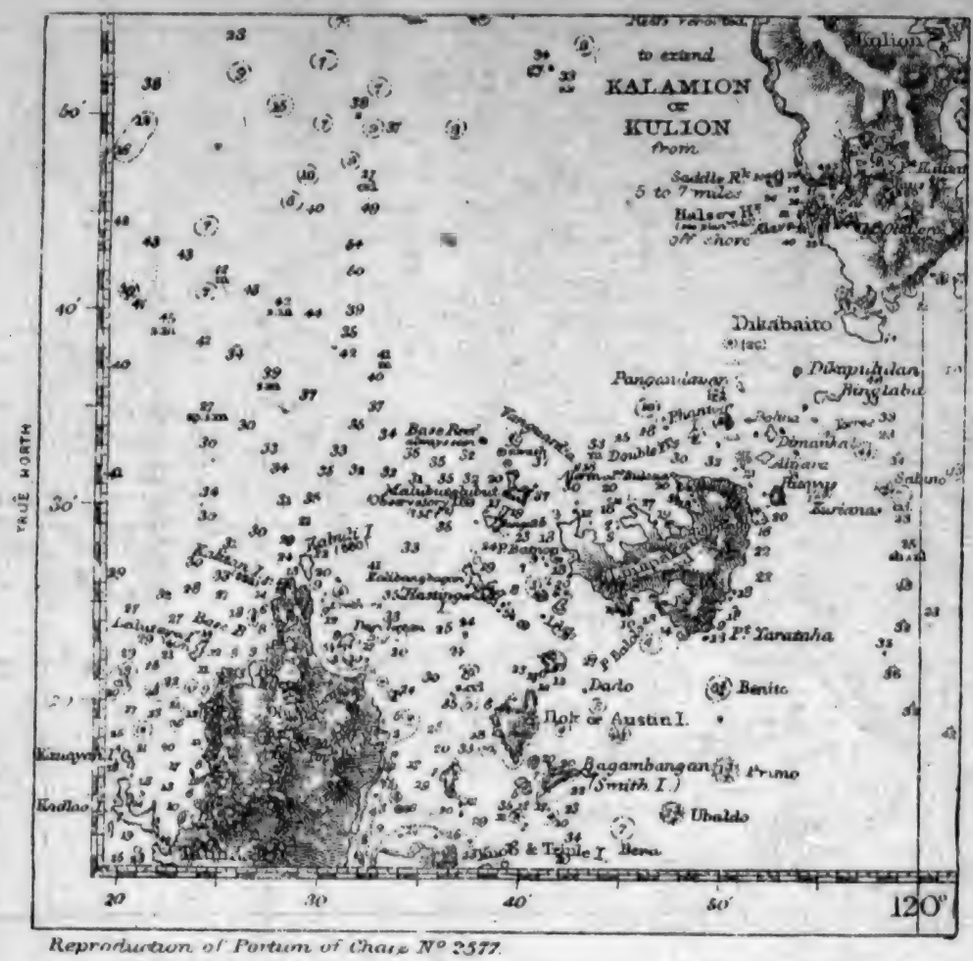

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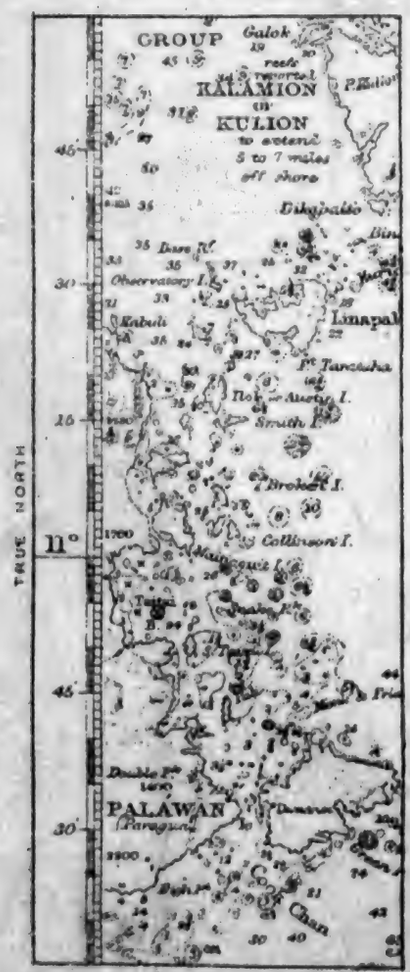

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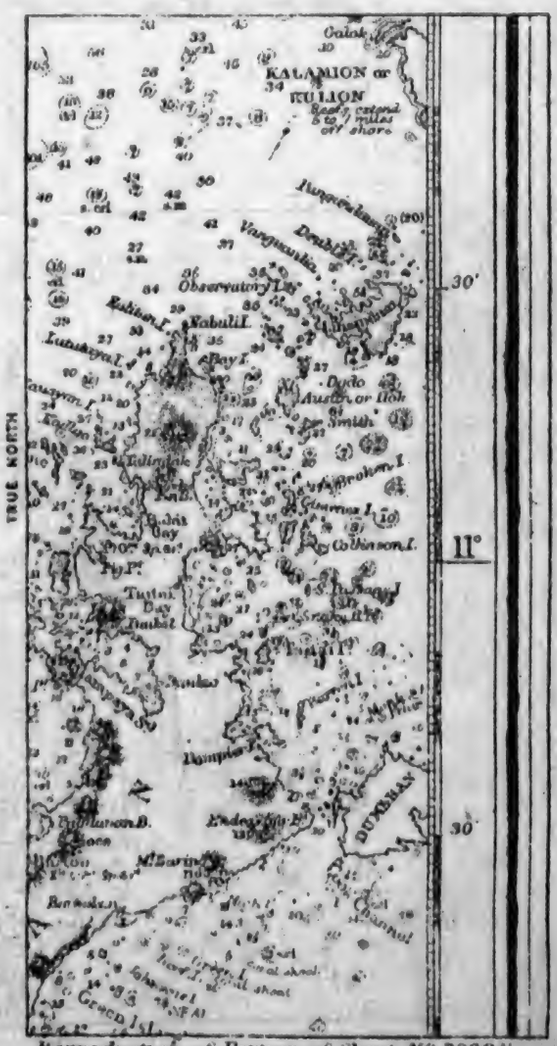

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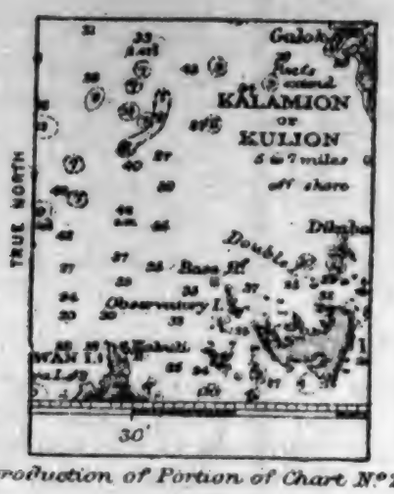

Reproduction of Portion of Chart No. 2661a

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NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—GREAT BARRIER ISLAND.

Wangaparapara Harbour—Light discontinued.

No. 343 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1056 of 1916), are republished—

Position.—On the north-western headland of the harbour entrance.
Lat. 36° 15′ S., long. 175° 23½′ E.

Description.—A fixed white light.

Remarks.—The light is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2559, Great Barrier island, ports and anchorages.
„ 3565, Bream head to Tepaki point.
„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour.
„ 1212, New Zealand.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2872.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 96; Supplement No. 2, 1915.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 58 of 1916. (*H. 5568/16.*)

SUMATRA, SOUTH COAST.

Semangka Bay—Light established.

No. 344 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1057 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At New Kota Agung.
Lat. 5° 29′ 30″ S., long. 104° 36′ 20″ E., on chart No. 2056.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *Red, 33 ft. vis. 3 m.*

Details:

Character.—A *fixed red* light.
Elevation.—33 feet.
Visibility.—3 miles.
Structure.—Iron pole.

Charts affected.—No 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.
„ 2761, Chingkuk bay to the Strait of Sunda.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 856*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 45.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 49.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1223 of 1916. (*H. 5391/16.*)

AUSTRALIA—East Coast.

Island Point, Port Douglas—Intended alteration of light.

No. 345 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Fixed red light on Island Point, Port Douglas, will be altered to Fixed White on or about 2nd January, 1917.

Position.—Lat. 16° 28′ S., long. 145° 29′ E.

Character.—Fixed White Light.

Remarks.—The remaining details of the light are unaltered.

Publications affected.—*Admiralty List of Lights and Time Signals*, Part VI, 1916, No. 2734.
Sailing Directions and other information for the Ports and Harbours of Queensland, 1916.
List of Lighthouses, Lighted Beacons and Floating Lights on the Queensland Coast, 1901.

Charts affected.—
Admiralty Chart No. 2924.—Cape Grafton to Hope Islands.
" " 2764.—Coral Sea and Great Barrier Reefs, shewing Inner and Outer Routes to Torres Strait—Sheet 2.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 10 of 1916.

G. H. S. LaTouche, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

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REPORT OF THE HONORARY COMMITTEE FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN, CALCUTTA, 1915-16.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13356P.—The 29th November 1916.—The following extracts from the Annual Administration Report of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, for the year 1915-16, and the Government letter No. 13354P., dated the 29th November 1916, acknowledging the receipt of the report are published for general information.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE Honorary Committee have the honour to submit their report for the year ending 31st March 1916, the contents of which, as usual, include, among other items :—

(1) The Superintendent's report upon the menagerie.

(2) Monthly returns of visitors and a list of donors and their donations.

(3) Abstract of accounts of ordinary and extraordinary receipts and expenditure.

(4) A list of animals in the Garden.

1. THE COMMITTEE.

The Committee consisted of—

President :

The Hon'ble Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., I.C.S., from 1st April 1915 to 15th July 1915.

The Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan, I.C.S., from 16th July 1915 to 31st March 1916.

Vice-President :

P. L. Buckland, Esq., F.Z.S.

Honorary Secretary and Treasurer :

Lieut.-Col. E. H. Brown, M.D., I.M.S. (retired), D.P.H., F.Z.S., F.R.C.S.E., from 1st April 1915 to 16th May 1915.

S. C. Berridge, Esq., from 17th May 1915 to 31st March 1916.

Superintendent.

Mr. Bijay Krishna Basu, G.B.V.C., C.M.Z.S.

Assistant Superintendent :

Babu Somadev Ganguli.

Members of the Committee :

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E. G. L. Laird McGregor, Esq., I.C.S.
Lieut.-Col. E. H. Brown, I.M.S. (retired), M.D. D.P.H., F.R.C.S.E.

Ex-officio *Members:*

The Commissioners of Divisions in Bengal.
The Executive Engineer of the Public Works Department of the Division in which the garden is placed.
The Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Bengal.
The President of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.
The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
The Natural History Secretary of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.
The Director of Land Records.
The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal.
The Professor of Comparative Anatomy and Zoology, Medical College, Bengal.
The Superintendent of the Royal Botanic Garden, Sibpur.
The Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation.
The Principal of the Bengal Veterinary College, Calcutta.
The following members resigned their membership during the year:—

J. O. Dean, Esq
C. J. Elton, Esq.
C. J. Kerr, Esq.

The following new members were appointed during the year:—

E. G. L. Laird McGregor, Esq., I.C.S.
Lieut.-Col. E. H. Brown, M.D., I.M.S. (retired).

On 16th May 1915 Lieut.-Colonel E. Harold Brown resigned his appointment as Honorary Secretary and Treasurer. In accepting his resignation, the Committee of Management recorded the following resolution:—

"The Committee have received Lieut.-Colonel Brown's resignation with much regret and desire to place on record their appreciation of the services which he has rendered to the Zoological Garden during the 15 years that he has held the appointment."

2. STAFF AND ESTABLISHMENT.

Mr. Bijay Krishna Basu continued in charge of the garden as Superintendent throughout the year and Babu Somadev Ganguli as Assistant Superintendent.

Babu Praphulla Chandra Mitter resigned his appointment as Clerk and Babu Tarak Chandra Chatterjee was appointed in his place.

The following is a list of the superior staff of the garden at the end of 1915-16:—

Superintendent:

Mr. Bijay Krishna Basu, G.B.V.C., C.M.Z.S.

Assistant Superintendent:

Babu Somadev Ganguli.

Storekeeper and Typist:

Babu Jugal Kishore Roy.

Overseer:

Babu Niranjan Mukherji:

Clerk:

Babu Tarak Chandra Chatterji.

Gate Clerk:

Babu Panchanan Mukherji.

The following is a list of the menial staff of the garden at the end of 1915-16 :—

2 jamadars.	1 cook.	1 carpenter.
8 durwans.	1 head gardener.	2 cartmen.
1 head keeper.	14 gardeners.	1 syce.
19 keepers.	3 sweepers.	1 scythe-man.
3 bhistis.	1 chaprasi.	

Besides these, a number of temporary labourers were engaged during the year.

3. BUILDINGS.

During the year under report various improvements were carried out, the most important of which comprised the following :—

(1) *Retiring-rooms for Indian visitors.*—The want of proper retiring-rooms for Indian visitors to the garden was keenly felt for a long time and it was decided to build up-to-date retiring-rooms for Indian ladies and gentlemen. The rooms have been built on approved lines with all sanitary improvements and will meet the requirements of the visitors.

The cost of construction was met from a generous donation by Babu Ambica Charan Law, a member of the Committee of Management of the Garden.

(2) *Roofing of Deer Paddock.*—The wooden roofing of one of the houses of the deer paddock overlooking the public road having become rotten, it was thoroughly overhauled and galvanised sheeting was put over the planks.

(3) *Crocodile Pool.*—The gravel path round the Crocodile Pool became a cause of considerable trouble and annoyance to the inmates of the pool. Mischievous visitors used to take a handful of gravel and throw them on the reptiles and every morning a basketful of gravel was collected. To put a stop to this state of things, the path was covered with patent stone and the inmates are now safe from further molestation.

(4) *Murshidabad House.*—The brick-on-edge flooring and the side walls of the outer enclosure of the Murshidabad House settled down, being situated in close proximity to the big lake and it was apprehended that the northern portion would collapse. It was, therefore, decided that steps should be taken to prevent this. The foundation of the wall was laid deeper and blocks of stone were set and brick stays were constructed. The bank of the lake was lined with trees and earthwork done. The floor was dismantled and a 4-foot concrete was laid and brick-on-edge floor over a brick flat was provided for.

(5) *Drainage.*—Much drainage work was undertaken during the year. The northern portion of the garden and the main drive could not be kept in an up-to-date condition for want of proper drainage. It was decided to construct hydrants along the main drive from the Small Carnivora House to the Burdwan House. The unfiltered water-supply in the Burdwan House circle was also far from satisfactory. The whole system was thoroughly overhauled and new pipes were laid.

(6) *Birch Hill Park, Darjeeling.*—The aviary which had been erected at Darjeeling for the reception of Himalayan animals prior to their despatch to Calcutta was removed to Birch Hill Park from "Rockwood", the residence of the late Mr. F. E. Moller, Vice-Chairman, Darjeeling Municipality. It is a spacious aviary, being 20′ × 10′, divided into three portions. Thanks are due to the Conservator of Forests and the Forest Department, Darjeeling, for kindly taking charge of it.

As the repairs to the buildings could not be taken in hand last year, they needed repairs badly during the year under report. They were therefore carried out on an extensive scale.

The following is a list of the more important repairs executed :—

(1) *Entrance lodge and office.*—The office rooms were whitewashed, the ceiling was repainted and woodwork repaired and repainted. The gates were repainted. There are considerable repairs to be done to the roofing which is leaking and which will cost a good deal of money. It is hoped to take the work in hand next year.

(2) *Dumraon House.*—Inside walls were lime-washed and outside colour-washed. Iron- and woodwork was painted. The iron gratings of some of the inner cages require renewing and the work will be taken in hand next year.

(3) *Crocodile Pool.*—The railing round the pool was painted.

(4) *Peafowl Pavilion.*—Wire-netting was repaired and ironwork re-painted.

(5) *Lalgola House,*—Inside walls were lime-washed and outside colour-washed. The iron partition fencing of one of the enclosures which was broken down by a falling tree after a storm was repaired and wire-netting repaired in many places.

(6) *Paddocks,*—The iron fencing of the paddocks and partitions were repaired and coal-tarred. The kiosks were repaired and repainted.

(7) *Barking Deer Enclosure.*—The ground being low was under water during the rainy season. It was raised and the shed was thoroughly overhauled and painted and a dwarf wall was built round it.

(8) *Sonebursa Enclosure.*—Inside walls were lime-washed and outside colour-washed. Repairs were done to the surface drain and the ground was raised. The woodwork was repaired where necessary and was painted.

(9) *Rhinoceros Enclosure.*—The house was repaired and colour-washed and the dwarf wall and fencing painted.

(10) *Crane Enclosure.*—The wooden sheds were absolutely worn out and required thorough overhauling. They were accordingly repaired and repainted and the iron- and wire-fencing repainted.

(11) *Murshidabad House.*—Inside walls were lime-washed and outside colour-washed. Some of the glass panes were replaced and wire-netting repaired.

(12) *Sarnomoyi House.*—Thorough repairs were done to this house. The sand plaster and the woodwork of the inner houses were considerably damaged by mischievous parrots and roseate cockatoos. These were repaired. The wire-netting of the outer and inner enclosures became weak at places, due to corrosion and it was repaired.

(13) *Antelope House.*—Iron-and woodwork was repainted and wire-netting repaired and portions renewed.

(14) *Small Carnivora House.*—The inside walls were lime-washed and ironwork repainted. The iron gratings of some of the cages were weak at the bottom and it was thought advisable to replace them, which was done The iron partitions between the cages having corroded at the bottom, the bottom pieces were changed.

(15) *Bird of Prey House.*—The ironwork was repainted.

(16) *New Bear House.*—Inner walls were lime-washed and outside colour-washed.

(17) *Wild Dog House.*—The front grating was replaced by a new one. The house was repainted.

(18) *Cooch Behar House.*—Repaired and lime-washed. The iron gratings of the cages were repainted.

(19) *Hippo Enclosure.*—The house was repaired and repainted and the outer enclosure colour-washed.

(20) *Tapir Enclosure.*—Inside lime-washed and outside colour-washed.

(21) *Ezra House.*—Inner portion was lime-washed and outside colour-washed. The iron and woodwork repainted.

(22) *Burdwan House.*— Extensive repairs were done to the Burdwan House. The outer and inner dens were repaired and lime-washed and outside walls colour-washed. The iron- and woodwork was repainted. The broken glass panes were replaced by new ones.

(23) *Schwendler House.*—Inside walls were lime-washed and outside colour-washed. Iron- and woodwork repainted.

(24) *Refreshment Pavilion.*—Woodwork and ceiling painted. The tiled roof which was leaking was repaired. The furniture was polished.

(25) *Rodent House.*—Inside walls were lime-washed and outside colour-washed. The ridges over the tiles were repaired. The wire-nettings of the outer enclosure were renewed at the bottom.

(26) *Retiring-rooms.*—Inside walls were lime-washed and woodwork repainted and furniture polished.

Besides the above, petty repairs of smaller houses, sheds and enclosures were attended to. The repairs of roads were carried out as usual. The main drive was remetalled at places and roads and garden paths were repaired and gravelled.

4. VISITORS.

There was a slight increase in the attendance of paying visitors during the year, the turnstile records indicating a total of 598,024 visitors, and showing an increase of 38,265 over the figures for 1914-15. The following is a comparative table of visitors for the last three years :—

Year.	Visitors.	Year.	Visitors.	Year.	Visitors.
1913-14 ...	704,982	1914-15 ...	559,759	1915-16 ...	598,024

5. FINANCE.

Corresponding with the increase in the number of visitors, the gate receipts increased by Rs. 2,063-12 as will appear from the following statement :—

Year.	Receipts.	Year	Receipts.	Year.	Receipts.
	Rs. A.		Rs. A.		Rs. A.
1913-14 ...	53,913 11	1914-15 ...	42,269 1	1915-16 ...	44,332 13

The financial condition of the garden has been on the whole satisfactory, though the cost of food-grains, etc., has considerably risen and though the gate receipts have come down on account of the European war.

The amounts of income and expenditure are summarised in Appendix A.

A large number of children under 4 years of age and school children attended by their teachers were admitted free. On the day of the Fancy Fair about 7,000 people entered the garden. Besides these, 60,546 persons visited the garden on the free days. A list of free days with the number of visitors is given in Appendix C.

6. GARDEN.

The Floricultural Department was carefully attended to and the display of flowering plants and evergreens continued to be a most attractive feature. The ornamental part of the garden, such as lawns, flower beds, shrubberies, etc., was kept in the best possible condition. Flowering annuals were exhibited at the monthly shows held by the Agri-Horticultural Society of India and the Superintendent was awarded a bronze medal for some very fine exhibits.

CONCLUSION.

The thanks of the Committee are due to the ladies and gentlemen who have added to the collection of the garden by their donations, a list of which is given in Appendix D. Thanks are also due to those who kindly offered to present animals to the garden, but whose offers could not be accepted, either because the particular species of animals was already sufficiently well represented, or owing to the want of accommodation.

The Committee also desire to express their sincere thanks to various railway and steamer companies for conveying animals belonging to the garden free of charge and in particular to the East Indian Railway Company, Eastern Bengal Railway, Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company, Oudh and Rohilkhund Railway, Bengal and North-Western Railway Company, Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, British India Steam Navigation Company, India General Steam Navigation and Railway Company and the Rivers Steam Navigation Company.

S. C. BERRIDGE,
Honorary Secretary.

F. J. MONAHAN,
President.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report on the existing condition and the progress of the menagerie of the garden.

The following comparative table shows how the various collection of animals in the garden stood during the last four years :—

Year.	Mammals.	Birds.	Reptiles.	Year.	Mammals.	Birds.	Reptiles.
1912-13	... 341	1,188	150	1914-15	... 334	1,893	246
1913-14	... 378	1,659	223	1915-16	... 351	1,940	198

General Condition of the Animals.

The health of the animals was entirely satisfactory and there was no epidemic of any kind during the year. The larger carnivores were also healthy and the Himalayan animals, such as, Uryal, Burrhel and Tahr, Catbear and Binturong did remarkably well.

The following are important additions to the collection :—

2 Red-collared whydahs (*Penthetria ardens*), presented by E. W. Harper, Esq.

2 Bronze-capped teals (*Eunetta falcata*), purchased.

1 *Polyodontophis subpunctatus*, presented by P. C. Chattopadaya, Esq.

1 Pink-headed duck (*Rhodonessa caryophyllacea*), purchased.

1 Large swallow plover (*Glareola orientalis*), presented by D. Ezra, Esq.

1 Baby elephant (*Elephas indicus*), presented by Chief Commissioner of Assam.

1 Great kangaroo (*Macropus giganteus*), born.

1 Golden cat (*Felis temminoki*), presented by C. N Grimshaw, Esq.

2 Orang-outangs (*Simia satyrus*), purchased.

1 Tiger (*Felis tigris*), presented by Raja of Mahisadal.

1 Malayan bear (*Ursus malayanus*), purchased.

1 Grey parrot (*Psittacus erithacus*), presented by Kumar Nagendra Mullick.

3 Black swans (*Cygnus atratus*), born.

1 *Eublepharis hardwickii*, presented by Dr. J. Newport Kilner.

2 Barasingha deer (*Cervus duvaucelli*), born.

2 Gayals (*Bos frontalis*), purchased.

2 Uryals (*Ovis cycloceros*), purchased

2 Binturongs (*Arctictis binturong*), purchased.

2 Tiger cubs (*Felis tigris*), purchased.

7 Snake-eating cobras (*Naia bungarus*), purchased.

6 Brown-rat snakes (*Coluber helena*), purchased.

2 Gayals (*Bos frontalis*), born.

2 Indian martens (*Mustela flavigula*), purchased.

11 Bornean firebacks (*Euplocamus nobilis*), purchased.

2 Cassowaries (*Casuarius bicarunculatus*), purchased.

1 Bengal florikin (*Sypheotides bengalensis*), purchased.

1 Dusky langur (*Semnopithecus obscurus*), purchased.

2 Snow leopards (*Felis uncia*), purchased.

1 Carolina duck (*Æx sponxa*), born.

2 Moor monkeys (*Semnopithecus maurus*), purchased.

3 Hoolocks (*Hylobates hoolock*), purchased.

1 Longtailed sibia (*Sibia picaoides*), purchased.

2 Niltava finches (*Niltava sundara*), purchased.

1 Tapir (*Tapirus indicus*), born.

The following were received from the Giza Zooloogical Gardens on exchange account :—

2 Lion cubs (*Felis leo*).
1 Rufifrons gazelle (*Gazella rufifrons*).
1 Nubian ibex (*Capra sinaitica*).

APPENDIX A.

I.—Comparative Statement of Receipts for 1914-15 and 1915-16.

	1914-15			1915-16.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Opening balance	21,791	9	1	14,471	0	2
Interest	284	11	1	231	3	4
Donation and subscription	212	0	0	654	0	0
Entrance receipts	42,269	1	0	44,332	13	0
Rent	4,195	5	8	5,988	11	0
Carriage, rickshaw, elephant ride, etc., etc. ...	564	12	0	867	10	0
Fishing	250	0	0	288	0	0
Pic-nic	156	0	0	175	0	0
Rhino urine	2,106	0	0	1,968	0	0
Miscellaneous receipts	6,358	11	6	6,631	4	8
Government contribution	20,000	0	0	20,000	0	0
Total ...	98,188	2	4	95,607	10	2
Add—						
Receipts of 31st March 1914, which were included in 1914-15.	111	5	0	.....		
Receipts of 31st March 1915, which are included in 1915-16.	.....			96	14	0
	98,299	7	4	95,704	8	2
Deduct—						
Receipts of 31st March 1915, which are included in 1915-16.	96	14	0	.....		
Receipts of 31st March 1916, which will be included in 1916-17.	.....			125	4	0
GRAND TOTAL ...	98,202	9	4	95,579	4	2

II.—Comparative Statement of Expenditure for 1914-15 and 1915-16.

	1914-15.			1915-16.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Establishment	8,459	1	0	8,539	7	10
Food of animals	28,151	8	3	29,564	6	0
Purchase of animals	14,482	12	6	6,219	13	6
Transport of animals	470	0	9	869	12	6
Miscellaneous contingencies	7,272	8	5	5,488	2	1
Repairs of roads	1,086	7	0	1,500	0	0
Do. of buildings	9,175	13	0	7,218	15	9
Original construction	10,053	13	6	3,939	13	9
Garden ditto	4,578	8	9	2,446	0	0
Total ...	83,731	9	2	65,786	7	5
Closing balance ...	14,471	0	2	29,792	12	9
GRAND TOTAL ...	98,202	9	4	95,579	4	2

APPENDIX B.

Summary of Visitors and Gate receipts during 1915-16.

Month and year.	Number of visitors.	Receipts.		Month and year.	Number o visitors.	Receipts.	
		Rs.	A.			Rs.	A.
April 1915 ...	37,085	2,815	14	November 1915 ...	41,013	3,080	11
May ,, ...	37,343	2,901	8	December ,, ...	51,609	3,948	10
June ,, ...	48,091	3,362	15	January 1916 ...	60,826	4,592	12
July ,, ...	41,564	3,114	0	February ,, ...	50,787	3,812	9
August ,, ...	52,052	3,867	9	March ,, ...	43,314	3,227	15
September ,, ...	43,196	3,242	8				
October ,, ...	91,144	6,365	14	Total ...	598,024	44,332	13

APPENDIX C.

A list of free days showing free visitors during the year 1915-1916.

12th April	1915	...	...	2,703
3rd May	,,	...	...	5,696
7th June	,,	...	...	4,915
5th July	,,	...	...	5,612
2nd August	,,	...	...	6,330
6th September	,,	...	...	7,396
4th October	,,	...	...	6,495
1st November	1915	...	...	10,652
20th December	,,	...	...	2,951
17th January	1916	...	...	2,751
21st February	,,	...	...	2,914
20th March	,,	...	...	2,131
		Total	...	60,546

APPENDIX D.

List of Donors. 1915-16.

A.

A S.	1 Young common peafowl.
Alkin, Mrs. F. W. ...	1 Indian antelope.
Anderson, Lt.-Col. A., I.M.S	1 Mud snake.
Assam, Chief Commissioner of.	1 Baby elephant.

B.

Brown, Dr. R., I.S.M.D.	1 Four-horned antelope, 1 Leopard cub.
Basu, Mr. B. K. ...	1 Indian antelope.
Bannerji, Mr. N. ...	1 Spotted deer.
Bose, Babu Haricharan.	1 Indian antelope.
Bray, Mrs. ...	1 Bare-eyed cockatoo.
Boureau, Mr. J. ...	1 Sloth bear cub.

C.

Caldwell, Mr. J. M. ...	1 Hog deer.
Cobden-Ramsay, Mr. D.	1 Sloth bear cub, 1 Chameleon.
Cuzen, Mr. J. C. ...	1 Indian antelope.
Chattopadhyay, Mr. P. C., M.A.	1 Poliodontophis subpunctatus.
Cameli, Mr. J. ...	2 Java sparrows. 1 Banteng.
Customs, Collector of	2 Rhesus monkeys.
Carter, Mr. A. C. ...	2 Nilgais, 1 Sambur deer.

D.

Dods, Mr. W. K. ..	1 Bronze-winged dove, 7 Egrets, 10 Herons, 20 Purple coots, 1 Cotton teal, 1 Ruddy crake, 21 Corn crakes, 7 Water cocks, 6 Indian rails, 3 Bronze-winged jacanas, 2 White-breasted water-hens.
Dhenkanal, Raja of ...	4 Sloth bears.
Dhar, Babu Rashbehari.	1 Indian antelope.
Dhudhoria, Raja B. S.	1 Bengal monitor.

E.

Ezra, Mr. David ...	1 Swallow plover.

F.

Focus, Mrs. L. C. ...	1 Wolf cub.

G.

Ghosh, Babu Radhika Prosad, M.B.	1 Banded krait.
Girard, Mr. G., F.R.H.S., I.S.O.	1 Egret, 2 White-breasted king-fishers.
Galstaun, Mr. J. ...	1 Sambur deer.
Gray, Mr. F. C. ...	1 Indian antelope.
Grieve, Mr. ...	1 Two-banded monitor, 1 Cobra.
Grimshaw, Mr. C. M.	1 Golden cat
Gourlay, Mr. W. R, I.C.S.	1 Fishing cat.

H.

Harper, Mr. E. W. ...	2 Crimson-ringed whydahs.
Hossein, Mr. M. ...	1 Scorpion.

K.

Kerrow, Mr. James ...	1 Blossom headed parrakeet.
Kearns, Mrs. ...	1 Spotted deer.
Kalikote and Atagada Estates, Manager of.	1 Burmese peafowl. 2 Common peafowls.
Kilner, Dr. J. N. ...	1 Eublepharis hardwickii.

L.

Lauder, Mr. P. ...	2 Shamas.
Lucas, Mr L. ...	2 Sambur deer.
LaTouche, Commander S. H. S.	1 Sloth bear cub.

M.

Murray, Miss ...	1 Spotted deer.
Mashood, Mr. C. ...	2 Brown owls.
Macdonald, Mr. S. ...	2 Suras cranes, 1 Indian antelope.
Majid, Messrs. Md. R. & Co.	1 Lycodon aulicus.
Mahisadal, Raja of ...	1 Tiger.
Mitter, Babu Bijoyendra Lal.	1 Indian antelope.
Mullick, Kumar Nagendra	1 Grey parrot.
Marriott, Mr. R. G. ...	5 Wild dog pups.

N.

Natore, Maharajkumar Bahadur of	2 Barking deer, 3 Hog deer, 1 Indian antelope.
Nahata, Mr. P. C. ...	1 Lycodon aulicus.

O.

Oates, Mrs. R. E. ...	1 Indian civet.

P.

Pooler, Mr. H. G. ... 1 Barking deer.
Police Sub-Inspector of Bishnupur. 3 Cobras.

R.

Roy, Babu Narendra Krishna. 1 Common peafowl.
Roy, Mr. S. K., G.B.V.C. 2 Geckoes, 1 Centipede.
Ricks, Mr. S. H. ... 3 Shell ibises, 7 Herons.

S.

Salim, Mr. R. C. ... 1 Sambur deer.
St. Yves, Mr. J. ... 1 Gharial.
Sneyd-Hutchinson, Mr. E. 1 Black-naped oriole.
Simpson, Mrs. J. ... 1 Hog deer, 1 Indian antelope.
Sen, Mr. A. N. ... 1 Red-bellied flying squirrel.
Sibold, Mrs. M. D ... 1 Common civet.
Smith, Mr. C. O. ... 1 Centipede
Scott-Smith, Mrs. ... 1 Eclectus.

T.

Thurston, Mrs. E. ... 1 Hog deer.

V.

Vallis, Mr. F. M. ... 1 Barking deer.

W.

Whiffin, Mr. T. D. ... 1 Sloth bear.
Whiteside, Mr. H. ... 1 Banded krait.
Walker, Mr. H. E. ... 1 Fishing cat.
Wright, Mr. ... 1 Sloth bear.
Walsh, Mr C. W. ... 1 Three-coloured squirrel.

Y.

Yogabinod, Swami ... 1 Spotted deer.
Yettie, Mrs. H. A. ... 1 Indian antelope.

No. 13354P., dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1916.

From—J. D. V. HODGE, ESQ., I.C.S., Additional Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Political Department,
To—The Honorary Secretary, Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of the Report of the Honorary Committee for the Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, for the year 1915-16, forwarded with your letter No. 77, dated the 22nd November 1916, and to convey the thanks of the Governor in Council to the Committee for their management of the garden during the year.

2. The acknowledgments of His Excellency in Council are due to the gentlemen named in Appendix D to the Report who presented the garden with various animals during the year.

REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE SALT MARKET FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF THE YEAR 1916-17.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SEPARATE REVENUE BRANCH (SALT).

No. 2456 S.R.

Dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1916.

THE following report on the state of the salt market for the second quarter of the year 1916-17, comprising the months of July. August and September 1916, in the Presidency of Bengal, is published for general information.

2. The quantity of salt of every description cleared during the quarter amounted to 2,655,2 2 maunds (including 1,768,735 maunds issued under the credit system), as compared with 2,815,838 maunds (including 2,176,478 maunds issued under the credit system) in the previous quarter and 3,497,656 maunds (including 2,434,089 maunds issued under the credit system) in the corresponding quarter of the previous year. The net amount of duty levied was Rs. 30,34,977 (including Rs. 20,03,629 adjusted under the credit system), as against Rs. 33,14,308 (including Rs. 25,44,082 adjusted under the credit system) in the previous quarter, and Rs. 32,66.583 (including Rs. 23,29,476 adjusted under the credit system) in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

3. The subjoined table I shows in detail the importations into the port of Calcutta and the total clearances of sea-imported salt during the quarter, compared with the figures of the corresponding quarters of the two previous years :—

TABLE I.

Whence imported.	1914-15. SECOND QUARTER.		1915-16. SECOND QUARTER.		1916-17. SECOND QUARTER.	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom	569,940	393,609	1,273,263	698,101	942,776	619,934
Hamburg and Bremen ...	223,578	147,902	...	...	...	...
Port Said	600,880	310,046	667,490	741,214	513,060	552,019
Spain	136,910	187,534	531,525	458,402	196,000	166,232
Salif	193,430	241,149	...	...	...	...
Aden	558,497	432,796	567,336	426,415	371,595	560,410
Rock Salt	5,444	3,988	...	...	...	...
Bombay	88	134,108	44,534	101,592	...	471
Massowah	193,450	136,901	440,100	395,960	381,418	258,686
Madras, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Masulipatam, etc.	21,000	20,918	26,400	26,400	48,278	48,276
North Africa (Tunis), Egypt, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Australia (Victoria) and Straits Settlements.	...	3	...	...	...	...
United States of America (Atlantic coast)	...	...	...	...	...	4
United States of America (Pacific coast).	...	...	...	...	...	1
Ceylon	...	1	...	...	...	...
Total ...	2,503,217	2,008,955	3,550,648	2,848,084	2,453,127	2,206,033 (a)

(a) Inclusive of 1,768,735 maunds of salt issued under the credit system. Besides this quantity 25,089 maunds of salt were issued under the credit system to inland bonded warehouses.

Compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year and the same quarter of 1914-15, importations were less by 30·91 and 2·00 per cent., respectively, but clearances were less by 22·54 per cent., and more by 9·81 per cent., respectively. As compared with the corresponding period of the previous year, the increased imports from the United Kingdom, and decreased imports from Port Said, Spain, Aden and Massowah are especially noticeable.

4. Table II shows the quantity of sea-imported salt remaining in the warehouses at the close of the quarter as compared with the preceding four quarters :—

TABLE II.

Where stored.	Second quarter of 1915-16.	Third quarter of 1915-16.	Fourth quarter of 1915-16.	First quarter of 1916-17.	Second quarter of 1916-17.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Sulkea Government Salt *golas*.	2,315,934	1,876,589	1,671,755	1,916,309	1,899,448
Chittagong Salt *golas*	665,937	498,115	333,555	242,230	555,162
Narayanganj (private bonded Salt warehouses).	33,196	25,786	20,973	21,312	40,225
Bhairab Bazar (private bonded Salt warehouses).	6,600	9,757	10,010	14,591	11,430
Jhalakati (private bonded Salt warehouses).	55,447	35,672	42,684	43,735	55,969
Madaripur (private bonded Salt warehouses).	2,960	3,560	160	2,465	510
Chandpur (private bonded Salt warehouses).	11,705	19,385	500	26,695	23,175
Total ...	3,091,779	2,468,864	2,079,637	2,267,337	2,585,919

5. The figures showing the despatches of salt from Calcutta by different routes during the quarter under report will be published as usual in the *Calcutta Gazette* by the Director of Statistics with the Government of India when they are available.

6. The quantity of salt despatched during the quarter by the East Indian Railway to stations beyond Buxar was *nil* as in the previous quarter, against 1,003 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

7. The quantity of saltpetre salt excised in the refineries of Bengal during the quarter amounted to 10 maunds as compared with 32 maunds in the previous quarter and 20 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

8. The shipments of Liverpool salt during the quarter for the port of Calcutta, according to the published market reports, amounted to 35,600 tons.

9. Table III shows the average wholesale prices * per 100 maunds of Liverpool and other descriptions of salt at the port of Calcutta during each fortnight of the quarter :—

TABLE III.

Description of salt.	Fortnight ending the 15th July 1916.	Fortnight ending the 31st July 1916.	Fortnight ending the 15th August 1916.	Fortnight ending the 31st August 1916.	Fortnight ending the 15th September 1916.	Fortnight ending the 30th September 1916.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Liverpool *panga*	134 0 0	121 3 2	123 0 0	134 9 7	151 0 0	...
Spanish *karkuch*	...	160 0 0	160 0 0	160 0 0	160 0 0	160 0 0
Bombay *karkuch*	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aden crushed ...	126 0 0	111 0 0	112 2 8	122 8 0	...	...
Madras salt ...	76 8 0	78 0 0	81 0 0	84 0 0	86 8 0	89 0 0

* The prices are exclusive of the Port Commissioners' special toll of 4 annas per ton and Customs duty of Re. 1-4 per maund.

10. The subjoined table IV shows the average wholesale prices per 100 maunds of Liverpool and other descriptions of salt at the port of Chittagong during each fortnight of the quarter :—

TABLE IV.

Description of salt.	Fortnight ending the 15th July 1916.	Fortnight ending the 31st July 1916.	Fortnight ending the 15th August 1916.	Fortnight ending the 31st August 1916.	Fortnight ending the 15th September 1916	Fortnight ending the 30th September 1916.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Aden ...	162 8 0	137 8 0	125 0 0	131 4 0	150 0 0	156 4 0
Spanish ...	162 8 0	143 12 0	125 0 0	131 4 0	156 4 0	156 4 0
Port Said ...	162 8 0	137 8 0	125 0 0	131 4 0	150 0 0	154 4 0

11. Table V below shows the quantities of sea-imported salt admitted into bond and cleared from bond and shipboard at the port of Chittagong and at the several inland warehousing stations :—

TABLE V.

Port or station.	Description of salt.	Admitted into bond.		Cleared from bond and shipboard.	
		Second quarter of 1915-16.	Second quarter of 1916-17.	Second quarter of 1915-16.	Second quarter of 1916-17.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Chittagong ...	English *panga*	...	...	5	...
	Aden ...	65,408	124,042	104,899	69,622
	Hamburg ...	...	...	...	...
	Spanish ...	234,562	149,580	257,642	117,399
	Port Said ...	401,273	153,937	149,085	101,580
Narayanganj	English *panga*	53,996	64,996	29,543	50,010
	Aden ...	11,600	2,500	11,512	2,500
	Spanish ...	7,500	5,000	6,982	4,950
	Port Said ...	...	13,000	...	8,820
	Massowah ...	...	...	...	1,100
Jhalakati ..	English *panga*	74,788	54,800	54,475	47,468
	Spanish ...	38,300	...	18,325	...
	Massowah ...	3,100	3,100	3,062	3,069
	Port Said ...	...	...	...	650
Bhairab Bazar	English *panga*	12,000	10,000	6,002	14,500
	Spanish ...	...	...	...	...
Madaripur ...	English *panga*	...	...	940	1,000
	Massowah ...	4,000	...	1,500	480
Chandpur ...	Massowah ...	...	...	4,600	...
	Port Said ...	10,000	18,900	1,000	26,021
	Total ...	916,527	599,855	649,572	449,169

As compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year, the quantities admitted into bond and cleared from bond and shipboard were less by 34·5 and 30·8 per cent., respectively.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 4th December 1916.

Summary.—The week under review was rainless. Reaping of winter paddy and sowing of pulses, potatoes, mustard and other spring crops are progressing satisfactorily. The outturn of winter paddy is expected to be good. The prospects of sugarcane and other standing crops are reported to be satisfactory on the whole. Cattle-disease prevails in four districts. The average price of common rice for the province has perceptibly decreased with the advent of the new crop into the market.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops continue. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Rangoon and Singapur rice continues to be imported into Basirhat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8⅛	7⅞	
	Barrackpore	Nil	7	6 13/16	
	Barasat ...	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	7¼	7⅛	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fairly good. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of *aman* paddy are going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	9⅛	9¼	Weather seasonable. The prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	8	8	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	11	9½	
	Kandi ...	Nil	10	10	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. The prospect of standing crops is fair. Ploughing for and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	8	8	
	Magúra ...	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	
	Narail ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	(*n*)	8	
5	Khulna ..	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	(*n*)	6½	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	7	7	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of potatoes and other *rabi* crops are going on. Winter paddy and other standing crops are doing well. Cattle-disease is reported from Jamalpur thana. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	8½	9	
	Katwa ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7¾	7¾	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	10	9½	Weather occasionally cloudy. Harvesting of rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Rampurhat	Nil	8½	8½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	10¾	10½	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is good. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	10	9½	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	8⅜	8 1/16	Weather cloudy. Prospect of sugarcane is fair. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8 3/16	8	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	8½	8	
	Contai ...	Nil	9½	9½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	6½	7 21/32	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	7½	7½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable and occasionally cloudy. Condition of standing crops is good. Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	7½	7½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	7	6¾	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair and those of winter rice are good. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced in the Naogaon subdivision. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8½	7½	
	Nator ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	9	8 1/16	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops continue. Water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	8½	8½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	9 9/16	8 9/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of tobacco and sowing of mustard are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	8	

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·05	8	8	Weather fair. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. *Marua* and cardamom are being harvested.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather cool. Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress. The sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8	8	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	(*a*)	7¾	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	9	8¼	Weather seasonable. Reaping of winter rice, preparation of lands for the *rabi* crops and sowings of pulses continue. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	6⅞	7⅜	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is going on. Condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	7⅜	7⅜	
19	MALDA ..	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues; prospects are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Harischandrapur.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	8½ 8½†	7½ 8½†	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of pulses, mustard and other *rabi* crops are in progress. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are available.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	7½	7	
	Narayanganj	Nil	(*a*) 8½†	7 8½†	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	8	7	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	6⅞	6¼	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice are in progress; prospects are good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	6¼	6⅜	
	Tangail ...	Nil	7⅛	7 5/16	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	6⅜	6⅝	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	6 7/8	(*a*)	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kawasin thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEER, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	7½	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8	8	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	8	7¾	
	Gopalganj‡	Nil	9	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7½	7	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient. Prospects of winter rice are fair.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. Outturn is expected to be normal. Cultivation of the *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	9	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects and outturn of winter paddy are good excepting in flooded area of Kotwali thana. Harvesting of winter rice and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder is scarce in Kotwali thana and in some parts of Chandpur subdivision.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8½	8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	9	8	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	10½	8¾	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are in progress. Prospects of winter rice are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	10½	9⅜	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	8	7	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy have begun. Prospects and outturn of standing crops are poor. Rangoon rice is being imported. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati. Fodder and water are sufficient.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 5th December 1916.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 2nd December 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	8	0	5	12	0	0	2	3	0	2	9
„ medium ...	6	0	0	6	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5	11	6	5	14	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	15	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5	8	6	6	0	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	6	1	0	6	10	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6	4	0	.....			0	2	3	0	3	0
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	4	11	0	5	5	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
(vi) Kajla	3	11	0	4	6	9	0	2	1½	.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	5	8	0	.....			.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	5	5	0	.....			.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	14	0	4	4	0	0	1	9	0	2	3
4. „ dal	4	12	0	5	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5	12	0	6	12	0	0	3	0	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
6. Arhar „	3	12	0	6	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	9
7. Masur „ (split) ...	5	12	0	6	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	6	8	0	8	4	0	0	3	0	0	4	0
8. Kalai „	5	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
9. Salt	3	5	0	.....			0	1	4½	0	1	9
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13	9	0	14	0	0	0	5	0	0	7	6
11. Gur (Bheli)	6	4	0	7	6	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
„ (Bhursut) ...	6	8	0	9	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
12. Milk	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
13. Mustard oil	14	12	0	15	12	0	0	6	0	0	8	0
14. Flour (country) ...	6	4	0	7	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	3
15. Ata No. 3	4	12	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	3
„ „ 2½	5	4	0	5	10	0						
„ „ B	7	2	0	7	12	0						
16. Suji	6	12	0	8	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	61	0	0	62	0	0	1	10	0	.. ...		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	59	0	0	60	8	0	1	8	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	54	8	0	56	0	0	1	4	0	1	6	0
18. Maize	2	4	0	3	0	0	.....			.....		
19. Potato	6	4	0	8	0	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
20. Patal	10	0	0	11	8	0	0	5	0	0	8	0
21. Brinjal	3	12	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
22. Onion	4	0	0	5	12	0	0	1	6	0	2	6
23. Fish, Rahu	15	0	0	18	0	0	0	6	0	0	10	0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
25. Beef (2nd & 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	2	6	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices recorded daily at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY.
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 4th December 1916.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 25th November 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 25th November 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 27th November 1915		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	290	81,489	433	142	11,965	167
Jute	327	181,630*	1,769	330	151,124†	1,851
Firewood	47	33,600	534	40	33,675	522
Other articles	790	166,784	2,098	599	97,679	1,400
Total ...	1,454	363,503	4,834	1,111	294,443	3,940
Empty boats and rafts ...	527	...	1,136	517	...	1,124
Grand Total ...	1,981	363,503	5,970	1,628	294,443	5,064

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 141,925
† Ditto ditto 166,237½

CALCUTTA,
The 5th December 1916.

A. N. MITRA.
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 2nd December 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 2nd December 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 4th December 1915.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	377	82,672	543	358	17,214	253
Jute	282	94,428*	1,395	215	58,990†	790
Firewood	54	48,175	751	22	10,795	163
Other articles	864	184,570	2,563	560	110,265	1,413
Total ...	1,577	359,845	5,252	1,155	197,194	2,619
Empty boats and rafts ...	633	...	1,030	427	...	1,156
Grand Total ...	2,210	359,845	6 282	1,582	197,194	3,775

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 104,125
† Ditto ditto 65,987½

CALCUTTA.
The 5th December 1916.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement shewing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Waterworks for the week ending the 25th November 1916.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks
19th Nov. 1916	At low tide.	55·7	Not connected with mean sea-level.	55·6	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
20th „ „	Ditto	55·6		55·8	
21st „ „	Ditto	55·5		55·7	
22nd „ „	Ditto	55·5		55·5	
23rd „ „	Ditto	55·5		55·4	
24th „ „	Ditto	55·6		55·2	
25th „ „	Ditto	55·7		55·0	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	69·7	Ditto.
18th „	1916	68·1	Ditto.
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	50·6	Ditto.
22nd February	1915	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 27th November 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 25th November 1916.

Month and date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
19th Nov. 1916	7 A.M.	12·1	12·1	11·9	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
20th „ „	„	11·9	11·9	11·8	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
21st „ „	„	11·7	11·7	11·6	
22nd „ „	„	11·5	11·5	11·5	
23rd „ „	„	11·5	11·5	11·4	Its reduced level is 22·41.
24th „ „	„	11·3	11·3	11·3	
25th „ „	„	11·3	11·3	11·2	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto	...	Lowest „	... 3·4 on 10th February 1915
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest „	... 25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto „	... 25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto „	... 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).		Ditto „	... 25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	... ...	Lowest „	... 1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	... 2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	... 2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	... 3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	... 3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 27th November 1916.

NILMANI DE,
Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 2nd December 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
26th Nov. 1916	7 A.M.	11·1	11·1	11·1	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
27th „ „	7 „	11·0	11·0	10·9	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghât and Chandpore ghât.
28th „ „	7 „	10·9	10·9	10·8	
29th „ „	7 „	10·8	10·8	10·7	
30th „ „	7 „	10·6	10·6	10·6	Its reduced level is 22·41.
1st Dec. „	7 „	10·5	10·5	10·5	
2nd „ „	7 „	10·4	10·4	10·4	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest „ ...	3·4 on 10th February 1915.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest „ ...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto „ ...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto „ ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto „ ...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	Lowest „ ...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR, D. C. SEN GUPTA,
The 2nd December 1916. for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 2nd December 1916.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 43·00.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
26th Nov. 1916	8 A.M.	5·60	48·60	49·50	R. L. of gauge-post is 43·00.
27th „ „	8 „	5·50	48·50	49·45	B. M. on College step 69·74.
28th „ „	8 „	5·30	48·30	49·30	
29th „ „	8 „	5·10	48·10	49·00	
30th „ „	8 „	5·00	48·00	48·90	
1st Dec. „	8 „	4·80	47·80	48·70	
2nd „ „	8 „	4·70	47·70	48·50	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto ..	Lowest „ ...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record	Highest „ ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do.	Lowest „ ...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do	Ditto „ ...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do.	Ditto „ ...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA, H. DUTT,
The 2nd December 1916. for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Division.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1916-17.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of October 1916.

Circle.	District	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.							RAINFALL, 1916-17.		RAINFALL, 1915-16.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	SEASON LEASES.					Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.						
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	673	543	77,480	68,044	66,829	10,523	...	...	...	10,523	77,352	6·54	63·20	4·60	51·96	
		Panchkura	522	12	2	8,059	7,206	7,204	1,143	...	...	...	1,143	8,347	10·63	59·89	3·50	51·04	
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches. Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15·74	66·31	4·30	56·09	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	85,539	75,250	74,033	11,666	...	...	...	11,666	85,699	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	71,194	4,390	...	...	...	4,390	75,584	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	132	132	28,178	23,583	26,178	*1,994	109	7	...	2,110	28,288	10·90	55·47	1·97	39·50	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	24,262	1,098	...	7	...	1,105	25,367	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	113,717	98,833	100,211	13,660	109	7	...	13,776	113,987	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	95,456	5,468	...	7	...	5,495	100,951	...	...	...	...	

* of which 774 acres are "one flushing."

CALCUTTA,
The 5th December 1916.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 18th November 1916, on (d) 1,628 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. (e)			
Total traffic for the week	698,510	3,54,150 0 0	2,750,650 0	3,98,970 0 0	22,370 0 0	7,75,490 0 0	99,790	(a) 64,917	164,707
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 445	(b) 226 0 0	1,690 0	245 0 0	(c) 2 0 0	(c) 472 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	4,168,230	19,33,820 0 0	16,033,230 0	27,80,330 0 0	1,37,650 0 0	48,51,800 0 0	598,275	398,609	996,884
Total for 7 weeks ...	4,866,740	22,87,970 0 0	19,683,880 0	31,79,300 0 0	1,60,020 0 0	56,27,290 0 0	698,065	463,526	1,161,591
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	675,285	3,36,096 0 0	2,686,584 0	3,73,008 0 0	19,554 0 0	7,28,658 0 0	103,856	58,657	162,513
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,539 miles)	(b) 427	(b) 213 0 0	1,639 0	238 0 0	7 0 0	440 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	4,440,655	20,41,678 0 0	18,527,756 0	27,62,298 0 0	1,27,886 0 0	49,31,360 0 0	722,109	419,664	1,141,773

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 7,411.
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,800.
(d) Revised mileage as per Chief Engineer's mileage statement for half-year ending 30th September 1916.
(e) Increase is due to general development of traffic under Coaching and Goods.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 18th November 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	57,100	20,250 0 0	146,090 0	10,560 0 0	3,040 0 0	33,790 0 0	7,002	(b) 3,067	10,069
Per mile of railway per week	482	171 0 0	1,232 0	88 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 261 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	383,710	1,11,940 0 0	909,540 0	59,420 0 0	17,850 0 0	1,89,210 0 0	42,014	17,330	59,344
Total for 7 weeks ...	440,810	1,32,190 0 0	1,055 630 0	69,980 0 0	20,890 0 0	2,23,000 0 0	49,016	20,397	69,413
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	59,656	21,248 0 0	98,983 0	6,980 0 0	2,308 0 0	30,536 0 0	6,707	2,735	9,442
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	503	179 0 0	835 0	59 0 0	4 0 0	242 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	367,973	1,15,417 0 0	865,115 0	53,162 0 0	14,698 0 0	1,82,307 0 0	46,872	15,526	62,398

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs 2,800.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 695.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 18th November 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	17,170	7,080 0 0	49,070 0	2,830 0 0	30 0 0	9,920 0 0	952	(a) 280	1,232
Per mile of railway per week	519	213 0 0	1,483 0	86 0 0	1 0 0	300 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	42,100	16,240 0 0	347,770 0	15,450 0 0	200 0 0	31,890 0 0	5,730	1,636	7,366
Total for 7 weeks ...	59,270	23,320 0 0	396,840 0	18,280 0 0	230 0 0	41,810 0 0	6,682	1,916	8,598
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,775	2,356 0 0	63,376 0	3,710 0 0	26 0 0	6,092 0 0	1,045	299	1,344
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	144	98 0 0	1,915 0	112 0 0	1 0 0	211 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	33,876	16,626 0 0	332,313 0	23,484 0 0	166 0 0	39,276 0 0	6,750	2,361	9,111

(a) Including ballast train-miles, nil.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 18th November 1916, on 53·66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	20,690	5,710 0 0	154,830 0	10,720 0 0	40 0 0	16,470 0 0	1,672	(a) 1,828	3,500
Per mile of railway per week	385	106 0 0	2,885 0	200 0 0	1 0 0	307 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	110,080	30,920 0 0	987,630 0	52,840 0 0	210 0 0	83,970 0 0	10,190	9,354	19,544
Total for 7 weeks ...	130,720	36,630 0 0	1,142,460 0	63,560 0 0	250 0 0	1,00,440 0 0	11,862	11,182	23,044
Total for the 20 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	330,979	94,717 0 0	3,153,842 0	1,86,696 0 0	672 0 0	2,82,085 0 0	36,335	28,339	64,574
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	15,203	4,947 0 0	129,609 0	6,594 0 0	23 0 0	11,564 0 0	1,951	1,345	3,296
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·66 miles)	283	92 0 0	2,415 0	122 0 0	1 0 0	216 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	120,911	35,618 0 0	816,073 0	40,826 0 0	216 0 0	76 660 0 0	14,064	8,029	22,093
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	327,202	97,015 0 0	2,145,250 0	1,06,568 0 0	664 0 0	2,05,147 0 0	40,258	20,459	60,717

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 105. (b) Audited figures to end of August 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 18th November 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	9,660	3,500 0 0	15,520 0	1,510 0 0	20 0 0	5,030 0 0	1,428	(a)700	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	193	70 0 0	309 0	30 0 0	.....	100 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	66,030	21,470 0 0	315,280 0	22,660 0 0	90 0 0	44,220 0 0	8,568	4,440	13,008
Total for 7 weeks ...	75,710	24,970 0 0	330,800 0	24,170 0 0	110 0 0	49,250 0 0	9,996	5,140	15,136
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	159 0 0	17 0 0	167 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (23 miles)	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	1 0 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	476 0 0	68 0 0	544 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Ballast train miles, *nil.*

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 18th November 1916 on 2,527·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	677,200	5,71,203 0 0	8,686,401 0	15,12,723 0 0	0 0 0	20,89,926 0 0	179,006	320 533	499,539
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	226 6 0	.....	598 8 5	0 0 0	826 14 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year ...	3,989 810	35 09,582 0 0	52,034,878 0	86,48,869 0 0	1,04,550 0 0	1,22,63,021 0 0	1,069,925	1,958,838	3,028,763
Total from 1st October ...	4,667,010	40,86 765 0 0	60,721,279 0	1,01,61,612 0 0	1,04,550 0 0	1,43,52,947 0 0	1,248,931	2,279,371	3,528,302
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	647,496	5,89 939 0 0	9,144,108 0	14 68 868 0 0	59,564 0 0	21,18,431 0 0	184,427	270,837	455,264
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	233 7 11	.....	581 5 0	23 9 2	838 6 1	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	4,486,207	39 82,961 0 0	57,513,947 0	92.46,490 0 0	4,07,296 0 0	1,36,36,747 8 0	1,261,774	1,895,350	3,177,124

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,527·42	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	701,047	6,36,743	7,363,707	12,66,337	19,750	19,22,830	761	515,617	3 11 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	687,132	5,96,320	8,251,776	13,38,019	7,750	19,42,089	768	499,879	3 14 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 21st ,,	635,906	5,76,550	9,601,148	15,85,990	6,750	21,69,990	858	519,287	4 2 10
2,527·42	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	596,750	5,24,773	9,226,706	15,16,515	27,750	20,69,038	819	508,547	4 1 1
2,527·42	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	679,376	6,11,341	8 805,710	14,84 704	24,800	21,20,845	839	492,315	4 4 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	680,593	5,63,753	8,608,831	14,67,424	17,750	20,38,929	807	494,118	4 2 0
2,527·42	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	677,200	5,77,303	8,686,401	15,12,723	...	20,89,926	827	499,539	4 2 11
	Totals up to date ...	4,667,010	40,86,785	60,721,279	1,01,91,612	1,06 550	1,43,52,947	811	3,528,302	4 1 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,526·81	First 9 days of Oct. ...	836,025	7,48,935	11,566,943	18,58,027	60,848	26,67,810	821	591,965	4 8 1
2,526·81	Week ended 16th ,, ...	693,469	6,02,063	8,310,319	13,05,367	54,023	19,61,453	776	476,299	4 1 11
2,526·81	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	634,798	5,37,198	6,475,657	10,53,846	60,963	16,42,007	650	416,616	3 16 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	613,271	5,54,241	7,802,989	12,89,334	54,650	19,01,125	752	447,367	4 4 0
2,526·81	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	397,131	5,31,715	8,787,840	14,03,241	63,808	19,98,762	791	465,121	4 4 9
2,526·81	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	650,531	5,94,173	7,984,207	12,93,674	62,051	19,49 898	772	456,040	4 4 5
2,526·81	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	647,496	5,89,999	9,144,008	14,68,868	59,564	21,18,431	838	495,364	4 10 5
	Totals up to date ...	4,672,721	41,47,824	60,071,963	98,72,357	4,19,905	1,43,59,986	774	3,308,672	4 4 10

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th November 1916 on 231·73(a) miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	56,654	46,588 0 0	582,746 0	49,638 0 0	250 0 0	96,476 0 0	12,729	10,791	23,520
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	201 0 8	.....	214 3 4	1 1 3	416 5 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year.	271,010	2,24,766 0 0	3,342,368 0	2,60,868 0 0	1,450 0 0	4,86,784 0 0	68,444	58,406	126,850
Total from 1st Oct. ...	327,664	2,71,354 0 0	3,925,114 0	3,10,206 0 0	1,700 0 0	5,83,260 0 0	81,173	69,197	150,370
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	46,978	35,962 0 0	452,105 0	26,943 0 0	246 0 0	63,141 0 0	11 627	7,770	19,397
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	187 9 8	.....	140 9 6	1 4 6	329 7 8	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	294,199	2,53,196 0 0	2,824,519 0	2,21,004 0 0	1,826 0 0	4,76,026 0 0	88,488	56,882	140,370

(a) The decrease of 3·52 miles represents the difference between the estimated and the actual open miles of the Jhind-Panipat Section of the D.-U.-K. Ry.

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,588	35,124	459,795	30,985	250	66,359	346	19,568	3 6 3
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	45,784	36,963	567,651	37,740	250	74,952	391	21,285	3 8 4
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	42,208	35,288	483,413	41,980	250	77,518	405	21,140	3 10 8
191·64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,667	34,926	542,087	44,860	250	80,036	418	20,538	3 14 4
216.56	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	44,337	37,786	675,111	52,981	200	90,966	420	21,286	4 4 5
235·75	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	61,426	44,681	586,311	52,022	250	96,953	411	23,033	4 3 4
231·73	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	56,654	46,588	582,746	49,638	250	96,476	416	23,520	4 1 8
	Totals up to date ...	327,664	2,71,354	3,925,114	3,10,206	1,700	5,83,260	404	150,370	3 14 1

Abstract of progresive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	52,764	44,612	499,604	45,158	336	90,206	366	25,726	3 8 1
191·64	Week ended 16th ,, ...	39,193	37,523	370,660	33,515	251	71,289	372	19,903	3 9 4
191 64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	43,663	34,922	325,372	29,143	251	64,316	336	20,748	3 1 7
191·64	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	40,062	35,853	440,612	41,438	251	77,542	405	20,865	3 11 6
191·64	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	42,472	38,625	404,991	37,086	330	66,041	345	20,670	3 3 1
191·64	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	40,491	34.147	440,238	37,689	246	62,082	324	18,797	3 4 10
191·64	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	46,923	35,952	482,105	26,943	246	63,141	329	19,397	3 4 1
	Totals up to date ...	305,568	261,634	2,963,582	2,31,072	1,911	4,94,617	354	146,086	3 6 2

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th November 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	9,154	2,810 0 0	52,764 0	6,604 0 0	(a)417 0 0	9,831 0 0	556	(d)876	1,432
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	77 0 0	...	182 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 260 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year.*	46,642	12,636 0 0	471,937 0	72,757 0 0	2,347 0 0	87,740 0 0	2,764	5,115	7,879
Total for 7 weeks ...	55,796	15,446 0 0	524,001 0	79,361 0 0	2,764 0 0	97,571 0 0	3,320	5,991	9,311
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	9,500	2,704 0 0	94,674 0	15,099 0 0	(b)330 0 0	18,133 0 0	399	(c)1,002	1,401
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	74 0 0	...	415 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 490 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	51,451	14,886 0 0	537,300 0	82,067 0 0	2,908 0 0	99,809 0 0	2,854	6,227	9,081

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 375.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs. 303.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 209.
(e) Ditto, 1915, 89.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 18th November 1916, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P		(a)	
Total traffic for the week...	19,576	7,050 0 0	81,766 0	10,584 0 0	29 0 0	17,663 0 0	1,622	3,886	5,408
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	60 0 0	.....	91 0 0	.....	151 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year *	106,591	34,420 0 0	692,223 0	109,162 0 0	1,161 0 0	144,743 0 0	11,170	19,708	30.878
Total for 7 weeks ...	126,167	41,470 0 0	773,989 0	119,746 0 0	1,190 0 0	162,406 0 0	12,992	23,594	36,286
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	16,335	5,881 0 0	124,180 0	27,644 0 0	15 0 0	33,540 0 0	1,596	(b)3,380	4,976
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	50 0 0	.....	237 0 0	.....	287 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	104,860	36,918 0 0	923,325 0	160,250 0 0	192 0 0	197,360 0 0	10,791	22,763	33,554

(a) Ballast train-miles, 879.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, 174.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 18th November 1916 on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,236	10,819 0 0	30,636 0	13,123 0 0	86 0 0	24,028 0 0	2,939	2,803	5,742
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	212 0 0	.....	257 0 0	2 0 0	471 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of the half-year	38,703	1,01,903 0 0	1,91,830 0	86,082 0 0	998 0 0	1,88,983 0 0	17,924	17,950	35,874
Total traffic up to 18th November 1916	43,939	1,12,022 0 0	2,22,466 0	99,185 0 0	1,084 0 0	2,12,291 0 0	20,863	20,753	41,616
(49 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	314 0 0	.....	278 0 0	3 0 0	595 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	3,569	10,235 0 0	27,665 0	12,188 0 0	72 0 0	22,495 0 0	1,496	3,906	5,402
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	201 0 0	.....	239 0 0	1 0 0	441 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	37,644	1,06,181 0 0	2,26,311 0	1,06,756 0 0	1,106 0 0	2,14,043 0 0	18,149	23,328	41,477
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	298 0 0	.....	299 0 0	3 0 0	600 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week...		+ 584		+ 935	+ 14	+ 1,533			
Difference up to date ...		+ 5,841		— 7,571	— 22	— 1,752			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in rice traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 18th November 1916 on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	872	723 0 0	3,593 0	1,702 0 0	2 0 0	2,427 0 0	191	289	480
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	24 0 0	.....	57 0 0	.....	81 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of the half-year	3,198	3,147 0 0	26,732 0	5 434 0 0	22 0 0	8,603 0 0	801	1,463	2,264
Total traffic up to 18th November 1916	4,070	3,880 0 0	35,325 0	7,136 0 0	24 0 0	11,040 0 0	992	1,752	2,744
(49 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	19 0 0	.....	34 0 0	... ..	53 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	382	280 0 0	5,310 0	1,338 0 0	7 0 0	1,615 0 0	105	441	546
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	9 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	54 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	3,598	2,240 0 0	25,633 0	6,188 0 0	26 0 0	8,454 0 0	735	2,529	3,264
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	11 0 0	.....	29 0 0	.....	40 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week		+ 483		+ 344	— 5	+ 822			
Difference up to date		+ 1,640		+ 948	— 2	+ 2,586			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local and foreign passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in piece-goods, rice and wool traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 18th November 1916 on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	9,612	3,441 0 0	14,077 0	1,099 0 0	17 0 0	4,557 0 0	926	824	1,750
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	49 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	65 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of the half-year	43,935	14,612 0 0	119,876 0	10,112 0 0	97 0 0	24,821 0 0	5,913	5,007	10,920
Total traffic up to 18th November 1916 ...	53,547	18,053 0 0	133,953 0	11,211 0 0	114 0 0	29,378 0 0	6,839	5,831	12,670
(49 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	37 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	60 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,530	1,645 0 0	18,053 0	1,550 0 0	—4 0 0	3,191 0 0	342	1,027	1,369
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	24 0 0	.....	22 0 0	.....	46 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	31,155	11,840 0 0	163,964 0	14,331 0 0	164 0 0	26,335 0 0	2,254	6,800	9,054
Or per week per mile of railway	... ..	24 0 0	.....	29 0 0	1	54 0 0	... ..	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week		+ 1,796		— 451	+ 21	+ 1,356			
Difference up to date		+ 6,213		— 3,020	— 50	+ 3,143			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local Passengers.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Potato traffic.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 18th November 1916, on (a) 2,065 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds	Rs	Rs	Rs			
Total traffic for the week on (a) 2,065 miles open	586,660	(b)2,23,680	1,079,680	(c)1,97,250	(d)26,670	4,47,580	64 375	(e)(g)51 394	115,769
Or per mile of railway ...	259·88	108·31	522·85	95·52	12·92	216·75			
For previous 6 weeks of official half-year ...	2,865,260	10,74,510	5,780,250	9,26,090	1,36,330	21,36,860	373,138	275 925	649,063
Total for 7 weeks ...	3,451,920	12,98,190	6,859,930	11,23,340	1,63,000	25,84,440	437,513	327,319	764,832
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,065 miles open	491,785	2,00,116	1,037,147	1,57,459	21,180	3,78,755	66.178	(f)46 924	113.097
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	237·68	96·72	501·28	76·10	10·24	183·06	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	2,947,319	11,31,780	6,274,216	9,73,411	1,36,155	22,41,296	445,676	309,774	755,450
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		3·48		3·84	·23	3·87			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·02		3·36	19	3·35			

(a) Revision of mileage, *vide* statement XIII of the half-yearly accounts.
(b) General increase chiefly under foreign outward passengers.
(c) Increase chiefly under foreign outward traffic with increased load.
(d) Increase mainly under steam-boats.
(e) Includes 904 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Includes 1,748 miles of ballast trains.
(g) Pure goods train miles increased.

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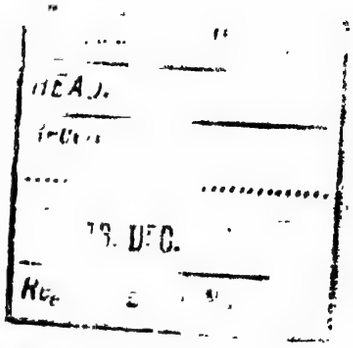

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 8988A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 8427A.—The 27th November 1916.*—Mr. V. Dawson, I.C.S. is appointed to be Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tippera and Chittagong.

Tippera, Chittagong.

No. 8619A.—The 2nd December 1916.—Mr. Nrisinha Ranjan Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manikganj, Dacca, is appointed to have charge of the Chuadanga subdivision of the Nadia district.

Dacca. Nadia.

No. 8773A.—The 6th December 1916.—Mr. Basanta Kumar Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the district of Khulna.

24-Parganas. Khulna.

No. 8785A.—The 6th December 1916.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Nadia district, on being relieved of his appointment as Subdivisional Officer of Chandpur, Tippera.

Tippera. Nadia.

No. 8793A.—The 6th December 1916.—Babu Harendra Nath Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Jalpaiguri district.

Midnapore. Jalpaiguri.

This cancels the orders of the 27th November 1916, transferring Babu Harendra Nath Datta to the head-quarters station of the Nadia district.

Nadia.

No. 8802A.—The 6th December 1916.—Babu Amal Krishna Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Gopalganj subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Faridpur.

No. 8883A.—The 8th December 1916.—Mr. F. W. Strong, I.C.S., on leave, is appointed to be Deputy Commissioner, Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 8886A.—The 8th December 1916.—Mr. J. C. French, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Jalpaiguri, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Bogra.

Jalpaiguri. Bogra.

No. 8903A.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr. R. W. A. Ashe, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is appointed to be Assistant Superintendent, Chittagong Hill Tracts.

Rajshahi. Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 8908A.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr. J. A. Woodhead, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, on relinquishing charge of his present appointment as Magistrate and Collector, Mymensingh.

Mymensingh. 24-Parganas.

No. 8911A.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr. W. S. Hopkyns, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Mymensingh, on relinquishing charge of his present appointment as Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah.

Howrah. Mymensingh.

No. 8914A.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr. F. D. Ascoli, I.C.S., on special duty, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah.

Howrah.

No. 8944A.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr H. C. Maitland, I.C.S., Officiating Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Birbhum, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., or until further orders.

24-Parganas. Birbhum.

No. 8948A.—The 12th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Rai Ambika Prasad Sen Bahadur, Magistrate and Collector, Bogra, to be Additional District Magistrate, Tippera, for a period not exceeding six months and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Bogra. Tippera.

No. 8951A.—The 12th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. G. P Hogg, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, Tippera, to be Additional District Magistrate, Dacca, for a period not exceeding six months and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Tippera. Dacca.

No. 8955A.—The 8th December 1916.—Mr. Dudley Garnet Davies, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Dacca Division, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district.

Dacca.

No. 8958A.—The 8th December 1916.—Mr. John Younie, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Rajshahi Division, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Rajshahi district.

Rajshahi.

POLICE.—*No. 8966A.—The 12th December 1916.*—Babu Srish Chandra Kanjilal, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police, Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, is appointed to act as Assistant to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Crime and Railways, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. E. O'Sullivan, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 8977A.—The 12th December 1916.—Mr. M. F. Cleary, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, is posted temporarily to the Kishoreganj subdivision of that district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. E. Hansen, or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 8806A.—The 7th December 1916.*—The following acting appointments are sanctioned in the grades of Magistrates and Collectors :—

To act in the first grade.

Mr. S. G. Hart, I.C.S., with effect from the 4th November 1916, until further orders.

To act in the second grade.

Rai Ambika Prasad Sen Bahadur, with effect from the 1st December 1916, until further orders.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 8473A.—The 28th November 1916.*—Babu Praphulla Chandra Gupta substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as Khas Tahsildar, Faridpur, is allowed leave for three months, under article 230 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Faridpur.

No. 8780A.—The 6th December 1916.—Babu Ramani Mohan Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rangpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Rangpur.

No. 8901A.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr. J. A. Beale, Assistant Superintendent, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 8941A.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Birbhum, is allowed leave for twelve days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Birbhum.

POLICE.—*No. 8890A.—The 9th December 1916.*—Mr. C. J. Leonard, Superintendent of Police, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Murshidabad.

No. 8963A.—The 12th December 1916.—Mr. Tuni Meerza, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Noakhali, is allowed leave for eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th December 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Noakhali.

No. 8965A.—The 12th December 1916.—Mr. A. E. O'Sullivan, Assistant to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Crime and Railways, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 8976A.—The 12th December 1916.—Mr. H. E. Hansen, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Kishoreganj, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th December 1916.

Mymensingh.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9849For.—The 11th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that Kaptai be added to the list of revenue stations enumerated in rule II of the River Rules for the Chittagong Hill Tracts published under the notification dated the 17th October 1881, as amended by subsequent notifications.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 9844L.R.—The 9th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Government Management of Private Estates Act, 1892 (Act X of 1892), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following rates be levied for the year commencing the 1st April 1917 and ending the 31st March 1918:—

1. The rates leviable under section 3 of the Act on all private estates, as defined in clause (*3*) of section 2, in order to cover, as nearly as possible, the cost of all Government establishments employed and contingent expenditure incurred by the Government for the supervision and management of such estates shall be as follows:—

Levy of general rate.

One per cent. on the estates of—

(1) Nawab Khwaja Habibullah and others.
(2) Khwaja Attickulla.
(3) The late Khwaja Mahomed Ashruff.
(4) Amina Banoo Khatun.
(5) Khwaja Abdul Karim and Khwaja Abdul Rahim.
(6) Khwaja Mahomed Ismail.
(7) Azghari Khanum.

One and a half per cent. on the Bhawal estate and three per cent. on all other estates.

2. If any estate is under Government management for a portion of the year only, the rate is to be levied only upon the gross income received during the period of such management.

Levy of general rate for a portion of the year.

3. Under section 4 the rate leviable on all private estates having a current rent and cess demand of Rs. 50,000 and upwards, which are subjected to audit by the Examiner of Local Accounts, shall be as follows :—

Levy of audit rate.

Four annas per hundred rupees on Bhawal estate which has an income of over five lakhs.

Eight annas per hundred rupees on other estates.

4. Under section 4 the payment of fees shall be obligatory on all estates for legal business done for them by the office of the Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs. This scale of fees is as follows :—

Legal Remembrancer's fees.

	Rs.
Drawing plaints, written statements and memoranda of appeals	5 to 85
Settling appeals	5 to 85
Settling petitions	5 to 85
Opinion	5 to 85
Compromise	20 to 85
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No. 9850L.R.—The 11th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Board of Revenue that the admission of the Sadar malguzars of the temporarily-settled estate Thak Khoazer Lamsi, bearing tauzi No. 1586 on the revenue-roll of the district of Noakhali, to the management of the said estate, would endanger the public tranquillity and otherwise be seriously detrimental, and whereas the aforesaid circumstance has been reported by the Board of Revenue to the Governor in Council :

Noakhali.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by the last proviso to section 3 of the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (Bengal Regulation VII of 1822), read with clause first of section 2 of the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (Bengal Regulation IX of 1825), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the said estate shall be held *khas* up to the 31st March 1924.

No. 9871L.R.—The 11th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 103B, sub-section (3) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that a record of rights has been finally published under section 103A, sub-section (2) of the said Act, for every village included in thanas Rupganj, Narayanganj and Kapasia in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 9891L.R.—The 12th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 108A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, VIII of 1885, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower the undermentioned officers to make corrections in the record-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands in the district of Rajshahi as well as of those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda which lie in mauzas falling wholly or partly within five miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions of the said section :—

Rajshahi. Pabna. Murshidabad. Nadia. Malda.

Khan Bahadur Maulvi Ataur Rahman, Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer.

Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer.

Calcutta.

No. 9770L.A.—The 8th December 1916—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of land comprised in premises No. 52, Baitakhana Road, and measuring 2 chitaks 27 square feet, which was required for the construction of a Muhammadan Hostel on Baitakhana Road in the town of Calcutta, and included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 8124-L.A., dated the 16th August 1915, published at page 1390, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, as amended by erratum No. 9769L.A., dated the 8th December 1916.

Birbhum.

No. 9773L.A.—The 8th December 1916.—Babu Makhan Lal Chaterji, Deputy Collector, Birbhum, Sadar, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Bogra.

No. 9840L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Babu Satyendra Nath Sen, Deputy Collector, Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Dinajpur.

No. 9842L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Aziz, Subdivisional Officer of Balurghat, in the district of Dinajpur, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Calcutta. Darjeeling.

No. 9731Agri.—The 7th December 1916.—The services of Major A. T. Gage, I.M.S., Superintendent of the Royal Botanic Garden, Calcutta, of the Lloyd Botanic Garden, Darjeeling, and of Cinchona Cultivation in Bengal, who is now on privilege leave for two months and ten days with effect from the 28th October 1916, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture with effect from the date on which his leave expires.

Calcutta.

No. 9855Mis.—The 11th December 1916.—Babu Annada Charan Sen, who was, by Government Notification No. 10226Mis. dated the 5th October 1915, appointed temporarily to be the Registrar of the Revenue Department, Bengal Secretariat, is confirmed in that appointment.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 9813L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of the Kumari Chera under bridge No. III on the Arrakan Road, in the villages of Fashiakhali and Pokepokhoria Pankhali, thana Chakaria, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land, altogether measuring, more or less, ·79 of an acre bounded on the—

PART I.

North—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 2, 3, 13 and the Kumari Chera khal,
South—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 2, 3, 6, 13 and 14,
East and West—By the Kumari Chera khal.

PART II.

North—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 161, 167, 169 and 170,
South—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 168, 167 and 169,
East and West—By the Kumari Chera khal,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Fashiakhali and Pokepokhoria Pankhali.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 9816L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of the 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of Rajibpur road and Guma road in the village of Rajibpur, pargana Ukhra, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 cottahs and 17 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the Rajibpur road, Rajibpur Anglo-Vernacular School compound and the remaining lands of Kanti Kumar Ghose and Santi Kumar Ghose,
East—By the remaining lands of Kanti Kumar Ghose and Santi Kumar Ghose and the drain of Guma road,
South—By the Guma road and the remaining lands of Kanti Kumar Ghose and Santi Kumar Ghose,
West—By the Rajibpur road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Rajibpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, 24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 9819L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of a chera under bridge No. 52 on the Rampur Road, in the village of Kanchana, thana Satkania, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·18 acre, bounded on the—

North, East and South—By cadastral survey plot No. 14280,
West—By part of cadastral survey plots Nos 13627, 13625 and 13624,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kanchana.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Tippera.

No. 9822L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Brahmanbaria Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of trenching ground in the village of Merura, pargana Sarail, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for

the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 18 cottahs and 5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. 1.

North—By trenching ground compound,
East—By Shafar Bazania's nal land,
South—By Kandu Bazania and Ramujali's nal land,
West—By Khoda Bux and Shafar Bazania's nal land,

PLOTS NOS. 2 AND 3.

North—By tank,
East—By Chhadat Ali's nal lands,
South—By Shafar Bazania's nal land,
West—By trenching ground compound,

are required within the aforesaid village of Merura.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Pabna.

No. 9825L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the realignment of the Serajganj Ghat Line at miles 3 and 4 in the villages of Shibnathpur, Chandalbaira and Berabari *alias* Berarghona, pargana Barabaju, zilla Pabna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four plots of land, viz., three plots in mile 3 (one on the left side of the brickfield siding, another on the right side of the siding and the third adjoining to the Serajganj brickfield on the east) and another plot in mile 4 up to the bank of the river Jumna and altogether 7,175 feet in length and varying in width from 40 feet to 430 feet and measuring in aggregate, more or less, 76·668 bighas of standard measurement, equivalent to 25·344 acres, are required within the aforesaid villages of Shibnathpur, Chandalbaira and Berabari *alias* Berarghona,

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Pabna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bankura.

No. 9828L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bankura Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for filling up some old *dobas* for sanitary improvement by digging a tank in the village of Bankura, pargana Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land altogether measuring, more or less, 12 bighas 9 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 4·12 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North—By Doletala Lane,
East—By Doletala and lands of Nanda Napit, the Raniganj Road and the lands of Tarak Kamar, Rajaram Kamar, Behari Kamar, Gobinda Kamar, Kunja Kamar, Tarini Kamar, Natabar Kamar and Ram Chand De,

South—By land of Haladhar Chattarjee, Chandra Bhusan Dutt, Gouri Sankar Chatterjee and Bhairab Chattarjee and Indra Babu's Lane and Tanti Gali,

West—By the Jugipara Road and the lands of Mahadev Bagdi, Kasinath Audharjee, Bishnu Kamar and Sitala Mela and lands of Nandalal De, Chandi Napit, Ram Narayan Karmakar, Aukhay Chhutar, Goposwar Chhutar, Dinu Chhutar, Giri Chhutarani, Phelaram Chatterjee, Monarama Debya and Haladhar Chatterjee and the religious building of Nanda Jugi,

PLOT B.

North—By the house of Isan Kamar,

West, South and East—By Doletala Lane,

are required within the aforesaid village of Bankura.

This declaration is made, under the provision of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

The plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9831L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Rangpur for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of Kaunia-Panialghat Road No. 34, in the villages of Bisvanath Talook, Sadra Talook and Kutub Kismat, parganas Panga, Fatehpur and Manthana, respectively, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 2 cottahs and 1 chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Rangpur.

PLOT NO. A.

North and South—By Kaunia to Panialghat District Board Road,

East—By the cultivated lands of Baio, Bhuta, Jalhad and Baranulla Nasya,

West—By the cultivated lands of Baio, Jalhad and Baranulla Nasya,

PLOT NO. B.

North and South—By Kaunia to Panialghat District Board Road,

East and West—By the cultivated land of Pipra Das,

PLOT NO. C.

North and South—By Kaunia to Panialghat District Board Road,

East and West—By the cultivated land of Jamir and Kadir Nasya,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Bisvanath Talook, Sadra Talook and Kutub Kismat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Rangpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9834L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of a khal in the 5th mile of the Paraikora Road, in the village of Kashiaish, thana Patiya, zilla

Chittagong.

Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·67 acres, bounded on the—

North—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 2471,
East—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2471, 2476, 2484, 2800, 2502, 2501, 2500, 2543, 50 and 51,
South—By cadastral survey plot No. 2120,
West—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2474, 2477, 2476, 2481, 2483, 2504, 2503, 2502, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2500, 2543, 49 and 47,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kashiaish.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 9837L.A.—The 9th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Mymensingh for a public purpose, viz., for a brick-field at the 10th mile on the Mymensingh to Netrokona road for the purpose of metalling the said District Board road, in the village of Khicha, pargana Susung, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 2 cottahs 1½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Tefiladdin Sirker's ditch and jote land of Galim Sheik,
East—By the Khicha-Baluchar Road and Salim Sheik's ditch,
South—By the District Board road and Salim Sheik's ditch,
West—By the halot to Tafiladdin Sirker's house and the said Sirker's ditch,

is required within the aforesaid village of Khicha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Rangpur.

No. 9861L.A.—The 11th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Monsoon Wagon Ferry Ghat and Ramp at Teesta Mukh Ghat, in the village of Fulchhari, pargana Patiladaha, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 24 bighas 3 cottahs 1 chitak of standard measurement equivalent to 7·985 acres bounded on the—

North—By the jote lands of Banizuddin, Azizar Rohaman, Mofizuddin, Khatizan Nesa, Bhobani Charan, Bhobani Prosad Bhattacharjee, Modhuram Gope and Jogan Chand
East—By the Teesta River.
South—By the jote lands of Khatizan Nesa, Banizuddin, Azizar Rohaman, Mofizuddin, Modhuram Gope and Jogan Chand Gope,
West—By the railway line (Bonarpara to Teesta Mukh Ghat),

required within the aforesaid village of Fulchhari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Gaibandha.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 9864L.A.—The 11th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of the Kali Chari under bridge No. 171 on the Ramu Branch Road, in the village of Machuakhali, thana Ramu, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·66 acre, bounded on the—

North—By part of cadastral survey plots Nos. 504, 1982, 505, 923, 1980 and Kali Chari khal,

South—By part of cadastrial survey plots Nos. 1981, 1982, 505, 922, 924 and 931,

East and West—By the Kali Chari khal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Machuakhali.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 9867L.A.—The 11th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for an inspection bungalow in the village of Jaldi, thana Jaldi, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·53 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By cadastral survey plots Nos. 7297 and 7296,

East—By cadastral survey plot No. 7291,

South—By a nulla,

West—By cadastral survey plot No. 7300,

is required within the aforesaid village of Jaldi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Hooghly.

No. 9874L.A.—The 11th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Hooghly for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of portions of Kolachora-Bhagabatipur Road, in the 1st and 4th miles, in the villages of

(Matiakhal) Mollachak and Kolachora, pargana Balia, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 15 cottahs and 3·73 chitaks of standard measurement equivalent to 1·573 acres bounded on the—

PLOT A—IN MAUZA MOLLACHAK.

North—By the Bhagabatipur Road bank,
East—By the land of Abu Baker,
South and West—By the lands of Sheikh Abdul Sukur,

PLOT B—IN MAUZA KOLACHORA.

North—By the side lands of Kolachora-Bhagabatipur Road,
East—By the Old Benares Road,
South—By the lands of Jadu Nath Pal, Deno Nath Ghose, Durga Charan Ghose, Ganoda Mitter, Bhut Nath Bhattacharjya, Hari Das Chunari, Bhagabati Bhattacharjee, Upendra Nath Pal, Matuk Pal, Khas lands of Surendra Nath Mitter, Dulal Chander Pal, Netai Purkait, Gosta Purkait, Bhagabati Bhattacharjee, Habul Poddar, Akhoy Ghose, Hem Chander Ghose, Chintamoni Boral, Fatik Dutta, Ashutosh Chatterjee, Nakur Ghose, Parikshit Ghose, and Koilash Pal,
West—By the lands of Hari Das Pal and Behari Pal,

are required within the aforesaid villages of (Matiakhal) Mollachak and Kolachora.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas. *No. 9915 L.A.—The 12th December 1916.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the further extension of the Ultadingi goods yard of the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the village of Ultadingi, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 5 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, at present occupied by the Ultadingi Bone Mill and bounded on the—

North, East, South and West—By the Eastern Bengal Railway land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Ultadingi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chief Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas. *No. 9934 L.A.—The 12th December 1916.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Basirhat Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Charitable Dispensary and Hospital at Basirhat in the village of Saipala, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of

land measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the Municipal land and the lands of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Golam Kasem and Hem Bose,

East—By the land of Hem Bose and by the land already acquired for the Charitable Dispensary and Hospital,

South—By the land already acquired for the Charitable Dispensary and Hospital and by the land of Kailash Bose and others,

West—By the Municipal land and tank and by the land of Kailash Bose and others,

is required within the aforesaid village of Saipala.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Commissioners of the Basirhat Municipality.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

Calcutta.

No. 9769L.A.—The 8th December 1916.—In lines 6-7 of declaration No. 8124L.A., dated the 16th August 1915, published at page 1390, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required for the construction of a Muhammadan hostel on Baithakkhana Road, in the town of Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, *for* the word "3 bighas 9 cottahs 7 chitaks and 41 square feet" *read* "$\frac{3}{4}$ bighas 9 cottahs 5 chitaks and 42 spuare feet".

Howrah.

No. 9918L.A.—The 12th December 1916.—In lines 6 and 14 of declaration No. 4923L.A., dated the 24th June 1916, published at page 1183, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem in respect of the acquisition of additional land required by the East Indian Railway Company for station and sidings at Bally at mile 1 of the Bally-Kamarkundu section of the Burdwan-Howrah Chord Railway in the district of Howrah, *for* "the village of Bally-Durgapur" *read* "the villages of Bally, Durgapur, and Hogolkur *alias* Ramchandrapur."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 9921Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Jogendra Nath Chatarji, Sub-Registrar of Nandail, in the district of Mymensingh, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

No. 9923Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Bijay Lal Ghosh, Sub-Registrar, grade II, is granted combined leave, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one year, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th September 1916, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the same Regulations.

Burdwan.

No. 9925 Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Jitendra Lal Basu, Probationer of Burdwan, was granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-one days with effect from the 12th October 1916.

No. 9928Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Maulvi Abu 'Abdulla Husain,
Rangpur. Sub-Registrar of Chilmari, in the district of Rangpur, was granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 15th December 1916, in continuation of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 7225Regn., dated the 2nd September 1916.

No. 9930Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Maulvi Saiyid Mahmud Ahmad,
Burdwan. Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 2nd November 1916.

No. 9932Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Jitendra Lal Basu,
Burdwan. Probationer of Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to act as the Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur in that district with effect from the 2nd November 1916 during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Mahmud Ahmad or until further orders.

No. 9893Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Nilratan Mukharji,
Bakarganj. Sub-Registrar of Nalchiti in the district of Bakarganj, was granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 2nd November 1916.

No. 9895Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Jitendra Kumar Mitra,
Nadia. Sub-Registrar, grade V, Nadia, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Nalchiti in the district of
Bakarganj. Bakarganj, with effect from the afternoon of the 13th November 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nilratan Mukharji.

No. 9905Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Kunja Behari Chakrabutty, Sub-Registrar, grade V, was granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for thirteen days, from the 20th August 1916 to the 1st September 1916.

No. 9907Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Prabhat Chandra Datta,
Dacca. Sub-Registrar, grade IV, Dacca, was granted leave, on medcal certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, with effect from the 14th September 1916.

No. 9909Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—Sahibzada Fateh Muhammad
Calcutta. Shah, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Calcutta, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for four months, with effect from the 1st November 1916.

No. 9733Regn.—The 7th December 1916.—Under section 3, Bengal Act I
Rangpur. of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Governor in Council has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Bashiruddin Ahmed, authorizing him to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar, within thana Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur.

No. 9734Regn.—The 7th December 1916.—Under section 2, Act XII of
Rangpur. 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Governor in Council has been pleased to grant a *sanad* (license) to Maulvi Bashiruddin Ahmed, appointing him Kazi of thana Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

No. 9885Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—It is hereby notified for
Dacca. general information that the Governor in Council has been pleased to authorise Maulvi Abdul Gaffar temporarily to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar, within the police-station Rajabari, in the district of Dacca, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Rashid, or until further orders.

No. 9886Regn.—The 12th December 1916.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Gaffar temporarily to act as Kazi within the police-station Rajabari, in the district of Dacca; for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Rashid, or until further orders.

Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

DEBI PROSAD AGARWALLA SCHOOL FUND.

No. 1619Edn.—The 11th December 1916.—Whereas one Debi Prosad Agarwalla died on the 24th June 1903 after having made and published his last will and testament bearing date the 20th of June 1903 whereby he appointed Ram Baran Upadhyaya, the executor thereof, and whereby he bequeathed (after certain specific bequests) the rest and residue of his estate to the said executor in trust to spend and give away the whole thereof in charity, and whereas the said will was duly proved by the said executor in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction and probate thereof was granted to him on 3rd July 1903, and whereas a suit No. 100 of 1904 was instituted by Mussamat Parbati Bibi, the widow of the testator, against the said executor in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction for the construction of the said will, and whereas by a decree made by the said High Court in the said suit and dated the 27th day of May 1904 it was declared that according to the true construction of the said will the bequest of the residuary estate of the said testator was a valid charitable bequest and it was referred to the Official Referee of the said Court to frame a scheme for the administration of the trusts mentioned in the said will, and whereas pursuant to the said decree dated 27th May 1904, the said Official Referee framed a scheme for the administration of the trusts mentioned in the said will and submitted his report dated the 23rd February 1906, and whereas by another decree made by the said High Court in the aforesaid suit and dated the 23rd June 1905, it was declared that the said scheme with the variation as therein mentioned (not affecting in any way the subject-matter of this notification) ought to be carried into effect and the same was ordered and decreed accordingly, and whereas the scheme that was finally sanctioned by the said Court under the decree of the 23rd June 1905 consisted of the following, viz :—

(*a*) The setting apart of a sum of Rs. 75,000 to be used for the establishment and maintenance of an English and Sanskrit School at Barrackpore, to be called "The Debi Prosad School."

(*b*) Provision for the payment of a sum of Rs. 25,000 to the Superintendent and Secretary, General Hospital, Howrah, for the construction, improvement and equipment of a Native Ward in the Howrah General Hospital, to be called "The Debi Prosad Ward."

(*c*) The setting apart of a sum of Rs. 4,000 to be used towards the worship of a Siva and annual repairs of the temple established at Barrackpore by the said testator.

(*d*) The setting apart of a like sum of Rs. 4,000 to be used for the worship of Siva at Benares.

(*e*) The setting apart of a sum of Rs. 2,000 for the performance of the *shrad* ceremony of the testator at Gaya.

(*f*) The setting apart of a sum of Rs. 5,000 for the Bhaskara Pathsala at Benares.

(*g*) The further payment of any surplus residue which might remain over after compliance of the individual provisions specified above to the Trust Fund for the Debi Prosad School, subject-matter of this scheme

And whereas in his note accompanying the aforementioned report the said Official Referee observed *inter alia* that it would be necessary as a further part of the scheme sanctioned by the said High Court under the aforementioned decree of the 23rd June 1905 to have rules and regulations framed for the proper management and expenditure of each separate fund in connection with the individual matters provided for as specified above, and whereas certain residents of Barrackpore having agreed to form an Association and register the same under the Societies Registration Act, XXI of 1860, for the purpose of conducting a school at Barrackpore pursuant to the said scheme under the decree of 23rd June 1905, the said executor presented a petition to the said Court stating *inter alia* that the school contemplated by the aforesaid scheme was the only trust under the said will left unexecuted and that Rs. 42,900-1-7 in cash and Government Promissory Notes, certain houses and landed property at Barrackpore valued for the purpose of the said scheme at Rs. 12,700, and book-debts outstanding to the extent of Rs. 20,609-2 were available as the remaining portion of the said estate for the purpose of constituting the said School Trust Fund and further more praying that the said Court would be pleased to approve the objects and rules of the said proposed Association or to modify the same and to rule that the said executor should be at liberty to make over to the said School Trust Fund such portion of the said immoveable properties at Barrackpore as would be required for the use of the contemplated school as also the cash balance in his hands, the sale proceeds of the remaining properties and the outstandings when realised, and whereas by an order of the said Court made with reference to the said petition on the 7th August 1911 it was referred to the Registrar of the said Court to frame a scheme for the said proposed school, and whereas it has subsequently been arranged that the said immoveable and other properties shall be vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments under and in pursuance of the provisions of the Charitable Endowments Act, VI of 1890, and whereas the properties mentioned in Parts I, II and III of the First Schedule hereunder written are the only properties belonging to the said estate which will be available for the purposes of the said school, but the Government Promissory Notes mentioned in Part III of the said Schedule are subject to the annuities bequeathed by the said will, and whereas by an order made in the said suit on the 12th day of April 1916 it was ordered that the said executor should be at liberty to take all steps necessary to give effect to the scheme for this Endowment and should make over the immoveable properties hereinafter described and also such other moneys and properties as they were, or thereafter might become, available for the purpose, and whereas the Government Promissory Notes mentioned in Part III of the First Schedule hereunder written will not become available for the said Endowment until after the termination of the said annuities, and it is intended that the same shall hereafter, when available, together with any surplus cash that may remain in the hands of the said executor after winding up the administration of the said estate, be vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the purposes of this Endowment by a supplemental notification, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor of Bengal in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act No. VI of 1890 and upon the application and with the concurrence of Ram Baran Upadhyaya of Benares, the executor of the will of Debi Prosad Agarwalla, deceased, doth hereby order and direct that the lands, buildings and hereditaments described in the Part I of the First Schedule hereunder written and the Government Promissory Notes for Rs. 46,900, and cash, particulars whereof are set forth in Part II of the said First Schedule shall as from the date of the first publication of this notification vest and be thenceforth vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal, to be held by him and his successors, subject to the provision of the said Act and the rules from time to time framed thereunder by the Governor-General of India in Council upon trust to permit the same and the income thereof to be used for the purpose of the endowment of a High Class English School at Barrackpore, to be called the "Debi Prosad Agarwalla Endowment School", in accordance with the terms of a scheme of management, the particulars whereof are set forth in the Second Schedule hereunder written.

And it is hereby further notified that the said scheme shall come into operation on the vesting of the said property in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

PART I.

Serial No.	Particulars of house.	AREA.			BOUNDARIES.			
		Length in feet.	Breadth in feet.	Total square feet.	North.	South.	East.	West
		Ft. In.	Ft. In.	Ft. In.				
1	Pucca and tiled house No. 55, Bazar Mahal, Saddar Bazar, Barrackpore.	83 0	20 8	1,715 4	Public road ...	Public lane ...	House No. 54 belonging to Ram Sunder Bhakat.	House No. 57 belonging to wife of Ram Baran Upadhyay.
2	Pucca house No. 72, Bazar Mahal, Saddar Bazar, Barrackpore.	85 0	22 10	1 940 10	No. 89, belonging to Proo Nath Ghosh.	Public road ...	House No. 71 belonging to Dhirajbala.	House No. 73 belonging to Parameswari Dasi.
3	Tiled house No. 28, Baker Mahal, Barrackpore	41 9	19 8	821 1	Public Lan ...	No 25, belonging to Babu Lall Saha.	Public lane ...	Public street.
4	Tiled house No. 84, Baker Mahal, Barrackpore	68 0	58 0	3,944 0	No. 84 Mr. Cookesey's house.	Public road ...	Public road ...	No. 83, Sham Toli's house.
5	Tiled house No. 96, Baker Mahal, Barrackpore.	82 0	52 0	4 264 0	Harangi carters' house.	Bo Khansama's house	Ditto ...	Razalli's house.
6	Bungalow No. 101, Cantonment Barrackpore, and	226 0	142 2	32,129 8	Debi Prosad's garden.	Public lane ...	Native Infantry's line.	Public road.
	Garden attached ...	238 0	175 0	41,650 0	Bakery house ...	101, Bungalow ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	Half share.							
1	Bungalow, Middle Road, Barrackpore.	300 0	101 0	30,300 0	Public road ...	Public road ...	No. 40, Behari Lal Banerjee's bungalow.	No. 42, Mrs. For be's bungalow.

PART II.

(*a*) 3½ per cent. Government Promissory Notes—

			Rs.	A.	P.
No.	124567 of 1842-1843	for ...	10,000	0	0
,,	099668 of 1900-1901	,, ...	5,000	0	0
,,	097863 of ,, ,,	,, ...	2,000	0	0
,,	156288 of 1842-43	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	89 of ,, ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	90 of ,, ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	91 of ,, ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	92 of ,, ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	93 of ,, ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	168350 of 1854-55	,, ...	2,000	0	0
,,	188357 of ,, ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	277140 of 1865	,, ...	10,000	0	0
,,	215815 of 1900-01	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	201823 of 1865	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	202122 of ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	018244 of 1879	,, ...	2,000	0	0
,,	45 of ,,	,, ...	500	0	0
,,	46 of ,,	,, ...	500	0	0
,,	134567 of 1842-43	,, ...	500	0	0
,,	076991 of 1900-01	,, ...	100	0	0
,,	166848 of 1854-55	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	49 of ,, ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	50 of ,, ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	51 of ,, ,,	,, ...	1,000	0	0
,,	156748 of ,, ,,	,, ...	300	0	0
		Total ...	46,900	0	0
(*b*)	Cash	...	6,110	1	7

PART III.

Government Promissory Notes of 3½ per cent. loan—

		Rs.	A.	P.
No. 236933 of 1865 for	...	10,000	0	0
„ 110172 of 1842-43 „	...	1,000	0	0
Total	...	11,000	0	0

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

SCHEME.

Appointment of administrators

1. The Endowment hereby created shall be called the "Debi Prosad Agarwalla School Fund" and shall be administered by a Committee to be constituted and appointed as hereinafter mentioned, who shall be the administrators of the Fund and who are hereinafter referred to as the "School Committee."

2. The School Committee shall consist of eight persons, of whom five shall be *ex-officio* and three ordinary members.

3. The *ex-officio* members shall be the Magistrate of 24-Parganas, the Subdivisional Officer of Barrackpore, the Cantonment Magistrate of Barrackpore, the Civil Surgeon of Barrackpore, and the Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas.

The non-official members shall be persons residing or carrying on business within the limits of the Barrackpore Cantonment or within the villages Monirampore, Canti, Dhitara and Phulta.

The following persons shall be the first non-official members and shall be entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to hold office for life:—

(*i*) Babu Baboo Lal Shaw, Merchant, Sadar Bazar, Barrackpore.
(*ii*) „ Doyal Ch. Roy Chowdhury, Land-holder, Monirampore.
(*iii*) „ Khetra Mohan Bhattacharjya, Monirampore.

4. Any ordinary member of the School Committee shall (whether remaining a member of the School Committee or not) cease to be entitled to act as a member (*a*) if he resigns or retires from his office, (*b*) if he is absent from all meetings of the Committee during a period of six consecutive months, (*c*) if he becomes insolvent or compounds with his creditors, or (*d*) if he is found lunatic or becomes of unsound mind, or is convicted of a criminal offence,

5. Upon the occurrence of a vacancy among the non-official members it shall be filled by appointment to be made by a resolution of the said Managing Committee to be passed at a special meeting.

Meetings and Proceedings of the Managing Committee.

6. The Magistrate of 24-Parganas shall be the President of the said Managing Committee.

7. There shall be appointed a Secretary to the said Managing Committee from among the members at a meeting of the said Managing Committee.

8. The said Managing Committee shall hold ordinary meetings at least once a month. A special meeting may at any time be summoned at the option of the President of the Managing Committee or upon a requisition signed by any four members of such Committee to the Secretary and delivered at least six days prior to the date that may be fixed for such special meeting. The Secretary shall thereupon convene the meeting and give notice to all the members of the matters to be discussed.

9. Four members of the School Committee shall form a quorum.

10. At every meeting the Magistrate of 24-Parganas, or failing him, the Subdivisional Officer of Barrackpore, shall be Chairman, and in the absence of both, the members present shall elect one of the members to be Chairman of the meeting. Every matter shall be determined by a majority of votes of those present at the meeting

Every member present shall have one vote, and in the case of equality of votes the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.

11. A minute book shall be kept and all proceedings of the Committee shall be recorded therein.

Management of the School.

12. The School Committee shall be at liberty to use any portion of the immoveable property described in Part I of the said First Schedule for the purposes of the said school, and the income derived from any of the said property described in Part I of the said First Schedule not used for such purpose and of the property described in Parts II and III of the said First Schedule shall be paid over by the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments (when and as collected and subject as aforesaid) to the School Committee for the purposes of the said school.

13. The proposed school shall, in the first instance, be located in premises No. 101, Barrackpore, and the said Trustee shall be at liberty to apply a sufficient sum not exceeding Rs. 5,000 for the purpose of making the said premises fit for the proposed school and for providing necessary furniture and equipment.

14. The income from the said properties shall be applied by the said School Committee as follows :—

(*a*) In discharging the cost of all repairs and insurance and other necessary charges and outgoings payable in respect of the property of the proposed school.

(*b*) To the proper management and maintenance of the said school.

(*c*) Any surplus income shall be accumulated by the Committee in an account to be opened at the Bank of Bengal or some other Bank of good standing in the name of the Committee and when any such accumulations shall exceed Rs. 1,000 the sum of Rs. 1,000 or thereabouts shall be invested in the purchase of Government Promissory Notes in the name of the Treasurer, which Notes shall be forwarded to him and shall go to increase the capital fund : Provided always that any accumulated surplus income may at any time be applied for the purposes of the said school as the Committee may think fit.

15. The Committee may frame such rules for the conduct of their own business and also rules for the management of the said school as they may think proper.

16. The said Managing Committee shall have the power to appoint and remove the Secretary, the Head Master, or any member of the staff, or any person employed in the proposed school, and to fix their remuneration from time to time.

17. The Head Master shall have in his control the admission or non-admission of pupils, the selection from the list approved by the Education Department of books to be used in the proposed school, the methods to be adopted for teaching, the arrangement of classes and school hours, and generally the whole internal organization, management and discipline to be maintained in the proposed school, including the power of expelling students from the school or suspending them from attendance thereat, or of dismissing any master, teacher or other employees for any adequate cause. But the exercise by the Head Master of his powers of expulsion or suspension of students under this rule shall be subject to the sanction of the Education Department of the Government of Bengal to whom all cases shall be submitted. And any pupil not admitted and any master or teacher or employee of the proposed school suspended or dismissed by him from any cause whatsoever shall have the right to prefer an appeal to the said Managing Committee, whose decision in the matter shall be final.

18. The proposed school shall at present conform to the standard known as the high class English school, teaching Sanskrit as one of the compulsory subjects in the top four classes. The proposed school shall be open to all boys, irrespective of caste, creed or colour.

19. The said Managing Committee shall fix a scale of fees and charges to be paid in respect of pupils admitted to the standards of the school, a few free-studentships being reserved in each class under each of the standards for indigent boys.

20. The proposed school shall be opened as a day school, but the said Managing Committee may hereafter convert the same into a boarding school.

Management of the Fund and Premises.

21. The Committee may, at any time and from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, sell or mortgage all or any part of the property comprised in the said Endowment, and the Treasurer shall, in the event of any such sale or mortgage, execute or join in any conveyance, transfer mortgage or other deed necessary for the completion of any such sale or mortgage as he may be directed by the Local Government. The proceeds of any such sale shall be payable to the said Treasurer, who, after paying therefrom or from any available income of the Fund all costs and expenses, shall either invest the same on account of the Endowment in Government securities, or, at the request of the Committee and with the approval of the Local Government, shall invest the net proceeds or so much as may be necessary in the purchase of any premises for the purposes of the said school. Any such premises shall be transferred into the name of the said Treasurer. The mortgage money shall be applied as the Committee shall think proper, subject to such sanction as aforesaid.

22. The Committee may themselves at any time take on lease or hire any premises or additional premises for the purposes of the school at such rent as the income of the Fund may permit, but no lease shall be for a longer term than five years or at a rent of more than Rs. 1,000 per annum without the sanction of the Local Government. No premium or *salami* shall be paid for any lease exceeding Rs. 500 without the sanction of the Local Government, and, if necessary, the said Treasurer shall convert into money any part of the investments of the said Fund for the purpose of payment of any such premium or *salami*; such leases or hiring agreements shall be taken in the name or names of such member or members of the Committee and the survivors of such members as they may decide, and in the event of the retirement from the Committee or the death of any survivor he or his representatives, as the case may be, shall transfer to the other members of the Committee, or such of them as they decide upon, any premises remaining vested in him or them.

23. No leasehold premises shall be taken or purchased in the name of the said Treasurer except such as may be subject only to the performance of covenants on the part of the lessee for payment of rent and for delivery of possession at the end of the term, and no leasehold premises shall be purchased by the Committee in their own names or in the names of any of them for which more than Rs. 500 shall be payable as purchase money, or at a rent of more than Rs. 1,000 per annum, or having an unexpired term of more than five years, without the sanction of the Local Government.

No. 1624Edn.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr. F. W. Papworth, who has been appointed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to the Indian Educational Service temporarily for five years, is appointed to be Assistant Master in the residential school for Indian boys in Calcutta, with effect from the 2nd April 1915.

Calcutta.

No. 1626Edn.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr. Ashutosh Guha is appointed to be Assistant Principal of the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, with effect from the date on which he may join the appointment, *vice* Mr. J. G. Mehta, resigned.

Hooghly.

No. 243Eccle.—The 12th December 1916.—The Revd. E. R. Wilkinson of the Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment is confirmed as Junior Chaplain with effect from the 4th November 1916.

No. 2769M.—The 8th December 1916.—Dr. S. N. Sur, M.B. (Calcutta), D.P.H. (London), and D.T.M. (Liverpool), is appointed to officiate as Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Burdwan Circle, with effect from the date he joins the appointment and until further orders.

Burdwan.

No. 2772M.—The 8th December 1916.—Dr. S. P. Gupta, L.M.S. (Calcutta) and D.P.H. (London), is appointed to officiate as Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Rajshahi Circle, with effect from the date he joins the appointment and until further orders.

Rajshahi.

No. 772San.—The 9th December 1916.—Dr. W. C. Hossack, M.D., D.P.H., Health Officer of the Port of Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for a further period of six days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the two months' privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 517San., dated 8th August 1916.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2509S.-R.—The 7th December 1916.—The following officers are confirmed in the seventh grade of Inspectors of Excise and Salt :—

(1) Maulvi Wasique Ahmad, Probationary Inspector of Excise and Salt.

(2) Babu Sripati Mohan Gupta, Officiating Inspector of Excise and Salt.

(3) Babu Surendra Krishna Ghose, Officiating Inspector of Excise and Salt.

No. 2520S.R.—The 11th December 1916.—Babu Binod Kumar Ghosh, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Babu Gyanendra Nath Banarji, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Darjeeling.

J. DONALD.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8989A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 8919A.—The 11th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Mr. Herbert Theophilus Baylis the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Rangpur, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him sitting at Saidpur, within the limits of the Nilphamari subdivision of the said district.

Rangpur.

Mr. Baylis is also empowered to take cognisance, under clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of section 190 (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, of cases under section 34 of Act V of 1861 arising within that portion of Saidpur to which the provisions of the said section have been extended.

No. 8937A.—The 11th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Sarada Prasad Banarji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases under the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), and the bye-laws framed thereunder, and under the Police Act V of 1861, occurring within the Municipality of Kharar, as may be made over to him, sitting at Kharar.

Midnapore.

POWERS.

No. 8906A.—The 11th December 1916.—Mr. A. J. W. Harris, Assistant Superintendent, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 8939A.—The 11th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct the Honorary Magistrates, named below, of the Damudya Bench, in the district of Faridpur, to take down evidence in the English language:—

Faridpur.

Babu Jogesh Chandra Mukharji.
„ Jogesh Chandra Ray Chaudhuri.
„ Kamakhya Charan Chatarji.
„ Praphulla Chandra Sen Gupta.

No. 8955A.—The 8th December 1916.—Mr. D. G. Davies, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Dacca.

No. 8958A.—The 8th December 1916.—Mr. J. Younie, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Rajshahi district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Rajshahi.

No. 8961A.—The 11th December 1916.—Babu Gunamay Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Bogra.

No. 8972A.—The 12th December 1916.—The officers, named below, are vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure:—

Dinajpur.

Babu Gyanendra Nath Ray, Deputy Magistrate, Dinajpur.
„ Amarendra Nath Ray, „ „ „

No. 8974A.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Abani Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Jessore.

J. H KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3674J.—The 11th December 1916.—Babu Nirod Ranjan Guha, Munsif of Malda, in the district of Rajshahi, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Nawabganj, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Chandra Shekhar Sen, or until further orders.

Rajshahi.

No. 3676J.—The 11th December 1916.—Babu Banku Bihari Chatarji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Rajshahi, to be ordinarily stationed at Malda.

Rajshahi.

LEAVE.

No. 3725J.—The 4th December 1916.—Babu Tara Prasanna Chatarji, Munsif of Jessore, is allowed leave from the 7th to the 22nd December 1916, both days inclusive, namely, four days under article 272, and the remaining period under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 19th October 1916.

Jessore.

No. 3726J.—The 8th December 1916.—Babu Subodh Kumar Bhattacharji, Munsif of Baukura, is allowed leave for one month, namely, seventeen days under articles 260 and 275 and the remaining period under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th November 1916.

Bankura.

No. 3678J.—The 11th December 1916.—Babu Binod Bihari Mitra, Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas, under orders of transfer to Burdwan, is granted furlough for two months, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the combined leave granted to him under the orders of the 15th August 1916.

24-Parganas. Burdwan.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 14040P.—The 11th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 4 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), and rule 2(*a*) of the Rules made under section 10 of the same Act (published under Notification No. 1198P.D., dated the 2nd June 1915), and in partial modification of Notification No. 1411P.D., dated the 17th June 1915, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Shyama Charan Chakrabatti, Subordinate Judge, Midnapore, to be a Commissioner for the trial of all persons accused in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions of anything which is an offence under the Defence of India Rules, 1915, *vice* Babu Achinta Nath Mitra.

Midnapore. Presidency and Burdwan Divns.

No. 14094P.—The 11th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (*1*) of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (I of 1910), the Governor in Council hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a pamphlet entitled "Arya Samaj ke bani Dayanand ki zindgi aur us ke khufyia political maqsad ka mukhtasir khaka", published by Amar Singh and printed at the Union Press, Lahore, and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said pamphlet on the ground that the said pamphlet contains words which have a tendency to bring into contempt such of His Majes y's subjects in British India as are followers of the doctrine of Swami Dayanand, and therefore appears to the Governor in Council to be of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (*1*), clause (*c*) of the said Act.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 13980P.—The 9th December 1916.—Babu Shailesh Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer, and is posted to the Sadar subdivision of the Burdwan district.

Burdwan.

No. 14070P.—The 11th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 34 of the Police Act (V of 1861), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend that section to the town of Bolpur, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Birbhum, within the boundaries specified below :—

Birbhum.

North—Mauza Laikbazar, mauza Arazi Debakinandanpur and village Bhubandanga.

South—Village Kasimbazar.

East—Rivulet.

West—Village Bandgora.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 9th December 1916.

No. 119Marine.—Mr. A. H. Dove, Junior Master Pilot, is promoted to act as a Senior Master Pilot with effect from the 28th December 1916.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 9th December 1916.

No. 120Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Governor in Council of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum published under Bengal Government Notification No. 143Marine, dated the 30th November 1914 :—

Amendment.

For the figure "500" after the words "not more than" in rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II, of the said rules, the figure "2000" shall be substituted.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th December 1916.

No. 121Marine.—Mr. H. E. Mackenzie, Branch Pilot, is appointed to the command of the S. P. V. *Lady Fraser* with effect from the 1st January 1917, *vice* Mr. C. G. Budge, Branch Pilot, reverted to the general running list of Pilots.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 8990A.

No. 8893A.—The 9th December 1916.—Babu Anadi Nath Sarkar, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Pabna, is allowed leave for one month, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave previously granted to him.

Pabna.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 14054, dated Calcutta, the 6th December 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Chandi Charan Mitra did supernumerary duty at the Diamond Harbour Dispensary from the 1st to the 3rd November 1916, both days inclusive.

This cancels Notification No. 13056, dated the 15th November 1916.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU MANMATHA NATH BASU, Munsif of Malda, in the district of Rajshahi, is vested under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), as amended by the Decentralization Act, 1914 (IV of 1914), with powers to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the executive district of Malda.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 5th December 1916.

BABU MANMATHA NATH BASU, Munsif of Malda, in the district of Rajshahi, is appointed to be a District Delegate under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the executive district of Malda.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 5th December 1916.

BABU NIRAD RANJAN GUHA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Nawabganj, in the district of Rajshahi, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Nawabganj Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 5th December 1916.

BABU NARANATH MUKHARJI, Munsif of Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Jangipur Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH.
Registrar.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 5th December 1916.

General Letter No. 13.

To

THE DISTRICT JUDGE OF

Dated Calcutta, the 11th December 1916.

SIR,

HIGH COURT. ENGLISH DEPARTMENT. *Civil.*

IN continuation of the Court's General Letter No. 13, dated the 21st December 1915, I am directed to say that the 20th December 1916 (Wednesday) should be observed as a close holiday in the Civil Courts subordinate to the High Court, on account of the "Akhiri Chahar Shamba" festival, which falls on that day for a second time during the current year.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 8th December 1916.

No. 705A.—Mr. B. K. Evans, Foreman Instructor, Dacca School of Engineering (class I of the Subordinate Educational Service), was on privilege leave for one month with effect from the 30th October to 29th November 1916, both days inclusive, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations.

The 9th December 1916.

No. 706A.—Babu Kiran Chandra Banerjee, deceased, late Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hooghly, was on combined leave, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, from 6th July 1916 to 22nd November 1916, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the same Regulations.

This supersedes this office Notification No. 700A., dated 8th November 1916.

No. 707A.—Maulvi Muhammad Hossain, Head Maulvi, Arabic Department, Chittagong Madrassa, is granted privilege leave for forty-two days, viz., forty days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations and two days under article 271 of the same Regulations with effect from 15th August 1916.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 8th December 1916.

No. 97P.—Babu Bama Charan Banerjee, Officiating Lecturer of English, Dacca College, is appointed to act as Professor of English in that College and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 200 a month, *vice* Babu Rakhaldas Ghosh, on leave.

No. 98P.—Mrs. Hriday Violet Mitter, Additional Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Presidency Division, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for two months with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

No. 99P.—Miss Surabala Singh, Officiating Head Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School, in class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed to act as Additional Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Presidency Division, and in the Provincial Educational Service, on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, during the absence on leave of Mrs. Hriday Violet Mitter.

The 11th December 1916.

No. 100P.—Maulvi Khabiruddin Ahmed, District Deputy Inspector of Schools Tippera, and now Officiating District Deputy Inspector of Schools, Chittagong (class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed substantively on probation for one year to be Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Dacca Division, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service with effect from 16th December 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may join the appointment, *vice* Maulvi Kazi Imdadul Haq about to be transferred.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will be closed at 1 P.M., on the 22nd December 1916, the date on which His Excellency the Viceroy arrives in Calcutta.

N. BHAR,

Offg. Collector of Stamp Revenue.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 11th December 1916.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6725G.—Maulvi Muhammad Yahya, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is transferred to the Chandpur subdivision, in the district of Tippera.

K. C. DE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, *the 2nd December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU BIRENDRA LAL GUPTA and Maulvi Khalilur Rahman Khan, Sub-Deputy Collectors, Hooghly, are transferred temporarily to Bankura. They should join after the holidays by the 6th January 1917.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU MADHUSUDAN GUPTA, Sub-Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred temporarily to Bankura. He should join after the holidays by the 6th January 1917.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR 'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th December 1916*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5371J.—Babu Tamasha Ranjan Datta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Goalundo, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed privilege leave, under article 242(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st November 1916 till the 22nd December 1916.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 9th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 60L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint Babu Ram Jadu Lahiri to be a member of the Chuadanga Local Board, in the district of Nadia, in the place of Babu Kalipada Bagchi, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3157M.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 112 of the Bengal Cess Act, IX of 1880, as amended by Act IV (B.C.) of 1910, I appoint Mr. Edward Montagu Wood-Cock as a member of the District Road Committee, Darjeeling, *vice* Mr. E. B. Greene, deceased.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 4th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19 (1) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Shyama Charan Mukherji is appointed a member of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Babu Trailakhya Nath Sasni, removed.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 4th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3163M.—In exercise of the power conferred upon me by section 19 (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by Bengal Act V of 1908, I appoint the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi, to be an *ex-officio* member of the Boalia Local Board, in the district of Rajshahi.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 4th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 (*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), as amended by the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1908, Mr. Praphulla Sankar Sen is appointed to be a member of the Sadar Local Board of the district of Noakhali, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, resigned.

A. R. BOSE, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 9th December 1916*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Managing Committee of the Nalhati Charitable Dispensary in the district of Birbhum :—

1. The Civil Surgeon, Birbhum ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. „ Subdivisional Officer, Rampur Hat ... }
3. „ Sub-Registrar, Nalhati ... ... }
4. „ Sub-Inspector of Schools, Nalhati Circle ... }
5. „ Station Master, Nalhati ... ... }
6. Babu Kali Das Sarkar.
7. „ Rajeswar Bhakat.
8. „ Jogendra Narayan Singh.
9. „ Surath Nath Mukherjee.
10. Munshi Babar Ali.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 3rd December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4132J.—In Notification No. 165Jct., dated the 21st September 1916, published at page 1863, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th October 1916, regarding the appointment of the members of the Committee for the management of Chhatnai Charitable Dispensary, in the district of Rangpur, *for* "Munshi Mala Mahmed Pramanik" *read* "Munshi Mola Mahmud Pramanik".

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20(*b*) of the Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Managing Committee of the Charitable Dispensary at Baidyabati, in the district of Hooghly :—

1. Subdivisional Officer, Serampore ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. Civil Surgeon, Serampore ... ... }
3. Babu Nirmal Chandra Mukharji.
4. „ Benoy Nath Mukharji.
5. „ Bihary Lal Ganguli.
6. „ Krishna Chandra Chatterji.
7. „ Bihary Lal Banerji.
8. „ Debendra Nath Mukharji.
9. „ Shadoo Charan Dey.
10. „ Jitendra Nath Mukherji.
11. Mr. John Low.
12. Maulvi Syed Sujaat Ali.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5368J.—In modification of so much of this office notification No. 5278J., dated the 30th November 1916, as relates to the Gopalganj Dispensary in the district of Faridpur, it is hereby notified, under rule 20(*b*) of the Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries, that the following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Managing Committee of the said dispensary :—

DISTRICT FARIDPUR.

Gopalganj Dispensary.

(1) The Subdivisional Officer, Gopalganj ... *President. Ex-officio.*
(2) Babu Sashi Bhusan Biswas.
(3) ,, Chandra Kanta Kirtunia.
(4) Maulvi Abdul Kader.
(5) ,, Abdul Latif.
(6) Mr. D. C. Bose.
(7) Babu Hara Chandra Saha.
(8) ,, Kali Charan Mukherjee, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, *Secretary.*
(9) Maulvi Jonab Ali.
(10) Babu G. C. Dey, Head Master, M. E. School.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 9th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 569P.W.—It is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I do hereby direct under section 6, clause (*f*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, that the ferry known as Satmai Ferry, in thana Boda, under the Jalpaiguri District Board, bounded on the north by Taluqs Saldanga, Marreyah and Gopalganj, south by Taluqs Majgaon and Dheygaon, east by Taluqs Sikerpur, Kalapir and Takahara, and west by Taluqs Brahamtal, Haragach and Hatiduba, be discontinued with effect from the date of this notification.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 4th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 61L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me by the Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I do hereby take possession, under section 6, clause (*b*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, of the private ferry at Dasumi over the river Mathabhanga, in thana Damurhuda, subdivision Chuadanga, in the district of Nadia, and declare it to be a public ferry.

2. In exercise of the powers delegated to me by the Bengal Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, I further direct, under section 35 of the aforesaid Act, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Nadia, and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund of Nadia with effect from the date of this Notification.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 6th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the Rules for Managing Committees of Government High Schools, promulgated in Bengal Government letter No. 895, dated the 10th April 1916 (General Department, Education Branch), the following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Managing Committee of the Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad :—

1.	The Subdivisional Officer, Lalbagh, *President*	*Ex-officio.*
2.	The Head Master, *Vice-President and Secretary*	*Ex-officio.*
3.	The Munsif of Lalbagh, Official other than an Educational Officer.	*Ex-officio.*
4.	Maulvi Zahuruddin Ahmad, B.A. ...	Elected representative of the teaching staff.
5.	Syud Abbas Hossain ...	Representatives of parents and guardians of pupils.
6.	Babu Janaki Nath Panre ...	Representatives of parents and guardians of pupils.

The members other than the *ex-officio* members will hold office for the three academic years, 1916 to 1918.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, *District Magistrate.*

DIST. MAGTE.'S OFFICE, MURSHIDABAD, BERHAMPUR, *the 6th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Committee for the management of the Malda Zilla School at Malda, under rules 2, 3 and 4 of the Rules for the Managing Committees of Government High Schools :—

1.	District Magistrate	*President* ... *Ex-officio.*
2.	Head Master, Malda Zilla School	*Vice-President and Secretary.* *Ex-officio.*
3.	Maulvi Mahammad Hossain, Assistant Master, Malda Zilla School.	Elected representative of the teaching staff.
4.	Babu Panchanan Majumdar, B.L., Pleader, Malda.	Representatives of the parents and guardians of the pupils.
5.	Maulvi Abdul Ghani, Muktear, Malda	Representatives of the parents and guardians of the pupils.
6.	Khan Sahib Maulvi Kader Baksh, B.L. ...	Vice-Chairman of the District Board.

J. H. LINDSAY, *Magistrate.*

MALDA MAGISTRACY, *the 5th December 1916.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under Section 63 (5) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plan of a Proposed Public Street No. XII (Ballygunge Main Road), which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 28th June 1916.

C. H BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST, 5, CLIVE STREET, *the 6th December 1916.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 30th day of November 1916, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 30th November 1916.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 30TH NOVEMBER 1916 INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	377,308	...	377,308	109,980	59,426	23,900	88,700
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	456,380	87,084	543,464	136,840	99,634	10,950	57,340
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	247,376	...	247,376	70,600	...	...	89,886
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	451,861	...	451,861	145,350	...	33,598	90,470
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	101,126	5,537	106,663	57,700	81,667	34,350	31,670
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...		...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	23 345	...	23,345	12,564*	...	600	28,023
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	14,640†	14,640	14,640	...
Tuticorin salt ...	...	...	...	...	1,021‡	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,657,396	92,621	1,750,017	547,674	256,388	118 038	386,089

* Includes 12,167 mds. Bombay Karkasch salt in which duty was paid in Bombay.
† Duty on 14,640 mds. Madras salt was paid at Madras.
‡ Landed delivery withheld pending production of certificate in form A 46a.

Written off during the half month—

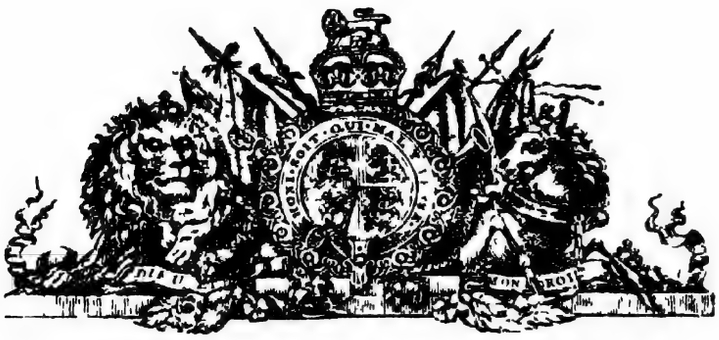
	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	6,513
Abandoned and destroyed	20

ERRATUM.

In the statement for half month ending 15th November 1916, in column 6 against Madras salt *read* 36,070 maunds *for* 37,486 and the total of that column *read* 329,477 *for* 330,893.

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,
Assistant Collector for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 8th December 1916.*



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 9th December 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS

Delhi, the 7th December 1916.

No. 62.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Sir Francis Hugh Stewart, KT., C.I.E., of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 63.—A vacancy having occurred in the Indian Legislative Council by reason of the resignation of the Hon'ble Sir Francis Hugh Stewart, KT., C.I.E., an Additional Member of the said Council, who represented the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, the Governor General is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI (*b*) of the Regulations for the Nomination and Election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, to call upon the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to elect, in accordance with the said Regulations, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy on or before the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 9th December 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 4th December 1916.

No. 249 C.—The services of Mr. V. Dawson, I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the afternoon of the 1st December 1916.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 9th December 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS.

The 9th December 1916.

No. 12154-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act of 1878 (Act VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or land, into British India of any copy of a publication entitled "*Deshbhagti ki Git*" (Songs of Patriotism) issued by the Yugantar Ashram, San Francisco, in Hindi or any other language.

No. 12156-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act of 1878 (Act VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or land, into British India of any copy of a publication entitled "*Ghadar ki Gunj No. 2*" (Echo of Mutiny No. 2) issued by the Yugantar Ashram, San Francisco, in Urdu or in any other language.

No 170D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9954-W.-11, dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended :—

For the existing sub-clause (*g*) to proviso (*ii*) *substitute* the following :—

"(*g*) imports of meat, petroleum and all products of petroleum, or sugar."

No. 171D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9961W.-II dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended :—

In sub-clause (*f*) to proviso (*ii*) *insert* the words :—

"and all products of petroleum" *after* the word "petroleum."

No. 200-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made after item 41 in the schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 7133-W.-11, dated the 12th August 1916, namely :—

Articles.	Destination.	Exceptions and exemptions.
41 A. Casings	All destinations except the United Kingdom, British Possessions and British Protectorates.	

RESOLUTION.

POST OFFICE.

Delhi, the 6th December 1916.

No. 175-D.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction, with effect from the 1st January 1917, the following additions and alterations in the rules for the guidance of depositors in the Post Office Savings

Bank, published with the Resolution of the Government of India in this Department, No. 1446-1449-29, dated the 5th March 1914, as subsequently amended :—

(*a*) The following shall be substituted for clauses (1) and (2) of rule 46 and the note below the latter :—

1. "Any person, whether previously a depositor in the Post Office Savings Bank or not, may invest through the Post Office in any Government loan bearing interest at 3½ per cent. or upwards '.

2. "The total amount, after deducting any sum sold through the Post Office, which may be invested through the Post Office by an individual investor in any one official year from the 1st April to the 31st March inclusive is Rs. 5,000. The total amount, after deducting any sum sold through the Post Office, which may be left in the safe custody of the Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, under rule 48 (1) is Rs. 15,000.

NOTE 1.—The above limits will be applied with reference to the nominal value of the securities purchased. They do not apply to investments in connection with public accounts or with regimental, police and other conjoint accounts.

NOTE 2.—Subscriptions to new loans through the Post Office will be allowed in each case up to the limit specified in the notification announcing the loan. Such limit will be an addition to the yearly amount of investment permissible under these rules. But securities whether obtained by investing in existing loans or by subscription to a new loan may not be left in the custody of the Accountant General under rule 48 (1) in excess of the limit of Rs 15,000 mentioned above.

(*b*) *In rule 46* (*5*) (*a*) the words "annual limit" shall be substituted for the words "maximum limit".

(*c*) *In rule 46* (*5*) (*b*) the following shall be substituted for the 1st sentence :—

"The investor should specify the particular loan or loans in which he desires to make the investment".

(*d*) *In rule 46* (*6*) (*a*) for the words "in Government securities of any of the 3½ per cent. loans or in the 4 per cent. loan", the words "in any Government loan bearing interest at 3½ per cent. or upwards" shall be substituted. The word "maximum" in line 3 of this rule shall also be deleted, and the word "limits" substituted for the word "limit".

(*e*) *In rule 48 (1)* the following shall be added after the first sentence :—

"The total amount which may be kept in the custody of the Accountant-General by an individual investor is limited to Rs. 15,000, except in the case of investments in connection with Public Accounts, or with Regimental, Police, or other conjoint accounts".

(*f*) The following shall be substituted for the second sentence of the note below rule 49 :—

"Interest on the 4 per cent. terminable loan of 1915-16 is due on the 31st May and the 30th November, and interest on the 4 per cent. conversion loan of 1916-17 on the 1st April and the 1st October".

Ordered that this Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information, and that it be communicated to the Finance Department, the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, and the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs.

A. H. LEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2678M.—The 5th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the following bye-laws framed by the Commissioners of the Jessore Municipality in the district of Jessore :—

Jessore.

BY-LAWS FOR THE JESSORE MUNICIPALITY.

DEFINITIONS.

1. In these bye-laws—

(1) "Carriage" includes also a motor-car, and

(2) "Cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTION.

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force, no act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under bye-law 22, 40 or 53.

PENALTIES.

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these bye-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the bye-laws,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the bye-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the bye-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

6. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road, shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10.

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road, between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows:—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights one on each side,

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light,

(*c*) every elephant, camel or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light,

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front:

Provided that this bye-law shall not apply on nights of full moon, or on the four nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

8. No person shall drive any motor-car, or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle, on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

9. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of twenty maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, bullas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person, and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

11. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

12. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

13. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, take any elephant or camel along any road.

Fine, Rs. 50.

14. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge or any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

15. No person shall drive upon a road, at the same time, more than two loaded pack animals.

Fine, Rs. 10.

16. No person riding or driving a mare on any road shall allow a foal to accompany the mare unless it is secured.

Fine, Rs. 10.

17. No person shall drive a bullock-cart on the centre of any road on which cart-tracks are provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

18. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON FOOTPATHS.

19. No person shall wilfully drive or ride any cart, carriage, bicycle, horse or cattle on any footpath set apart for the use of foot-passengers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENT AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

20. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle on or into any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

21. No parent or guardian of any child below the age of seven years shall allow such child to play or wander about on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

22. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose:

Provided that, during the months of April, May and June, between the hours of 10 P.M. and 5 A.M., *khatias* may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to persons using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

23. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

24. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

25. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

26. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building owned or occupied by him any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road or into any drain in or

near a road, except through a downpipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

27. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

28. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way that it may fall on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

29. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

30. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

31. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

32. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

33. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

34. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely covered receptacle, of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

35. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *tatti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

36. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill or clean any poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

37. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

38. No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except (1) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and (2) on payment of

the fees at such rates as may be sanctioned by the Commissioners at a meeting:

Provided that this bye-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs or crackers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING-PLACES, STREAMS CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

39. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this bye-law.

Fine, Rs. 10: daily fine, Rs. 2.

40. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

41. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply shall

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorized in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

42. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

43. The owner of every well, which is a source of public water-supply, shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

44. No person shall bathe, or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other article, within a distance of ten feet from the lowest platform of any public well or of any filtered water standpipe which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

45. Except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and under such conditions as they may from time to time prescribe, no person shall use any standpipe or fountain, belonging to the Commissioners, for any purpose other than drawing water—

(*a*) for drinking on the spot, or

(*b*) for carrying away for drinking purposes.

Fine, Rs. 10.

46. No person shall do near any standpipe belonging to the Commissioners any act which is likely to pollute the water

Fine, Rs. 20.

47. No person shall obstruct in any way the free flow of water from any standpipe belonging to the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 20.

48. No person shall tamper with any standpipe belonging to the Municipal Commissioners so as to cause any damage to its mechanism.

Fine, Rs. 20.

49. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

50. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or watercourse, or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes, any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

51. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

52. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

53. No person shall deposit night-soil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

54. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the Municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

55. Every owner or occupier or farmer of any market shall remove, or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

56 Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses or report the death to the conservancy overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

57. No male person above twelve years of age, except the Municipal inspecting officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

58. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain, any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

59. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain, any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

60. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

61. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief, or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

62. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

63. When lines for graves in any burial-place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial-place except in such line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

64. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry unless the top of the coffin or (if no coffin is used) the corpse is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

65. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

66. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

67. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

68. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

69. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

70. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweeping, night-soil and other filth and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine Rs. 2.

71. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawali or person entrusted with the daily supervision, or in charge, of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition,

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

72. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine. Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

73. Every baker or confectioner, who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

74. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

75. No person shall make any aerated water or ice for the purpose of sale without first boiling the water.

Fine, Rs. 50.

76. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera, or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

77. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

78. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

79. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

80. No person shall, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, beat a drum or tom-tomor blow any high-sounding instrument after 10 P.M. or before 6 A.M.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BYE-LAWS.

81. The bye-laws which were confirmed by Government Order No. 4941, dated the 20th August 1898, are hereby cancelled.

Rajshahi.

No. 2752M.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 351 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the following by-laws framed by the Commissioners of the Nator Municipality, in the district of Rajshahi.

BY-LAWS FOR THE NATOR MUNICIPALITY UNDER SECTION 350 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884 (BEN. ACT III OF 1884).

DEFINITIONS.

Definitions.

1. In these by-laws (1) "Carriage" includes also a motor-car; and (2) "Cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTION.

Police Act, 1861, section 34.

2. No Act which constitutes an offence under section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), shall be punishable under by-laws 22, 39, 47.

PENALTIES.

Fines.

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

Youthful drivers.

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving more than one carriage or cart.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Rule of the road.

6. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin on any road, shall, when passing a vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lights.

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road, between half an hour after sunset and half an hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows:—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights one on each side;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light;

(*c*) every elephant, camel, or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light;

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front:

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights on which a full moon is clearly visible, or the four nights immediately preceding and

succeeding the full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible on these nights.

Fine, Rs 50.

Driving an elephant or camel without a bell.

8. No person shall drive or ride any elephant or camel on any road unless a bell is attached to its neck.

Fine, Rs. 25.

Singal on motors and cycles.

9. No person shall drive any motor car or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell or horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Maximum load for carts.

10. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of twenty maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with girders, etc.

11. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, ballas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person, and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with bricks, stones, etc

12. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Animal laden with bamboos or timber.

13. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Taking an elephant or camel along an unsafe road.

14. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, take any elephant or camel along any road which has been notified by the Commissioners unsafe for such animals to pass.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Taking elephant on a bridge.

15. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Loaded pack animals.

16. No person shall drive upon a road at the same time more than two loaded pack animals.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Foals.

17. No person driving or riding a mare on any road shall allow a foal to accompany the mare unless it is secured.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sitting or sleeping.

18. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Obstruction to traffic.

19. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause any obstruction to public traffic by putting up any awning or other temporary projection over any road, or by hanging up any goods for sale.

Fine, Rs 20.

Carrying projecting loads on elephants.

20. No person shall carry on an elephant along any road a load so projecting as to brush against houses and vehicles.

Fine, Rs. 5.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROAD.

Abandoning or letting loose cattle.

21. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing articles.

22. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose:

Provided that during the months of April, May and June, between the hours of 10 P.M and 5 A.M., *khatias* may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to persons using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Planting trees.

23. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Excavation and enclosures.

24. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road, or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10: daily fine, Rs. 2.

Removing turf or cutting grass.

25. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Discharge of water.

26. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road, or into any drain in or near a road, except through a down-pipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Breaking in horses.

27. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Playing games.

28. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Throwing stones, etc.

29. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or broken glass, prickly object, crockery or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Placing rubbish on public road.

30. No person shall place or cause to be placed after 8 o'clock in the morning any rubbish on a public road otherwise than in a receptacle provided for such purpose by the Commissioners, or provided by himself and approved by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving across a drain.

31. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Barbed wire.

32. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Dust-bin.

33. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other materials.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Conveying sewage or offensive matter.

34. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely covered receptacle of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Killing cattle or poultry or cleaning carcasses.

35. No person shall, on or within sight of road, kill or clean the carcass of any cattle or poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Closed roads.

36. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

Letting off firearms, etc.

37. No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except—

(*a*) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and

(*b*) on payment of a fee of Rs. 2.

This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of any harmless squibs or crackers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING-PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

Setting up of obstruction.

38. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Explanation.—The spreading of fish-nets and the placing of fishing traps in such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Easing oneself.

39. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10

Cleanliness of banks, and access for conservancy

40. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply shall—

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorised in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Weeds

41. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Masonry platforms and drains for wells.

42. The owner of every well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Bathing or washing near wells (or stand-pipe).

43. No person shall bathe, or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other article, within a distance of 10 feet from the lowest platform of any public well or of any filtered water stand-pipe which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Steeping jute, hemp, etc.

44. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Washing in infected articles

45. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course, or any receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes, any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Bathing by infected persons.

46. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing-place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER

Depositing nightsoil.

47. No person shall deposit nightsoil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Manure.

48. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Access to municipal servants.

49. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises, from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Removal of offensive matter from market.

50. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove, or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Discharge of sewage from privies.

51. No owner or occupier of any premises in or upon which any privy is situated shall allow any sewage to flow or to be discharged from such privy into any drain, water-course, river, tank, hollow or excavation, or otherwise than into a proper receptacle provided for such purpose by the Commissioners, or provided by himself and approved by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 20.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

Disposal of carcasses.

52. The owner or occupier of any premises in or upon which any animal dies shall, within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcass, or report the death to the municipal overseer or to the Sanitary Inspector.

Fine, Rs. 25.

LATRINES.

Latrines reserved for females.

53. No male person above twelve years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for such purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs 10.

DRAINS.

Obstruction to drains.

54. No person shall deposit or cause to be deposited in or on the side of any public drain any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Constructing stalls, platforms, etc., over a drain.

55. No person shall construct or place over or by the side of any public drain any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATION AND BURIALS AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

Conveying corpse.

56. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing corpse on or near road.

57. No person while conveying a corpse shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Burial or burning obligatory.

58. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lines of graves.

59. When lines of graves in any burial-place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial-place except in such a line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of coffin or corpse in masonry graves.

60. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of non-masonry graves.

61. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves.

62. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening graves

63. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

64. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

65. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land.

66. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after the service of a notice in this behalf from Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, nightsoil, and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Sanitation of public place of charity or worship.

67. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee, motawalli or person entrusted with the daily supervision or in charge of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cleanliness of shops, markets and slaughter-houses.

68. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Sale of prepared articles of food.

69. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Aerated water or ice.

70. No person shall make any aerated water or ice for the purpose of sale without first boiling the water.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Infected clothing.

71. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Disinfection of carriages.

72. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera, or any other infectious disease or a corpse shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Picketing animals, collecting carts, or forming encampments.

73. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts or, form any encampment on any public ground set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Diseased or worn-out cattle.

74. No person shall abandon or let loose or allow to get loose any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS.

Cancellation of former by-laws.

75. The by-laws which were confirmed by Notifications Nos. 3656 and 542, dated 22nd October 1895 and 22nd January 1909, respectively, are hereby cancelled.

No. 2695M.—The 6th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Maniktala Municipality, in the district of the 24-parganas, under section 27 of that Act, electing Babu Upendra Chandra Banarji, M.A., B.L., to be Chairman of that Municipality.

24-Parganas.

No. 2754M.—The 7th December 1916.—The following draft orders, which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), are published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Hooghly.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 20th January 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the provisions of Part IX of that Act to the areas of the said municipality the boundaries of which are specified below:—

WARD NO. I.

North—Southern boundary of ward No. II.
East—The river Hooghly.
South—Meerarhat.
West—Western boundary of the municipality and Meerarhat, Bagdipore.

WARD NO. II.

North—Southern boundary of ward No. III.
East—The river Hooghly.
South—Ghosepara Lane.
West—Haripara and the western boundary of the East Indian Railway and Domepara.

WARD NO. III.

North—Northern boundary of Rudra Sarak.
East—The river Hooghly.
South—Northern boundary of ward No. II.
West—Bania Lane and the western boundary of Rudra Sarak.

WARD NO. IV.

North—Northern boundary of the municipality.
East—The river Hooghly.
South—The river Saraswati.
West—The western boundary of the East Indian Railway Line.

2. Notification No. 1661M., dated the 20th June 1916, is hereby cancelled.

No. 2775M.—The 8th December 1916.—The following draft order, which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 1 (*3*) of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, 1891 (Bengal Act II of 1891), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

11. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th January 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power vested in him by section 1, clause (*3*), of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, II of 1891, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Bhatpara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made at a meeting, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of the said Act to the above Municipality.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by section 61, sub-section (*l*) of the same Act, to appoint the Commissioners of the Bhatpara Municipality and their Chairman, respectively, to perform the duties imposed, and to exercise the power conferred, by the Act on the Corporation of Calcutta and the Chairman of the Corporation, respectively.

Howrah.

No. 2799M.—The 8th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 290 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council makes the following alteration in the rules published under Notification No. 231M., dated the 1st February 1915, at page 22 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd idem, subject to which the Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality may allow communication-pipes to be laid down from the service-pipes of the Commissioners for the purpose of leading water to holdings within the municipality for domestic purposes only :—

In the preamble *substitute* " Rs. 100 " *for* " Rs. 50."

24-Parganas.

No. 2823M.—The 12th December 1916.— The following draft order which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 21st January 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered.

Draft order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the levy, under section 321 of that Act, by the Commissioners of the said Municipality, of fees for the cleansing of private privies and cess-pools within the areas of the Municipality the boundaries of which are specified below :—

North—River Ichhamati, pillar No. I to pillar No. II.

East—A straight line running south from pillar No II, *i.e.*, from the southern bank of the Ichhamati to pillar No. III which has been erected on the Itinda Road, *i.e.*, to the east of the Mortuary building, thence a straight line running in a south-easterly direction to pillar No. IV which has been erected on the western side of the tank of Hari Sana of Naihati to the south of Dandirhat Main Road', thence a straight line running in a south-easterly direction to pillar No. V which is situated on the north of Barasat-Basirhat Light Railway line, *i.e.*, 2,400 feet east of the Basirhat Kutchary station.

South—A straight line running in a north-westerly direction from pillar No. V to pillar No. VI which has been erected 1,600 feet east of the Basirhat Kutchary station, thence a straight line in a south-westerly direction to pillar No. VII which has been erected 800 feet east of Kaviraje's house, thence a straight line due west to pillar No. VIII which has been erected at a distance of 160 feet north-west of the junction of Kaorapara Road and Kaorapara Lane.

West—A straight line in a north-westerly direction from pillar No. VIII to pillar No. IX on the north-east corner of the newly acquired land for a tank and park, thence a straight line due east to pillar No. X which has been erected at a distance of 160 feet south of the curve of the School Road, thence a straight line running north to pillar No. I which is situated on the southern bank of river Ichhamati.

24-Parganas.

No. 2833M.—The 12th December 1916.—The following draft of amendments which, in exercise of the power conferred by section 290 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council proposes to make, in the rules published under Notification No, 1587M, dated the 1st June 1914, as amended by Notification No. 1748M., dated the 23rd June 1914, subject to which the Commissioners of the Cossipur-Chitpur Municipality may allow communication-pipes to be laid down from the service-pipes of the Commissioners for the purpose of leading water to premises for domestic purposes only, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft amendments will be taken into consideration on the 20th January 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft amendments.

(1) In rules 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 15 and 16 *for* "masonry building" or "building" as the case may be *substitute* "holding".

(2) After rule 16 *add* the following as rule 17 :—

"17. No connection shall be permitted to any holding unless—

(*a*) effective provision has been made to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, for draining all waste water away by masonry drains leading to the public drains;

(*b*) the platform on which the water tap is to be erected has been made pucca and has been properly plastered with cement or otherwise made impervious to percolation of water; and

(*c*) the Commissioners are of opinion that such connection will not be injurious to the health of the locality".

Jessore.

No. 2756L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Jessore, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Jessore ...	Narail ...	Narail ...	Subharara	9	Basuari (excluding Beel Goalbathan) ... 244 Subharara ... 245 Ranaganti ... 246 Hida (excluding Beel Bamun) ... 247 Ichhamati ... 248 Gopinathpur ... 249	*North.* Bhabanipur 126, Chakai 127, Beel Goalbathan, Khuraddin 240, Beel Bamun. *East.* Beel Goalbathan, Khuraddin 240, Beel Bamun, Peruli 239 *South.* Sulgram 250, Nauli 251. *West.* Bhugilhat 125, Bhabanipur 126, River Bhairab.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Committee of the said Subharara Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2759L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Jessore, into a Union :—

Jessore.

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Jessore ...	Narail ...	Lohagara	Lohagara	9	Tentulia ... 167 Char Bagjuri ... 168 Kamtana ... 169 Mochra ... 170 Chhatra ... 171 Do. ... 172 Lohagara ... 196 Charaberia ... 197 Maitkomra ... 198 Kalna ... 199 Karfa ... 200	*North.* Gobindapur 161, Chachai Dhanail 162, Beltia 166, Amdanga 165. *East.* River Madhumati. *South.* Kandasi 195, Mahishapara 201. *West.* Jaypur 173, river Bankana.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Committee of the said Lohagara Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2761L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Subharara Union, in the district of Jessore, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Jessore.

No. 2762L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act in the areas under the jurisdiction of Subharara Union, in the district of Jessore, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Jessore.

No. 2763L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragragh I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Panjia Union, in the district of Jessore, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Jessore.

No. 2764L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Panjia Union, in the district of Jessore, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Jessore.

No. 2760L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Jessore, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers	Boundaries of the Union.
Jessore ...	Jhenida	Salkopa	Salkopa	7	Shyampur ... 69 Haridebpur ... 72 Salkopa ... 73 Satgachi ... 74	*North.* Dalilpur 67, Makuri 75, Nabagram Brahmapur 76. *East.* Aushiu 84, Khalkula 85, Pathanpara 87, Fazilpur 88. *South.* River Kumar. *West.* Siddhi 68, Itali 70, Debtala 71.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that two of the members of the Committee of the said Salkopa Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and five of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Birbhum.

No. 2777L.S.-G —The 8th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of mauzas, in the district of Birbhum, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union (thana Maureshwar), with their numbers in the jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Birbhum ...	Mollarpur	9	Gonspur ... 69 Parchandpur ... 70 Mahadinagar ... 73 Modianpur ... 16 Mollarpur ... 74 Mahishakura ... 15 Birajpur ... 14 Goala ... 75 Amia or Amba ... 77 Fatehpur ... 78 Bhilda ... 79 Anandanagar ... 71 Chak Nageswar ... 72 Arazi Goala ... 76	*North.* Mauzas Ranipur (43), Masanpur (44), Sansa (47), Tahaldara (48), and Kutabpur (57) in thana Rampurhat. *West.* Mauzas Dawa (8), Ghagha (13), Ganpur (18), and Mat Mahala (68). *South.* Sheikhpur (66). *East.* Mudli (148), Jamalpur (118), Arazi Dangal (119), Raghunathpur (117), Kharasindpur (116), and Kumda or Kumra (80).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Union Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Birbhum.

No. 2779L.S.-G.—The 8th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Mollarpur Union, in the district of Birbhum, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Birbhum.

No. 2780L.S.-G.—The 8th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Mollarpur Union, in the district of Birbhum, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Khulna.

No. 2781L.S.-G.—The 8th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following groups of villages in the Satkhira subdivision of the district of Khulna into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is situated.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas including villages within them which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list	Boundaries of the Union.
Khulna ...	Satkhira	Magura	Magura	9	Mandra (Rajnagar) 31 Baliadoha ... 32 Raghunathpur ... 33 Fayla ... 34 Balarampur (Dhopali). 35 Charikhada ... 71 Magura ...) 72 Chandkhali ...) Magurardanga ...) Bishakali ...) Kasidaha ...) Dhulanda ... 86 Baruipara ... 87 Chargram ... 88	*North.* Kabodak river. *East.* Muragacha (77), Goulam Kali (75), Dohar (74), Atlia (73), Jalalpur (85), Jatna (134), Nehalpur (133), Kabodak river. *South.* Kalagachia (76). *West.* Hariballabhpur (36), Rambhadrapur (20), Baranagore (30), Dhuknea (29).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Union Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

3. This cancels so much of Notification No. 150T.M., dated the 15th June 1895, as relates to the Magura Union.

No. 2758 L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Jessore, into a Union :—

Jessore.

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers		Boundaries of the Union.
Jessore ...	Sadar ...	Keshabpur	Panjia ...	9	Narayanpur ...	136	*North.*
					Mahadeb or Hariarghop ...	135	Batbila 295, Shyamnagar 298, Asannagar 229, Manoharpur 242, all in thana Manirampur.
					Panjia ...	134	
					Mandardanga ...	125	
					Manoharnagar or Patharghata ...	124	
					Sagardattakati ...	123	
					Sataishkati ...	126	*East.*
					Lepakati ...	127	
					Brahmandanga ...	128	Kalicharanpur 137, Irua 142, Kalagachi 143, Kaemkhola 144, Sarutia 145.
					Had ...	129	
					Magurkhali ...	113	
					Barenga ...	114	
					Rajnagar Bankbarsi ...	116	*South.*
					Belkati ...	122	
					Mandadanga ...	119	Krishnanagar 133, Chungadanga 132, Ghagha 130, Pancharui 112, Basandia 110.
					Dongaghata ...	121	
					Garhbhanga ...	120	
							West.
							Imamnagar 118, Panch Bankbarsi 117, Maguradanga 67, Sujapur 68, Kandarpur 115, Altapol 71.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Committee of the said Panjia Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2765 L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Lohagara Union, in the district of Jessore, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Jessore.

No. 2766 L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Lohagara Union, in the district of Jessore, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Jessore.

No. 2767 L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Salkopa Union, in the district of Jessore, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Jessore.

Jessore. *No. 2768L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Salkopa Union, in the district of Jessore, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Khulna. *No. 2783L.S.-G. - The 8th December 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause ( ) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Magura Union, in the district of Khulna, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Khulna. *No. 2784L.S.-G.—The 8th December 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Magura Union, in the district of Khulna, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2689M.—The 6th December 1916.—In line 4 of Government Notification No. 413M., dated the 4th February 1916, published at page 26 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem in respect of the appointment of a Commissioner of the Khirpai Municipality, *for* "Babu Chandra Kumar Das" *read* "Babu Chandra Kumar De."

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

IN compliance with the provisions of section 565 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, it is hereby notified for information that the General Committee of the Corporation propose to make the following by-laws under section 559(24) of the same Act :—

"No door, gate, bar, window or shutter on the ground-floor of any building, wall or other structure whatsoever shall open outwards on to or over any public street without the special permission of the Chairman.

In localities in which the erection of only detached buildings is allowed no stable, coach-house or garage shall have any doorway or any other opening which may admit of the passage of any carriage, motor or other vehicle, abutting or opening directly on to any public street without the special permission of the Chairman in that behalf.

These by-laws shall not apply to existing openings but to buildings to be erected or re-erected hereafter."

Any person having any objection to the proposed by-laws may submit the same so as to reach the undersigned on or before Monday, the 15th January 1917, after which date the draft by-laws will be further proceeded with.

S. W. GOODE,
Acting Chairman of the Corporation.

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 8th December 1916.*

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PART I C.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degrée in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,

SIBPUR, *the 9th March 1916.*

NOTICE.

City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

THE annual Technological Examinations of the City and Guilds of London Institute will be held in Bengal at the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, and the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta, in April and May 1917. The exact dates will be announced later in the issues of the *Calcutta Gazette* appearing from about the last week of March 1917. Candidates desiring to appear at any of the examinations should apply for registration forms, stating the subject or subjects in which they desire to appear. A fee of Rs. 5 has to be paid for each section or grade of a subject, and applications and fees must reach the undersigned not later than the 15th January 1917. The fee will in no case be refunded.

W. H. EVERETT,

Secretary, City and Guilds Examination Committee.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT,

WRITERS' BUILDINGS,

Calcutta, the 10th November 1916.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 30th November 1916.

BABU PROMODERANJAN DAS GUPTA, M.Sc., is granted a Post-graduate Research Scholarship to the value of Rs. 100 a month for carrying on researches in the investigation of the Physical and Physiological values of Indian articles of diet in the Physiological Laboratory of the Presidency College, Calcutta, *vice* Babu Snehamoy Dutt, M.Sc., with effect from 1st December 1916, or any subsequent date on which he undertakes his researches.

The scholarship is tenable until the 30th June 1917.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF PLEADERS IN SURVEYING.

(*See* Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909.)

(*Modified in Government Notification No. 320J.D., dated 16th July 1914.*)

1. The next examination will be held in February 1917 and will be conducted at the following centres (provided that not less than five names be registered at each centre) :—Sibpur and Dacca, in Bengal, and Bankipur and Cuttack, in Bihar and Orissa

2. Each examination is complete in itself. A candidate will be required to pass by every test and will not be exempted from any test on the ground that he has previously satisfied the examiner in it.

3. Candidates practising in the Courts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions will be required to present themselves at Sibpur, in Orissa at Cuttack, in Patna, Tirhoot, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions at Bankipur, and in Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions at Dacca.

4. In the event of more than 20 or less than 5 names being registered for examination at any one centre, the Secretary may direct the candidates to present themselves at any other centre.

5. No candidate will be admitted to the examination unless he has been enrolled as a Pleader and

(*i*) has obtained credit for attendance at the special course of instruction at Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, in 1913, 1914, 1915 and 1916, and has not previously appeared at the examination more than twice, or

(*ii*) has been registered for admission to the Intermediate Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University, or

(*iii*) has passed the Sub-Overseer Examination, or

(*iv*) has obtained the Surveyor's certificate of one of the Government Survey Schools, or

(*v*) has been specially exempted from the operation of this rule by the Board controlling the examination.

6. Candidates wishing to appear at the examination will apply upon the prescribed registration form, obtain the necessary countersignature of the District Judge in whose Court he is enrolled, and forward the same so as to reach the Secretary of the Examination Board at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than the 11th January 1917. The form may be had from the Principal, Civil Engineering College.

7. Each application must be accompanied by a receipt from the local treasury certifying to the receipt of the examination fee of Rs. 50, *which fee will in no case be returned.*

8. The exact date of the examination and the proposed programme will be published in the Calcutta, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam Gazettes.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
and Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 2nd November 1916.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES OF BENGAL AND BIHAR AND ORISSA, 1917.

THE examination will be held at the following centres according to the following routine :—

Bengal.—Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (for Khulna), Dacca, Rajshahi, Barisal, Pabna and Rangpur.

Bihar and Orissa.—Bhagalpur.

Standard time.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, 9th March...	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, 10th ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Monday, 12th ,, ...	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, 13th ,, ...	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Elementary Engineering.
Wednesday, 14th ,, ...	Surveying ...	Modern English I.
Thursday, 15th ,, ...	Modern English II ...	Elementary Science.

[NOTE.—The Manual Training Examination will commence at 8 A.M. on 9th March, and will extend over two or more periods as may be determined by the Examiner.]

2. The examination will be conducted under the general supervision of the B Final Examination Board, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. All applications for admission to the examination must be despatched by the Principals and Head Masters of the institutions concerned so as to reach the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, who is Secretary to the Board, by the 18th January 1917. No candidate whose application has not reached the Principal by that date will be admitted to the examination.

3. The fee for admission to the Examination is Rs. 12, which will in no case be returned. Candidates must pay the fees when registering their names with the Head Master or Principal who will deposit the money in the Local Treasury and send the Treasury receipt with the application forms to the Secretary.

4. The prescribed Registration form must be used and the full details shown as required thereon. Forms may be obtained from the Secretary on application.

B. HEATON,
Secretary, B Final Examination Board.

SIBPUR,
The 28th November 1916.

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

ON the recommendation of the Board of Examiners, the undermentioned candidate is declared to be eligible for admission to the Degree of Doctor of Law. The theses submitted by the candidate, which have been approved by the Board of Examiners, are stated against his name :—

Name of candidate.	Subject of thesis.
Babu Jadulal Kanjilal, M.A., M.L. ...	1. The Vyavahara Prakaranam. 2. The Doctrine of Spiritual Benefit and its Legal effects.

By order of the Hon'ble the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate,

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 5th December 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6K.—In continuation of Notification No. 5K., dated the 30th October 1915, the following supplementary list of Library and Prize Books recommended for use in Schools in the Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions, is published for general information :—

APPENDIX I.

Books recommended as Library and Prize Books for the first four classes of High Schools (some of these Books may also be found useful in College Libraries) :—

PRIZE BOOKS (BENGALI AND URDU).

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Katipay Patra, by Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab, Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan. Published by Gurudas Chatterji. Re. 1.

Baraloke, by Ramkanai Dutta. Published by Shivendra Lal Dutta. Re. 1. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Muharram, by A Graduate. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 12.

Class (ix) Poetry—

Ramayan Mahakabya, by Harish Chandra Mitra. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. Re. 1. (Prize book for Hindu boys and girls. Also Library book.)

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—Urdu—

Halat-i-Harmain Sharifain (with the maps of Holy places in Islam), by Hazi Muhammad Moinuddin. Published by the author. Re. 1. (For Muhammadan pupils in all schools.)

LIBRARY BOOKS (BENGALI, SANSKRIT AND URDU.)

Class (ii) Religion—

Kratabang Puranam, by Narayan Chandra Saha. Published by the author. Rs. 10. (For Colleges.)

Class (iii) History—

Jessore Khulnar Itihas, by Satish Chandra Mitra. Published by Chakravertty, Chatterjee & Co. Rs. 3.

Samasamayik Bharat, Vol. I., by Jogindra Nath Samaddar. Published by Nalinaksha Roy. Re. 1-8.

Samasamayik Bharat. Vol. II, by Jogindra Nath Samaddar. Published by Nalinaksha Roy. Re. 1-8.

Samasamayik Bharat, Vol. III, by Jogindra Nath Samaddar. Published by Nalinaksha Roy. Re. 1-13. (Also Prize book.)

Samasamayik Bharat, Vol. VIII, by Jogindra Nath Samaddar. Published by Nalinaksha Roy. Rs. 3. (Also Prize book.)

Ingrajer Katha, by Jogindra Nath Samaddar. Published by Nalinaksha Roy. Re. 1-8.

Jagater Savyatar Itihas, Suchana (Introduction to the History of Civilization of the World), by Jagneswar Bandopadhyaya. Published by the author. Rs. 2.

Class (vi) Biography—

Devi Ravia, by Musammat Rahatunnesa Khatun. Published by Mobarak Ali. As. 8; As. 12 (bound). (Prize book for Muhammadan girls.)

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Sharir Svasthyabidhan, by Rai Bahadur Chunilal Bose. Published by Jyoti Prakash Bose. Re. 1-8.

Rachana Bidhan, by Gagan Chandra Datta. Published by Janaki Nath Nath As. 12.

Pouranikikatha and Islam Kahini, by Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. Rs. 2.

Gaya Kahini, by Atul Chandra Mukherjee. Published by the author. Rs. 2.

Bharat Prasanga, by Prasanna Kumar Roy. Published by Banerjee Dutt & Co. As. 10. (Also a prize book for Hindu boys.)

Panini Parishishta Vyakaran, by Devendra K. Vidyaratna. Published by the author. As. 12. (Also for Colleges.)

Laghu Paniniya, Parts II and III, by Devendra K. Vidyaratna. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 12; As. 8.

Panini Sar, by Nava Chandra Nyayaratna. Published by the author. Re. 1-2.

Principles and Method of Sanskrit Composition and Translation, by R C. Kabya Vyakaran Sankhya Vedantatirtha. Published by Amrita Lal Sen. As. 12

Hints on the Study of Sanskrit, by Nrisingharam Mukherjee. Published by Student's Library, Calcutta. Re. 1.

Class (ix) Poetry—

Sura Sangit. Published by Kedarnath Chatterjee. As. 10. (Also for Normal Schools.)

Class (x) Mathematics—

Art Drawing for Indian Schools (Urdu), by J. Y. Buchanan. Published by Macmillan & Co. Rs. 1-8. (For teachers.)

PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS (BENGALI).

Class (ii) Religion—

Sarbbadharma O Tapasya, by Aswini Kumar Chatterjee. Published by the author. Re. 1.

Class (iii) History—

Banglar Itihas, Part I, by Rakhaldas Banerjee. Published by Bengal Medical Library, Calcutta. Rs. 2-8.

Loke Itihas (revised edition), by Jogindra Nath Chatterjee. Published by B. C. Basak, Dacca. Re. 1-8.

History of Dacca, Vol. II, by Jatindra Mohan Roy. Published by the author. Rs. 2-8.

Class (vi) Biography—

Nurjahan Begum, by Sheikh Abdul Jabbar. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 8; As. 12 (in silk)

Nigrojatir Karmabir, by Benoy Kumar Sarkar. Published by Chintaharan Guha. Re. 1-8.

Buddher Jiban O Bani, by Sarat Kumar Roy. Published by Priyanath Das, Indian Publishing House, Calcutta. As. 12.

Bharatiya Sadhak, by Sarat Kumar Roy. Published by Indian Publishing House, Calcutta. As. 12.

Class (vii) Fiction—

Sachitra Arabyopanyas, Part I, by Ramananda Chatterjee. Published by Charu Chandra Banerjee. Re. 1-8.

Sachitra Arabyopanyas, Part II, by Ramananda Chatterjee. Published by Abinash Chandra Sarkar. Re. 1.

Aranyabas, by Abinash Chandra Das. Published by Jogendra Nath Mukherjee. Re. 1-4.

Tin Bandhu, by Rai Sahib Dinesh Chandra Sen. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. Re. 1.

Belune Panchsaptaha, by Rajendra Lal Acharyya. Published by Brajendra Mohan Datta. Re. 1.

Ashidine Bhupradakshin, by Rajendra Lal Acharyya. Published by Brajendra Mohan Datta. Re. 1.

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Markin Jatra, by Indu Bhusan De Majumder. Published by Bijay Kumar Maitra (Sanyal & Co., Calcutta). Re. 1.

Japan, by Suresh Chandra Bandopadhyaya. Published by Chatterjee & Co., Calcutta. Re. 1-8.

Stories from Iliad, by Nava Krishna Ghosh. Published by Anilendra Nath Sinha. As. 8.

Stories from Odyssey, by Nava Krishna Ghosh. Published by Anilendra Nath Sinha As. 8.

Banga Bani, by Sasanka Mohan Sen. Published by Albert Library, Dacca. Rs. 2.

Sanjam O Pratistha. by Kumudini Kanta Ganguli. Published by Albert Library, Dacca. As. 6.

Aryya Ramani, by Kshirode Chandra Chandra. Published by the author. As 6.

Rameswar Durga, by Amalananda Bose. Published by the author. As. 8.

Sikh Guru O Sikh Jati, by Sarat Kumar Roy. Published by Indian Publishing House, Calcutta. Re. 1.

Bibidha Prabandha, by Hem Chandra Sarkar. Published by the author. As. 5.

Mahabharatiya Niti Katha, Parts I and II, by Rajendra Nath Kanjilal. Published by Gajendra Chandra Ghosh As. 12 each.

Niti Sandarva, by Satish Chandra Dev. Published by Mathuranath Chaudhuri. As. 6.

Sachitra Shishuranjan Mahabharat, by Priya Darsan Halder. Published by S. G. Addy & Co. As. 5.

Tamaker Chash, by Jamini Kumar Biswas. Published by Kali Prasanna Biswas. Re. 1-8.

Rip Van Winkle and Legends of Sleepy Hollow (Bengali Edition), by Kumudini Kanta Ganguli. Published by Prafulla Kumar Chakravarti. As. 8.

Hindur Asram Chatushtaya, by Rajani Kanta Gupta. Published by Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta. As. 1.

Class (ix) Poetry—

Krittibasa's Ramayana, edited by Ramananda Chatterjee Published by Ramananda Chatterjee. Re. 1-8.

Krittibasi Ramayana, edited by Rai Sahib Dinesh Chandra Sen. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. Rs. 2-8.

Nirbbasita Sita, by Harish Chandra Mitra. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 6. (For girls only).

Palli, by Durga Mohan Kushari. Published by Narayan Chandra Kusbari. As. 12.

Dakshina, by Sasi Bhusan Das Gupta. Published by S. Sircar. As. 6.

PRIZE BOOKS (ENGLISH).

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Our Kings and Queens, by T. Leman Hare. Published by Indian School Supply Depôt for T. C. and E. C. Jack. As. 12.

King Arthur, by H. Malim. Published by Oxford University Press. As. 12.

The Story of Lord Roberts, by A. O. Cooke. Published by Oxford University Press. *6d.*

LIBRARY BOOKS (ENGLISH).

Class (i) Books of Reference (Dictionaries, Atlases, etc.)—

Concise Oxford Dictionary. Published by Oxford University Press. *3s. 6d.*

The "Educaramo" Concise English Dictionary. Published by Indian School Supply Depôt. As. 6.

The Concise Anglo-Bengali Dictionary, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by Indian School Supply Depôt. Rs. 2.

The Modern Anglo-Bengali Dictionary, Vol. I (A—F), by Charu Chundra Guha. Published by Bengal Library, Dacca. Rs 10 (complete).

A Dictionary—Bengali, Sanskrit and English—, Kedardath Vidyabenode. Published by M. N. Mitra. Rs. 2

Class (iii) History—

A History of Indian Shipping and Maritime Activity from the earliest time, by Radha Kumud Mukherjee. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. *7s. 6d.* net.

The Fundamental Unity of India, by Radha Kumud Mukherjee. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. 3*s*. 6*d*. net.

The Students' Source Book of Indian History—The Pre-Musalman Period—, by H. L. O. Garrett. Published by K & J. Cooper. As. 10.

Medieval India from contemporary sources, by Stanley Lane Poole. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As. 12.

Class (iv) Science—

Popular Science in 7 volumes. Published by The Standard Literature Co., Ltd. Rs. 70.

Lessons in Elementary Tropical Hygiene, by Henry Strachan. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd., for A. Constable & Co. As. 12.

Town Planning in Ancient Dekkan, by C. P. Ventakarama Ayyar. Published by the author. Rs. 2.

Class (v) Geography—

In Many Lands, Book I, by Samuel Gibson. Published by G. Bell & Sons. 1*s*.

In Many Lands, Book II, by Samuel Gibson. Published by G. Bell & Sons. 1*s*.

A Regional Geography of the Indian Empire, by David Frew. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. Re. 1.

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

The Children's Encyclopædia in 8 volumes. Published by The Standard Literature Co., Ltd. Rs. 60.

The New Self Educator in 7 volumes. Published by The Standard Literature Co., Ltd. Rs. 75.

Talks to Teachers in Elementary Schools, by A. M. C. Arnold. Published by Longmans, Green & Co. Re. 1.

On the Writing of English, by G. Townsend Warner. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. Rs. 2-10.

The Simpler Parts of Speech, by P. C. Wren. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As 6.

A Catechism of the War, prepared by Edwin Rowlands. As. 4.

English Composition, by R S. Bate. Published by G. Bell & Sons, (For teachers.)

Class (ix) Poetry—

The Star of India Poetry Book, by Tomlinson. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 12.

Class (x) Mathematics—

Elementary Practical Geometry, by T. Noronha. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 6.

Art Drawing for Indian Schools, by J. Y. Buchanan. Published by Macmillan & Co. Rs. 4-8. (For teachers).

Worked Exercises in Elementary Geometry, by F. C. Gillespie. Published by Oxford University Press. 3*s*. 6*d*. net.

PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS (ENGLISH).

Class (ii) Religion—

Brahmasadhan, by Si anath Datta Tattwabhusan. Published by A. C. Sarkar. Re. 1-8.

Brahmacharrya (Engish version), by Ramesh Chandra Chakravarti. Published by India Book Company, Calcutta. As. 6. (For Hindus).

Class (iii) History—

The People of England, I. The people in the Making, by Stanley Leathes. Published by William Heinemann.

The people of England. II. The people in Adventure, by Stanley Leathes. Published by William Heinemann.

A First History of India, by J. N. Fraser. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As 12.

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

The Prisoner of Zenda, by Anthony Hope. Published by Oxford University Press. As. 12.

England's Story for boys and girls, by H. E. Marshall. Published by Indian School Supply Depôt for T. C. and E. C. Jack. As. 8.

The boy who would not learn, by H. Strang. Published by Oxford University Press. 6*d*.

Dacca—the Romance of an Eastern Capital—, by F. B. Bradley-Birt. Published by Indian School Supply Depôt for G. Bell & Sons. Re. 1-14.

King Arthur and his Knights, by P. Gudgin. Published by Oxford University Press.

Heroes and Heroic Deeds of the Great War, by D. A. Mackenzie. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 12.

Indian Fairy Tales, by D. A. Mackenzie. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. Re. 1.

The Story of the Golden Fleece, by M. W. Jennings. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 9.

Robinson Crusoe, by Daniel Defoe. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 9.

Stories from Grimm. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 9.

Tales from Henty, by G. A. Henty. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 9.

Marvellous Escapes from Peril, by Walter Wood. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd. As. 12.

Stories of Starland, by Mary Proctor. Published by Blackie & Son, Ltd., for G. W. Bacon & Co. Re. 1-4.

Gulliver's Travels, by J. Swift, simplified by P. C. Wren. Published by Oxford University Press. As. 12.

Fort Amity, simplified by H. Malim. Published by Oxford University Press. Re. 1.

Indian Tales, by S. B. Banerjee. Published by Oxford University Press. 6*d*.

A Little Norman Maid, by H. Strang. Published by Oxford University Press. 6*d*.

Brave Marget, by H. Strang. Published by Oxford University Press. 6*d*.

Cerdic the Saxon, by H. Strang and L. L. Weedon. Published by Oxford University Press. 6*d*.

Our Great Adventure, by H. Strang. Published by Oxford University Press. 6*d*.

The Story of Francis Drake, by R. Ford. Published by Oxford University Press. 6*d*.

Bengal Dacoits and Tigers, by Maharanee Suniti Devi. Published by Thacker Spink & Co. Rs. 3.

Sacred Tales of India, by Dvijendra Nath Neogi. Published by Macmillan & Co. 2*s*. net.

Bengal Fairy Tales, by F. B. Bradley-Birt. Published by S. K. Lahiri & Co. Re. 1-8.

First Aid in Accidents, by U. Rama Rau. Published by G. A. Natesan & Co. Re. 1.

Class (ix) Poetry—

Sakuntala and Her Keepsake, by Roby Datta. Published by Das Gupta & Co. As. 12.

Poems, Pictures and Songs, by Roby Datta. Published by Das Gupta & Co. As. 8.

Stories in Blank Verse, by Roby Datta. Published by Das Gupta & Co. As. 8.

Class (x) Mathematics—

Commercial Arithmetic and Accounts, Parts I and II, by A. Risdon Palmer and J. Stephenson. Published by G. Bell & Sons. 2*s*. 6*d*. net each part.

A Shilling Arithmetic (with Answers), by J. W. Robertson. Published by G. Bell & Sons. 1*s*. 4*d*. net.

APPENDIX II.

Books recommended as Library and Prize Books for the second four classes of High Schools or the first four classes of Middle English Schools.

PRIZE BOOKS (BENGALI.)

Class (vii) Fiction—

Hindustani Upakatha, edited and published by Ramananda Chatterjee. Re 1.

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Prahlad, by Revati Mohan Mukerjee. Published by B. C. Basak As. 10. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Ekalabya, by Abinash Chandra Roy. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 6. (For Hindu boys.)

Prahlad, by Jogendra Nath Gupta. Published by Bhattacharyya and Son. As. 6. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Sati, by Barada Kanta Majumder. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Prahlad, by Umesh Chandra Basu Published by Sarat Ch Datta and Sons. As. 8. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Sial Pandit, by Chandra Kanta Das Gupta. Published by Kshirode Ch. Das Gupta. As. 4.

Muharram, by A Graduate. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 12.

Damayanti, by Makhan Lal Datta Kabyaratnakar. Published by Sarat Ch. Datta and Sons. As. 6. (For Hindu girls.)

Nana Galpa, by Anukul Ch. Shastri. Published by Biraj Mohan De. As. 2.

Prahlad by Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. Published by Hariram Dhar. As. 6. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

LIBRARY BOOKS (BENGALI).

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Prathamik Prabandh Pranali, by Brojendra Kumar Sen, M.A. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 4.

Adarsha Nutan Patra Dalil Shiksha, by Sheikh Abdul Jabbar. Published by Nogendra Kumar Roy. As. 6.

Elementary Bengali Composition, by Satya Kinkar Biswas and Rasamay Mitra. Published by S. C. Addy & Co. As. 8.

Rachana Bidhan, by Gagan Ch. Datta. Published by Janakinath Nath. As. 12.

Balak Srikrishna, by Revati Mohan Sen. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 8. (For Hindu children.)

Sharir Svasthya Bidhan, by Rai Bahadur Chuni Lal Bose. Published by Jyoti Prakash Bose. Re. 1-8.

Rajbhakti Granthabali, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, by Ashutosh Chatterjee. Published by Gurudas Chatterjee.

Sarat Adarsha Likhan Patra Dalil Shiksha, by Rajendra Kumar Roy. Published by Upendra K. Roy. As. 6.

Patra Dalil Shiksha Pranali, by Sudhansu Mohan Mitra. Published by Bengal Library, Dacca As. 6.

Muharram, by Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. Published by Hariram Dhar. As. 6. (Also a prize book for Muhammadan boys.)

Likhan Patra Dalil, by Jatindra Lal Basu. Published by Victoria Library. As 6.

Pouraniki Katha and Islam Kahini, by Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya. Published by Nagendra K. Roy. Rs. 2.

PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS (BENGALI).

Class (iii) History—

History of Dacca, Vol. II, by Jatindra Mohan Roy. Published by the author. Rs. 2-8.

Class (vi) Biography—

Nur Jahan Begum, by Sheikh Abdul Jabbar. Published by B. C Basak. As. 8 ; As. 12 (in silk)

Class (vii) Fiction—

Sachitra Arabyopanyas, Part I, by Ramananda Chatterjee. Published by Charu Chandra Banerjee. Re. 1-8.

Sachitra Arabyopanyas, Part II, by Ramanand Chatterjee. Published by Abinash Chandra Sarkar. Re. 1.

Tin Bandhu, by Rai Sahib Dinesh Ch. Sen. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. Re. 1.

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Sati Khullana by Bepin Behari Sarkar. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 8. (For girls' schools.)

Rajar Katha, by Kali Bhusan Mukherjee. Published by Nagendra K. Roy. As. 5.

Swajati Batsala Lalana (improved edition), by Ambika Charan Chakravarti. Published by Nagendra K. Roy. As. 2.

Ramayaner Katha, by Kali Prasanna Das Gupta. Published by Sahitya Prachar Samiti. As. 8; As. 10 (bound).

Puran Katha, Part I, by Kali Prasanna Das Gupta. Published by Sahitya Prachar Samiti. As. 10.

Sural Chandi by Kali Prasanna Das Gupta and Dakshinaranjan Mitra Majumder. Published by Sahitya Prachar Samiti. As. 9; As. 12 (bound in cloth).

Hindur Asram Chatushtaya, by Rajani Kanta Gupta. Published by Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta. As. 4.

Bideshi Pouraniki, by Hem Chandra Bakshi. Published by Hemendra Nath Datta. As. 8.

Class (ix) Poetry—

Krittibasa's Ramayana, edited by Ramanauda Chatterjee. Published by Ramananda Chatterjee. Re. 1-8.

Krittibasi Ramayana, edited by Rai Sahib Dinesh Chandra Sen. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. Rs. 2-8.

Pushpanjali, by P. N. Mahalanabis Published by the author. As. 2.

PRIZE BOOKS (ENGLISH.)

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

The Story of Lord Roberts, by A. O. Cooke Published by Oxford University Press. 6*d*.

The "A.L." Series Real Stories No. R34, True as Steel (Lord Kitchener), by F. A. Tapsell. Published by Macmillan & Co. for E. J. Arnold & Son. 1*d*

LIBRARY BOOKS (ENGLISH.)

Class (i) Books of Reference (Dictionaries)—

The Concise Oxford Dictionary. Published by Oxford University Press. 3*s*. 6*d*.

The "Educaramo" Concise English Dictionary. Published by Indian School Supply Depôt. As. 6.

The Concise Anglo-Bengali Dictionary, by Charu Ch. Guha. Published by Indian School Supply Depôt. Rs. 2.

A Dictionary—Bengali, Sanskrit and English—, by Kedar Nath Vidyabenode. Published by M. N. Mitra. Rs. 2.

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

The Simpler Parts of Speech, by P. C. Wren. Published by K. & J. Cooper. As. 6.

APPENDIX III.

Books recommended as Library and Prize Books for Vernacular Schools.

PRIZE BOOKS (BENGALI.)

Class (vii) Fiction—

Hindustani Upakatha, edited and published by Ramananda Chatterji. Re. 1.

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Baraloke, by Ramkanai Datta. Published by Shivendra Lal Datta. Re. 1. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Prahlad, by Revati Mohan Mukherjee. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 10 (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Ekalabya, by Abinash Chandra Roy. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 6. (For Hindu boys.)

Prahlad, by Jogendra Nath Gupta. Published by Bhattacharyya and Son. As. 6. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Sati, by Barada Kanta Majumder. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Prahlad, by Umesh Chandra Basu. Published by Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons. As. 8. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Sial Pandit, by Chandra Kanta Das Gupta. Published by Kshirode Chandra Das Gupta. As. 4.

Muharram, by A Graduate. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 12.

Damayanti, by Makhan Lall Datta Kabyaratnakar. Published by Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons. As. 6. (For Hindu girls.)

Nana Galpa, by Anukul Chandra Shastri. Published by Biraj Mohan De. As. 2.

Prahlad, by Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. Published by Hariram Dhar. As. 6. (For Hindu boys and girls.)

Class (ix) Poetry—

Ramayan Mahakabya, by Harish Ch. Mitra. Published by Nagendra K. Roy. Re. 1. (Prize book for Hindu boys and girls. Also Library book.)

LIBRARY BOOKS (BENGALI).

Class (iii) History—

British Samrajyer Sankshipta Itihas, by Syed Mohsin Ali. Published by Gopi Mohan Datta. As. 8.

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Prathamik Prabandha Pranali, by Brajendra Kumar Sen, M.A. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 4.

Adarsha Nutan Patra Dalil Shiksha, by Sheikh Abdul Jabbar. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 6.

Elementary Bengali Composition, by Satya Kinkar Biswas and Rasamay Mitra. Published by S. C. Auddy & Co. As. 8.

Rachana Bidhan, by Gagan Chandra Datta. Published by Janaki Nath Nath. As. 12.

Balak Srikrishna, by Revati Mohan Sen. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 8. (For Hindu children.)

Sharir Svasthya Bidhan, by Rai Bahadar Chunilal Bose. Published by Jyoti Prakash Bose. Re. 1-8.

Pouraniki Katha and Islam Kahini, by Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya. Published by Nagendra K. Roy. Rs. 2.

Rajbhakti Granthabali, Nos. 1-3, by Ashutosh Chatterjee. Published by Gurudas Chatterjee.

Saral Adarsha Likhan Patradalil Shiksha, by Rajendra Kumar Roy. Published by Upendra K. Roy. As. 6.

Patradalil Shiksha Pranali, by Sudhangshu Mohan Mitra. Published by Bengal Library, Dacca. As. 6.

Likhan Patra Dalil, by Jatindra Lal Basu. Published by Victoria Library. As. 6.

Muharram, by Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. Published by Hariram Dhar. As. 6. (Also a prize book for Muhammadan boys.)

Sachitra Bastuupalakshe Shiksha, by Mahendra Chandra Som and Bisweswar Das. Published by B. Banerjee, & Co. As. 4.

Saral Svasthya Bijnan, by Rajendra Kumar Das Gupta. Published by Birendra Nath Sinha Choudhuri. As. 1-3.

Svasthya Shiksha, by Birendra Kishore Guha. Published by Bengal Library, Dacca. A. 1.

Mahajani Shiksha, by Tarak Govinda Chaudhuri. Published by Krishna Ch. Bagchi. Re. 1.

Sad-Ayat Hiknmat, by Kazi Abdul Jabbar. A. 1. (Library book for Madrasahs.)

Masla Shiksha, by Ali Hassan. Published by Muhammad Fazil. As. 5. (Library book for the use of teachers in Maktabs.)

PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS (BENGALI.)

Class (iii) History—

History of Dacca. Vol. II. by Jatindra Mohan Roy. Published by the author. Rs. 2-8.

Class (vi) Biography—

Nur Jahan Begum, by Sheik Abdul Jabbar. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 8; As. 12 (in silk.)

Class (vii) Fiction—

Sachitra Arabyopanyas. Part 1, by Ramananda Chatterjee Published by Charu Chandra Banerjee. Rs. 1-8.

Sachitra Arabyopanyas, Part II, by Ramananda Chatterjee. Published by Abinash Chandra Sarkar. Re. 1.

Tin Bandhu, by Rai Sahib Dinesh Ch. Sen. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. Re. 1.

Class (viii) Miscellaneous—

Sati Khullana, by Bepin Behari Sarkar. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 8. (For girls' schools.)

Rajar Katha, by Kali Bhusan Mukherjee. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 5.

Swajati Batsala Lalana (improved edition), by Ambika Charan Chakravarti. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 2.

Ramayaner Katha, by Kali Prasanna Das Gupta. Published by Sahitya Prachar Samiti. As. 8; As. 10 (bound.)

Puran Katha, Part I, by Kali Prasanna Das Gupta. Published by Sahitya Prachar Samiti. As. 10.

Saral Chandi, by Kali Prasanna Das Gupta and Dakshinaranjan Mitra Majumder. Published by Sahitya Prachar Samiti. As. 9; As. 12 (bound in cloth.)

Hindur Asram Chatushtaya, by Rajani Kanta Gupta. Published by Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta. As. 4.

Bideshi Pouraniki, by Hem Chandra Bakshi. Published by Hemendra Nath Datta. As. 8.

Tamaker Chas, by Jamini Kumar Biswas. Published by Kali Prasanna Biswas. Re. 1-8.

Class (ix) Poetry—

Krittibasa's Ramayana. Edited by Ramananda Chatterjee. Published by Ramananda Chatterjee. Rs. 1-8.

Krittibasi Ramayana. Edited by Rai Sahib Dinesh Chandra Sen. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. Rs. 2-8.

Pushpanjali, by P. N. Mahalanabis. Published by the author. As. 2.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 11th December 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 7K.—In continuation of Notification No. 6K., dated the 30th October 1915, the following supplementary list of magazines selected and approved for use in Colleges, Schools and attached Hostels in the Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions, is published for general information:—

For Colleges and Schools.

1. Bharatbarsha. Edited by Jaladhar Sen. Published by Gurudas Chatterjee & Sons, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. Rs. 6. (Annual subscription).
2. Bharati. Edited by Mani Lal Gangopadhyaya and Sourindra Mohan Mukhopadhyaya, 22, Sukeas Street, Calcutta. Rs. 3-6. (Annual subscription).
3. Sabuj Patra Edited by P. Choudhuri, 22, Sukeas Street, Calcutta. Rs. 2-6. (Annual subscription).

For Schools.

1. Vikrampur. Edited by Jogendra Nath Gupta, Dacca. Rs. 2-6. (Annual subscription).
2. The Boudha Bandhu. Edited and published by Sraman Srimat Purnananda Swami, 46-7, Harrison Road, Calcutta. Re. 1-8. (Annual subscription).

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 11th December 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 4th December 1916.

IN 1908 orders were passed that thirty-five Muhammadan students should be admitted to each of the first and second-year classes of the Presidency College on a reduced fee of Rs. 2 a month. The Government of Bengal have recently had under consideration the effect of these orders. It appears that, notwithstanding this concession, the number of Muhammadan students in the first and second-year classes of the Presidency College still falls short of the standard of 25 per cent. which was adopted by Government in paragraph 23 of the Government of Bengal, General Department, Resolution No. 1227Edn., dated 3rd August 1916, as the minimum ratio which the number of Muhammadan students in a Government college should bear to the total number of students on the rolls of the college. It is also understood that the benefit of the scheme of reduced fees would be more widely distributed if the students admitted on reduced fees were required to pay a larger sum than Rs. 2 and the number of students admitted to the concession were correspondingly increased.

2. It has, therefore, been decided that reduced fees will in future be charged at the rate of Rs. 5 instead of Rs. 2, beginning with the first-year class in 1917 and with the second-year class in 1918. The number of students to be admitted on the reduced fees will at the same time be correspondingly increased, so that ultimately there will be 100 Muhammadan students in the college on reduced fees instead of 70 under the present conditions. When this standard is reached the reduced fees will be distributed as follows:—40 will be allotted to each of the first and second-year classes, and 20 will be allotted to the third and fourth-year classes in such proportion as the Principal may determine.

3. Students now in the college paying fees at the rate of Rs. 2 will not be required to pay at the increased rate, and no student will in future be granted admission on a reduced fee of Rs. 2.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

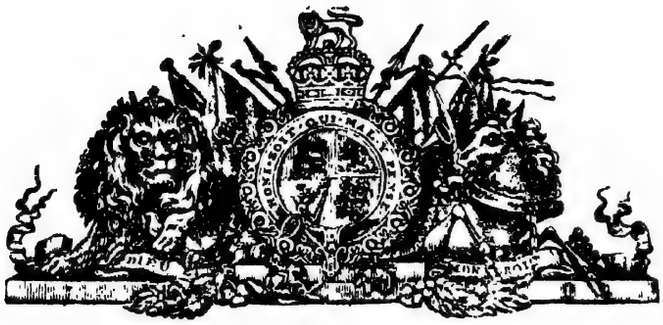
NOTIFICATION.

IN accordance with the Bengal Government Resolution No. 4147, dated 16th November 1915, a Mohsin stipend of Rs. 5 a month is awarded to each of the undermentioned students of the first year class of the Senior Department of Madrasahs, tenable for two years with effect from 1st June 1916 :—

No.	Name of student.	Institution where the junior course was completed.	Institution where the stipend is tenable.
1	Zainal Abedin ...	Chauhali Madrasah ...	Hooghly Madrasah.
2	Ayoob Hossain ...	Chakkirti Madrasah ...	Ditto.
3	Muhammad Ibrahim...	Hanail Madrasah ...	Ditto.
4	Choudhury Abdur Rahman.	Magrahat Madrasah ...	Ditto.
5	Badruddin Ahmad ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
6	Abdul Jabbar ...	Phultala Madrasah ...	Phurphura Madrasah.
7	Asgar Ali ...	Serajganj Madrasah ...	Serajganj Madrasah.
8	Mokhlesar Rahman ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
9	Abdur Rahman ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
10	Sakhawatullah ...	Fatehpur Madrasah ...	Dacca Madrasah.
11	Abdus Samad ...	Hammadia Madrasah ...	Hammadia Madrasah.
12	Ali Ahmad ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
13	Abdul Wahed ...	Deokhola Madrasah ...	Ditto.
14	Hasmatulla ...	Ahmadia Madrasah ...	Ahmadia Madrasah.
15	Nazir Ahmad ...	Khayra Madrasah ...	Chittagong Madrasah.
16	Sultan Ahmad ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	Lutfai Ali ...	Ahmadia Madrasah ...	Ahmadia Madrasah.
18	Karimullah ...	Feni Madrasah ...	Chittagong Madrasah.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 8th December 1916.*



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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1916.

PART II.

Advertisements.

Notice.

THE Committee appointed to inquire into the organization, methods and procedure of the Buildings and Roads Branch of the Public Works Department will commence their inquiry at Bombay on January 1st, 1917.

Their inquiry will be conducted in accordance with the following itinerary :—

Bombay	...	...	...	...	January 1st to January 17th.
Poona	...	...	...	...	January 18th.
Nagpur	...	...	...	...	January 20th to January 29th.
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	January 30th to February 13th.
Madras	...	...	...	...	February 15th to March 2nd.
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	March 6th to March 17th.
Bankipur	...	...	...	...	March 21st to March 29th.
Allahabad	...	...	...	...	March 29th to April 6th.
Roorkee	...	...	...	...	April 7th.
Lahore	...	...	...	...	April 8th to April 13th.

The terms of reference are as follows :—

"To inquire into and report generally upon the organization and the system of administration of the Buildings and Roads Branch of the Public Works Department, and to make such suggestions for change as the circumstances seem to justify Among the particular points which the Committee should inquire into are the following :—

(*i*) whether the methods at present adopted for the execution of Civil Works are economical and suitable for the purpose for which they were devised ;

(*ii*) whether under the existing system private enterprise is sufficiently encouraged, and whether it is possible and desirable to entrust the construction and upkeep of certain classes of public works to agency other than departmental, and, if so, upon what lines such change should be effected ;

(*iii*) whether any changes recommended by the Committee necessitate any modification of the organization of the staff of the Public Works Department, and, if so, what ;

(*iv*) whether the Public Works Department meets the needs of other Departments of the Administration, and whether the relations *inter se* of the various subdivisions of the Buildings and Roads Branch, Sanitary, Architectural, Electrical and Civil Engineering, are satisfactory ;

(*v*) whether further decentralization within the Public Works Department itself is desirable, and, if so, to what extent and in what directions ;

(*vi*) whether the Public Works Department Code which regulates the execution and maintenance of Civil Works is unduly restrictive, and, if so, in what direction change is desirable ;

(*vii*) whether the system of education in Government Engineering Colleges is organized on a sufficiently broad basis to meet the needs of private agency as well as of Government, whether it attracts suitable candidates, and whether the standard of instruction is sufficiently advanced to provide fully qualified civil engineers for employment by Government, local bodies, and private engineering and contracting firms, and, if not, in what directions and to what extent improvement is required ;

(*viii*) whether adequate provision is made for the practical training on works of students who have received their scientific education in English or Indian Colleges".

The Committee accordingly invite all persons, associations, public bodies and private engineering and contracting firms, who desire to give written evidence, to send the same to the address of the Secretary, Public Works Reorganization Committee, Camp, India, at least a fortnight before the date of the Committee's arrival in the province to which the evidence relates, together with a memorandum stating the qualifications of the writer.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Mymensingh, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26 Joint	Jemindary ph. Barabazu.	9,853 2 0	No ...	Joint share	Maulvi Wased Ali Khan, Pani and others.	3,196 7 0	.....	237 3 3
26/3	Ditto ...	9,853 2 0	No ...	Separate account No. 3 6a. 8g. share of the estate.	Mr. E. Reynold, General Manager, Court of Wards, and others.	3,888 10 0	.....	126 5 6
9 Joint	Zemindary, ph. Atia ...	6,729 2 0	No ...	Joint share 5a. 4g. 1dt. 210½ dhuls share of Kanchanpur, 5a. 9g. 1c. 2kt. 2dt. 301 $\frac{87}{480}$ dhuls 2 kgs. share of Mangalhore, 5a. 9g. 1c. 1dt. 68 $\frac{591}{1440}$ dhuls 2kgs share of Lashkarpur and Dhangara, 5a. 9g. 1c. 2kt 1dt. 98 $\frac{591}{1440}$ dhuls 2kgs. share of all other remaining kismats of the estate except the entire 16a. share of kismats Maithun and Bethrail will be sold. And 10a. 15g. 2c. 2kt. 2dt. 149½ dhuls share of Kanchanpur, 10a. 10g. 1dt. 58 $\frac{443}{480}$ dhuls 2kgs. share of Mangalhore, 10a. 10g. 2kt. 2dt. 291 $\frac{849}{1440}$ dhuls 2kgs. share of Lashkarpur and Dhangara; 16a. share of Maithun and Bethroil, 10a. 10g. 2dt. 261 $\frac{849}{1440}$ dhuls 2kgs. share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Maulvi Abdul Gafur Choudhuri and others.	525 10 0	.....	348 13 3
5153 Joint.	Zemindary ph. Atia ...	842 4 4	No ...	Joint share 13a. 8g. 3c. 1dt. 291 $\frac{73}{77}$ dhuls 74 tils share of kismats Shingharagi, Panisail, Betunjani, Chhoto Begjan, Dari Bahar, Anoitara, Hudda, Banjuri, Kailshindur, Shislaid, Arrah and Bablapara with Chandina and 12a. 3g. 1dt. 1 dwip 291 $\frac{73}{77}$ dhuls 74 tils share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be sold and 2a. 10g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt. 58 $\frac{4}{77}$ dhuls 6 tils share of kismats Shingharagi, Panishail, Betunjani, Chhoto Begjan, Dari Bahar, Anaitara, Hudda, Banjuri, Kailshindur, Shislaid, Arrah and Bablapara with Chandina and 3a. 10g. 2kt. 2dt. 6 dwip 68 $\frac{4}{77}$ dhuls 6 tils share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Hoshenjan Chaudhuri and others.	655 2 0	.....	34 2 11
13333	Joar Balukandi, ph. Baradakhat.	3,696 13 0	Yes ...	Whole estate	Sri Nath Roy Barman and others.	.....	1,032 3 6	.....
111	Zemindary ph. Nadrujial.	1,032 0 0	Yes ...	Ditto	Upendra Nath Chaudhury.	.....	768 13 0	.....

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 28th November 1916.

MIR HAFEZUDDIN AHMED, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrear due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
284	Taluk Ohar Panchash Hasari, pargana Shahajapur.	1 895 0 0	Whole ...	... ..	Jadob Chandra Bagchi and others.	.....	65 12 0	.....
285	Ditto ditto ...	2,326 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Roy Parvati Sankar Choudhuri and others.	.....	190 0 1	.....

Faridpur, the 17th November 1916. K. B. GOSSAIN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1917 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
314	Pargana Batitaki, M Phulbhery.	1,602 3 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6. The following share of the mauzas will be sold— Mauza Abhoymukundapur. " Asridangar. " Baja. " Bhatbar. " Bhuyan. " Bhajpur. " Chhatrisbetya. " Dahulka. " Dangarpara. " Dasagram. " Durgachak. " Dharmachak. " Elagerhe. " Erhuidanga. " Phulbherhi. " Garparhyachak. " Gurhi. " Gobindachak. " Gobindapur. " Gopalbarh. " Jamaria. " Jota. " Kalankichhbtá. " Karani. " Kaikachak. " Kunorpur. " Kotai. " Khagrhabherhi. " Khurasi. " Lakhauda. " Madhubarh. " Mahamadchak. " Mahamadichak. " Masagna. " Mukundapurhat. " Pahshidakhin. " Radhamohanchak. " Ramchak. " Ramdangar. " Salboni. " Simulya. " Siruchak. " Suriha. " Somdaharchak. " Srichandapur. " Khandarbheri. " Tapsia. " Tala. " Taladiha. " Trilochanpur. 9a. 11g. 1kt. 1dt. share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ramanimoni Dasi, guardian of Amulya and Niharan Chandra Jana, minors.	954 3 2	.....	78 2 3

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
962	Pargana Kasijora, M. Jnanarkona.	943 10 7	Entire ...	.....	Rajendra Nath Bag and another, and 4 others.	.....	73 15 7	.....
983	Pargana Kasijora. M. Maguri.	3,376 15 7	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. 4 annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and 2 others.	944 3 10	.....	74 7 10
1010	Pargana Kasijora, M. Purbatitpur *alias* Purbagopalpur.	1,753 14 8 including police.	Entire ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	96 2 8 including police.	.....
1023	Pargana Kasijora, M. Sridharbasan.	1,456 13 6 including police.	Do. ...	.....	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and another and another.	.....	114 7 4 including police.	.....
2171	Pargana Sabang, M. Hariharpur	2,427 11 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7. The following share of the mauzas will be sold— A. G. CH. Mauza Hariharpur ... ... 4 7 2 ,, Khelarichak ... 4 7 2 ,, Khorai ... ... 4 7 2 ,, Panpara ... ... 4 7 2 ,, Pratapchak ... ... 1 10 0 ,, Upalda ... ... 4 7 2 ,, Pa'kchak ... ... 4 7 2 All other shares than that specified will be exclud d from the sale.	Raj Krista De and 3 others.	603 10 7	.....	61 0 5 March to September 1916.
2246	Pargana Sabang, M. Mohar.	1,302 11 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. 1 only. 8 annas share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Krishna Das Mandal and another.	651 0 6	.....	25 6 0
2699	Pargana Uttarbehar, M. Saharahat *alias* Sahara.	2,171 4 8	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3 only. 8 annas share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripasindhu Masanta and 2 others.	1,085 10 1	.....	85 1 1

The 2nd December 1916.

S. C. UPADHYAYA, for Collector on tour.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1916, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land-revenue.

When, in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement, it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.
1445	Mahal Darihat Rajbarigunj, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	721 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakravarty and another.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1510	Mahal Kali Das Ghatak share 4 annas, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	694 5 0	Do. ...	.....	Rash Behari De and others.	.....	13 3 1	.....
1661	Taluk Shibjoy Banerjee, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	.....	Residuary share containing 10 anna 13 ganda 1 kara 1 krant will be sold. The remaining 5 anna 6 ganda 2 kara 1 krant share will be exempted from sale	Hira Lall Pal Chowdhary and others.	4,087 11 1	.....	517 0 0

Barisal, the 28th November 1916.

H. C. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Notices of Sale.

NOTIFICATION A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
339-0	Matiari, pargana Pisasy.	.....	.....	2a. 9g. 3c. 1kag annas share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Tarak Dasi Dasi, mother, on behalf of Kali Das and others.	1,121 0 0	.....	14 10 2
488-2	Sankarchandra, pargana Shahanzial.	.....	.....	1 anna share ... ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukerjee	685 5 2	.....	174 5 2

Krishnagar, the 18th November 1916. BISWESWAR BHATTACHARYA, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1917, at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2466 Ejmali.	Manada Sundari and others, pargana Govindapur.	653 13 0	No	13a. 8g. 1c. 3k. 12 tils shares only The remaining 2a. 11g. 3c. 6 tils share of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Manada Sundari Dasi, guardian of Atul Chandra Ghose, minor, and others.	530 13 0	.....	Land Revenue— 24 8 9 Cess— 4 14 9 29 3 6

Rajshahi, the 17th November 1916. A. CASSELLS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with section 11 of Act VII of 1868, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.			Khash Mahal tenures.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
Lat No. 10 1927.	Haripur Tahsil Muzu. Char-Rahim Meadi Madhasatta No. 24.	548 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sreemati Asraff-nessa Begum and others.	.....	Rent 119 14 Cess 9 9 129 7	.....
Lat No. 5 1686.	Chargazi Tahsil Madhasatta No. 2.	612 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Palanmean	.....	Rent 133 15 Cess 23 1 157 0	.....

Noakhali Collectorate, the 20th November 1916. B. C. PRANCE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
31	Pargana Durgapur, Ramkishore Bosu.	5,849 15 0	.....	S. A. No. 1. his. 2 as. 10 gds. ... ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 2 to 26 and residue share amounting to 13 as. 10 gds.	Maheschandra Pal	912 4 5	.....	519 6 11
113	Tappeh Kamrapur Ram Kishore Ghosh.	4,554 3 0	.....	Residue, viz :— ... ... 5 as 6½ gds 2 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarail Kamtul, Tengabo, Nanaki, Narandi, Aksha, Khargra Dhalchhatra, Goongaon, Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar-Maaiser. 2 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranir char, Oraba Bhargaon, Hasail Alunia, Bnabei char, Goalghooni, Joar Khagatia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur. 1 a. 12½ gds. 1 kt. of Joar Panchamighat. 7 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Joar Durgapur, 8 as. of remaining kismat except Joar Gutiaba. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 to 26 amounting to 10 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarail Kamtul, Tengabo, Nanaki, Narandi, Aksha, Kharagra, Dhalchhatra, Goongaon Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar Maaiser. 13 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranirchar, Oraba, Bhargao Hasail, Alunia Bhater char, Goalghuni, Joar Ghagutia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur. 14 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Joar Panchamighat, 8 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Durgapur, 16 as. of Joar Gutiaba, 8 as. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Rai Chaudhury and others.	1,660 2 11	.....	268 5 8
194	Pargana Rajnagar, Chakle Nurpur Mudafar Hiaya Rajkrishna Sen.	708 10 0	16 ans.	.....	Joy Chandra Datta and others.	.....	67 1 7	.....
301	Pargana Rajnagar Mudafat Hiaya Rajkrishna Sen, Chakle Raipur Banga Chandra Banerjee.	1,979 4 1	.....	Residue, viz., 8 as. 17¾ gds. 1 dt. of Joar Dandpur. 16 as. of remaining kismats. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 and 2 amounting to 7 as. 2 gds. 2 kt. 2 dt. of Joardoudpur.	Ram Kanai Pal and others.	1,911 4 3	... ..	23 11 7
946	Pargana Rakanpur, tappeh Boukhanda John Hollow.	3,074 10 8	.....	Residue, viz., 4 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Ghior, Takurkandi Kandapara, Ghoorer Char, Bandar, Bandakadamtali, Bandasundarpur, Banda Karatia, Degreerchar, 4 as. 10 gds. of Bencdepur, 7 as. of Safulli, 8 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Rai Chaudhuri and others.	1,558 14 5	.....	27 13 8
9013	Pargana Nasti, kt. Sallilya in char Mirpur.	961 0 0	.....	Residue, hiaya 12 as. 9½ gds. 8 til ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz. :— S. A. No. 1. hiaya 3 as. 10 gds. 2 kt.	Mahini Kanta Saha Choudhuri and others.	750 2 6	.....	56 2 3
10802	Surplus to Rajrajeswar.	1,338 0 0	16 annas ...	.....	Suryya Kumar Das and others.	.....	99 12 1	.....
10804	Pargana Nasti, surplus to Porakanda.	1,288 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rajkumar Boudapadhya.	.....	644 0 0	.....
10908	Tappeh Ran Bhowal surplus to Baloo char in mauza Galimpur.	1,320 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rani Ananta Sundari Debi Choudhurani and others.	.....	39 7 8	.....
10946	Surplus to mauza Bil Xamarta.	649 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bibhabati Debi ...	.....	40 12 0	.....
13546	Pargana Nasti, parcel of land excluded from estate No. 10804.	564 8 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakraberty.	.....	5 3 7	.....
15642	Dearah, mahal Seydpur.	555 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Parbati Sundari Dasya and others.	.....	1,410 0 0	.....
15780	Dearah, mahal Rahitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Mr. F. W. Needham	.....	2,585 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 3rd November 1916.

S. C SINHA, Collector.

Abstract statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st January 1916, being the third quarter of the year 1915-16, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1914-15.

PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1916.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1915.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,43,29,018 10 11	1,45,54,573 0 7	.....	2,25,554 5 8
ADD INCOME—				
Subscriptions from 1st November to 31st January in the Widows' Fund	78,447 8 6	77,844 5 0	.....	3,896 12 6
Subscriptions from 1st November to 31st January in the Children's Fund	27,808 1 0	30,440 0 0	.....	2,636 15 0
Fees and stamps	12 0 0	2 0 0	10 0 0	.....
Income and outlay on Office buildings and grounds	512 2 0	1,308 15 9	.....	796 13 0
Amount at credit of subscribers under rule 55 transferred to divisible surplus	576 12 0	.....	576 12 0	.....
Amount of fine imposed on subscriptions in arrears ...	3 6 2	0 15 5	2 6 9	.....
Amount of interest charged on subscriptions in arrears ...	0 9 0	.....	0 9 0	.....
Total Income ...	1,02,355 6 8	1,09,096 3 5	589 11 9	7,330 8 6
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,44,31,374 1 7	1,46,63,669 4 0	589 11 9	A 2,32,884 14 2
DEDUCT EXPENDITURE—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	1,91,030 18 7	1,96,160 8 2	.....	5,129 10 7
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund ...	94,686 1 9	95,116 5 0	.....	430 3 3
Establishment and contingencies (including law charges*) ...	7,198 9 5*	6,241 1 6	957 7 11	.....
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	11,316 0 9	11,010 3 1	305 13 8	.....
Commission paid for money-orders	627 4 6	648 9 0	.....	21 4 6
Commission to Messrs. Coutts & Co.	2,683 1 4	2,654 10 0	28 7 4	.....
Total Expenditure ...	3,07,541 15 4	3,11,831 4 9	1,291 12 11	B 5,581 2 4
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,41,23,832 2 3	1,43,51,837 15 3	—702 1 2	C 2,27,303 11 10
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,44,31,374 1 7	1,46,63,669 4 0	589 11 9	2,32,884 14 2
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	75,057 9 0	88,278 12 0	.....	13,221 8 0

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers (on 31st January)	706	865	749	888	...	...	43	23
Number of incumbents (on 31st January)	740	809	760	822	...	...	20	13
Number of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May) ...	737	372	777	402	...	...	40	30

	Rs. A. P.
A.—Net decrease in grand total of income	2,32,295 2 5
B.—Net decrease in total expenditure	4,289 5 5
C.—Decrease in balance	2,28,005 13 0

S. B. THOMSON,
Accountant.

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J. C. C. GRAY,
} *Auditors.*

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STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th November 1916.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		Grand Total.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	
Balance of 15th November 1916 ...	28,34,900	96,42,900	4,53,70,200	1,51,15,900	68,43,500	23,86,600	7,93,59,100	2,500	20,45,000	8,42,41,500
ADD—										
Amount of loan certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.... .	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 15th November 1916.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63,400	63,400
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th November 1916.	.....	3,300	2,400	10,600	.....	2,900	19,200	.....	19,30,000	19,39,200
	28,34,900	96 46,200	4,53,72,600	1,51 26,500	68,43,500	23,89 500	7,93,78,300	2,500	40,48,400	8,62,64,100
DEDUCT—										
Amount written off in the London Registers.	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 30th November 1916...	28 34,900	96,46,200	4,53,72 600	1,51,26,500	68,43,500	23,89,500	7,93,78,300	2,500	40,48,400	8,62,64,100

NOTE.—From 9th June 1887 to 30th Sept. 1916—Enfaced from India, 12,384 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,861 lakhs.
,, 1st October 1916 to 15th Oct. ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ...
,, 16th ,, ,, to 31st ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 1 lakh ,, ,, ,, 23 lakhs.
,, 1st November ,, to 15th Nov. ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ,, 8 ,,
,, 16th ,, ,, to 30th ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 20 lakhs ,, ,, ,, ...

12,405 lakhs. 12,892 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 4th December 1916.*

P. A. SELFE, *Superintendent.*

N. H. Y. WARREN, *Secretary & Treasurer.*

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 5th December 1916

LIABILITIES

	Rs.	A	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,08,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... ,, 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs 90,10,686 0 1			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 1,12,35,060 0 4	2,02,45,746	0	5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	20,22,35,786	4	6
Bank Post Bills, etc	16,83.677	8	6
Sundries	15,22,841	4	0
	26,66,88,051	1	5

ASSETS

	Rs	A	P
Government Securities	6,50,77,787	12	0
Other authorized Investments	1,11,08,145	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	2,93,39,572	2	0
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	5,64,19,469	1	7
Bills discounted and purchased	2,99,47,508	3	6
Balances with other Banks	40,30,899	11	8
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	29,60,033	14	0
Stamps	11,771	9	1
Sundries	3,68,786	13	0
	19,92,47,424	2	10
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs 2,81,24,463 10 1			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs 3,93,16,163 4 6	6,74,40,626	14	7
	26,66,88,051	1	5

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 3,51,555 0 0
† Do Do do . 8,71,912 8 0
Rs 12,23,467 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 8 per cent
Percentage, 29 85

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BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 7th December 1916

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THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, will be sold by public auction on or after the 10th January 1917, under section 118, Act III (B.C.) of 1890 :—

Date of removal.	Date of landing	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. II.					
Oct. 16	Sept. 30	Cecil T. Johnstone, Esq., or C. Johnstone, Esq., Rangoon.	...	1	Package ...	S.S. "Colaba."	
,, 16	Oct. 2	No mark	×	1	Case merchandise (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 16	,, 2	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose paste-boards.	Ditto.	
,, 16	,, 2	P & O Parcel or Superintendent, P & O.	2	1	Empty box ...	Ditto.	
,, 16	Sept. 30	S N & Co in a diamond ...	72-3	2	Cases	Ditto.	
,, 16	Oct. 2	S M W / 8904 Colombo ...	85	1	Case (broken and short).	Ditto.	
,, 16	,, 2	No mark ...	...	...	A quantity of loose tea shooks and fittings.	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 6	M N in a diamond, M K on top, L Co. below, or M N in a diamond or nil.	...	4	Kegs nails (broken)...	S.S. "Matheran."	
,, 25	,, 14	M S A G	...	3	Cases (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 14	No mark	...	1	Bag fire clay or merchandise (torn).	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 14	Ditto	...	21	Kegs wire nails (broken and short).	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 14	Ditto	...	1	Keg empty (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 14	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose wire nails.	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 14	T K in a diamond, M X on top, L Co. below or nil.	...	1	Keg nails ...	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 14	No mark	...	3	Kegs nails (broken and loose) out of which one packed with gunny.	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 14	Ditto	...	5	Bags buckles ...	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 14	Ditto	...	4	Bags hardware ...	Ditto	
,, 25	,, 14	S C S in a diamond or nil ...	...	1	Keg hardware ...	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 11	Government Carpentery School, Barielly.	...	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 11	S & Co in a diamond or nil	...	1	Bag buckles ...	Ditto.	
,, 25	,, 11	No mark	...	4	Bundles iron pipe ...	Ditto	
,, 25	,, 11	Blue ends or no mark ...	...	1	Bundle round iron ...	Ditto.	

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1916.	1916.	SHED No. II—*contd.*					
Oct. 25	Oct. 14	17460 in a diamond, A Y on top, L B G below or nil.	X	1	Keg nails ...	S.S "Matheran."	
Nov. 1	„ 20	$\frac{939}{22799}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	82-5	4	Cases ...	S.S. "Mahanada."	
„ 1	„ 21	38 in a triangle, M E on top, D below, or nil.	...	2	Kegs nails (broken)	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 20	Mitra in a diamond, D M on top.	3	1	Case (broken and loose).	Ditto	
„ 1	„ 28	No mark	...	1	Bundle wheel-barrow	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 28	Ditto	...	2	Pieces corrugated iron pipes (broken).	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 28	Ditto	...	4	Bags boiler composition or merchandise (not in original bags)	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 28	Ditto	...	10	Broken pieces gutters and covers.	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 27	Ditto	...	5	Kegs nails (broken) (one packed by gunny).	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 28	Ditto	...	3	Bags hardware ...	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 23	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto ...	Lying in shed.
„ 1	„ 28	L Z M in a diamond, Cuttuck or nil.	..	1	Case ...	Ditto	
„ 11	„ 20	Ammunition Factory, Dum-Dum.	...	1	Drum (empty) ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 28	No mark	...	3	Bundles hoop iron ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 28	Ditto	...	4	Bundles round iron (not original)	Ditto	
„ 11	„ 28	Ditto	...	3	Bundles square iron	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 28	Ditto	...	3	Bars round iron (bent and twisted).	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 28	Ditto	...	4	Pieces plates ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 23	$\frac{G}{256}$ in a diamond D M on top.	2	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 31	C E S C	1	1	Case	S S. "Stockwell."	
„ 11	Nov. 4	C A Khadin 24-19	...	1	Case ten shooks ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	C A Damdim 24-19	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	Oct. 28	$\frac{953}{22684}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below, Agra.	...	3	Cases (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	Nov. 4	Ditto	...	1	Bundle case (containing 4 boxes).	Ditto.	

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1916.	1916.	SHED No. II—*contd.*					
Nov. 11	Nov. 3	$\frac{1552}{74231}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below, Agra.	X	1	Case	S.S. "Stockwell."	
,, 11	Oct. 30	$\frac{925}{22898}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below, Agra.	25, 27-47, X.	24	Cases	Ditto	
,, 11	,, 28	$\frac{G}{1286}$ in a diamond, D M on top.	1-3	3	Cases (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 31	314 in a block, G S on side	301	1	Case (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 28	$\frac{G}{848}$ in a diamond, D M on top.	...	27	Bags hardware ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	Nov. 4	No mark	...	2	Bundles tin plates (tied with wire).	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	2	Bags fish-net bullets	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Packet metal linings (torn).	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Package iron machinery.	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Bar round (small) ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Case tea shooks (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
,, 11	Oct. 28	Ditto	...	2	Bags bolts and nuts or hardware (torn).	Ditto.	
,, 11	Nov. 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece cotton silk cloth.	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece dyed cotton sharee.	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece cotton muslin	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece cotton (red) lace.	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece cotton (blue) lace.	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto ...	...	12	Pieces letter files ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece letter basket	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece electric machine part.	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece cycle part ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Bag wire nails (small)	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Pair grey sharee ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Bundle thread or murah yarn.	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Bundle pipe (small) (containing 2 pieces).	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece iron rod (small)	Ditto.	

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		SHED No II—*concld.*					
1916.	1916.						
Nov. 11	Nov. 4	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose tea tins.	S.S. "Stockwell."	
„ 11	„ 4	RP Bombay or nil ...	...	1	Keg wire-nails ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Reliance in a diamond ... or Reliance in a diamond, B P on top.	...	...	.....	Ditto.	
„ 11	Oct. 31	555 in a diamond, T S on top, A Co below.	18-22-24	7	Bales	Ditto.	
„ 11	Nov. 4	No mark	...	3	Bars angle iron (bent)	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto	...	3	Bars round iron (bent)	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto	...	1	Piece sheet iron or plate.	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto	...	5	Coils hoop iron ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	BOC ENDS in a diamond, J T on top, or no mark.	...	4	Tin-lined cases tin plates (broken).	S.S. "Explorer."	
„ 21	„ 13	L A C in a diamond, S F on top, & Co below.	5 or X, 801 or X.	2	Packages ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	10166 in a diamond, L B on top.	166-69	4	Cases (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 11	M in a diamond, E A on top	5969, or 5260.	1	Case broken ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	No mark	...	1	Keg wire-nails (broken and short).	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose nails.	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose rivets.	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of china clay.	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	Ditto	...	1	Keg empty (broken)...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	Ditto	...	6	Bags china clay ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	Ditto	...	4	Tin-lined cases tin plates.	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 13	307 in a double triangle, R B on top, B L below.	8-15	8	Cases	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 14	572 in a diamond, T P on top, M C below, or no mark.	...	85	Bags china clay ...	Ditto	
„ 21	„ 14	No mark	...	33	Bars flat iron (bent and rusty).	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Aug. 14	Aug. 8	No mark	...	1	Case (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
Sept. 14	Sept. 8	Ditto	...	2	Drums ...	Ditto ...	H. G.

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		SHED No. III.					
1916.	1916.						
Oct. 14	Oct. 4	K J	...	1	Bag betelnuts ..	S.S. "Laisang."	
„ 28	„ 20	0006 in a triangle, C B on top.	...	14	Kegs red paint ...	S.S. "Veniero."	
„ 28	„ 19	344 in a diamond, G S on top, & C below.	...	2	Cases ...	Ditto.	
„ 28	„ 18	1500 in a triangle, L E on top, S below.	X	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 28	„ 20	0006 in a triangle ...	...	2	Kegs red paint ...	Ditto.	
„ 28	„ 21	ABMJ or HBMJ ...	117	1	Case (broken and repaired).	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 28	„ 21	No mark	...	2	Cases matches ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 28	„ 20	Ditto	...	1	Bag sulphur ...	Ditto ...	H. G
Nov. 7	„ 27	H & Co in a triangle ...	...	4	Bags rice ...	S.S. "Shirala."	
„ 7	„ 27	M / B J or N / B J ...	...	35	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 27	A / E G A	...	2	Bags ...	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 27	No mark or various marks...	...	7	Do. ...	Ditto	
„ 13	Nov. 3	G C D on a triangle, or nil below.	93221 or X	1	Case (repaired) ...	S.S. "Namsang."	
„ 13	„ 2	H R A K	15-28	14	Cases ..	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 2	3526/141 in a diamond, M B K below.	296	1	Case ...	Diitto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Sept. 2	Aug. 12	S W in a triangle ...	...	1	Piece plank (broken)	S S. "Tamon Maru No. 6."	
„ 25	...	1310 in a diamond, S R on top, R L below.	17	1	Case ...	S.S. "Kumsang."	
July 11	July 5	Sadiram Ramlall ...	...	1	Case sample cement	Ditto.	
		SHED No. IV.					
1916.	1916.						
Oct. 2	Sept. 26	P S and A C Ld Chittagong ...	111	1	Case	S S. "Clanchattan."	W. G.
„ 12	„ 30	887 on top of a diamond ...	223	1	Do.	S.S. "Santhia."	
„ 12	...	H A / O in a heart or nil ...	...	2	Bags betelnuts ...	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 30	Sree Kissen Dass Sew Kissen Dass ...	1	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 12	Oct. 6	No mark	...	3	Bags	Ditto.	
„ 12	Sept. 29	M H	...	2	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	

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1916.	1916.	SHED No. V.					
Oct. 16	Sept. 28	$\frac{1025}{79992}$ in a diamond, G A on top. & Co below.	X	1	Case (broken) ...	S.S. "Tactician."	
„ 16	Oct. 3	J E in a diamond, S in a diamond.	...	5	Boxes tin plates ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 3	No mark	...	3	Boxes tin plates (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 3	Ditto	...	1	Case (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 3	No mark	...	2	Bars round or machinery parts.	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 3	No mark	...	7	Iron yard gully (rusty)	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 3	Ditto	...	2	Pieces iron (rusty) ...	Ditto.	
„ 19	„ 5	C P & Co in a diamond ...	326	1	Case (broken) ...	S.S. "Holywell."	
„ 19	„ 5	No mark or ↑ ...	X	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 19	„ 10	No mark or ↑G or G2DDB. ...	X	1	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 19	„ 10	↑Cordite Factory, Aruvankadu, Madras.	$\frac{J}{881}$	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 19	„ 10	↑War Store or Cordite Factory ...	X	1	Coil barbed wire ...	Ditto.	
„ 19	„ 10	W N G D S M ...	...	1	Drum (empty) ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 19	„ 5	No mark ...	...	1	Case barley (broken and repaired).	Ditto.	
„ 19	„ 10	MTE in a diamond, Colombo below.	...	1	Drum ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Sept. 27	Sept. 19	Dalhousie in a diamond, G K on top, & N below.	X	1	Drum or keg ...	S.S. "Magician"	
„ 27	„ 16	No mark or D L C ...	X or 5	1	Drum ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. VI.					
Oct. 3	Sept. 26	E & Co.	146725	1	Case	S.S. "Orna."	
„ 3	„ 27	No mark	...	1	Bag cotton or merchandise.	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 19	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose boards.	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 17	H B in a diamond, S K on top, E R Tuticorin below.	...	1	Case	Ditto ...	H.G.
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Sept. 13	„ 4	No mark or S.W C ...	...	1	Bag sulphur ...	S.S. "Caboto" ...	H.G.

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1916	1916.	SHED No. VII.					
Sept. 22	Sept. 13	No mark	...	3	Drums	S.S. "Malda" ...	H.G.
,, 22	,, 11	Rifle Factory, Ishapore ...	...	3	Drums (leaky and empty.	Ditto ...	H.G
,, 22	,, 12	Ditto ...	...	1	Cask (empty) ...	Ditto ...	H.G.
,, 22	,, 12	S M C in a diamond, D B below.	30	1	Case	Ditto ...	H.G.
,, 22	,, 11	18069 in a diamond, A Y on top, L B G below.	4109	1	Case (broken and empty).	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 14	Burn	15035	1	Case (light) ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 13	L M B & S or L M R & S	54 X	1	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 11	No mark	...	1	Cask cement ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 12	M L 801 X or M L ...	...	2	Cases	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 12	Framjee or Framjee and Sons in a block.	1	1	Case (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 13	No mark	...	1	Case paper (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 11	I D L B A S[e]	...	2	Cases milk ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 14	Ditto	...	1	Case milk ...	Ditto.	
Oct. 3	,, 21	Green ends	...	1	Bundle steel sheets ...	S.S. "Denbighhall."	
,, 3	,, 22	No mark	...	14	Pieces rain-water pipes (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 3	,, 20	M B on top of a diamond, K below.	1125	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 3	,, 19	Nil or $\frac{R B M I}{C W W}$ or R B X X	...	1	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 3	,, 21	No mark	...	...	A quantity of hardware.	Ditto.	
,, 3	,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Bundle forks ...	Ditto.	
,, 3	,, 21	Ditto	...	2	Bags merchandise ..	Ditto.	
,, 3	,, 21	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
,, 3	,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Cask fire-clay ...	Ditto.	
,, 24	Oct. 2	Ditto	...	1	Coil hoop-iron ...	S.S. "Assyria."	
	,, 4	Nil	...	3	Casks spades (broken)	Ditto.	
July 6	June 28	No mark	...	2	Crates G. I. buckets	S.S. "Australia."	
Aug. 18	Aug. 7	Ditto	...	2	Casks empty (both heads open)	S.S. "Culna."	

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Aug. 18	Aug. 3	G C L in a diamond ...	...	1	Case	S.S. "Culna."	
„ 18	„ 5	J S N in a heart, D on top...	...	1	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 14	C G	...	1	Do.	S.S. "City of Karachi."	
„ 31	„ 22	No mark	...	1	Piece casting ...	Ditto.	
1916.	1916.	SHED No. VIII.					
Oct. 12	Sept. 26	L M B & S or L M R & S ...	X	1	Case (broken) ...	S.S. "City of Exeter."	
„ 18	Oct. 4	B K in a triangle ...	25-6	2	Cases	S.S. "Ceylon Maru."	
„ 18	„ 2	C in a triangle, Colombo below.	X	1	Cask	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 3	= in a diamond, M B K below.	1, X	2	Bundles shooks ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 3	Nil Rangoon	...	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 4	No mark	...	9	Bags paddy ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 4	7732 in a diamond, S K on top, B S below.	181-85	5	Cases ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 2	BOC in a triangle, E 14 below, Rangoon.	...	1	Bundle shooks ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 4	B D & Co. in a diamond ...	...	1	Bundle ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 3	T in a triangle, F S on top	...	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 4	Ditto	...	11	Bags rice ...	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Sept. 2	Aug. 19	243-1 in a diamond, C J on top, H S below.	1-10	10	Cases ...	S.S. "Manora."	
„ 2	„ 19	E & Co. in a diamond ...	6358	1	Case brandy (broken and light).	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 4	No mark	...	...	A quantity of tea shooks.	S.S. "City of Edinburgh."	
„ 13	„ 4	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 4	↑G & S Factory, Cossipore	...	1	Drum	Ditto ...	H. G.
June 30	June 22	No mark	...	...	A quantity of alumino ferric.	S.S. "City of Poona."	
1916.	1916.	SHED No. IX.					
Oct. 4	Sept. 23	B $\frac{K}{C}$ in a circle, Rangoon below.	1-5	5	Casks	S.S. "Assama Maru."	
„ 4	„ 27	W M	...	1	Bag sulphur ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 4	„ 27	J W M or W M ...	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	H. G.

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1916.	1916.	SHED No. IX—*concld.*					
Oct. 4	Sept. 27	A	...	1	Bag sulpher ...	S.S. "Assama Maru."	H. G.
,, 4	,, 27	J B N R	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 4	,, 27	No mark	...	3	Bags sulphur ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 4	,, 27	Ditto	...	2	Packages ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 4	,, 28	No mark	...	...	A quantity of rice sweepings = 25 bags.	S.S. "Assama Maru."	
,, 4	,, 29	K R B I	...	15	Bags rice ..	Ditto.	
,, 4	,, 21	No mark or various marks	...	173	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 17	Oct 9	I in a diamond, K R on top, C b low.	1-6	6	Cases (broken) ...	S.S. "Yubari Maru."	
,, 17	,, 6	N S in a diamond, F N on top, & S below.	...	9	Bales	Ditto.	
,, 17	,, 9	3496 in a double triangle, M E on top F E below.	5768	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 17	,, 7	M M in a diamond, N C on top, J F below.	629	1	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 17	,, 9	B K on top of a diamond, D Co below.	13	1	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 17	,, 9	Ditto ...	10	1	Do.	Ditto.	
Nov. 24	,, 2	No mark	...	...	A quantity of venesta fittings or tea shooks fittings.	S.S. "Baikal."	
,, 2	,, 21	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of shooks	S.S. "Tamon Maru."	
,, 2	,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Cask cement ...	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 16	T in a triangle, F S on top, 960 below.	...	1	Bundle shooks ...	Ditto.	
		Unidentified goods of jetties.					
		No mark	...	1	Cask (broken).		
		Ditto	...	1	Ditto.		
		Ditto	...	1	Ditto.		
		Ditto	...	1	Bag (torn).		
		Ditto	...	1	Piece bed cover.		
		Ditto	...	4	Pieces under-shirts.		
		Ditto	...	1	Piece brass pipe.		
		Ditto	...	1	Packet tin-foil.		
		Ditto	...	1	Bottle eau-de-cologne.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of coloured paper.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of oilman stores.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of bamboo cigarette pipes.		

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		Unidentified goods of jetties—concld.					
		No mark	...	...	A quantity of hardware sweepings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken slate pencils.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of electric fittings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of old gunny-bags (torn).		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of betelnuts sweepings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of tea shooks and fittings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of wood.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of hoop iron bands.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of whitings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of sundries.		

T. J. McCLOUGHIN, Traffic Manager.

PORT COMMRS.' OFFICE, Calcutta, the 13th December 1916. (2683—1)

Advertisement of Sale.

No. of Execution Case.	Names of the parties.	Claim.	Date fixed for sale.	Description of estate.	Amount of revenue payable.	Share or whole.	Approximate value.
		Rs. A. P.			Rs.		Rs
1162 of 1916	Kedar Nath Bera and others, decree-holders, *Versus* (1) Lal Mohun Giri, (2) Sripati Charan Giri, (3) Girish Chandra Giri, and (4) Gopi Mohan Giri, judgment-debtors.	952 1 6	12-2-1917	Plot No. I, thana Kagdwip, pargana Hatiaghar, mauza Lot No. 111, Rakshitkhanda, tauzi No 2940.	281	2 annas share.	100
				Plot No. II, thana Mathurapur, pargana Hatiagarh, mauza Lot No. 115, Trityakhanda, tauzi No 2878.	802	1 anna and 6 pies.	200

Diamond Harbour, the 8th December 1916.

S. N. GUHA, Munsif.
(2704—1)

Notification of Sale.

TO be sold pursuant to the decree dated the 16th August 1915 made by the High Court of Calcutta, in suit No. 347 of 1913 (where Mussummut Nooroonnessa Bibee is the plaintiff and Hafiz Nazir Ali and others are the defendants) at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, the 16th day of December 1916, by the undersigned as the Receiver appointed in the said suit at the sale-room of the Official Assignee of Calcutta at No. 1C, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, the following property belonging to the parties to the said suit :—

1. All that two-storied brick-built messuage or dwelling house with the land thereto belonging measuring 2 cottahs 8 chittaks and 25 square feet, be the same a little more or less, being holding No 149 in block No. III in the South Division of Calcutta known as No. 7, Aga Mahammad Mehdi Street (formerly No. 31 and before that No. 29), Maulvi Imdad Ali Lane, bounded on the East by a public road, on the West by No. 32, Maulvi Imdad Ali Lane, on the North by Company's drain, on the South by a bustee passage.

The abstract of title, condition of sale and a copy of the plan prepared by the Surveyor appointed in the said suit can be seen and inspected at the office of Mr. B. P. Chunder, Attorney for the plaintiff, at No. 11, Old Post Office Street, and at the office of the undersigned at Temple Chambers, No. 6, Old Post Office Street, on any day between the hours of 4-30 and 6-30 in the afternoon before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

A. S. M. LATIFUR RAHMAN, Receiver.
B. P. Chunder, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Calcutta, the 21st November 1916.
(2510—1—2647)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court House on Saturday, the 6th day of January 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to preliminary and final decrees made in suit No. 870 of 1911 (wherein Nundo Lal Roy and others are plaintiffs and Gobind Das Pity is defendant), and dated, respectively, the 22nd day of December 1911 and the 7th day of February 1913, the undermentioned property :—

All that partly two-storied and partly one-storied brick-built dwelling-house with a staircase room in the third story, together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by measurement 14 cottahs 15 chittacks and 5 square feet, and known as No. 1, Shyam Square East, formerly No. 16-1, Ram Kanto Bose's Street, in Sutanooty, in the northern division of the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as follows :—

On the North—By premises No. 2, Shyam Square East,
On the East—Partly by the house and premises No. 110, partly by premises Nos. 109 and 108, partly by premises No. 107, Shambazar Street, and partly by the passage common to premises Nos. 107, 106-3 and 106-2, Shyambazar Street,
On the South—By Shyam Square South, and
On the West—By Shyam Square East.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at No. 6, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, at the office of Mr. J. C. Dutt, attorney for the plaintiffs, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

J. C. Dutt, Attorney for the plaintiffs.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 1st day of December 1916.

(2628—1)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT

(ORDER 5, RULES 1 AND 5.)

In the Court of the Munsif at Mirzapur District.

PRESENT :

Babu Shebendro Nath Banerjee, Munsif.

SUIT NO. 821 OF 1916.

Ram Das, son of Newaz, fruit-seller, residence at Moh. Makri Khoh, Mirzapur, plaintiff, *versus* (1) Mahadeo and (2) Kandhaia Lal, sons of Delu, fruit-sellers, residence at Malak Ghat pul ke samne, No. 228, dwelling at Calcutta, defendants.

WHEREAS the plaintiff has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 81-12-9 and costs you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some person able to answer all such questions on the 18th day of December 1916 at 10-30 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim ; and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce on that day all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day beforementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 30th day of November 1916.

DEOKINANDAN SINHA, Munsarim.
(2629—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 148 of 1910.

Re. John George Sophianopoulos, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 20th day of January 1917 except Saturday and Sunday.

Like notice in the matter of Edwin Francis Sandys, *ex parte* the debtor, No. 253 of 1911.

G. M FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 6th December 1917. (2652—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 68 of 1914.

Re Percival John Dover, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 24th day of January 1917, except Saturday and Sunday.

Like notice in the matter of Harry Chain Bassler, ex parte the debtor No. 230 of 1916.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 9th December 1916. (2694—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

NOS. 151 OF 1914 AND 160 OF 1914.

Re Ganoda Prosad Ghose and Hury Das Ghose, *ex parte* the creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that a final dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 24th day of January 1917, except Sat rday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 9th December 1916. (2693—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Insolvency Jurisdiction.

Estate Dhanu Lal Agarwalla.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Insolvent Court has fixed Tuesday, the 9th January 1917, for hearing of the Official Assignee's application made under rule 142A of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, III of 1909, for an order for annulment of the Order of Adjudication made against the abovenamed insolvent.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee of Calcutta.

The 7th December 1916. (2675—1)

Insolvency Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends as stated below are payable on proved and substantiated claims in the following insolvent estates :—

Estate Sreedam Chunder Seal, 2nd Insolvency—1st dividend at Rs. 7-4 per cent.

Estate Hafiz Enamullah—1st dividend at Rs. 5-14 per cent.

Estate Ganga Prosad and another (Kalika Prosad Ganga Prosad)—2nd dividend at Re. 1-13 per cent.

Estate Gonesh Prosad and Kali Prosad (Mohabeer Prosad Gonesh Prosad)—2nd dividend at annas 6-6 per cent.

Estate Anechand and Naraindass—1st dividend at Rs. 6 per cent.

Estate Sidheswar Dey and others—1st dividend at Rs. 2 per cent.

Estate William Newbold Marshall—1st dividend at Re. 1 12 per cent.

Estate Kunjo Behari Pal Chaudhury—1st dividend at Re. 1-3 per cent.

Estate Hariram *alias* Kunjo Lall and another (Hardhyandas Sreenarain)—1st dividend at Rs. 22 per cent.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 8th December 1916. (2695—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 72 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Torab Ali, son of Korban Ali, of Alkaran, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 25th September 1916, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 2nd January 1917 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 4th December 1916. (2636—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 76 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Bachu Meah, son of Saiudal Hoque, of Kattali, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition dated the 30th November 1916 to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 10th of January 1917 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 8th December 1916. (2700—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tarini Charan Poddar, son of late Chaitonya Charan Poddar, of Modakul, police-station Gaurnadi, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and the 20th December has been fixed for hearing the petition and for examination of the petitioner.

D. C. PATTERSON, District Judge.

Barisal, the 4th December 1916. (2691—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Karbadali Sikdar, son of late Daimaddi Sikdar, of Purbaiyarbog, police-station Mehendiganj, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and the 20th December next has been fixed for hearing the petition and for examination of the petitioner.

D. C. PATTERSON, District Judge.

Barisal, the 4th December 1916. (2692—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 78 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Elahibaksh Bhuia son of late Salimamud Bhuia, of Binaircbar, police station Rupganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJEA, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 5th December 1916. (2653—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 79 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Jalilbaksh Bhuia, son of late Salimamud Bhuia of Binairchar, police-station Rupganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJEA, Sub-Judge,

Dacca, the 5th December 1916. (2654—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 81 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Khajeh Mukshood Miya, son of late Khajeh Moonsoor Miya, of Asan Mazil, Koomartooly, police-station Saddar, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJEA, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 5th December 1916. (2655—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 97 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Janoo, son of late Sheik Madhoo, of Rowhachar, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJEA, Sub-Judge

Dacca, the 6th December 1916. (2676—1)

NOTICE

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 98 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Hanif, son of late Sheik Madhoo, of Rowhachar, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJEA, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 6th December 1916. (2677—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 88 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Dauri Karikar, son of late Aradhan Karikar, of Paril Imambari, police-station Singair, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 16th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 8th December 1916. (2696—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 36 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th April 1916, filed by debtor Lalaram Bania, son of late Kheruram Bania, at present of Islampur, police-station Saddar, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of December 1916.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2697—1)

In the Court of the Deputy Commissioner, Darjeeling.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 34 OF 1912.

Mr. William Malmo, of Siliguri, insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 3rd January 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule of creditors for distribution of dividents. The claimants are to prove their claims on or before that day.

B. K. MUKHERJI, Nazir and Receiver.

Deputy Commissioner's Office, Darjeeling, the 6th December 1916. (2665—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No 91 OF 1916 (INSOLVENCY).

INDUR MOLLA, son of Ujir Sarkar, deceased, resident of Chirail, police-station Kaliaganj, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent The 19th day of January 1917 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 6th December 1916. (2663—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 84 OF 1916 (INSOLVENCY).

BHEDURAM DAS, son of Jagatram Das, deceased, resident of Hariharpur, police-station Thakurgaon, district Dinajpur, was, on the 27th day of November, 1916, adjudicated an insolvent.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 6th December 1916. (2664—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 40 AND 41 OF 1916.

TAKE notice that Baikuntha Roy and Nabin Chandra Roy, sons of late Ram Kumar Roy, of Harirampur, commonly called Natakhola, police-station Kotowali, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents, and the 22nd January 1917 has been fixed for hearing of the petitions.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 4th December 1916. (2634—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1916.

TAKE notice that Rangeswar Kundu, son of late Girish Chandra Kundu, of Chandra, police-station Bhanga, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and that the 21st December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 7th December 1916. (2669—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 OF 1916.

TAKE notice that Jadav Chandra Sarkar, son of late Raj Chandra Sarkar, *alias* Nesu Sarkar, of Kowtil, police-station Goalundo, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and that the 29th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing of the petition.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 7th December 1916. (2670—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 57 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gagan Chandra Ghosh, son of late Golak Chandra Ghosh, of Balighoshpara, thana Lalua, district Hooghly, was on the 4th August 1916 adjudged an insolvent. The 15th December 1916 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants prove their claims on that day.

C SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 20th November 1916.

(2496—1—2640)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 79 OF 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that Kumud Lal Mukherjee, son of Peary Lal Mukherjee, of Salikha, thana Golabaty, district Hooghly, was on the 4th December 1914 adjudged an insolvent. The 15th December 1916 has been fixed for final discharge.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 20th November 1916.

(2497—1—2641)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of William Osmound Roudean, at present 161, Telkolghat Road, Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 137 of 1916, and that the 15th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 22nd November 1916.

(2523—1—2642)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Guiram Ghosh, son of late Becha Ram Ghosh, of Mahiary, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 141 of 1916, and that the 15th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

C. SELLS, District Judge

Chinsura, the 24th November 1916. (2539—1—2643)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Panchu Patra, son of late Madhob Patra, of Hanidhara, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 145 of 1916, and that the 15th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 24th November 1916. (2540—1—2644)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Kali Pado Chell, son of late Gopal Chandra Chell, of Dakshin Singty, thana Singty, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 148 of 1916 and that the 15th December 1916 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 24th November 1916. (2541—1—2645)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 14 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 30th March 1916, filed by Hora Pewari Agorwala, son of Bansidhor Agorwala, of Bagula, police-station Hanshkhali, district Nadia, and on the application of the petitioner and on reading his application and hearing his pleader on 2nd December 1916, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Dated this 7th day of December 1916.

R. E. JACK, District Judge.

(2671—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 15 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 30th March 1916, filed by Bansidhar Agorwala, son of late Gope Chand Agorwala, of Bagula, police-station Hanshkhali, district Nadia, and on the application of the petitioner and on reading his application and hearing his pleader on 2nd December 1916, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of December 1916.

R. E JACK, District Judge.

(2672—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 30 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 23rd August 1916, filed by Arun Chandra Pal, son of late Dwarka Nath Pal, of Nabadwipa, police-station Nabadwipa, district Nadia, and on the application of the petitioner and on reading his application and hearing his pleader on 2nd December 1916, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of December 1916.

R. E. JACK, District Judge.

(2673—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 38 OF 1916.

(ACT III OF 1907)

In the matter of Kunja Behari Biswas (Mandal) and Rakhal Chandra Mandal, of Jhaobona, police-station Nowda, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioners have applied to this Court to be adjudged insolvents, and their case has been fixed for hearing on the 16th December 1916.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 6th December 1916 (2567—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 64 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 28th August 1916, filed by Maroti, at present residing at Type No 2, Khargpore, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Nalini Behary Roy, Pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 3rd January 1917 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 3rd January 1917 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts, and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 2nd day of December 1916.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2635—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 59 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th August 1916, filed by Sheik Afzal-uddin, of Balarampore, Dhekiabazar, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Maulvi Kabiruddin Ahmed, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 3rd January 1917 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 3rd January 1917 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 4th day of December 1916.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2645—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 61 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 23rd August 1916, filed by Philo Vanhalften, Carriage Examiner, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Khargpore, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Nalini Behari Roy, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 4th January 1917 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 4th January 1917 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts, and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 6th day of December 1916.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2668—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 41 OF 1916.

Petitioner—Panchu Gopal Chandra.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Panchu Gopal Chandra, of Sutragarh, police-station Santipur, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 41 of 1916, and that 6th January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

R. E. JACK, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 7th December 1916. (2674—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 23 OF 1916.

(ACT III.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Madhab Chandra Maitra of Banagram, at present Faridpur, police-station Chatmahar, and others that the insolvency petition of Ramrudra Pramanik, son of late Baluram Pramanik, of Goalkata, police-station Chatmahar, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 20th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 6th December 1916. (2685—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 88 OF 1916.

(ACT III.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Kali Krishna Chaki, of Pabna Bazar, and others that the insolvency petition of Gour Gopal Das Joarder, son of late Benimadhab Das Joarder, of Sibrampur, police station Pabna, has been filed and that the 20th December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 6th December 1916. (2686—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No 29 OF 1916.

(Act III)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditor Bhim Charan Gour Mohan Ray, of Serajganj, that the insolvency petition of Taju Shekh, son of late Hasan Shekh, of Khupibiara, police-station Serajganj, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 13th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 5th December 1916. (2687—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 57 OF 1916.

(ACT III.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Ram Sundar Dam, of Mahendrapur, police-station Pabna, that the insolvency petition of Fatik Shekh, son of Jamir Shekh, of Kabirpur, police station Pabna, has been filed and that the 9th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 5th December 1916. (2688—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 118 OF 1916.

(ACT III.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditor Gaya Nath Sirker, of Paikhanda, police-station Mathura, post-office Bera, district Pabna, and others that the insolvency petition of Makher Gayen, son of late Sonaulla Gayen, of Baradia, police-station Mathura, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 21st December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 5th December 1916. (2689—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 119 OF 1916 (ACT III).

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Gaya Nath Sirker, of Paikhanda, police-station Mathura, post office Bera, district Pabna, and others that the insolvency petition of Parash Ali Gayen, son of late Sonaulla Gayen, of Baradia, police-station Mathura, district Pabna, has been filed, and that the 21st December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

N N. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 5th December 1916. (2690—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 133 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Dugdhan Sarkar, son of late Ghanesyam Das, of Bamandanga, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd December 1916. (2630—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 132 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Karimuddin, son of late Nil Mamud, of Muradpur, police-station Mithapukhur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd December 1916. (2631—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 131 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Alimuddin, son of Amiruddin, of Dharma Das, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd December 1916. (2632—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 78 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

PUSHU BEPARI, son of late Hauria Bepari, of Purnanagore, police-station Sundergan e, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 23rd September 1916, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd December 1916. (2633—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 82 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ABDAR Rahaman Saodagor, son of late Haji Sadulla, of Nawabgange Bazar, police-station Kotwali, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 29th November 1916, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 4th December 1916. (2656—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 134 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Tangku Pradhan, son of late Dina Pradhan, of Aripkhan Basudebpur, police-station Tulshighut, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 4th December 1916. (2657—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 135 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Samet Ullah, son of late Huchu Nashya of Chota Sadlashi, police-station Saidpur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 4th December 1916. (2658—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 136 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq, I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Brajeswar Das, son of late Khageswar Das, of Debala, police-station Lalmanirhat in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 5th December 1916. (2659—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 111 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kinuram Das, son of Sita Ram Das, of Sailmari, police-station Jaldhaka, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 5th December 1916.

(2660—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 90 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

HAFEZULLAH MOHAMMED, son of late Sanulla Mohammed, of Gabrol, police-station Kishoregange, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 2nd December 1916, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 5th December 1916.

(2661—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 69 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

MESER UDDIN MIAH, son of late Lal Miah, of Madhaikhamar, police-station Badarganga, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 29th November 1916, adjudged and insolvent by this Court.

S. S. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 5th December 1916. (2662—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 138 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Sharat Ullah Shaikh, son of late Sher Mamud, of Kaludanga, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1916. (2678—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 137 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Mehor Teli, son of late Vot Shaikh, of Parlia, police-station Kaligange, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1916. (2679—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 139 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Karimullah Nashya, son of late Kinu Parkar, of Sarai, police-station Ganga chara, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1916. (2680—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 141 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Helpeshu Barman, son of Nil Kanta Barman, of Harinchaora, police-station Lalmanirhat, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 7th December 1916. (2701—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 140 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Nil Kanta Borman, son of late Ram Das Borman, of Harinchaora, police-station Lalmanirhat, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge

Rangpur, the 8th December 1916. (2702—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 142 OF 1916.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Shahanatullah Shaikh, son of late Amulla Sarkar, of Chikanmati, police-station Dimla, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 8th December 1916. (2703—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 222 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 31st July 1916, made by Bonoy Krishna Ghosh, son of late Kali Prasanna Ghosh, of No. 13, Madhab Chandra Chatterjee's 2nd Lane, Bhawanipur, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 20th day of November 1916.

(2558—1—2652)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 234 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 12th August 1916, made by Tarinicharan Naskar, son of late Jogneswar Naskar, of Mehamanpur, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 25th day of November 1916.

(2559—1—2653)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 244 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 24th August 1916, made by Shaik Baboo, son of Shaik Buddhun, of 3-118, Beliaghata Main Road, thana Narkeldanga, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself, and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 22nd day of November 1916.

(2560—1—2654)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 253 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 30th August 1916, made by Durga Charan Mistri, son of late Jadu Nath Mistri, of Alampur, thana Behala, 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 25th day of November 1916.

(2561—1—2655)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 226 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th August 1916, made by Ehaj Nikari, son of Kalu Nikari, of Stinda, thana Basirhat, district 24 Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 25th day of November 1916.

(2562—1—2656)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 227 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 7th August 1916, made by Sheraj Nikari, son of Kalu Nikari, of Stinda, thana Basirhat, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 25th day of November 1916.

(2563—1—2657)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 247 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 26th August 1916, made by Kali Charan Ghosh, son of late Prahlad Ch. Ghosh, of Bhaluka, thana Amdanga, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on ready his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 25th day of November 1916.

(2564—1—2658)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 250 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 29th August 1916, made by Surendra Prasad Mitra, son of Peary Mohan Mitra, of Baranagore, thana Baranagore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 25th day of November 1916.

(2565—1—2659)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 251 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 29th August 1916, made by Narendra Prasad Mitra, son of Peary Mohan Mitra, of Baranagore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 25th day of November 1916.

(2566—1—2660)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 289 OF 1916.

Banai Kahar, son of Tunu Kahar, of Bhatpara, Mirpur district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Desarur Khan and others, creditors.

ON the 25th day of November 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of December 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 28th November 1916.

(2567—1—2648)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 291 OF 1916.

Upendra Kumar Bosu, son of late Kailash Chandra Bosu, of Ramnagore, thana Barnipur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Nogendra Nath Nandi and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of December 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 23rd November 1916.

(2568—1—2649)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 292 OF 1916.

Kedar Nath Das, son of late Iswar Chandra Das, of Kalighat, thana Bhawanipur, applicant.

To Amir Khan, Kabuli, creditor.

ON the 21st day of November 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of December 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipur, the 23rd November 1916. (2569—1—2650)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 293 OF 1916.

Rajendra Nath Basu, of 19, Nunda Lall Mullick Lane, Paikpara, thana Chitpur, applicant.

To Sarat Chandra Paul and others, creditors.

ON the 21st day of November 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of December 1916, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipur, the 23rd November 1916. (2570—1—2351)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 266 OF 1916.

Kshirode Kumar Mandal, son of late Tarak Chandra Mandal, of Goragacha, thana Behala, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Haridas Safui and others, creditors.

ON the 27th day of November 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of December 1916 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 29th November 1916. (2591—1—2661)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 233 of 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 11th August 1916, made by Srinibash Das, son of late Jadu Nath Das, of Chetla, No. 3, Bridge Road, Alipore, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

A H. CUMING, District Judge.

Dated this 27th day of November 1916.

(2592—1—2662)

MAULVI AZIZUL ALAM, B.L., intends to be admitted to practise as a Vakil in the High Court.

(2544—4)

Notice.

WANTED a District Engineer for the Malda District Board on a salary of Rs. 250—10—300 a month. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules. Applications with necessary certificates and testimonials are to be submitted on or before the 31st December 1916, in sealed and registered covers addressed to the Chairman, District Board, Malda. and superscribed "application for appointment of District Engineer."

J. H. LINDSAY, Chairman District Board, Malda.

Malda, the 1st December 1916. (2624—3)

Notice.

WANTED by the District Board of Noakhali an experienced Overseer on a monthly salary of Rs. 60 plus a travelling allowance of Rs. 25.

The candidate must be qualified under the revised rules published in Bengal Government Notification No. 2330L.S.B., dated the 28th August 1916.

The selected candidate will have to furnish a security deposit of Rs. 300 half in cash and half in personal security bond and to undertake to serve the Board for at least 3 years

Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the District Engineer, Noakhali, up to 18th December 1916.

B. C. PRANCE, Chairman, District Board.

Noakhali, the 24th November 1916. (2585—2)

Advertisement.

WANTED a District Engineer for the Dacca District Board temporarily for six months from the 10th February 1917 on a monthly salary of Rs. 600 with 1st class travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations. Applicants must have the qualifications prescribed in Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, as subsequently amended. Applications with certificates and testimonials are to be submitted on or before the 10th January in sealed and registered covers addressed to the Chairman, District Board, Dacca, and superscribed "Application for post of District Engineer."

S. C. CHAKRABUTTY, for Chairman.

District Board Office, Dacca, the 20th November 1916. (2509—3)

Annual Contracts.

CONTRACTORS are informed that sealed tenders for the supply of iron cast pig, timber, cordage, liquid fuel and other miscellaneous stores from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1918 will be received by the Superintendent, Ammunition Factory, Dum-Dum, up to 5th January 1917 for consideration and orders of the Director of Ordnance Factories, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

2. Forms of "Tender" and "Schedule" of the stores for which tenders are invited are obtainable on payment of Re. 1 per set on application in writing. Samples and specifications of the articles can be inspected at the Factory. Interpretation of the clauses of the forms and such other information required will be furnished by the Superintendent on any working day of the Factory.

3. Tenders from recognised firms only will be considered. New tenderers should be prepared to quote references as to standing, financial position, etc., if called upon to do so. A deposit of earnest-money at 2 per cent on the value of stores tendered for must accompany all tenders in Bank of Bengal Receipt or Government Promissory Notes, the latter standing in the name of tenderer. Cash will not be accepted.

E. CARBURY, MAJOR, R.A., Superintendent.

Ammunition Factory Office, Dum-Dum, the 8th December 1916.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on or about the 16th day of July 1916 the treasure described below was found in a brass *bharini* (case) partly hidden in the zamindari path land of Puppala Narasimhulu in the village of Gollagudem, Bhadrachelam taluk, Godavari district, by one Chennamsetti Pichodu of the same village while grazing his cattle close by—

	Description.	Weight.		Estimated value.
		Tolas.	Chinnams.	Rs. A.
(1)	8 carat gold broken necklace, 2 pieces.	3	2	46 0
(2)	12 carat gold ear-ring with 7 gold balls.	1½	½	43 9
(3)	. . . . round piece having the shape of a sovereign.	½	½	15 6
(4)	Silver anklet	1½	0	1 6
	Total			105 5

All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector, Godavari, at his office at Cocanada on 30th April 1917 with a view to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Godavari Collector's Office, Cocanada, the 30th November 1916.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

A REWARD of Rs 300 is offered for the destruction of a rogue elephant which is doing a great deal of damage on the Rydak Tea Estate and the bustee near, pulling down houses, damaging crops.

The description of the animal is given below :—

A very big tusker, two tusks, the print of the forefeet is 18" across.

J. C. FRENCH,
Deputy Commissioner, Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri, the 6th December 1916.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers and Engine-drivers of Inland Steam Vessels, under Act VI of 1884, will be held at Goalundo, on Monday, the 8th January 1917.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Subdivisional Office, Goalundo, not later than five days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

H. MORLAND, Commander, R.I.M.,
Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 5th December 1916. (2684—1)

Destroyed Receipt.

A RECEIPT numbered 3662, dated 15th November 1916, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount. Rs.	Holder's name.
053387 } 056579 }	3½ per cent., 1900-01.	500 each	Dwarka Nath Majumdar.

Name of the Proprietor—Dwarka Nath Majumdar.
Residence—38-1, Machua Bazar Street Calcutta.

(2650—1—2637)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The General Provident Insurance Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the General Provident Insurance Company, Limited, has this day been struck off the Registrar, and that the Company is dissolved

W. STATHER HALE,
Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, dated the 5th December 1916.

Darjeeling Press Co., Limited, Darjeeling (In voluntary Liquidation).

AS required by section 209 (1) of the Indian Company's Act, 1913, notice is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the members of the above Company duly convened and held at the N. N. Hindu Public Hall, Darjeeling, on Thursday, the 2nd day of November 1916, the following Special Resolution was passed :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily"

and notice is hereby further given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting duly convened and held at the N. N. Hindu Public Hall on Thursday, the 16th day of November 1916, the said Special Resolution was confirmed and the following Resolution was passed :—

"That Babus Rajendra Nath De and Haran Chandra Bose be appointed Liquidators of the Company."

RAJENDRA NATH DE,
HARAN CHANDRA BOSE, } Liquidators.

Darjeeling Press Co., Limited, Darjeeling, the 17th November 1916. (2491—1—2646)

The United Bengal Provident Fund Limited.

NOTICE.

IT is hereby announced that the shareholders of the United Bengal Provident Fund Limited, situated at Victoria Road, Baranagore, in their last Extra ordinary General Meeting, resolved and handed over the Fund to the liquidators for adjustment of assets and liabilities. Babus Annada Charan Chakrabarty and Radha Kissore Dutt have been appointed liquidators.

A general meeting of the subscribers and debtors of the United Bengal Provident Fund Limited will be held at 3 P.M., on Sunday, the 17th December 1916, at the liquidators' office at Baranagore. Every one concerned in the assets or liabilities of the Fund is requested to attend.

ANNADA CHARAN CHAKRABARTY
RADHA KISSORE DUTT } Liquidators.

Victoria Road, Baranagore, the 30th November 1916. (2601—1—2638)

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office.	
* United Kingdom and allied countries, West Africa. Also South Africa†† (if superscribed on the cover *viâ* United Kingdom)	Friday ...	7-15 P.M.
N.B.—Money-orders for the United Kingdom, Europe and America, are accepted up to 4 P.M. on Thursday at any office, and parcels up to 12 noon on mail day at the G. P. O.		
Egypt, America and other countries	Wednesday	7-15 ,,
Ceylon	Daily ...	6-30 ,,
† Australia and New Zealand	Dec. 18	6-30 ,,
† Straits Settlements, Siam, Cochin China, Annam, Cambodia, Tonquin, China, Japan, etc., per SS. "Hopsang."	,, 19	7-30 ,,
† Straits Settlements Siam, Cochin China, Annam, Cambodia, Tonquin *viâ* Negapatam.	,, 18	7-30 ,,
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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 4th December 1916.*

JAPAN—KIUSIU, SOUTH COAST.

Osumi Islands, Maye Shima—Reef off.

No. 359 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1118 of 1916), are re-published :—

Position (approximate).—Off the southern end of Mage shima, at a distance of 13¼ cables, 178° (*S. 2° W. Mag.*), from the 225-foot summit.

Lat. 30° 43¼′ N., long. 130° 51′ E.

Depth.—4 fathoms, sand and rock.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1493, Plan of Mage shima.

" 1648, Osumi kaikyo to O shima, with inset.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 81.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 209 of 1916. (*H. 5716/16.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Kunfida Southern Approach—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 360 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1125 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ miles, north-westward, from Makasir.
Lat. 18° 58′ 30″ N., long. 41° 06′ 30″ E.

Depth.—2 fathoms.

Chart affected.—No. 8c, Red sea, sheet III.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, page 311.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5723/16.*)

RED SEA—EASTERN SHORE.

Jebel Sabaya—Shoal reported north-eastward of.

No. 361 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1126 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 6½ miles north-eastward from the northern extremity of Jebel Sabaya.
Lat. 18° 39′ 00″ N., long. 41° 10′ 00″ E., on chart No. 8c.

Details.—A depth of 3 fathoms was obtained in the above position, but the shoal has not been examined and less water may exist.

Note.—The position on the charts is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "*Shoal reported (1916).*"

Charts affected.—No. 8c, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 8d. Red sea, sheet IV.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea, &c. Pilot, 1909, page 345.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5789/16.*)

RED SEA, WESTERN SHORE.

North Massawa Channel—Existence of Shoals.

No. 362 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1133 of 1916), are republished :—

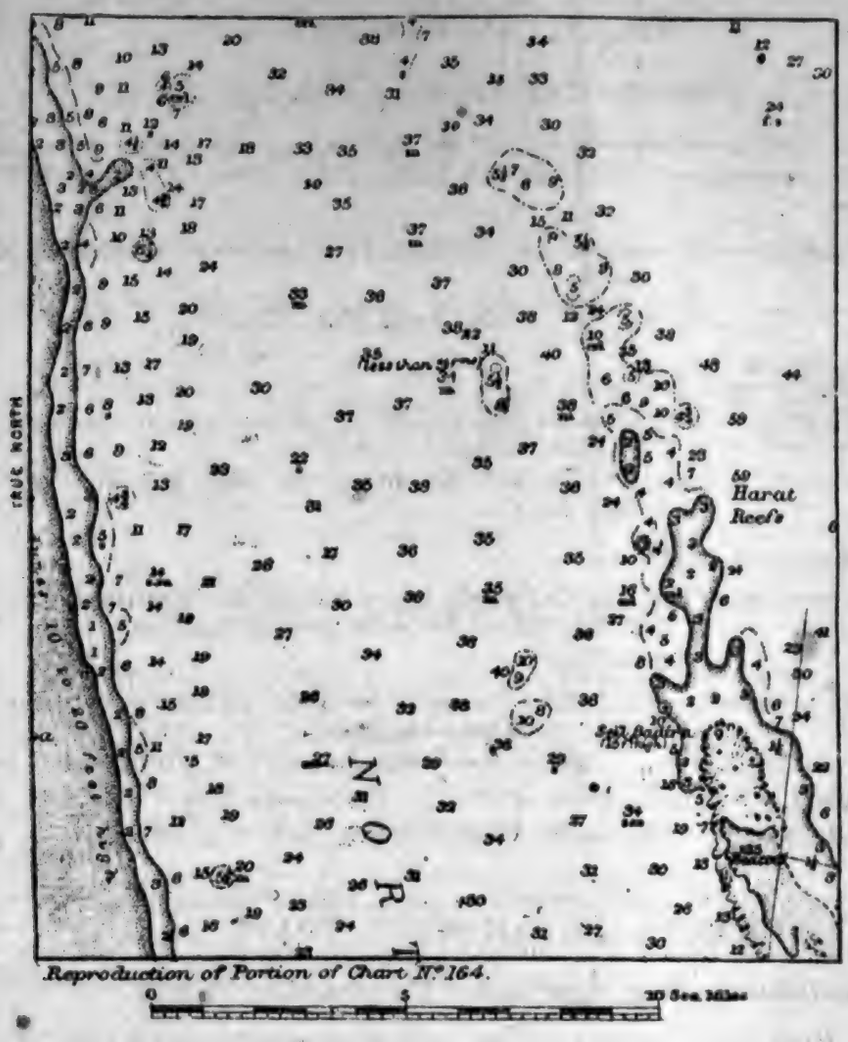
Position.—Harat reefs, lat. 16° 16′ N., long. 39° 25′ E.

Details.—The accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 164, 8d and 2523, show the existence of several shoals not hitherto charted, in North Massawa channel.

Charts affected.—No. 164, Massawa channel.
„ 8d, Red sea, sheet IV.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, pages 222, 223.

Authority.—Italian Government Chart. (*H. 5714/16.*)



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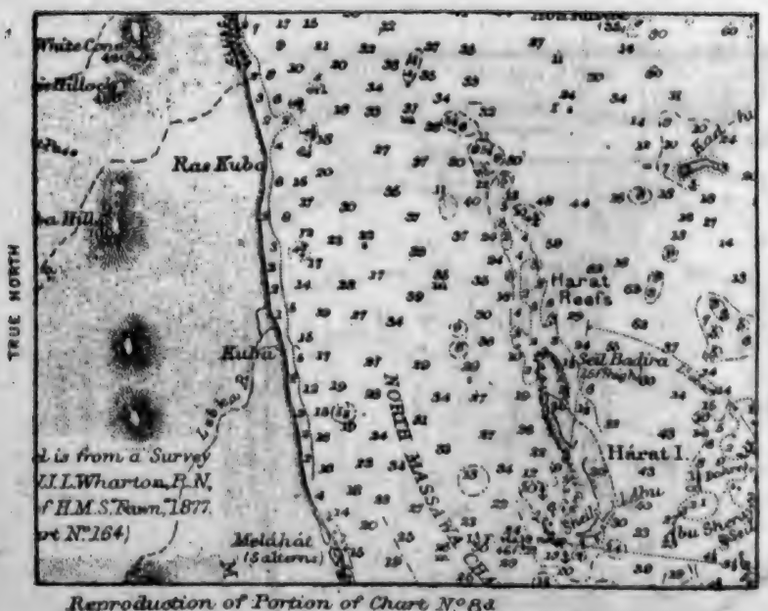

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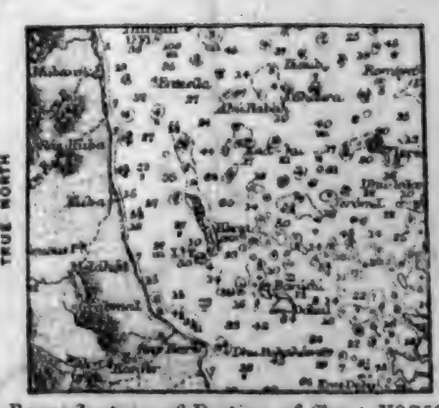


Reproduction of Portion of Chart N.° 2523.

0 30 Sea Miles

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

North Mafia Channel Approach—Shoals reported.

No. 363 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1135 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 2¼ miles westward from Vulture bank.
Lat. 7° 32′ 00″ S., long. 39° 42′ 38″ E., on chart No. 1032.

Depth.—4 fathoms.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 1¾ miles south-eastward from Vulture bank.
Lat. 7° 33′ 17″ S., long. 39° 46′ 20″ E., on chart No. 1032.

Depth.—9 fathoms.

Remarks.—The above shoals have not been examined, and a note to this effect is to be placed against them on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 1032, Channels between Kilwa point and North Mafia channel.
„ 669, Cape Delgado to Port Mombasa.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 363.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5588/16.*)

SUMATRA, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Mulaboh Bay Approach—Existence of Shoals.

No. 364 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1137 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Ujong Karveng, lat. 4° 07′ N., long. 96° 08′ E.
Details.—A recent survey in the vicinity of Mulaboh bay has revealed the existence of the shoals shown on the accompanying reproduction of the plan of Mulaboh on chart No. 2760.
Chart affected.—No. 2760, Plan of Mulaboh.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 323.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1325 of 1916. (*H. 5749/16*)

Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 2760.

COCHIN CHINA.

Castlereagh Bank and Cape Vert—Amendments to Charts with regard to Shoals.

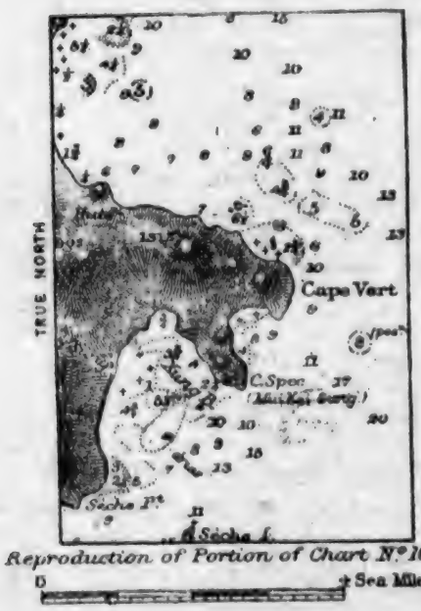
No. 365 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1138 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Castlereagh bank, lat. 12° 03′ N., long. 109° 15′ E.
Cape Vert, lat. 12° 24′ N., long. 109° 19½′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts with regard to shoals in the vicinity of Castlereagh bank and Cape Vert are shown on the accompanying reproduction of portions of charts Nos. 1008 and 1342.

Charts affected.—No. 1008, Kam-ranh bay to Vung-ro bay.
„ 1342, Fan-rang bay to Tong king gulf.
„ 2661*a*, China sea, northern portion, western sheet.
„ 2660*a*, China sea, southern portion, western sheet.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, pages 216, 222.
Authority.—French Government Chart. (*H. 5806/16.*)



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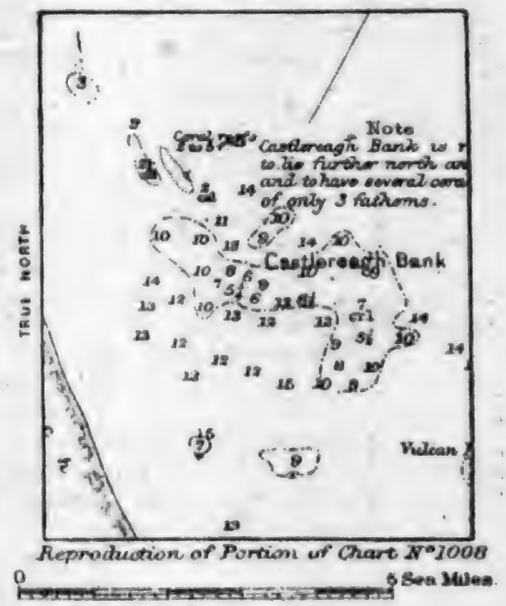

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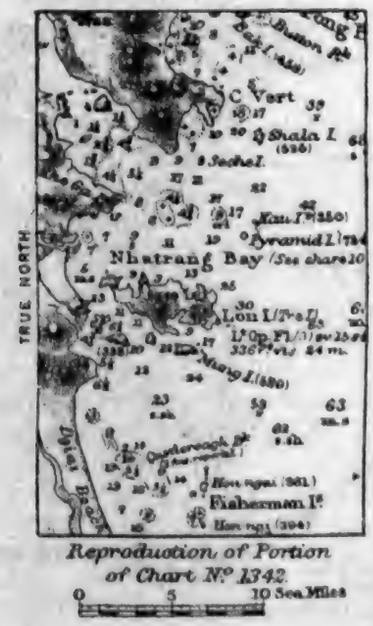

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INDIA, WEST COAST.

Buoys between Alibagh and Vengurla relaid

No. 366 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 175M. of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 87-M. of 1916. (This Office No. 195 of 1916.)

Details.—The following buoys which were withdrawn during the South-West monsoon were relaid in their respective positions on the dates noted against each :—

Alibagh Outer Reef Buoy	...	13th October 1916.
Ambolgarh Reef Buoy	...	15th „ „
Malvan, Rock Buoy	...	18th „ „
Malvan, Two Inner Harbour Buoys.		18th „ „
Malvan Fort (Harbour) buoy	...	26th „ „
Malvan, Johnston Castle Rock Buoy.		27th „ „
Malvan, Rajkot Fort Buoy	...	27th „ „
Vengurla, Bubra Rock Buoy	...	28th „ „
Vengurla, South Rock Buoy	...	31st „ „

Authority.—The Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, dated 13th November 1916.

BAY OF BENGAL.

CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced by buoy.

No. 367-I. (first publication).—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 28th December 1916 and replaced in March 1917.

A red conical buoy with staff and cage will mark the position during her absence.

Position.—Lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.
„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 630.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong. Notice dated 28th November 1916.

The 27th November 1916.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Cuyo West Pass—Amendments to Charts.

No. 352 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1106 of 1916), are republished :—

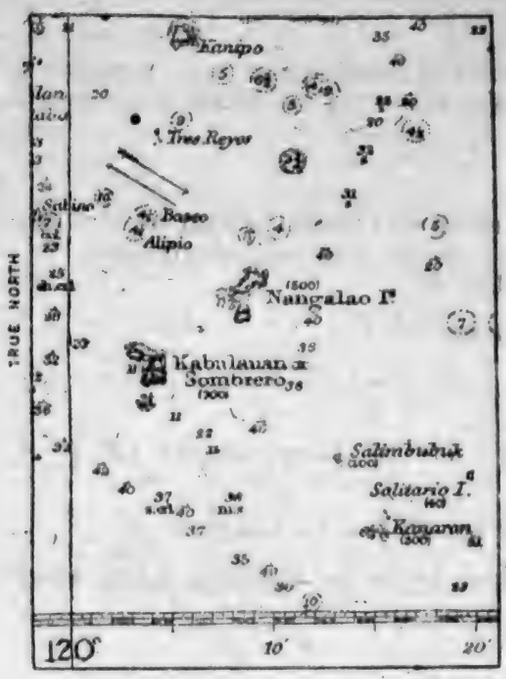
Position.—Salimbubuk island, lat. 11° 19¼′ N., long. 120° 13¼′ E.

Details.—The existence of several shoals, and amendments to the charts with regard to existing shoals south-eastward of Kalamion (Kulion) island, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 2577, 967, 943 and 2661*b*.

Remarks.—The small islet shown on the charts about 3 miles westward from Salimbubuk island, and the reef extending northward from Nangalao island, do not exist and have therefore been omitted from the reproductions.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine islands, between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 967, Palawan island.
„ 943, Moluccа passage to Manila.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion, eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 61.
Authority.—U.S.A. Government Chart. (*H. 5425/16.*)



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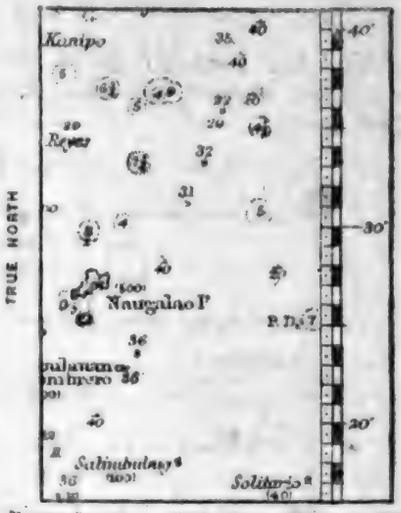

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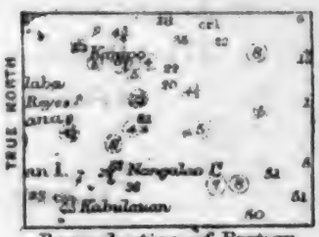

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PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Tunghi Bay—Amended Buoyage and Depths.

No. 353 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1107 of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 341 of 1916. (*This office No. 149 of 1916.*)
Position.—Tunghi bay entrance, lat. 10° 44′ S., long. 40° 39′ E.
Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 658 shows amended buoyage and depths in Tunghi bay.
Chart affected.—No. 658, Rás Pekawi to Cape Delgado.
Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 314, 315.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department (*H. 5586/16.*)

Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 658

0 5 Sea Miles

AFRICA—EAST COAST.

Tanga Bay and Approaches—New Light established; Alterations in Buoyage.

No. 354 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1111 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) New light established :

Position.—On the north-eastern extreme of Ulenge island on the site of the former lighthouse which has been destroyed.
Lat. 5° 00½′ S., long. 39° 10¼′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *vis. 11 m.*

Details :

Character.—A *fixed white* light.

Visibility.—11 miles ; from 270° (*N. 85° W. Mag.*) to 360° (*N. 5° E. Mag.*).

Structure.—An iron tripod, boarded in, 43 feet in height.

Note.—The sketch of Ulenge lighthouse is to be deleted from chart No. 663.

(*b*) Alterations in buoyage :

(1) Alteration in description of buoy :

Position.—At a distance of about 2 cables, north-eastward, from the northern end of Nuile reef.
Lat. 5° 03¾′ S., long. 39° 12½′ E.

Details.—"I. Tanga" buoy has been replaced by a black conical buoy with square topmark.

(2) Buoys disappeared :

Details.—With the foregoing exception, all the buoys outside Tanga island anchorage, shown on chart No. 663, have disappeared and are to be expunged from the chart.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 663, Mansa and Tanga bays, with plan of Tanga island anchorage and view B.
„ 1390, Chale point to Pangani.
„ 664, Zanzibar to Malindi.
„ 669, Cape Delgado to Port Mombasa.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 124.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 450, 451.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5587/16.*)

BORNEO, EAST COAST.

Balik Papan Bay and Mahakan River Entrance—Tidal Signals from Light-Vessels discontinued.

No. 355 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1114 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) Balik Papan pilot and light-vessel :
Position.—Lat. 1° 19′ S., long. 116° 57′ E.

(*b*) Muara Jawa pilot and light-vessel :
Position.—Lat. 1° 00½′ S., long. 117° 12′ E.

(*c*) Muara Bayor pilot and light-vessel :
Position.—Lat. 0° 38¼′ S., long. 117° 41′ E.

Details.—The tidal signals formerly made from the above light-vessels have been discontinued.

Charts affected.—No. 2636, Strait of Makassar (*a*).
„ 2637, South part of Strait of Makassar (*a*).
„ 2662, Plan of River Mahakan (*b*), (*c*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1064.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot. Part II, 1913, pages 364, 367, 369.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1309 of 1916. (*H. 5761/16.*)

SUMATRA, EAST COAST.

Aru Bay and Palembang River—Tidal Signals from Light-Vessels discontinued.

No. 356 (second publication).—The following particulars etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1115 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) Aroe Baai pilot and light-vessel :

Position.—In the approach to Sembilang channel.
Lat. 4° 11′ N., long. 98° 22½′ E.

(*b*) Palembang pilot and light-vessel :

Position.—At the entrance to Palembang river.
Lat. 2° 12′ S., long. 104° 57′ E.

Details.—The tidal signals formerly made from the above light-vessels have been discontinued.

Charts affected.—No. 3586, Aru bay (*a*).
„ 3471, Banka strait (*b*).
„ 2757, Banka strait to Singapore (*b*).
„ 2597, Banka strait (*b*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, Nos. 716, 975.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 92, 93.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 120.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1309 of 1916. (*H. 5761/16.*)

PERSIAN GULF.

Farsi Arabi and Herkuz islands—Beacons erected.

No. 357 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 174M. of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Farsi Island.

Position.—Lat. 27° 59½′ N. long. 50° 10½′ E.

Details.—A wooden mast, 30 feet high, surmounted by a circular iron top-mark in two vertical planes, 9 feet in diameter, at the summit of the southern part of the island.

(2) Arabi Island.

Position.—Lat 27° 46½′ N. long. 50° 11′ E.

Details.—A wooden mast, 30 feet high, surmounted by an iron four-pointed star in two vertical planes, 9 feet in diameter, at the summit of the south-east extremity of the island.

Remarks.—This island is higher than as noted on the chart, the actual height being about 10 feet due probably to the successive layers of guano, and has a cairn of loose stones about 6 feet high at its northern end.

(3) Herkuz Island.

Position.—Lat. 27° 56′ N. long. 49° 41½′ E.
Details.—A wooden mast 30 feet high, surmounted by a circular iron top-mark in two vertical planes, 9 feet in diameter, at the summit in the centre of the island.
Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.
Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, pages 142 and 143.
Authority.—The Officer Commanding, R. I. M. S. "Nearchus" dated 22nd October 1916.

CHINA SEA—GULF OF PECHILI, ENTRANCE TO THE HAIHO.

Fort light discontinued.

No. 358 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 629 of 1916) that the Fort Light at the Entrance to the Haiho, Gulf of Pechili, has been discontinued.

The 20th November 1916.

JAVA, NORTH COAST—BATAVIA APPROACH, INNER CHANNEL.

Middelburg Island—Buoys established westward of.

No. 346 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1062 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On the northern side of Ketapang reef.
Lat. 5° 58′ 42″ S., long. 106° 40′ 35″ E.

Description.—A white conical buoy with ball topmark.

Remarks.—The black can buoy with a truncated cone topmark, formerly marking the south-eastern side of Ketapang reef, has been withdrawn.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about a quarter of a mile north-eastward from the white conical buoy with ball topmark, referred to above.
Lat. 5° 58′ 28″ S., long. 106° 40′ 43″ E.

Description.—A black can buoy with truncated cone topmark.

Note.—The positions given above are those of chart No. 933.

Charts affected.—No. 933, Batavia roads.
„ 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.
„ 1653, Island of Java, western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1912, page 81.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1224 of 1916. (*H. 5392/16.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Kwale Bay Entrance—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 347 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1066 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Kwale bay entrance, lat. 5° 00¼′ S., long. 39° 10½′ E.

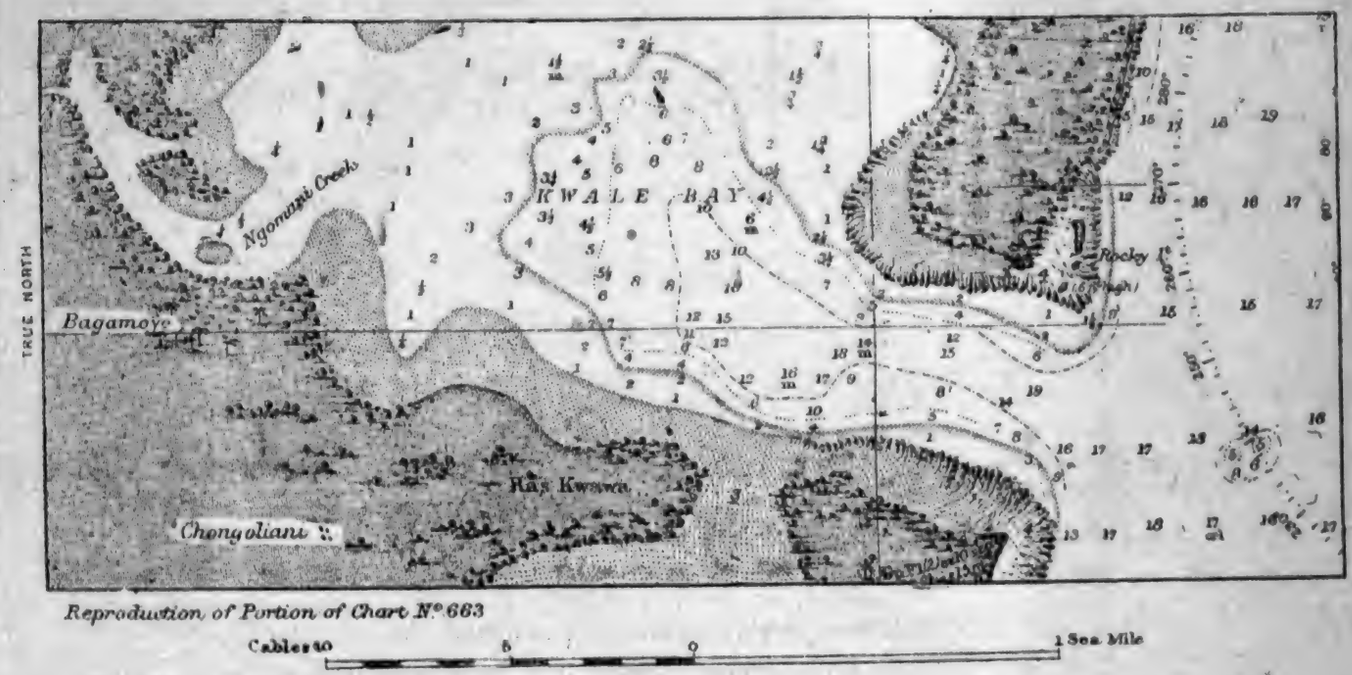
Details.—The position and description of a recently discovered shoal off the entrance to Kwale bay is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 663.

Remarks.—It will be observed that the name of the village hitherto marked "Chongoliani" on the charts is "Bagamoyo"; the correct position of the first named village is shown on the reproduction.

Charts affected.—No. 663, Mansa and Tanga bays.
„ 1390, Chale point to Pangani.
„ 664, Zanzibar to Malindi.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 454.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5057/16.*)



CHINA, EAST COAST—SADDLE GROUP.

North Saddle Island Light—Replaced by Temporary Light.

No. 348 (third publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1071 of 1916), are republished:—

Position.—Lat. 30° 51¾′ N., long. 122° 40¾′ E.

Details.—The revolving white light has been discontinued whilst a new permanent light is being installed during which period a temporary light of the undermentioned description is being exhibited from the gallery on the northern side of the existing tower:—

A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse.
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

Note.—Further Notice will be given when the new permanent light has been established.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 1124, Southern approach to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1199, Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu, and Shikoku, &c.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki

„ 2459, North-west Pacific ocean, &c.

„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liautung.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1916, No. 1582.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 349.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice No. 467 of 2nd August 1916. (*H. 5664/16.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Surabaya Strait, Panka Point—Extension of Bank northward of.

No. 349 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1075 of 1916), are republished :—

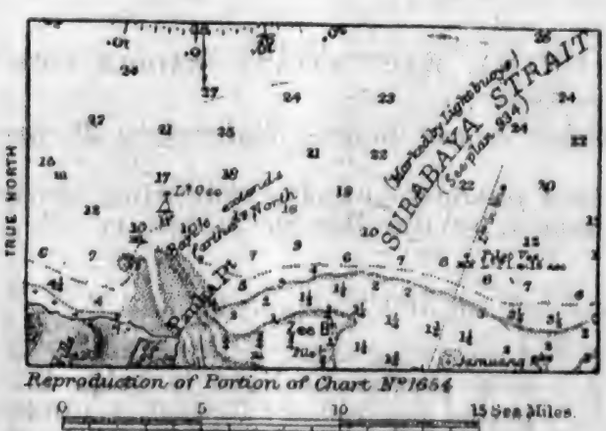
Position.—Panka point, lat. 6° 54½′ S., long. 112° 34½′ E.

Details.—A note "*Bank extends further to the Nd. (1916)*" is to be inserted on chart No. 934, and the necessary correction to chart No. 1654 is shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of that chart.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Surabaya and Sapudi straits, &c.
„ 1654, Island of Java—eastern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 131.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 1227 of 1916. (*H. 5395/16.*)



INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Bombay Floating light-vessel—Temporarily replaced by another light-vessel.

No. 350 (third publication).—

The Port Officer, Bombay, has given Notice dated 20th November 1916 that from about 6th to about 22nd December 1916 the Unattended Bombay

Floating Light-vessel will be withdrawn from her station and replaced by a Light-vessel painted red and having three masts

By day.—She will carry a red ball at the main mast head.

By night.—She will exhibit a white light revolving once in every 20 seconds at a height 36 feet above the water line, visible all round the horizon at a distance in clear weather of 10 miles.

INDIA, EAST COAST—BAY OF BENGAL

Madras harbour, North arm light washed away.

No. 351 (third publication),—

Subject.—The light on the northern extremity of the breakwater, Madras harbour, has been washed away.

Position.—Lat. 13° 6′ N., long. 80° 18′ E.

Character.—Alternating occulting white and red light every 15 seconds.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Order.—4th.

Structure—Stone and cement column, 26 feet in height

Charts affected.—No. 575, Madras to Ramapatnam with plan.
„ 71, Madras to Calimere Point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 562.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 218; Revised Supplement, 1916.

Authority.—Presidency Port Officer, Madras, telegram dated 23rd November 1916.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

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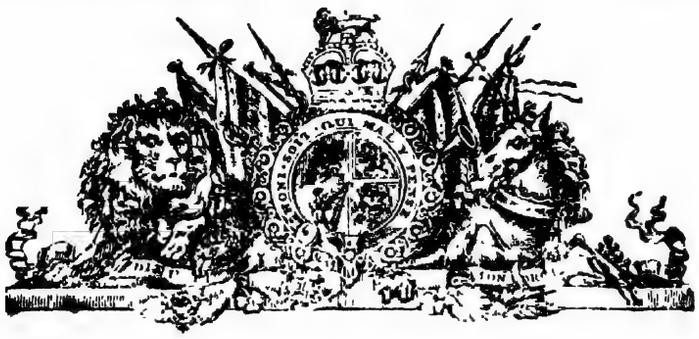

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REDUCTION OF RATES FOR THE SUPPLY OF ELECTRIC CURRENT IN CALCUTTA.

No. 1120M.P.I.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Dated Calcutta, the 12th December 1916.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

Report submitted by the Committee appointed to advise Government on the question of the charges at present levied by the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation, Limited, for electric current supplied in Calcutta.

IN a press communiqué, dated the 7th June 1916, the Government of Bengal announced the appointment of a Committee to enquire into the

question of the charges at present levied by the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation, Limited, for electric current supplied in Calcutta, and to advise Government on the matter. The report of the Committee is now before Government.

2. The Governor in Council desires to accord his appreciation of the careful and detailed manner in which the Committee have conducted their investigation. He has read with interest the comparative tables prepared by the Committee. At the same time he recognises, as do the members of the Committee, the difficulty of comparing municipal undertakings with company undertakings ; and the equal difficulty of comparing undertakings in one part of the world with undertakings in another. The main facts, as set forth by the Committee, are reproduced in the following paragraphs.

3. On the 7th January 1897, a license was granted to Messrs. Kilburn and Company as agents for a preliminary Company called the Indian Electric Supply Company, Limited, registered in London with a capital of £1,000. In February 1897, the name of the Company was changed to that of the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation, Limited (its present name), with an increased capital of £1,00,000, which, on 11th May 1900, was increased to £2,00,000. On the 18th July 1902, a further increase to £5,00,000 was sanctioned, which again was increased to £10,00,000 on the 19th July 1907. The capital of the Company stands today at this figure, although powers were taken in 1914 for an increase to £15,000,000. The present subscribed capital is divided into 100,000 five per cent. preference shares of £5 each and 100,000 ordinary shares of £5 each.

In 1897 a contract was entered into with Messrs. Crompton and Company, Limited, and a plant of 1,000 kilowatts capacity was erected and necessary mains laid out at a cost of £65,000, which figure included the actual expenses of obtaining the license amounting to £3,000. The supply of current increased from 412,950 units in 1900 to 21,081,928 in 1915, necessitating a capital outlay of £1,380,827 to the 31st December 1915. Owing to the steady increase in the demand several sub-stations were erected to cope with the situation. In 1909-10 it was decided by the Company to erect a central station with the most up-to-date generating plant, and this was completed in 1909-11. As much of the old plant as was found suitable was used in the erection of the new station, but it has been found impossible to utilize a certain amount of the machinery, plant, etc., which cost originally £1,04,709. Against this sum the Company have applied £48,143 out of the amounts set aside for depreciation in the three years ending 31st December 1915, leaving £56,566 for which provision still requires to be made.

A sum of £2,29,443 now stands at credit of the Depreciation and Renewals account, and a Reserve fund of £126,703 appears in the Company's balance-sheet at 31st December 1915. This Reserve fund was started with a sum of £90,000 realized from premiums upon the issue of shares, the balance being taken from revenue.

During the period 1911-15, *i.e.*, after the introduction of the new plant, the annual profits rose from £95,597 to £162,922. Those figures represent the profits before providing for interest, depreciation and reserve. The figure for 1915 is equivalent to 11·79 per cent. on the capital expenditure.

4. Turning to the question of rates the maximum statutory rates as now sanctioned by Government are 8 annas per unit for lighting and 4 annas for fans, while the rates nominally charged by the Company are 7 annas for lighting and 4 annas for fans. With rebates for prompt payment, the cash rates are, however, lower, namely, 5 annas for lighting and 3 annas for fans, with further reductions in the case of large-consumers. The meter rent was reduced from Re. 1 to 8 annas in 1915.

5. The Committee, after considering the case in all its bearings, has recorded the following opinion :—

"We cannot but come to the conclusion that there is a sufficient margin to admit of a further reduction in the cash price per unit for lighting. There has been a reduction of one anna since the agitation for lower rates commenced in 1914. This reduction was, we think, unduly delayed, and it would have been more fitting if the additional profits had been utilized in working out the loss on the old plant rather than increasing the dividend of the share-holders."

With this expression of opinion the Governor in Council fully concurs. He is satisfied that the figures in connection with the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation are sufficient in themselves, without comparative considerations, to justify the conclusion that the time has come for a further and substantial reduction in rates. The Governor in Council has carefully considered the question as to whether he should now exercise his statutory powers with a view to secure this reduction. There is a strong *primâ facie* case for such action on his part. On the other hand, it cannot be denied that, owing to abnormal conditions arising from the war, there are special difficulties at the present moment in the fixation of rates by an outside authority. Moreover, the Governor in Council recognises that in the past the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation have on occasion shown themselves prepared to grant concessions. On the whole, therefore, he prefers to give them an opportunity of taking action on their own motion.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

By order of the Governor in Council,

H. H. GREEN.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Third Forecast of the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1916-17.

(Note.—On the average of the five years ending 1914-15, the area under the cotton crops in Bengal represent some 0·2 per cent. of the total area under cotton in India).

Character of the Season.—The early crop is chiefly grown in the Chittagong Hill Tracts and in the State of Hill Tippera and to a small extent in the districts of Bankura, Midnapore and Mymensingh. The late crop is grown only in Bankura and Midnapore. The general condition of the early crop is reported to have been unsatisfactory in the Chittagong Hill Tracts, Hill Tippera and Midnapore owing to excessive rainfall and flood in September and October, but they were generally fair in Bankura and Mymensingh. The condition of the late crop is generally reported to be fair on the whole.

Area Sown.—The total area sown with the early crop is estimated at 70,806 acres as against 85,698 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year. The area sown with late cotton is reported to be 2,100 acres against the same estimate of last year.

Outturn.—The estimated outturn of the early cotton works out to 20,124 bales as against 28,567 bales reported in the corresponding forecast of last year. The outturn of the late cotton is estimated at 1,068 bales as against 1,173 bales of last year.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA,
The 8th December 1916.

Third Forecast of the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1916-17.

	DISTRICT.	AREA (IN ACRES)— Of current year's crop (1916-17).	Of previous year's crop (1915-16).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or is less than (-) area in— Column 4.		YIELD (IN BALES OF 400 LBS. EACH)— Of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (-) area in— Column 8.		Date at which the harvesting of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District officers.
1		2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9		10	11	12	13
				5 yrs.	10 yrs.		5 yrs. 10 yrs.			5 yrs.	10 yrs.		5 yrs. 10 yrs.		
BENGAL-SIBPUR.	Bankura—														
	Early ...	300†	300†	537	428	...	-44 -30	135	157	279	220	-14	-52 -39	20th October.	The general condition of the crops has been fair. The date of harvesting in case of early variety was normal.
	Late ...	1,400†	1,400†	1,400	1,460	...	... -4	1,015	1,120	1,120	1,168	-9	-9 -13	Not yet commenced.	
	Midnapore—														
	Early ...	1,500†	1,500†	1,580	1,640	...	-5 -9	90	90	158	122	...	-43 -33	November	The rainfall at sowing season was insufficient. The general condition of the crops has been unsatisfactory. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Late ...	700	700	560	767	...	+25 -9	53	53	39	104	...	+36 -49	Not yet commenced.	
	Mymensingh—														
	Early ...	17†	17†	...	...	...	... ...	25	25	...	...	...	... ...	November and December.	The weather has been generally favourable and the condition of the crop is fair. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...		
COMILLAS.	Chittagong Hill Tracts—														
	Early ...	51,000	63,000	40,500	34,743	-19	+26 +47	16,575	23,625	17,664	12,715	-30	-6 +30	Middle of November.	The general condition of the crop has not been favourable on account of heavy flood in September last. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...		
	Hill Tippera—														
	Early ...	17,989	20,881	26,258	24,968*	-14	-31 -28	3,239	4,610	5,022	4 534*	-20	-34 -27	Middle of October to middle of November.	The excess in rainfall in the months of September and October damaged the crop to a great extent.
	Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...		
	Total—														
	Early ...	70,806	85,698	68,875	61,799	-17	+3 +15	20,124	28,567	23,123	17,601	-30	-13 +14		
	Late ...	2,100	2,100	1,960	2,227	...	+7 -6	1,068	1,173	1,159	1,272	-9	-8 -16		

* Average of nine preceding years only.
† Conventional area.

MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR NOVEMBER 1916.

I. *Character of the Season.*—During the month under review the rainfall was in excess of the normal throughout the Province except in the districts of Jessore, Jalpaiguri, Darjeeling, Dacca, Faridpur, Tippera and Cooch Behar where the fall was in defect of the normal. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—The weeding of winter rice was completed during the first week of the month. The steeping and washing of jute were finished. The harvesting of winter rice was commenced. The preparation of lands for *rabi* crops and sowings thereof were progressing briskly.

III. *State of standing crops.*—The state of standing crops was generally reported to be satisfactory except in certain lowlying tracts of the Province.

IV. *Prospects and probable outturn.*—The prospects of winter rice were reported to be on the whole good and a satisfactory outturn was expected.

V. *Damage to standing crops.*—Slight damage to standing crops was reported to have been caused by the heavy rainfall accompanied by stormy winds in some western districts in the first part of the month.

VI. *Condition of Agricultural stocks.*—Agricultural stocks were reported to be in fair condition. Cattle disease was reported from parts of the 24-Parganas, Jessore, Khulna, Burdwan, Midnapore, Darjeeling, Cooch Behar, Faridpur, Tippera and the Chittagong Hill Tracts.

VII. *Failure of pasturage and Fodder.*—Insufficiency of fodder was reported from parts of Jessore, Khulna, Dinajpur, Faridpur, Tippera and Noakhali.

VIII. *Prices of food-grains.*—During the second fortnight of the month under review the price of common rice rose in one district, fell in fourteen, and remained stationary in the rest. It varied from 7 seers per rupee at Rangpur to 10 seers 8 chittacks at Birbhum.

IX. *Condition of the agricultural people.*—The condition of the agricultural population throughout the Province grew better with the influx of new rice into the market. The condition of the affected districts improved greatly.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA:
The 11th December 1916.

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during November 1916.

Division	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of November.	Actual district rainfall for the month of November 1916	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	0·73	1·51	+ 0·78
	Calcutta ...	0·53	1·07	+ 0·54
	Nadia ...	0·76	2·97	+ 2·21
	Murshidabad ...	0·44	2·61	+ 2·17
	Jessore ...	0·81	0·29	- 0·52
	Khulna ...	0·75	0·80	+ 0·05
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	0·58	4·36	+ 3·78
	Birbhum ...	0·39	1·50	+ 1·11
	Bankura ...	0·46	3·72	+ 3·26
	Midnapore ...	0·70	4·21	+ 3·51
	Hooghly ...	0·55	1·24	+ 0·69
	Howrah ...	0·50	0·79	+ 0·29
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	0·36	2·81	+ 2·45
	Dinajpur ...	0·13	0·25	+ 0·12
	Jalpaiguri ...	0·32	0·26	- 0·06
	Darjeeling ...	0·33	0·01	- 0·32
	Rangpur ...	0·19	0·63	+ 0·44
	Bogra ...	0·48	2·20	+ 1·72
	Pabna ...	0·53	2·66	+ 2·13
	Malda ...	0·21	0·49	+ 0·28
Dacca ...	Dacca ...	0·94	0·65	- 0·29
	Mymensingh ...	0·52	3·33	+ 2·81
	Faridpur ...	0·98	0·56	- 0·42
	Bakarganj ...	1·07	2·47	+ 1·40
Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	1·89	2·42	+ 0·53
	Tippera ...	1·12	0·85	- 0 27
	Noakhali ...	1·77	2·68	+ 0 91
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	1·66	1·45	- 0 21
	Cooch Behar ...	0·10	0·10	0

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 9th December 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
1. Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5 8 0	5 12 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ medium ...	6 0 0	6 2 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5 2 0	5 12 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ medium ...	5 14 0	6 4 0	0 2 4½	0 2 9
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5 0 0	5 14 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ medium ...	6 1 0	6 8 0	0 2 3	0 2 9
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	6 2 0	6 4 0	0 2 3	0 2 9
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	4 5 0	5 5 0	0 2 0	0 2 3
(vi) Kajla	3 10 0	4 12 0	.....	.....
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	5 6 0	5 8 0	.....	.....
„ Gangajali ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ Jamali ...	5 4 0	5 5 0	.....	.....
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) .	3 14 0	4 4 0	0 1 9	0 2 3
4. „ dal	4 10 0	5 4 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5 8 0	6 12 0	0 2 6	0 4 0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5 4 0	5 8 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
6. Arhar „	4 0 0	6 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 9
7. Masur „ (split) ...	5 12 0	6 8 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ „ (khanri) ...	6 0 0	8 4 0	0 2 9	0 4 0
8. Kalai „	5 4 0	6 4 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
9. Salt	3 3 0	3 5 0	0 1 4½	0 1 9
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13 7 0	13 9 0	0 5 6	0 7 0
11. Gur (Bheli)	5 8 0	7 6 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
„ (Bhursut) ...	6 8 0	9 0 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
12. Milk	9 0 0	10 0 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
13. Mustard oil	14 8 0	15 12 0	0 6 0	0 8 0
14. Flour (country) ...	6 8 0	7 8 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
15. Ata No. 3	5 0 0	5 8 0	0 2 3	0 3 6
„ „ 2½	5 10 0	.....		
„ „ B	7 6 0	7 12 0		
16. Suji	6 12 0	8 0 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	61 0 0	62 0 0	1 8 0	1 12 0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	59 0 0	60 8 0	1 6 0	1 8 0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	55 0 0	57 0 0	1 4 0	1 6 0
18. Maize	2 4 0	2 12 0	.....	.....
19. Potato	6 12 0	8 0 0	0 2 6	0 4 0
20. Patal	10 0 0	11 8 0	.....	.....
21. Brinjal	3 0 0	5 0 0	0 2 0	0 4 0
22. Onion	4 8 0	6 4 0	0 1 6	0 3 0
23. Fish, Rahu	15 0 0	18 0 0	0 5 0	0 8 0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 10 0
25. Beef (2nd & 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 4 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices recorded daily at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 11th December 1916.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 11th December 1916

Summary.—No rain fell during the week under report except some slight showers in parts of the Darjeeling district. Reaping of winter paddy is in full swing. Sowing of spring crops is fast approaching completion. Sugarcane and other standing crops are doing well. Fodder is insufficient in the flood affected parts of Dacca and Tippera. Cattle-disease is reported from three districts only. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by 1·14 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	$8\frac{9}{16}$	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops continue. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Magrahat. Rangoon and Singapur rice continues to be imported into Basirhat subdivision. Rangoon rice is also imported from Calcutta into Barasat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	$8\frac{1}{8}$	$8\frac{1}{8}$	
	Barrackpore	Nil	7	7	
	Barasat ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{4}$	$7\frac{1}{4}$	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of *aman* paddy are going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	8	8	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	$6\frac{1}{4}$	$6\frac{1}{4}$	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	$9\frac{1}{4}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. The prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	9	8	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	9	11	
	Kandi ...	Nil	10	10	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. *Rabi* crops are still being sown in places. Some damage has been done to mustard and *mung* by insect-pests in the Bangaon subdivision.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	8	8	
	Magura ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Narail ...	Nil	9	$8\frac{1}{2}$	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	$8\frac{27}{64}$	(*n*)	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	6	(*n*)	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	7	7	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of potatoes and other *rabi* crops are going on. Standing crops are doing well. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	9	8½	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	11½	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. A sum of Rs. 7,089 has been given as agricultural loans.
	Rampurhat	Nil	10½	8½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	10½	10¼	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is good. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	10	10	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	8⅜	8⅛	Weather seasonable. Prospect of sugarcane is fairly good. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8⅜	8 3/16	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Contai ...	0·02	9½	9½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7½	6½	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	6½	7½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is good. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Ulubaria ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	(*n*)	8½	
	Nator ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops continue. Water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	8½	8½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	10 7/16	9 3/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·01	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is in progress. *Marua* and cardamom are being harvested.
	Kurseong ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong...	0·33	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	Nil	(*n*)	8	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7¾	(*n*)	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	9¼	9	Weather seasonable. Reaping of winter rice, preparation of lands for *rabi* crops and sowings of pulses continue. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	7½	6⅞	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice and sowing of *rabi* crops are in progress. Condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	7½	7⅞	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues; prospects are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is finished Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress. State and prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder is sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	8¼ 8¼†	8⅛ 8⅛†	Weather is favourable to the growth of winter crops. Prospects and outturn of winter rice are good. Fodder is dear at Nawabganj. Water is available. No cattle-disease. Prices of food-grains are generally high.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Narayanganj	Nil	8⅛ 8⅛†	(*n*) 8⅛†	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	8	8	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	6⅞	6⅞	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice are in progress; prospects are good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	
	Tangail ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	6⅝	6⅝	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	6½	6½	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here

† Rangoon rice.

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEER PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8	8	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Gopalganj‡	Nil	9	9	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient. Prospects of winter rice are fair.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7	7	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	8	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Outturn is expected to be good. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	9	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good excepting in flooded areas. Harvesting of broadcasted winter paddy is nearing completion. Stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Fodder is sufficient except in thana Kotwali. Cattle-disease is reported from some parts of the Chandpur subdivision.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8½	8½	
	Chandpur ..	Nil	9	9	
27	NOAKHALI ..	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ...	Nil	10 5/6	10½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	7	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy have begun. Prospects and outturn of standing crops are poor. Rangoon rice is being imported. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati. Fodder and water are sufficient.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

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CALCUTTA, *the 12th December 1916.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1916.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	1	Chetla Hât ...	6 8	6 8	6 4	8 0	8 0	6 12	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	11 8	11 8	16 0†
	2	Magra Hât ..	8 14	7 10	8 14	9 6	8 0	9 2	6 11	6 11	6 2	6 11	6 3	5 11	12 13	13 14	15 8
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata	5 14	5 14	5 5	8 12	8 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 1	7 1	6 0	11 0	11 0	16 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Goarl	6 12	6 11	5 14	8 8	7 12	7 4	5 8	5 5	5 5	8 0	6 6	5 5	11 4	13 0	16 0†
	5	Ranaghat	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 8	10 8	14 0
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur	9 0	7 4	7 4	9 4	7 8	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	9 0	9 0	6 12	11 0	14 0	16 0†
	7	Kandi	8 0	8 4	8 2	10 0	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	6 4	10 8	13 0	16 0
	8	Jangipur ...	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 4	7 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	6 8	13 0	15 0	17 8
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 2	9 0	8 8	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	10 0	12 0	12 0	15 8
	10	Bangaon	7 12	7 1	6 10	8 14	7 10	7 9	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 6	6 6	6 6	13 0	12 13	14 4
		Khulna															
	11	Sadar	8 0	7 0	7 8	9 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 0	5 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	10 8	10 8	13 0
	12	Bagerhat	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 6	10 0	10 0	13 0
		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	8 0	7 8	6 8	10 0	9 8	7 0	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	13 0	13 4	19 0
	14	Kalna	7 6	7 4	6 12	7 12	7 10	6 15	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 4	5 4	5 4	13 0	12 0	16 0†
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	10 0	8 0	7 0	10 8	8 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	6 0	11 0	12 12	15 0
	16	Rampur Hât ...	8 0	8 0	6 12	10 8	8 8	8 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	7 0	6 8	5 8	14 0	14 0	17 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	9 0	9 0	7 0	10 8	10 0	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	11 8	11 12	14 0
	18	Vishnupur	7 8	7 8	6 8	10 0	9 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 8	12 8	14 0
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	8 1	7 11	7 9	8 11	8 6	8 4	6 0	6 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	5 4	10 0	10 8	15 0
	20	Contai ...	9 0	8 8	11 0	8 11	9 8	12 0	6 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	10 0	11 0	16 8
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar ...	7 0	7 0	5 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 4	7 8	7 8	5 8	13 0	12 8	14 0†
	22	Arambagh ..	8 0	7 12	6 10	8 8	8 0	6 15	5 0	5 12	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 0	13 0	16 0
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar ...	7 0	7 0	6 4	8 0	8 0	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	13 0	13 0	16 0
	24	Uluberia ..	7 8	7 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 12	13 4	13 4	16 0

† Karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1916—contd.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts	Common Rice — Average. Present return.	Common Rice — Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice — Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice — Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Oanjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Oanjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Oanjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		Rajshahi.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 2	7 2	6 9	7 14	7 5	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	5 4	9 12	9 12	12 0
	26	Nator	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 8	7 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 2	9 0	9 0	12 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	9 0	8 11	6 10	9 10	9 5	7 3	6 0	5 11	6 0	6 10	6 10	6 10	11 0	12 0	14 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar	8 0	8 0	6 0	9 8	10 0	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	11 0	11 0	13 0
		Darjeeling.															
	29	Sadar ..	5 8	6 0	5 8	7 8	7 4	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	4 12	5 0	8 0	8 0	10 8
	30	Siliguri .	6 8	6 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	...	5 8	6 0	5 8	10 0	10 0	12 0
		Rangpur															
	31	Sadar ..	6 12	6 12	5 12	7 0	7 0	7 14	5 4	5 4	6 8	5 4	5 4	6 12	9 8	9 8	13 0
	32	Nilphamari ...	8 0	6 0	6 0	9 8	8 0	6 8	6 8	5 11	4 8	6 12	6 15	4 8	11 0	...	13 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar	8 4	8 0	6 0	10 8	8 4	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 8	12 0	12 0	15 0
		Pabna															
	34	Sadar	6 14	7 6	6 0	8 4	8 4	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 8	8 8	9 12	12 0
	35	Sirajganj ...	7 6	7 4	5 0	7 14	7 12	5 8	6 8	6 8	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	13 0
		Malda															
	36	Sadar	8 0	8 0	6 8	9 0	9 0	7 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	...	7 8	5 8	9 0	10 8	13 0
	37	Gaila—Nawabganj	9 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	6 0	10 8	11 0	15 0
		Dacca.															
Dacca.	38	Sadar	8 0	7 8	6 0	9 8	8 8	6 12	5 4	5 4	5 10	6 4	6 4	5 4	10 8	12 0	13 0
	39	Munshi Hat ..	7 12	7 0	6 0	...	7 0	6 0	...	..	...	6 4	6 4	5 6	10 0	10 0	13 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad ...	6 14	6 12	6 0	7 2	6 15	6 2	5 0	5 0	6 4	6 0	6 0	5 8	11 8	11 12	13 12
	41	Netrakona ...	6 8	6 6	5 12	7 4	7 2	6 0	10 0	10 0	8 4	5 12	5 12	5 12	11 4	11 4	13 0
		Faridpur.															
	43	Sadar	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	5 8	6 0	6 8	5 4	5 4	5 0	10 0	10 8	13 0
	43	Goalundo	8 12	7 11	6 13	8 12	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	5 5	9 10	10 0	12 0
		Bakarganj															
	44	Barisal ..	6 12	7 4	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 4	10 0	9 8	7 0	5 5	6 8	5 4	10 10	12 8	13 8
	45	Pirojpur	7 0	6 12	5 0	7 0	6 12	6 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	10 10	13 0

† karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1916—concld.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cajan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		Tippera.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Chittagong.	46	Comilla	6 12	6 6	6 14	6 11	6 14	7 14	4 8	4 9	4 9	5 5	5 5	5 6	10 11	10 11	13 0
	47	Chandpur ...	6 12	6 11	6 12	6 12	9 0	8 14	10 0	10 0	5 10	5 0	5 0	5 12	15 0	15 0	15 0
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 12	7 4	8 0	8 0	8 14	5 8	5 8	5 10	10 8	10 8	13 8†
	49	Feni Hat ...	9 2	8 4	6 14	10 2	9 2	7 13	9 2	8 4	8 0	*	*	...	12 13	10 10	16 0
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 0	...	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 0	13 0	13 0	13 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	9 0	7 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	...	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	11 0	10 8	13 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	11 0

* This article is not at present sold here. † Crushed.

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CALCUTTA,
The 12th December 1916.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 3 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	7 14 0	7 14 0	8 4 0	6 3 0	6 3 0	7 8 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.... .	...
Burdwan	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	9 8 0	9 4 0	8 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	5 8 0
Kalna	.....	...	.....	...	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.	.... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 11 0	2 11 0	2 2 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 7 0
Chittagong	.....*	.....	2 0	.....*	.....	3 0 0	8 8 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Chandpur	.. ..	.....	.....	...	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	3 1 0	3 6 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	7 4 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 8 0
Narayanganj	... ..	.....	....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	0	3 4 0	3 7 0	2 4 0	2 11 0	2 12 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 4 0	5 7 0	5 12 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....	.....
Rangpur	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	7 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	7 0 0

MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	7 4 0	7 0 0	19 0 0	15 0 0	18 0 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 0 0	5 0 0	7 4 0	6 0 0 to 8 8 0	6 0 0	21 0 0	16 0 0 to 24 0 0	17 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 4 0 to 6 4 0	5 4 0 to 6 4 0	7 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 12 0	32 0 0	30 0 0	12 8 0
Chittagong	0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	5 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	9 0 0	*	...	.....
Chandpur	....	.....	.....	... .	... ..	.....	.....	. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	6 8 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	11 0 0	10 8 0	11	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj	... .	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	. ....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	. .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	6 0 0	5 10 0	4 12 0	6 2 0	6 0 0	6 3 0	8 5 6	0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	... ..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...
Rangpur	.....	.....	.....	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....

* No sale.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1916.

WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4 14 0	4 5 0	5 2 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	Chetla Hât.
5 0 0	4 10 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Ranigan j.
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	4 10 0	6 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	7 8 0	Midnapore.
... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
3 13 0	3 13 0	5 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 12 0	8 0 0	Pabna.
3 13 0	3 13 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	Rangpur.

JUTE.			OILSEED.			HIDES (COW).			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
8 8 0	8 8 0	7 4 0	52 0 0	52 0 0	49 0 0	375 0 0	Per 100 pieces. 375 0 0	370 0 0	Calcutta.
... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chetla Hât.
9 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	51 0 0	50 0 0	44 0 0	48 0 0	Per maund. 48 0 0	48 0 0	Burdwan.
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	Ranigan j.
6 12 0 to 7 0 0	6 12 0 to 7 0 0	7 0 0	55 0 0 to 60 0 0	55 0 0 to 60 0 0	52 0 0 to 55 0 0	375 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100. 375 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100. 350 0 0	550 0 0 450 0 0	Midnapore.
...	... ..	.....	54 0 0	54 0 0	58 0 0	.....	.....	...	Chittagong.
6 8 0 to 9 8 0	6 12 0 to 10 12 0	5 8 0 to 8 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	58 0 0	56 0 0	59 0 0	.....	.....	...	Dacca.
8 8 0 to 9 12 0	8 8 0 to 9 8 0	5 8 0 to 8 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	Narayanganj.
7 8 0 to 10 0 0	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	7 0 0 to 9 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	. ...	Mymensingh.
7 8 0 to 9 8 4	7 4 0 to 7 9 0	5 0 0 to 7 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
.....	.....	.....	59 0 0	58 0 0	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Pabna.
6 8 0 to 8 8 0	6 8 0 to 8 8 0	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	.....	... ..	A....	.....	.....	... .	Sirajganj.
9 0 0	10 0 0	7 0 0	56 0 0	56 0 0	54 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	.....	Rangpur.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	16 0 0	15 0 0	9 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 6 0	2 9 6	2 9 6	2 2 9(a)
Chotla Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	12 8 0	12 8 0	8 0 0	2 13 0	2 9 0	2 0 0	2 12 6	2 12 6	2 4 6(a)
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 0 0 to 16 0 0	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	2 8 0 to 8 0 0	3 6 0	3 2 0	2 10 6	2 11 0	2 11 0	2 2 6(a)
Chittagong	16 0 0	15 0 0	10 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 6 0‡	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0(b)
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	16 0 0	14 0 0	8 0 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	2 12 0*	2 12 6	2 13 0	2 4 6(a)
Narayanganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	15 0 0	15 0 0	10 12 0	3 11 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 5 0(a) 2 3 0(c)
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	14 0 0	13 0 0	9 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0*	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 8 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | (c) Serpent brand. | * Panga. | ‡ Crushed.

CALCUTTA.

The 12th December 1916.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1916—concld.

MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14 0 0	14 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 8 3	.....	.....	.....	Calcutta.
.....	...	.....	..	....	.....	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 4 6	Ghatia Hât.
14 8 0	14 6 0	13 12 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 6	Burdwan.
.....	.....	...	.....	. ...	.....	0 7 6	0 7 6	0 7 0	Kalna.
.. ...	.... .	... .	.....	.. ...	.....	0 1 6	0 1 6	0 1 0	Kaniganj.
15 0 0 to 16 8 0	15 0 0 to 16 0 0	15 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	.....	.....	.....	Midnapore.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.... .	.....		... .	.....	.....	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
17 4 0	17 0 0	16 8 0	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	Narayanganj.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	...	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
16 11 0	16 0 0	15 8 0	.....	.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	Pabna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.. .	.. ...	.....	.....	Rangpur.

D. N. MOOKERJI,

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of October 1916, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1916-17.						1915-16.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Major Works.												
Midnapore Canal ...	6,472	40,630	306	4,206	2,502	22,523	6,404	48,642	...	3,903	3,068	22,775
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	8,380	55,760	4	1,458	4,863	36,305	5,320	36,939	...	843	3,475	26,953
Total ...	14,852	96,390	310	5,664	7,365	58,828	11,724	85,581	...	4,746	6,543	49,728
II.—Minor Works and Navigation.												
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	34,819	172,040	581	15,445	20,075	115,203	33,647	178,639	525	10,886	20,210	1,22,592
Tolly's Nala ...	13,359	93,268	3,115	17,760	4,184	27,807	16,103	100,293	1,000	11,495	5,174	30,480
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	197,133	763,367	1,888	4,860	49,305	2,15,425	109,563	434,423	2,640	2,763	31,660	1,25,079
Total ...	245,311	10,28,675	5,584	38,065	73,564	3,58,435	159,313	713,355	4,165	25,144	57,044	2,78,151
Magrahat Channels ...	878	5,449	...	.....	1,157	10,376	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,985	19,931	75	645	975	6,893	1,660	13,018	1,227	7,450	637	4,405
Nadia Rivers ...	5,075	32,375	93,400	188,766	1,256	7,612	6,169	37,557	28,600	33,900	1,352	7,628
Grand Total ...	254,249	10,86,430	99,059	233,283	76,952	3,83,316	167,142	763,930	33,992	66,494	59,033	2,90,184

CALCUTTA,
The 12th December 1916.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 2nd December 1916.

Date.	Time when recorded.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height of water above mean sea-level.	Height above zero of gauge on the same date last year.	Remarks.
26th Nov. 1916	At low tide.	55·8	Not connected with mean sea-level.	54·6	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
27th „ „	Ditto	55·7		54·3	
28th „ „	Ditto	55·6		54·0	
29th „ „	Ditto	55·5		53·7	
30th „ „	Ditto	55·4		53·6	
1st Dec. „	Ditto	55·4		53·5	
2nd „ „	Ditto	55·4		53·3	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th Sept.	1909	...	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	...	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	...	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	...	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	...	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	...	69·7	Ditto.
18th „	1916	...	68·1	Ditto.
23rd Feb.	1907	...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	...	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	...	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	...	50·6	Ditto.
22nd Feb.	1915	...	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	...	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 4th December 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 9th December 1916.

Date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 43·00.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
3rd Dec. 1916	8 A.M.	4·60	47·60	48·85	R. L. of gauge-post is 43·00.
4th „ „	8 „	4·40	47·40	48·20	B. M. on College step-69·74.
5th „ „	8 „	4·30	47·30	48·00	
6th „ „	8 „	4·20	47·20	47·90	
7th „ „	8 „	4·10	47·10	47·80	
8th „ „	8 „	4·00	47·00	47·70	
9th „ „	8 „	3·90	46·90	47 60	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	66·00	on 8th September 1915.
Ditto	.. Lowest „	...	41·90	on 4th May 1915.
Record ...	... Highest „	...	69·25	on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	69·08	on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	68·30	on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	68·21	on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	... Lowest „	...	37·63	on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	38·13	on 14th-15th April 1882.
Do ...	... Ditto „	...	39·02	on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	... Ditto „	...	39·28	on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA.
The 9th December 1916.

H. DUTT,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Division.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 9th December 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
3rd Dec. 1916	7 A.M.	10·2	10·2	10·3	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
4th " "	7 "	10 0	10·0	10·2	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a
5th " "	7 "	9 8	9·8	10·1	pucca pillar between the passenger
6th " "	7 "	9·7	9·7	10·1	ghât and Chandpore ghât
7th " "	7 "	9·5	9·5	10 0	Its reduced level is 22·41.
8th " "	7 "	9·4	9·4	10·0	
9th " "	7 "	9·3	9·3	9·9	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest " ...	...	8·4 on 10th February 1915.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest " ...	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto " ...		25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto " ...		25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto " ...		25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	Lowest " ...		1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto " ...		2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto " ...		2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do	Ditto " ...		3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto " ...		3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 9th December 1916.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 25th November 1916, on 2,065 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week on 2,065 miles open ...	468,330	Rs. (a)2,02,960	Tons 1,250,660	Rs. (b)2,04 180	Rs (c)24 020	Rs. 4,31,080	63 781	(d)(f)54,075	117,856
Or per mile of railway ...	226·79	98·24	605·65	98·86	11 63	208·73			
For previous 7 weeks of official half-year ...	3,401,920	12,98,170	8,859,030	11,28,270	1,63,000	25,84,440	437,513	327,319	764,832
Total for 8 weeks ...	3,870,240	15,01,030	8,110,690	13,37,420	1,87,020	30,15,470	500,794	381,394	882,188
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,069 miles open	605,846	2,55,690	8,95,998	1,37,696	20,104	4,13,490	67 451	(e)47 044	114,495
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	292·82	[123·58	432·06	66·55	9·72	199·85	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	3,573,165	13,67,430	7,170,214	11,11,107	1,56,259	26,04,786	513,127	356,818	869,945
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		3·21		3·78	·20	3·68			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·79		2·93	18	3·61			

(a) Decrease chiefly under local passengers due to Sonepore Mela which was held in this period last year but earlier this year.
(b) Increase chiefly under foreign outward traffic.
(c) Increase mainly under steam-boats.
(d) Includes 1,994 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 1,246 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Pure goods train miles increased.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 25th November 1916, on 1,628 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	660,470	3,25,170 0 0	2,680,360 0	(d) 3,73,060 0 0	21,710 0 0	(d) 7,18,940 0 0	99,720	(a) 64,308	164,028
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 421	(b) 207 0 0	1,646 0	229 0 0	(c) 9 0 0	(c) 437 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	4,866,740	22,87,970 0 0	19,683,880 0	31,79,300 0 0	1,80,020 0 0	56,27,290 0 0	698,065	463,536	1,161,591
Total for 8 weeks ...	5,527,210	26,13,140 0 0	22,364,240 0	35,51,360 0 0	1,81,730 0 0	63,46,230 0 0	797,855	527,844	1,325,699
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	641,790	3,11,838 0 0	2,557,837 0	3,38,410 0 0	18,920 0 0	6,69,164 0 0	103,856	58,657	162,513
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,639 miles)	(b) 406	(b) 197 0 0	1,561 0	206 0 0	8 0 0	405 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	5,062,445	23,53,514 0 0	21,065,593 0	31,00,708 0 0	1,46,306 0 0	56,00,528 0 0	825,965	478,331	1,304,296

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 6,841
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 6,970.
(d) Increase is chiefly due to jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 25th November 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	70,170	21,060 0 0	112,960 0	7,160 0 0	3,120 0 0	31,330 0 0	7,002	(b) 3,110	10,112
Per mile of railway per week	592	178 0 0	953 0	60 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 240 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	440,810	1,33,190 0 0	1,055,630 0	69,930 0 0	20,890 0 0	2,23,000 0 0	49,016	30,397	69,413
Total for 8 weeks ...	510,980	1,55,240 0 0	1,168,590 0	77,080 0 0	24,010 0 0	2,54,330 0 0	56,018	23,507	79,525
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	53,357	17,983 0 0	67,630 0	4,620 0 0	2,385 0 0	24,988 0 0	6,707	3,248	9,955
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	450	152 0 0	570 0	39 0 0	4 0 0	195 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	421,330	1,33,400 0 0	932,745 0	56,782 0 0	17,018 0 0	2,07,195 0 0	53,379	18,774	72,353

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs 2,900.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 675.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 25th November 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,450	(b) 1,340 0 0	45,190 0	2,500 0 0	30 0 0	(b) 3,870 0 0	952	(a) 270	1,222
Per mile of railway per week	195	40 0 0	1,366 0	76 0 0	1 0 0	117 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	53,270	23,300 0 0	296,540 0	18,280 0 0	230 0 0	41,810 0 0	6,682	1,916	8,598
Total for 8 weeks ...	59,720	24,640 0 0	342,040 0	20,780 0 0	260 0 0	45,680 0 0	7,634	2,186	9,820
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	7,492	3,799 0 0	34,930 0	2,478 0 0	26 0 0	6,298 0 0	1,045	449	1,494
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	226	115 0 0	1,055 0	74 0 0	1 0 0	190 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	40,388	20,425 0 0	367,233 0	24,957 0 0	193 0 0	45,574 0 0	7,798	2,810	10,608

(a) Including ballast train-miles, nil.
(b) Includes adjustment for previous week.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 25th November 1916, on 53·66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	20,300	5,670 0 0	135,640 0	7,960 0 0	40 0 0	13,670 0 0	1,672	(a) 1,713	3,385
Per mile of railway per week	378	106 0 0	2,528 0	148 0 0	1 0 0	255 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	130,720	36,630 0 0	1,142,460 0	62,560 0 0	290 0 0	1,00,440 0 0	11,862	11,182	23,044
Total for 8 weeks ...	151,020	42,300 0 0	1,278,100 0	71,520 0 0	330 0 0	1,14,110 0 0	13,534	12,895	26,429
Total for the 21 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	351,279	100,387 0 0	3,289,482 0	1,64,656 0 0	712 0 0	2,65,735 0 0	37,907	30,052	67,959
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	15,030	4,686 0 0	102,407 0	4,344 0 0	17 0 0	9,047 0 0	1,951	1,345	3,296
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·66 miles)	280	88 0 0	1,908 0	81 0 0	.....	169 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	135,941	40,304 0 0	918,480 0	45,170 0 0	233 0 0	85,707 0 0	16,015	9,374	25,389
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	342,233	1,02,601 0 0	2,247,857 0	1,10,912 0 0	681 0 0	2,14,194 0 0	42,209	21,804	64,013

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 98. (b) Audited figures to end of August 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 25th November 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	10,640	3,540 0 0	31,330 0	2,060 0 0	30 0 0	5,630 0 0	1,428	(a)700	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	212	71 0 0	624 0	41 0 0	.....	112 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	75,710	24,970 0 0	340,800 0	24,170 0 0	110 0 0	49,260 0 0	9,996	5,140	15,136
Total for 8 weeks ...	86,350	28,510 0 0	362,130 0	26,230 0 0	130 0 0	54,870 0 0	11,424	5,840	17,264
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	103 0 0	4 0 0	107 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 miles)	.....	.....	.....	5 0 0	.....	5 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	579 0 0	72 0 0	651 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Ballast train miles, *nil*.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 25th November 1916, on 2,527·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	664,344	5,84,423 0 0	85,78,345 0	14,74,572 0 0	4,760 0 0	20,63,746 0 0	178,627	311 315	849,942
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	231 3 9	.....	583 6 10	1 14 1	818 8 8	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	4,667,010	40,86,765 0 0	60,721,879 0	1,01,81,612 0 0	1,04,550 0 0	1,43,52,947 0 0	1,248,931	2,279,371	3,528,302
Total from 1st October ...	5,331,354	46,71,208 0 0	86,499,824 0	1,16,36,185 0 0	1,09,300 0 0	1,64,16,693 0 0	1,427,558	2,590,686	4,018,244
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	716 365	6,21,232 0 0	8,889,564 0	14,98,364 0 0	59,564 0 0	21,79,060 0 0	186,225	289,617	475,842
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	245 13 8	.....	592 15 2	23 9 2	862 6 0	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	5,203,572	46,04,198 0 0	86,182,501 0	1,07,44,784 0 0	4,66,860 0 0	1,58,15,807 0 0	1,467,999	2,184,967	3,652,966

(a) The decrease is due to greater movements of pilgrims in the corresponding period of 1915.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway. Per week. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Train mileage. Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,527·42	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	701,047	6,36,743	7,663,707	12,66,337	19,750	19,22,830	761	515,617	3 11 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	687,132	5,96,390	8,231,776	13,38,019	7,750	19,42,059	768	499,879	3 14 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	635,906	5,76,650	9,601,166	15,85,890	6,750	21,69,290	858	519,287	4 2 10
2,527·42	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	596,756	5,34,773	9,236,704	15,16,515	27,750	20,69,038	819	508,547	4 1 1
2,527·42	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	679,376	6,11,341	8,805,710	14,86,704	24,800	21,20,845	839	492,315	4 4 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	689,593	5,63,755	8,603,831	14,07,424	17,750	20,38,929	807	494,118	4 2 0
2,527·42	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	677,200	5,77,302	8,686,401	15,12,733	...	20,89,926	827	499,539	4 2 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	664,344	5,84,423	8,178,545	14,74,573	4,750	20,63,746	817	499,943	4 3 5
	Totals up to date ...	5,331,354	46,71,208	68,899,824	1,16,36,185	1,09,300	1,64,16,693	812	4,018,344	4 1 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,526·81	First 9 days of Oct. ...	836,035	7,46,935	11,566,943	18,58,037	60,848	26,67,810	821	591,965	4 8 1
2,526·81	Week ended 16th ,, ...	693,489	6,02,583	8,310,319	13,05,567	54,023	19,61,933	776	476,299	4 1 11
2,526·81	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	634,796	5,27,198	6,475,557	10,53,946	60,963	16,42,007	650	416,616	3 15 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	613,271	5,54,241	7,803,959	12,89,234	58,650	19,01,125	752	447,367	4 4 0
2,526·81	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	597,131	5,31,715	8,787,840	14,03,241	63,806	19,98,762	791	455,121	4 4 9
2,526·81	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	650,531	5,94,173	7,984,207	12,93,674	63,051	19,49,898	772	456,040	4 4 5
2,526·81	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	647,496	5,89,999	9,144,0 8	14,66,868	59,864	21, 8,431	838	455,284	4 10 5
2,526·81	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	716,365	6,21,239	8,669,594	14,99,264	59 864	21,79,060	862	475,812	4 9 3
	Totals up to date ...	5,389,086	47,69,056	68,741,517	1,11,70,521	4,79,469	1,64,19,046	784	3,784,514	4 5 5

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th November 1916, on 231·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Coaching receipts.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Weight carried.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Receipts.	Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run. Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	50,036	37,386 0 0	524,344 0	46,013 0 0	250 0 0	83,649 0 0	11,837	9,540	21,377
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	160 14 6	.....	198 9 0	1 1 3	360 8 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year.	327,664	2,71,354 0 0	3,939,114 0	3,10,806 0 0	1,700 0 0	5,83,2e0 0 0	81,173	69,197	150,370
Total from 1st Oct. ...	377,730	3,08,840 0 0	4,449,458 0	3,56,319 0 0	1,950 0 0	6,66,809 0 0	93,010	78,737	171,747
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	50,064	37,548 0 0	498,662 0	28,225 0 0	246 0 0	66,019 0 0	12,147	6,735	18,882
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	195 14 11	.....	147 4 6	1 4 6	344 7 11	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	344,263	2,90,744 0 0	3,823,181 0	2,49,229 0 0	2,072 0 0	5,42,045 0 0	95,635	63,617	159,252

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway. Per week. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Train mileage. Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,568	35,121	469,795	30,985	250	66,359	346	49,568	3 6 3
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	45,784	36,962	587,651	37,740	250	74,952	391	21,385	3 8 4
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	42,208	36,208	483,413	41,980	250	77,518	405	21,140	3 10 8
191·64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,667	34,936	542,087	44,860	250	80,036	418	20,538	3 14 4
216·36	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	44,337	37,785	673,111	52,981	200	90,966	420	21,286	4 4 5
235·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	61,426	44,681	586,311	52,022	250	96,953	413	23,033	4 3 4
231·73	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	56,654	46,898	582,746	49,628	250	96,476	416	23,520	4 1 8
231·73	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	50,056	37,386	524,344	46,013	250	83,649	361	21,377	3 14 6
	Totals up to date ...	377,730	3,08,840	4,449,458	3,56,319	1,950	6,66,809	398	171,747	3 14 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparism with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	53,764	41,612	499,804	45,258	286	90,206	366	25,726	3 8 1
191·64	Week ended 16th ,, ...	39,193	37,523	370,660	33,515	251	71,289	372	19,903	3 9 4
191 64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	43,665	34,922	325,372	29,143	251	64,316	336	20,746	3 1 7
191·64	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	40,052	35,853	440,612	41,436	251	77,542	405	20,845	3 11 6
191·64	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	42,472	38,635	404,921	37,086	330	66,041	345	20,670	3 3 1
191·64	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	40,491	34,147	440,328	37,859	246	63,982	334	18,797	3 4 10
191·64	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	46,923	35,953	452,105	36,943	246	63,141	339	19,397	3 4 1
191·64	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	50,064	37,548	498,662	28,225	246	66,019	344	18,882	3 7 11
	Totals up to date ...	355,632	2,99,182	3,432,164	2,59,297	2,157	5,60,636	353	164,968	3 6 5

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th November 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	2,181	2,637 0 0	59,837 0	7,076 0 0	(a)993 0 0	10,706 0 0	527	(d)800	1,327
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	73 0 0	...	194 0 0	15 0 0	(c) 282 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 7 weeks of half-year.*	55,796	15,446 0 0	524,001 0	79,361 0 0	2,764 0 0	97,571 0 0	3,320	5,991	9,311
Total for 8 weeks ...	64,977	18,083 0 0	583,838 0	86,437 0 0	3,757 0 0	1,08,277 0 0	3,847	6,791	10,638
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	3,228	2,386 0 0	78,597 0	9,336 0 0	(b)869 0 0	12,591 0 0	382	(e)874	1,256
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year	...	66 0 0	...	256 0 0	14 0 0	(c) 336 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	59,674	17,222 0 0	716,897 0	91,403 0 0	3,775 0 0	1,12,400 0 0	3,236	7,101	10,337

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 440.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs. 359.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 209.
(e) Ditto, 1915, 86.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 25th November 1916, on 117 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week...	18,050	6,007 0 0	94,598 0	11,689 0 0	1,022 0 0	18,688 0 0	1,884	3,294	5,178
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	51 0 0	.....	100 0 0	9 0 0	160 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 7 weeks of half-year *	126,167	41,470 0 0	772,969 0	119,746 0 0	1,190 0 0	162,406 0 0	13,992	22,294	36,286
Total for 8 weeks ...	144,217	47,477 0 0	868,567 0	131,405 0 0	2,212 0 0	181,094 0 0	14,876	25,588	41,464
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	16,382	5,396 0 0	108,196 0	20,189 0 0	194 0 0	25,979 0 0	1,528	(b)3,686	5,179
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	48 0 0	.....	172 0 0	2 0 0	222 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	191,243	42,514 0 0	1,026,521 0	180,439 0 0	386 0 0	223,339 0 0	13,314	25,419	38,733

(a) Ballast train-miles, 679.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, 462.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 25th November 1916 on 51 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,535	10,962 0 0	28,667 0	11,906 0 0	77 0 0	22,945 0 0	2,801	2,901	5,702
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	215 0 0	.....	233 0 0	2 0 0	450 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of the half-year	43,939	1,12,092 0 0	2,22,456 0	99,186 0 0	1,064 0 0	2,12,291 0 0	20,863	20,753	41,616
Total traffic up to 25th November 1916	48,474	1,23,054 0 0	2,51,123 0	1,11,091 0 0	1,141 0 0	2,35,236 0 0	23,664	23,654	47,318
(56 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	302 0 0	.....	272 0 0	3 0 0	577 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	3,169	8,158 0 0	25,665 0	10,940 0 0	59 0 0	19,157 0 0	1,496	3,906	5,402
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	160 0 0	.....	215 0 0	1 0 0	376 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	40,832½	1,14,339 0 0	2,51 976 0	1,17,696 0 0	1,165 0 0	2,33,200 0 0	14,645	32,234	46,879
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	280 0 0	.....	289 0 0	3 0 0	572 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes.—Difference for the week ...		+ 2,804		+ 966	+ 18	+ 3,788			
Difference up to date ...		+ 8,645		— 6,605	— 4	+ 2,036			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local and foreign passengers and parcels.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in rice and public coal, but the tea traffic is poor owing to stoppage of bookings to Calcutta.
The earnings up to November 1916 show an increase of Rs. 9,000. The up to date increase in Coaching is in Local, Foreign passengers and Troops traffic. The up to date decrease in Goods is mainly in tea and building materials. However it is expected that the estimated earnings for this half-year will reach Rs. 5,60 000.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 25th November 1916 on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	1,212	1,035 0 0	7,035 0	1,404 0 0	1 0 0	2,440 0 0	185	295	480
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	34 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	81 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of the half-year	4,070	3,880 0 0	38,325 0	7,136 0 0	24 0 0	11,040 0 0	992	1,752	2,744
Total traffic up to 25th November 1916	5 282	7,915 0 0	42,360 0	8 540 0 0	25 0 0	13,480 0 0	1,177	2,047	3,224
(56 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	21 0 0	.....	35 0 0	.....	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	1,132	718 0 0	6,130 0	1,280 0 0	6 0 0	2,304 0 0	105	441	546
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	24 0 0	.....	53 0 0	.....	77 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	4,730½	2,958 0 0	31,768 0	7,768 0 0	32 0 0	10,758 0 0	840	2,970	3,810
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	12 0 0	.....	33 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes.—Difference for the week	+	317	—	176	— 5	+ 136			
Difference up to date	+	1,957	+	772	— 7	+ 2,722			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in foreign passengers and parcels.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in tea and sugar.
The earnings up to November 1916 show an increase of Rs. 2,700. It is expected that the traffic earnings for the half-year will reach the estimated amount o Rs 75,000.
The up to date increase in Coaching is mainly in passengers and parcel traffic, in Goods the increase is in wool traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 25th November 1916 on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	3,417	2,943 0 0	16,288 0	1,604 0 0	24 0 0	4,570 0 0	907	1,053	1,960
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	42 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	65 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of the half-year	53,547	18,053 0 0	125,953 0	11,211 0 0	114 0 0	29,378 0 0	6,839	5,831	12,670
Total traffic up to 25th November 1916	61,964	20,995 0 0	142,241 0	12,815 0 0	138 0 0	33,948 0 0	7,746	6,884	14,630
(56 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	38 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	61 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,035	1,855 0 0	18,053 0	1,014 0 0	—5 0 0	2,864 0 0	342	1,027	1,369
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	27 0 0	.....	14 0 0	.....	41 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	36,190	13,695 0 0	182,017 0	15,245 0 0	169 0 0	29,009 0 0	2,596	7,827	10,423
Or per week per mile of railway	... .	25 0 0	.....	27 0 0	.....	52 0 0	... ..	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week	+ 1,087		+ 590		+ 29	+ 1,706			
Difference up to date	+ 7,300		— 2,4 .0		— 21	+ 4 849			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local Passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Jute and Wool traffic.
The earnings up to November 1916 show an increase of Rs. 4,800. It is expected that the earnings for this half-year will reach the estimated amount of Rs. 1,25,000.
The up to date increase in coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The up to date decrease in Goods is mainly in Potatoes, while the Jute traffic shows an increase of about Rs. 3,000.

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EXTRAORDINARY.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 14262P.—The 15th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (1), of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (1 of 1910), the Governor in Council hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a Bengali leaflet entitled "Om Yugantar" and headed "Samay haiyache ki" (Has the time come?) beginning with the words "Gata Sankhaya Bharat uthibe keno" [In the last issue (I have explained the question) why India should rise], etc., and ending with the words "Esho Ma amar ebar pujibo charantaut" (Come, O mother, this time I will worship your feet), etc., and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet, on the ground that the said leaflet contains exhortations to rebel against the British Government in India and to commit murder, and contains words which have a tendency to incite to acts of violence and to bring into hatred and contempt and excite disaffection towards the Government established by law in British India and therefore appears to the Governor in Council to be of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (1), clauses (*a*) and (*c*), of the said Act.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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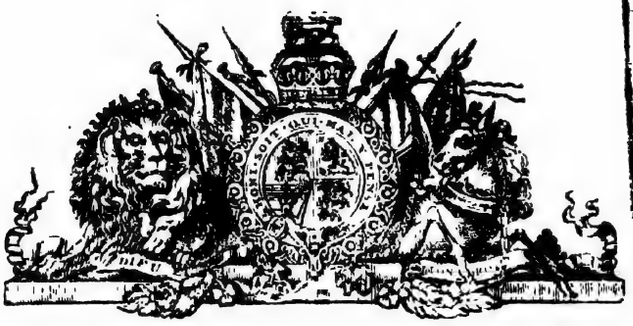

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EXTRAORDINARY.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 14th December 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

An Ordinance to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916.

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary further to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916; IX of 1916.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:— 5 & 6 Geo. V, C. 61.

ORDINANCE No. VII OF 1916.

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be called the Second Indian Paper Currency (Further Amendment) Ordinance, 1916.

Amendment of section 3, Act IX of 1916.

2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916, shall be construed as if for the words "sixty millions" the words "three hundred millions" were substituted. IX of 1916.

Repeal of Ordinance No. VI of 1916.

3. The Indian Paper Currency (Further Amendment) Ordinance, 1916, is hereby repealed. VI of 1916

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

KABWET, UPPER BURMA,
The 13th December, 1916.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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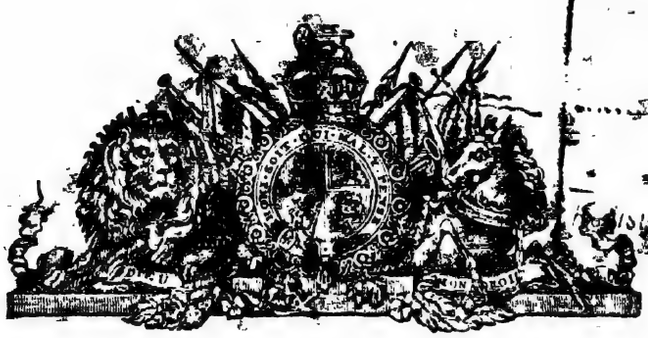

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EXTRAORDINARY.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6803 Mis.—The 20th December 1916.—Under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that Friday, the 22nd December 1916, shall be a public holiday on account of the arrival of His Excellency the Viceroy in Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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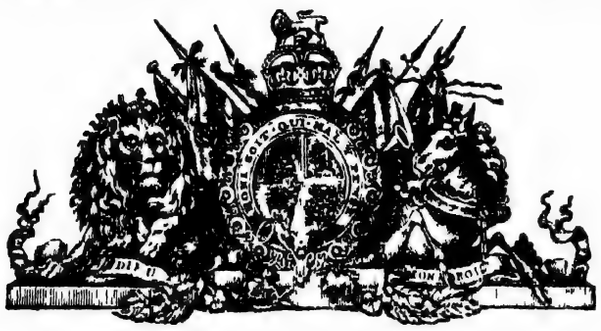

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Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 9225A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

Mymensingh. Dacca.

GENERAL.—*No 8996A.—The 12th December 1916.*—Babu Suresh Chandra Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district on being relieved of his duties as Special Butwara officer in the district of Mymensingh.

No. 9004A.—The 12th December 1916.—The orders of the 27th November 1916, appointing Babu Nagendra Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, to have charge of the Manikganj subdivision of that district, are cancelled.

Dacca.

No. 9019A.—The 14th December 1916.—Babu Abani Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Khulna district.

Jessore.
Khulna.

No. 9021A.—The 14th December 1916.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district.

Khulna.
Jessore.

No. 9037A.—The 15th December 1916.—Babu Kunja Lal Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Netrakona, Mymensingh, is transferred to the head-quarters station of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 9039A.—The 15th December 1916.—Maulvi Abu 'Ali Muhammad Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is transferred to the Netrakona subdivision of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 9060A.—The 16th December 1916.—Mr. W. S. Milne, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors with effect from the 18th November 1916.

24-Parganas.

No. 9086A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Lalit Chandra Guha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Barasat subdivision of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

No. 9089A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Manindra Bhusan Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Chittagong district.

Noakhali.
Chittagong.

No. 9091A.—The 18th December 1916.—Maulvi Saiyid Salamatullah, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Noakhali district.

Noakhali.

No. 9094A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Kanti Chandra Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Pirojpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

Bakarganj.

No. 9097A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Krishna Lal De, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

No. 9105A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Jatindra Nath Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Jalpaiguri district.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 9108A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Ashutosh Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Jalpaiguri district.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 9111A.—The 18th December 1916.—Maulvi Adiluzzaman Khan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Rajshahi district.

Rajshahi.

No. 9114A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Surendra Nath Ray, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district.

Dacca.
Mymensingh.

No. 9118A.—The 18th December 1916.—Mr. Debendra Kumar Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Nadia district.

Nadia.

No. 9136A.—The 18th December 1916.—The Probationary Deputy Collectors, named below, are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names :—

Babu Jamini Prasanna Ray	...	...	Dacca.
„ Dwijendra Nath Sen	...	...	Howrah.
„ Praphulla Chandra Sen	...	...	Nadia.
Maulvi Siraj-ul-Islam	...	...	24-Parganas.
„ Quamaruddin Muhammad	...	...	Dacca.
„ Chaudhuri Afsar Ali	...	...	Malda.
Babu Binod Bihari Das Gupta	...	...	Bakarganj.

POLICE.—*No. 9123A.—The 18th December 1916.*—Mr. L. H. Burton, Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police of that district, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. E. Armstrong, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 9125A.—The 18th December 1916.—Mr. H. C. Hunt, Officiating Superintendent of Police, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, and, under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district, *vice* Mr. L. H. Burton, on deputation.

24-Parganas.

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 9181A.—The 19th December 1916.*—Mr. C. W. E. Cotton, I.C.S., is appointed to be a member of the Committee of Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 9187A.—The 19th December 1916.*—The following confirmations and promotions are sanctioned in the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service :—

Confirmed in the first grade.

Babu Tara Prasanna Acharji, with effect from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Khan Bahadur Abul Khair Muhammad Abdus Subhan, retired.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the first grade.*

Babu Nityananda Bhar, with effect from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Babu Tara Prasanna Acharji, confirmed.

Confirmed in the second grade.

Babu Bisweswar Bhattacharji, with effect from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Babu Tara Prasanna Acharji, confirmed in the first grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the second grade.*

Babu Prasanna Kumar Das Gupta, with effect from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Babu Nityananda Bhar, promoted to the first grade.

Confirmed in the third grade.

Babu Suresh Chandra Sen (No. I), with effect from the 16th September 1916, *vice* Babu Nibaran Chandra Ghatak, retired.

Promoted to the third grade.

Babu Girish Chandra Nag, substantively *pro tempore* from the 16th September 1916, *vice* Babu Suresh Chandra Sen (No. I), confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Babu Bisweswar Bhattacharji, confirmed in the second grade.

Khan Bahadur Amin-ul-Islam, substantively *pro tempore* from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Babu Girish Chandra Nag, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 8th October 1916, *vice* Rai Ambika Prasad Sen Bahadur, confirmed as a Magistrate and Collector.

Babu Nikhil Nath Ray, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 8th October 1916, *vice* Khan Bahadur Amin-ul-Islam, confirmed.

Khan Bahadur Haji Khundkar Fazl-ul-Haq, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 12th October 1916, *vice* Mr. C. H. Crosse, appointed temporary Assistant Collector of Customs.

Confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Jatindra Mohan Banarji, with effect from the 16th September 1916, *vice* Babu Suresh Chandra Sen (No. I), confirmed in the third grade.

Promoted to the fourth grade.

Babu Tarak Chandra Ray, substantively *pro tempore* from the 16th September 1916, *vice* Babu Jatindra Mohan Banarji, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Babu Girish Chandra Nag, confirmed in the third grade.

Maulvi Anis-uz-Zaman Khan, substantively *pro tempore* from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Babu Tarak Chandra Ray, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 17th October 1916, *vice* Babu Nagendra Nath Datta, retired.

Rai Sahib Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 12th October 1916, *vice* Khan Bahadur Haji Khundkar Fazl-ul-Haq, promoted to the third grade.

Babu Paramesh Prasanna Ray, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 17th October 1916, *vice* Maulvi Anis-uz-Zaman Khan, confirmed.

Confirmed in the fifth grade.

Babu Gyanendra Nath Banarji, with effect from the 16th September 1916, *vice* Babu Jatindra Mohan Banarji, confirmed in the fourth grade.

Khan Bahadur Ata-ur-Rahman, with effect from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Babu Tarak Chandra Ray, confirmed in the fourth grade.

Promoted to the fifth grade.

Babu Bijay Bihari Mukharji, substantively *pro tempore* from the 16th September 1916, *vice* Babu Gyanendra Nath Banarji, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 13th October 1916, *vice* Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Mumin, appointed Under-Secretary to Government in the Revenue Department.

„ Sushil Chandra Ghosh, substantively *pro tempore* from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Khan Bahadur Ata-ur-Rahman, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 16th October 1916, *vice* Babu Lalit Mohan Pal, retired.

„ Nihar Ranjan Banarji, substantively *pro tempore* from the 12th October 1916, *vice* Rai Sahib Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, promoted to the fourth grade, and substantively with effect from the 17th October 1916, *vice* Maulvi Anis-uz-Zaman Khan, confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Anadi Ranjan Basu, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 13th October 1916, *vice* Babu Bijay Bihari Mukharji, confirmed.

„ Dwijendra Mohan Sen, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 16th October 1916, *vice* Babu Sushil Chandra Ghosh, confirmed.

Maulvi Shams-ud-din Ahmad, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 17th October 1916, *vice* Babu Nihar Ranjan Banarji, confirmed.

Confirmed in the sixth grade.

Babu Adwaita Charan Samanta, with effect from the 16th September 1916, *vice* Babu Gyanendra Nath Banarji, confirmed in the fifth grade.

„ Radha Krishna Goswami, with effect from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Khan Bahadur Ata-ur-Rahman, confirmed in the fifth grade.

„ Kunja Lal Ghosh, with effect from the 13th October 1916, *vice* Babu Bijay Bihari Mukharji, confirmed in the fifth grade.

Promoted to the sixth grade.

Babu Rash Bihari Mukharji, substantively *pro tempore* from the 16th September 1916, *vice* Babu Adwaita Charan Samanta, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 16th October 1916, *vice* Babu Sushil Chandra Ghosh, confirmed in the fifth grade.

„ Mahendra Nath Gupta, substantively *pro tempore* from the 27th September 1916, *vice* Babu Radha Krishna Goswami, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 17th October 1916, *vice* Babu Nihar Ranjan Banarji, confirmed in the fifth grade.

Maulvi Saiyid Muazzam-ud-din Husain, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 12th October 1916, *vice* Babu Nihar Ranjan Banarji, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade.

Mr. B. A. Hollow, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 13th October 1916, *vice* Babu Kunja Lal Ghosh, confirmed.

Babu Tara Nath Gupta, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 16th October 1916, *vice* Babu Rash Bihari Mukharji, confirmed.

Mr. A. G. Allfson, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 17th October 1916, *vice* Babu Mahendra Nath Gupta, confirmed.

Confirmed in the seventh grade.

Maulvi Saiyid Izhar Hasan, with effect from the 16th September 1916.

Babu Praphulla Chandra Gupta, with effect from the 27th September 1916.

„ Phanindra Nath Mukharji (No. II), with effect from the 15th November 1916.

„ Surendra Nath Ray, with effect from the 21st November 1916.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 8471A.—The 28th November 1916.*—Maulvi Abul Kasem Wajih-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Faridpur.

No. 9026A.—The 14th December 1916.—Babu Atul Chandra Guha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Netrakona, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Mymensingh.

No. 9057A.—The 16th December 1916.—Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pabna, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Pabna.

No. 9083A.—The 18th December 1916.—Mr. Suresh Chandra Ghatak, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Barasat, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for four weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

24-Parganas.

No. 9100A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Satyendra Nath Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Jalpaiguri.

No 9103A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Upendra Mohan Sen Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 9116A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Dasharathi Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Nadia.

No. 9127A.—The 18th December 1916.—Mr. Sarat Kumar Ghose, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly, is allowed leave for twenty-two days, under articles 260 and 278 (*b*) (*i*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 20th September 1916.

Hooghly.

No. 9131A.—The 18th December 1916.—Mr. J. G. Cumming, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., Additional Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Political Department, is allowed furlough on medical certificate for three months, under article 311 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 27th December 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—*No. 9015A.—The 13th December 1916.*—Mr. A. M. Hutchison, Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department and Assistant Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th December 1916.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 9032A.—The 15th December 1916.—Whereas, in pursuance of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the modification and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor-General of India, the Governor-General has been pleased, by Notification No. 63, dated the 7th December, 1916, to call upon the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to elect, in accordance with the said Regulations, on or before the twenty-fifth day of January 1917, a person to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Sir Francis Hugh Stewart, KT., C.I.E.:

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following orders under Schedule XVII to the said Regulations, in modification of the orders issued [under rules 3 (2), 5 (2), 6 and 8 (1) of that schedule] in Notification No. 3873A., dated the 20th June 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem:—

Orders under Schedule XVII.

(1) *Rule 3* (*2*).—Electors shall send nominations of candidates on or before the 2nd January 1917.

(2) *Rule 5* (*2*).—The Returning Officer shall send to each elector a list of the duly nominated candidates (if there be more than one) and a voting paper on or before the 8th January 1917.

(3) *Rule 6.*—Electors shall record their votes on the voting papers and send them to the Returning Officer on or before the 18th January 1917.

(4) *Rule 8* (*1*).—The Returning Officer shall attend at his office at 2 P.M. on the 23rd January 1917 for the purpose of counting the votes of electors.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 10126L.R.—The 19th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 103B, sub-section (*3*), of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that a record-of-rights has been finally published under section 103A, sub-section (*2*), of the said Act, for every village included in thana Srinagar in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 10129L.R.—The 19th December 1916.—The Governor in Council is pleased to direct, under section 63 of the Bengal Embankment Act, II (B.C.) of 1882, that an estimate shall be made of the probable expenses to be incurred in respect of the repairs, maintenance and works connected therewith of the Hooghly right embankment from Ulubaria to Champakhal, in the Ulubaria subdivision of the Howrah district, for a period of fifteen years, beginning on the 1st April 1917.

Howrah.

No. 10135L.R.—The 19th December 1916.—Whereas by Notification No. 9076L.R., dated the 13th September 1915, an order was made, under section 101 (*1*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), for a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights of all lands within five miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, but including also the entire areas of villages partly falling within this limit in that portion of the district of Pabna which lies opposite the district of Nadia, and in those portions of the districts of Murshidabad and Nadia which lie opposite the districts of Rajshahi and Pabna.

Pabna. Murshidabad. Nadia.

And whereas in pursuance of the said order, a survey has been made of the said lands falling within thana Pabna, district Pabna;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by clause (10) (*b*) of section 3 of the said Act, read with section 3 of the Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam Laws Act, 1912 (Act VII of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that that survey shall be adopted as defining villages for the purposes of the said clause in the aforesaid area comprised in thana Pabna, in the district of Pabna.

No. 10137L.R.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Hriday Ranjan Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is appointed to be a whole-time Butwara Deputy Collector, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the date on which he may take over charge of his duties as Butwara Officer.

Dacca. Mymensingh.

No. 10158L.A.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Binod Kumar Ghosh, Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Darjeeling.

No. 10160.—The 19th December 1916.—Mr. B. A. Hollow, Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 9975L.A.—The 14th December 1916.—Babu Jatindra Kumar Biswas, Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 10013L.A.—The 15th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land in the district of Mymensingh is likely to be needed for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a line of railway from Netrokona to Mohungunj, passing through the undermentioned villages, notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 4

Mymensingh.

of the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894, the Governor in Council has authorised the Engineers and the staff of the line for the time being engaged on this undertaking to enter upon and survey land and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in the said section :—

1. Chukpara.
2. Baher Chupra.
3. Rampur.
4. Kandulia.
5. Kristapur.
6. Para Thakurikona.
7. Bijoypur.
8. Bangla.
9. Durga Sram.
10. Satarasee.
11. Thakuri Kona.
12. Datta Gram.
13. Deoli.
14. Matli.
15. Dashal.
16. Ispingerpur.
17. Guihala.
18. Kalika.
19. Burihati.
20. Balijuri.
21. Bori.
22. Atitpur.
23. Islampur.
24. Birampur.
25. Nohal.
26. Tengapara.
27. Mohangunj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Midnapore.

No. 10023L.A.—The 15th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Chandrakona Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a public burial-ground for Muhammadans in the village of Ilambazar, pargana Chandrakona, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 6 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to ·761 acre, bounded on the—

North.—By Baram Thakur's land,
East.—By zamindar's khas and Dukhiram Mal's land,
South.—By Barada Prasad Sirkar's khas patit,
West.—By Municipal land and land of Raja Narendra Lal Khan,

is required within the aforesaid village of Ilambazar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Collector, Ghatal, district Midnapore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

Khulna.

No. 10049L.A.—The 16th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Khulna for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank, in the village of Brahmadanga, pargana Khororia, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 16 cottahs 6·30 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Trinath Mandal's land,
East—By Loknath Karmakar's land,
South—By Rajani Kanta Mitra's land,
West—By Feduram Goldar, Sitanath Bairagi and Trinath Mandal's homestead land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Brahmadanga.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Bagerhat.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Birbhum.

No. 10052L.A.—The 16th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for cutting spoil bank and moorum at miles 3, 8 and 9 of the Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway, in the villages of Junidpur, Chak Kristapur and Labpur, parganas Fatepur and Khargram, zilla Birbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 42 bighas 8 cottahs and 15 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 14·03 acres, bounded on the—

MILE NO. 3, PLOT NO. A.

North—By the land of Bodi Mandal, Girish Chandra Mandal, Tincori Mandal, Jagadish Bhattacharji, Pran Krista Banarji, Dukhi Dhangar, Behari Dhangar, Sanatan Majhi, Doman Majhi, Megha Maghi, Ram Maghi, Dulu Maghi, Charan Maghi, Baru Maghi, Durga Maghi and Jangle Maghi,

East—By the land of Doman Maghi,

South—By the land of Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway Company,

West—By the land of Bodi Mandal,

PLOT NO. B.

North—By the land of Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway Company,

East—By the land of Makhan and Durga Maghi,

South—By the land of Girish Chandra Mandal, Surja Mandal, Khudiram Mandal, Amrita Bagdi, Harendra Nath Chattarji, Jagadish Bhattacharji, Pran Krista Banarji, Tincori Mandal, Behari Dhangar, Kali Dhangar, Atal Dhangar, Sanatan Maghi, Meghlal Maghi, Ram Maghi, Doman Maghi, Bhika Dhangar, Malta Maghi, Makhan Maghi and Durga Maghi,

West—By the land of Girish and Surja Mandal.

MILES NOS. 8 AND 9, PLOT NO. C.

North—By the land of Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway Company, Jagadamba Debi and Hrishikesh Banarji,

East, South and West—By the land of Jagadamba Debi and Hrishikesh Banarji,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Junidpur, Chak Kristapur and Labpur.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the Executive Engineer, Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway, Labpur (district Birbhum).

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10055L.A.—The 16th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Midnapore for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a bridge at the Khajraghat, in the village of Amgaria, pargana Naraingarh, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 19 cottahs and 5 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·64 of an acre, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

North—By the *patit* land of Biswa Nath Biswai,
East—By Akshoy Laek's *bastu* land and Biswa Nath Biswai's land,
South—By Biswa Nath Biswai's *jal* land and *kala* land,
West—By a road to Kesiary,

is required within the aforesaid village of Amgaria.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10058L.A.—The 16th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of overbridge No. 4 in connection with high level connection of goods lines between Kankurgachi Chord and Dock Diversion, in the villages of South Kareya, Ballygunj, South Ballygunj, Bundial, East Godsa and South Godsa, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose five pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 14 bighas 10 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded and described as below are required within the aforesaid villages of South Kareya, Ballygunj, South Ballygunj, Bundial, East Godsa and South Godsa.

24-Parganas.

PLOT A.

(Measuring more or less 15 cottahs and 5 chitaks).

North—By premises Nos. 2, 3 and 7 on Gora Chand Durga Road.
East and South—By portion of plot No. 11 notified for acquisition under declaration No. 9132L.A., dated the 15th September 1914, and by portion of plot No. 1 notified for acquisition under declaration No. 4478L.A., dated 21st April 1914,
West—By Gora Chand Durga Road.

PLOT B.

(Measuring more or less 5 bighas 10 cottahs and 6 chitaks).

North—By plot No. II of declaration No. 4478L.A., dated the 21st April 1914.
East—By Tiljola 2nd Lane and Rifle Range Road,
South—By the remaining portion of premises No. 13 main drain No. 5 and premises No. 1 Mean Jan Ostagar Lane,
West—By Tiljola 1st Lane and portion of premises No. 22 Tiljola 1st Lane.

PLOT C.

(Measuring, more or less, 17 cottahs and 14 chitaks).

North and East—By Rifle Range Road,
South—By portion of premises Nos. 2 and 3 Tiljola 2nd Lane,
West—By Tiljola 2nd Lane.

PLOT D.

(Measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs and 10 chitaks and comprising the remaing portions of premises Nos. 30-1 and 31 Tiljola Road.)

PLOT E.

(Measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 13 cottahs and 4 chitaks).

North—By the remaining portions of premises Nos. 36, 36-1, 37, 58, 49, 64 and 65 Tiljola Road,

East—By Tiljola Road,

South—By Tiljola Road and portion of plot No. IV notified for acquisition under declaration No. 4478L.A., dated the 21st April 1914, and plot No. 15 notified for acquisition under declaration No. 9132L.A., dated the 15th September 1914,

West—By portion of plot No. IV notified for acquisition under declaration No. 4478L.A., dated the 21st April 1914, public road and premises Nos. 58 and 59 Tiljola Road.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Eastern Bengal Railway.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 10074L.A.—The 18th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of the 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the dispensary building and compounder's quarters of the Charitable Dispensary at Taki, in the village of Taki, pargana Agarpara, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Lalit Mohon Roy Chowdhury,

East—By the drain and Taki Charitable Dispensary,

South—By the Taki Municipal Road,

West—By the tank and pucca ghat of Lalit Mohon Roy Chowdhury,

is required within the aforesaid village of Taki.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer; 24-Parganas, Alipore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Tippera.

No. 10104L.A.—The 19th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Tippera for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Egaragram, pargana Gangamandal, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 2 cottahs 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By homestead of Iswar Das Bairagy, Krishna Kamal Acharjee and Golak Chandra Changa.

East—By homestead of Raghu Nath, Abani Kumar, Shonaton, Ram Doyal, Haridas, Nim Chand and Krishna Chandra Kaibartha,

South—By homestead of Raman Krishna Nag, Ganga Charan Acharjee and Kamal Chandra Majhi and Egaragram Bazar,

West—By homestead of Joy Chandra Chowdhury, Nabin Chandra Chowdhury and Lob Chandra Kaibartha,

is required within the aforesaid village of Egaragram.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10111L.A.—The 19th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for staff quarters for the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the village of Sealdah, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 17 bighas and 12 cottahs of standard measurement, described as follows :—

24 Parganas.

PLOT NO. 1—

Measuring, more or less, 13 bighas and 12 cottahs, bounded on the—

North—By Maharani Sarnomayi Road and Harsi Street,

East—By Harsi Street and North Sealdah Road,

South—By North Sealdah Road and Railway land,

West—By the premises belonging to Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandy, the Mahammadan burial-ground, and premises No. 12, Maharani Sarnomayi Road,

and excluding one burial-ground and two musjids falling within this area,

PLOT NO. 2—

Measuring, more or less, 4 bighas, being a trapezoidal piece of ground enclosed between Canal West Road, Harsi Street and Maharani Sarnomayi Road,

are required within the aforesaid village of Sealdah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chief Engineer Eastern Bengal Railway, 3, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10132L.A.—The 19th December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Tippera for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Bidyakut, pargana Nurnagar, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 10 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Tippera.

North—By Raj Kumar Bhattacherjee and others' tank and nal lands,

East—By ditch of Raj Kumar Bhattacherjee and others, tank bank, and waste land of Peary Mohon Chakraverty, Krishna Chandra Bhattacherjee, Durga Nath Bhattacherjee and others,

South—By Rajah's khas tank and Hari Das Roy's low land

West—By homestead of Purna Chandra Acherjee, Hara Nath Shil, Ananda Chandra De, Raj Kumar Bhattacherjee and others,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bidyakut.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Rangpur.

No. 10046L.A.—The 16th December 1916.—In line 7 of declaration No. 8838L.A., dated the 7th September 1915, published at page 1511, Part I, of *Calcutta Gazette* of 8th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the District Board of Rangpur for the extension of the Inspection Bungalow at Fulchari, pargana Patiladaha, zilla Rangpur, *for* "3 bighas 1 cottah and 5 chitaks" *read* "3 bighas 13 cottahs and 2·8 chitaks," and in lines 10 and 12 *for* "East—By Meherullah and Baburali's land" and "West—By the District Board land" *read* "East—By Meherulla and Bowra's land." and "West—By Inspection Bungalow compound," respectively.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Dacca.
Jessore.

No. 9977Regn.—The 14th December 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Wahid (No. II), Joint Sub-Registrar of Rupganj at Narsingdi, in the district of Dacca, is appointed to be the Sub-Registrar of Bagherpara, in the district of Jessore.

Midnapore.

No. 10066Regn.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Ashutosh Bakhshi, Sub-Registrar of Egra, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for thirty days with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Howrah.
Midnapore.

No. 10069Regn.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Anath Nath Mukharji, Probationer of Howrah, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Egra, in the district of Midnapore, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ashutosh Bakhshi, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 10072Regn.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Surendra Chandra Khan, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Debra (Loādā) in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Bankura.
Midnapore.

No. 10075Regn.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Atul Chandra Bakshi, Probationer of Bankura, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Debra (Loādā) in the district of Midnapore, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Surendra Chandra Khan, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 10117Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Indu Bhushan Ray, Sub-Registrar of Srinagar, in the district of Dacca, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Bankura.

No. 10114Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Atul Krishna Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Sonamukhi, in the district of Bankura, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for thirty days with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

No. 10120Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Phani Bhusan Ray, Probationer of Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Srinagar, in the district of Dacca, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Indu Bhushan Ray, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 10122Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Ramani Mohan Majumdar, Sub-Registrar of Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, was granted privilege leave, under article 160 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 9195Regn., dated the 21st November 1916.

Dinajpur.

No. 10140Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Jitendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Registrar, grade V, Nadia, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Gaibandha, in the district of Rangpur, from the 24th October to the 1st November 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sarat Chandra Barman.

Nadia.
Rangpur.

Notification No. 7904Regn., dated the 23rd September 1916, posting Babu Nripendra Nath Basu, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Calcutta to Gaibanda, is hereby cancelled.

No. 10142Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Maulvi Reazuddin Ahmad, Probationer of Mymensingh, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kathiadi in that district, from the 16th to the 27th November 1916.

Mymensingh.

No. 10144Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Kshirod Chandra Chatarji, Joint Sub-Registrar of Howrah at Domjur, was granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for seventeen days from the 10th November 1916 to the 26th November 1916.

Howrah.

No. 10146Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Anath Nath Mukharji, Probationer of Howrah, was appointed temporarily to act as a Joint Sub-Registrar of Howrah at Domjur, with effect from the 10th November 1916 to the 26th November 1916.

Howrah.

No. 10147Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Srimanta Kumar Chakrabatti, Sub-Registrar of Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Rangpur.

No. 10150Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Surendra Krishna Ray, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Srimanta Kumar Chakrabatti, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Rangpur.

No. 10152Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Saleh, Sub-Registrar of Ramnagar, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the date of his relief to the 22nd December 1916.

Midnapore.

No. 10155Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Saleh, Sub-Registrar of Ramnagar, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to be the Sub-Registrar of Indas, in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Midnapore.
Bankura.

No. 10157Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Chaudhuri Gholam Kibriya, Sub-Registrar of Indas, in the district of Bankura, is appointed to be the Sub-Registrar of Manteswar, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the 3rd December 1916.

Bankura.
Burdwan.

No. 10162Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Tarak Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar, grade II, of Monohordi, in the district of Dacca, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-eight days, with effect from the 25th November 1916.

Dacca.

No. 10165 Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Phani Bhusan Ray, Probationer of Dacca, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Monohordi in that district, with effect from the 3rd December 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Tarak Nath Ray, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 10167 Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Gauranga Chandra Kabyatirtha, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Homna, in the district of Tippera, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th December 1916, until further orders.

Dacca.
Tippera.

No. 10171 Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Maulvi Raihan-ud-din Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Rampur Hat, in the district of Birbhum, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad.

Birbhum.
Murshidabad.

No. 10173 Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Sarbabijoy Ray Chaudhuri, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Sarahat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Rampur Hât in the district of Birbhum.

24-Parganas.
Birbhum.

No. 10175 Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Kshitish Chandra Gupta, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Eyarpur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Sarahat in the same district.

24-Parganas.

No. 10177 Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Sakhawat Husain, Sub-Registrar of Chandina, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Eyarpur, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

Tippera.
24-Parganas.

No. 10179 Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Maulvi Shaikh Muti'uddin, Sub-Registrar, grade I, of Sealdah, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

24-Parganas.

No. 10182 Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Pabna, is posted to Alipore in the district of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the date on which he joins that station.

Pabna.
24-Parganas.

No. 10003 Regn.—The 15th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Hai to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar, within the police-station Madhupur, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 10004 Regn.—The 15th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Hai to be the Kazi of the police-station Madhupur, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 10005 Regn.—The 15th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Rahman Ahmed to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar, within the police-station Gopalpur, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 10006 Regn.—The 15th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdur Rahman Ahmed to be the Kazi of the police-station Gopalpur, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 10109Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—In pursuance of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act (XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to establish an office at Assassuni having jurisdiction over thana Assassuni, in the district of Khulna, as an experimental measure for one year with effect from 1st January 1917: and

Khulna.

(*b*) in pursuance of section 5 of the Act the Governor in Council declares that the jurisdiction of the existing Sub-Registry office at Kaliganj shall be restricted to thana Kaliganj, consisting of police-stations Kaliganj, Shyamnagar and Debhata.

No. 10124Regn.—The 19th December 1916.—In pursuance of section 5 of the Indian Registration Act (XVI of 1908) and in modification of Notification No. 903L.R., dated the 26th January 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the Sub-Registry office at Shibganj, which has concurrent jurisdiction with the office at Khanjanpore over thanas Shibganj and Panchbibi, in the district of Bogra, shall have jurisdiction over thana Shibganj only, and that the jurisdiction of the office at Khanjanpore will be restricted to thana Panchbibi (comprising police-stations Panchbibi and Jaypurhat).

Bogra.

This notification will take effect on and from the 1st January 1917.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 247Eccle.—The 15th December 1916.—The Revd. Charles A. Newbery, River Chaplain, Calcutta, is appointed to act temporarily as Chaplain of Fort William, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st August 1916, in addition to his own duties.

Calcutta.

No 250Eccle.—The 16th December 1916.—The Revd. Canon E. F. Brown, of the Oxford Missionary Society, is appointed to act as Chaplain of St. James's Church, Calcutta, with effect from the 31st August 1916 or the subsequent date on which he took over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

No. 253Eccle.—The 18th December 1916.—The Revd. R. G. Jamieson, Chaplain, Church of Scotland, is promoted to be a Senior Chaplain with effect from the 26th October 1916.

No. 259Eccle.—The 19th December 1916.—The Revd. Edward Manley of the Oxford Missionary Society is appointed to act as Chaplain of St James' Church, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st December 1916 or the subsequent date on which he takes over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

No. 1522Mis.—The 15th December 1916.—Notification No. 240T-Mis., dated the 21st October 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st November 1916, which declared the Sikh Temple at Ramna, south of the Shahbagh, in the town of Dacca, to be a protected monument, is confirmed under section 3(3) of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904).

Dacca.

No. 1545Mis.—The 19th December 1916.—It is hereby notified for general information that during the Christmas and New Year holidays, the Reading-room of the Imperial Library will be closed on the 25th December 1916. On all other days (including Sundays, the 24th and the 31st December, and New Year's Day) it will be open from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

No. 794San.—The 18th December 1916.—Dr. R. B. Khambata, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P H., Officiating Special Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Malaria Research, Bengal, is allowed privilege leave for twelve days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1916.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

No. 2572S.R.—The 13th December 1916.—Applications for tickets of admission to the opium sale-room for the year 1917 should be made to the Finance Department, Government of Bengal, on or before the 20th December 1916.

Tickets for the year 1916, which have not already been surrendered, should be returned at the same time.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2609S.R.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Ramapati Chatterji, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Hooghly and Howrah, is appointed on probation, until further orders, to be the second Deputy Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, and is posted to Dacca in charge of the Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions.

Hooghly and Howrah. Dacca.

J. DONALD.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9226A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 9035A.—The 15th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Saiyid 'Abdul Qadir the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Bakarganj, for a period of three years from the 29th December 1916, and

Bakarganj.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Pirojpur Bench in the said district.

No. 9159A.—The 18th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 6 of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. E. Milsom, I.C.S., to be a Subordinate Judge in the district of Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.

No. 9163A.—The 18th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Abdur Raub Mazumdar the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Mymensingh, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Mymensingh.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Netrakona Bench in the said district.

No 9165A.—The 18th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Abani Mohan Gangali the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Mymensingh, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Mymensingh.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Netrakona Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 9167A.—The 18th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Nalini Kanta Ukil the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Nadia, for a period of three years from the date of this notification.

Nadia.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Chuadanga Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

RESIGNATION.

No. 9176A.—The 19th December 1916.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. George Frederic Chew of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate at Sharishabari and Jagannathganj, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 15th January 1917.

Mymensingh.

POWERS.

No. 8996A.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Suresh Chandra Basu, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Dacca.

No. 8999A.—The 12th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Suresh Chandra Basu, a Magistrate of the first class, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Dacca.

No. 9034A.—.The 15th December 1916.—Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (2), section 8, of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Governor in Council is pleased to invest Babu Jogindra Nath Pal, Deputy Magistrate, Faridpur, with the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of the said section.

Faridpur.

No. 9111A.—The 18th December 1916.—Maulvi Adiluzzaman Khan, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Rajshahi district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Rajshahi.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3731J.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Parada Kinkar Mukharji, Munsif of Khulna, is appointed to act as Additional Subordinate Judge of Jessore and Khulna, for the present to be employed at Khulna, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Gyanendra Nath Mukharji.

Khulna.

No. 3734J.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Khulna, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, *vice* Babu Parada Kinkar Mukharji, or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 3746J.—The 15th December 1916.—Babu Trailokya Nath Ray is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at Hathazari, *vice* Babu Gopal Das Ghosh, on leave, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

No. 3748J.—The 15th December 1916.—Babu Sitesh Chandra Sen is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, *vice* Babu Trailokya Nath Ray, or until further orders

Chittagong.

No. 3768J.—The 16th December 1916.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, No. II, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Lakhmipur, in the place of Babu Khagendra Nath Dutta, who has obtained leave for seventy-eight days with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Noakhali.

No. 3791J.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Hem Kumar Neogi, Munsif of Jalpaiguri, in the district of Dinajpur, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ashutosh Gupta.

Dinajpur.

No. 3793J.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Tej Chandra Mukharji is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Jalpaiguri, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Hem Kumar Neogi, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

No. 3796J.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Upendra Chandra Mazumdar, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Chikandi, in the place of Babu Tej Chandra Mitra, who has obtained leave for one month with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Faridpur.

No. 3798J.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, Munsif of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Kasba. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*), of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Kasba Munsifi.

Murshidabad.
Tippera.

No 3800J.—The 18th December 1916 —Babu Sarada Kumar Sen Gupta, Munsif of Kasba, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Berhampore.

Tippera.
Murshidabad.

No. 3802J.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Janaki Nath Mukharji, Munsif of Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dacca, to be ordinarily stationed at Manikganj. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Manikganj Munsifi.

24-Parganas.
Dacca.

No. 3804J.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Rebati Ranjan Mukharji, Munsif of Pingna, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Diamond Harbour. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (*1*), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Diamond Harbour Munsifi.

Mymensingh.
24-Parganas.

No. 3806J.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Ashwini Kumar Das Gupta, Munsif of Dacca, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Pingna. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (*1*), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Pingna Munsifi.

Dacca.
Mymensingh.

No. 3808J.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Bama Charan Chakrabatti, substantive *pro tempore* Munsif of Manikganj, in the district of Dacca, is appointed to be substantive *pro tempore* Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

Dacca.

LEAVE.

No. 3728J.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Mukharji, Additional Subordinate Judge of Jessore and Khulna now employed at Khulna, is allowed leave for nineteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th December 1916.

Khulna.

No. 3789J.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Ashutosh Gupta, Subordinate Judge of Dinajpur, is allowed leave for nineteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th January 1917

Dinajpur.

No. 3811J.—The 11th December 1916.—Babu Gopal Das Ghosh, Munsif of Hathazari, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave for two months, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 20th November 1916.

Chittagong.

No. 3812J.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Khagendra Nath Dutta, Munsif of Lakhmipur, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed leave for seventy-eight days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Noakhali.

No. 3813J.—The 15th December 1916.—Babu Tej Chandra Mitra, Munsif of Chikandi, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for one month, namely, four days under article 274 and the remaining period under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Faridpur.

POWERS.

No. 3750J.—The 15th December 1916.—Babu Nirmal Chandra Mitra, Munsif of Pirojpur, in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153(*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, (VIII of 1885).

Bakarganj.

No. 3752J.—The 15th December 1916.—Babu Shashi Jiban Sen, Munsif of North Raojan, in the district of Chittagong, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153(*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, (VIII of 1885).

Chittagong.

No. 3754J.—The 15th December 1916.—The following officers, employed in the district of Dinajpur, are vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153(*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, (VIII of 1885) :—

Dinajpur.

(1) Babu Satya Charan Mukharji, Munsif, Balurghat.
(2) „ Prandhan Bhar, Munsif, Raiganj.

No. 3756J.—The 15th December 1916.—The following officers, employed in the district of Jessore, are vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153(*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, (VIII of 1885) :—

Jessore.

(1) Babu Gopeswar Banarji, Munsif, Jhenida.
(2) „ Atul Chandra Ganguli, Munsif, Narail.
(3) „ Narendra Kumar Mukharji Munsif, Bangaon.

No. 3758J.—The 15th December 1916.—The following officers, employed in the district of Mymensingh, are vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, (VIII of 1885) :—

Mymensingh.

(1) Babu Manoranjan Ray, Munsif, Netrakona.
(2) „ Jyotish Chandra Neogi, Munsif, Bajitpur.
(3) „ Amrita Lal Mukharji, Munsif, Tangail.

No. 3760J.—The 15th December 1916.—Babu Rebati Mohan Goswami, Munsif of Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153(*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, (VIII of 1885).

Tippera.

No. 3762J.—The 15th December 1916.—Babu Harendra Kishore Chakrabatti. Munsif of Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, (VIII of 1885).

Dacca.

No. 3764J.—The 15th December 1916.—Maulvi Abdul Khaliq, Munsif of Hooghly, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, (VIII of 1885).

Hooghly.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 14138P.—The 12th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 4 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following persons to be Commissioners for the trial, under the said Act, of Ajit Krishna Sen, son of Satya Krishna Sen, who is charged with the offences specified in this Government Order No. 14139P., dated the 12th December 1916, namely :—

(1) Mr. A. H. Cuming, I.C.S.,
(2) Mr. W. S. Milne, I.C.S., and
(3) Dewan Bahadur Hari Nath Ray.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 2 (*a*) of the rules made under section 10 of the same Act (published under Notification No. 1198P.D., dated the 2nd June 1915, as amended by Notification No. 10873P., dated the 11th September 1915), to nominate the said Mr. A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., to be the President of the aforesaid Commissioners.

No. 14139P.—The 12th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor in Council directs that Ajit Krishna Sen, son of Satya Krishna Sen, who is accused of offences punishable under section 5 of the Explosive Substances Act, 1908 (VI of 1908), shall be tried by Commissioners appointed under the said Act, IV of 1915.

Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri and Darjeeling. Rajshahi Divn.

No. 14296P.—The 16th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 4 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. R. R. Garlick, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri and Darjeeling, to be a Commissioner for the trial of all persons accused in the Rajshahi Division of anything which is an offence under the Defence of India Rules, 1915.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 2 (*a*) of the rules made under section 10 of the same Act (published under Notification No. 1190P.D., dated the 2nd June 1915, as amended by Notification No. 10073P., dated the 11th September 1915), and in partial supersession of Notification No. 1411P.D., dated the 17th June 1915, to nominate the said Mr. R. R. Garlick to be the President of the Bench of Commissioners for the said Division during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. Cornes, I.C.S.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 16th December 1916.

No. 129.—Babu Sharat Chandra Sur, Sub-Engineer, third grade, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, with effect from the 1st January 1917.

No. 130.—The Governor in Council is pleased to confer the distinction of Honorary Assistant Engineer on Babu Krishnadhone Banarji, Sub-Engineer, with effect from the 1st January 1917.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 19th December 1916.

No. 19R.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information in continuation of Notification No. 15R., dated the 24th October 1916.

H. H. GREEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 16P.—16, dated Simla, the 7th December 1916.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

IN continuation of Notification No. 16P.—16, dated the 26th September 1916, it is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the Assam-Bengal Railway Company, Limited, for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Sreemuddi to a point on the Assam-Bengal Railway near Gangasagar, a distance of 32 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Comilla-Sreemuddi-Gangasagar Railway Reconnaissance Survey.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 19th December 1916.

No. 123Marine.—The following draft of rules which the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 29 of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884 (VI of 1884), read with sections 22 and 29A of that Act, proposes to make for regulating the grant of Certificates of Competency to Masters and Serangs of Inland Steam-vessels, in supersession of the previous rules on the subject published under the Government of Bengal, Marine Department, Notification No. 63Mne., dated the 16th July 1907, as amended by Notification No. 111Mne., dated the 25th August 1914, and under the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam Notification No. 137Mne., dated the 27th June 1908, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft rules will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th January 1917 and any objection or suggestion regarding them received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

DRAFT RULES.

Certificates granted to persons who pass examinations

1. *Certificates of Competency* will be granted to those persons who pass the requisite examinations and otherwise comply with the requisite conditions. For this purpose arrangement will be made for holding examinations periodically at the Port of Calcutta.

Examinations continued till all the candidates are examined.

2. The examinations will be held by the Port Officer, who is hereby appointed under section 22 of the Act, to hold such examinations, and one or more other examiners as the Government may from time to time appoint. They will commence early in the forenoon, and will be continued from day to day until all the candidates whose names appear upon the Port Officer's list on the day of examination are examined.

3. Candidates for examination must make their application upon the appropriate form (Exn. *2b*), which must be filled up at the Port Office. The form properly filled in, together with the candidates' testimonials and discharges must be lodged with the Port Officer not later than the day before the day of examination.

Testimonials of character, conduct, and ability required

4. Testimonials of character and of sobriety, experience, ability and good conduct on boardship for at least the last twelve months' service preceding the date of application to be examined will be required from all applicants. Applicants who have not served on boardship within the last twelve months will be required to produce, in addition to the preceding testimonials, certificates of a like nature from their employers, or, if unemployed, from some respectable house-holder. No candidate will be allowed to be examined unless he has served on boardship at sea or on inland waters two years within the last six years, and six months within the last three years preceding the date of his application to be examined.

Testimonials of Foreigners.

5. The testimonials of service of Foreigners and of British seamen serving in foreign vessels, which cannot be verified by the Port Officer, must be confirmed either by the Consul of the Country to which the ship in which the candidate served belonged, or by some other recognized official authority of that country; or by the testimony of some credible person on the spot having personal knowledge of the facts required to be established. The production, however, of such proofs will not of necessity be deemed sufficient. Each case must be decided on its own merits; and if the sufficiency of the proofs given appears to be at all doubtful, the point must be referred to the Government.

6. Testimonials of service of candidates must ordinarily be based on their employers' office-records.

Services claimed which cannot be verified from the employer's office-records must be authenticated by affidavits of men under whom such services have been performed as well as by an affidavit of the candidate himself.

Testimonials of service from European commanders will be accepted.

Certificates as to age.

7. Should any doubt exist as to the age of a candidate, he will be required to produce a certificate of birth or baptism.

Foreigners to know English.

8. Foreigners must prove to the satisfaction of the examiners that they can speak and write the English language sufficiently well to perform the duties required of them on board a British vessel.

In the case of natives of India who may not be able to speak English their certificates shall be endorsed to the effect that they are valid only for vessels manned and officered entirely by Asiatics.

Sight and Colour Tests.

9. Any persons, including the holders of Certificates of Competency, or persons about to apply for Certificates of Competency, if desirous of being examined in colours only, must make application to the Port Officer in Form Exn. *2a*, and pay a fee of one rupee.

10. No candidate will be examined in colours until he has passed the sight tests.

This rule must be observed whether the candidate has or has not on any previous occasion passed the sight tests.

11. Candidates who fail to pass the sight test can be re-examined at intervals of three months.

12. If a candidate fails in colours, it will be open to him to be examined again on three occasions only at intervals of three months. A fresh fee must be paid on each occasion.

13. A candidate who holds a Certificate of Competency, and, who, on presenting himself for examination for a certificate of a higher grade is unable to pass the colour test, will notwithstanding be permitted to proceed with the examination for the certificate of the higher grade.

14. Should he pass this examination, the following statement will be written on the face of the higher grade certificate which may be granted to him, viz.—"This officer has failed to pass the examination in colours."

15. Should he ultimately fail to pass the examination, a like statement, relating to his being colour-blind, will be made by the Port Officer on his existing certificate before it is returned to him.

16. Holders of certificates which bear the statement of their having failed to pass in colours, and who may desire to have the statement removed from their certificates, must obtain the special permission of the Local Government.

Qualifications for Certificates of Competency as Serangs.

17. *Examination in sight and colours*:—All candidates for Certificates of Competency must first be examined in sight and colours.

18. A candidate for a certificate as Serang of an inland steam-vessel must be not less than twenty-one years of age and must produce satisfactory certificates of sobriety and intelligence. He must have served four years at sea or on inland waters, the last year of which service must be as helmsman on an inland steam-vessel and shall be examined *viva voce* as to his knowledge in the following subjects:—

(1) the rules of the road,
(2) the general principles of river navigation,
(3) the storm signals,
(4) the port rules and knowledge of buoys, lights, landmarks, channels, sands, and set of tide in the ports of Bengal and their approaches,
(5) the provisions of sections 6, 29, 30, 50 to 60 of Act VI of 1884, and the rules or notifications issued under sections 29, 50, 50A, 51, 51A, 64 and 65 of the Act.

19. If a candidate fails, he will not be re-examined till he has rendered additional service for three months as a helmsman.

Qualification for Certificates of Competency as Second Class Masters.

20. *Examinations in sight and colours.*—All candidates for Certificates of Competency must first be examined in sight and colours.

21. A candidate for a certificate as second class Master of an inland steam-vessel must be not less than twenty-two years of age, and must produce certificates of sobriety and intelligence.

He must have served at least five years at sea or on inland waters, the last three years of which service must have been as helmsman (seacunnie) of a steam-vessel of over 50 nominal horse-power, or an alternative service

of three years as certificated serang in charge of a steam-launch of over 15 nominal horse-power, and shall pass a satisfactory *viva voce* examination in the following subjects :—

(1) the general principles of river navigation,
(2) the rules of the road,
(3) the management of small river steamers under all contingencies,
(4) storm signals,
(5) tide tables,
(6) port rules and knowledge of buoys, lights, landmarks, channels, sands, and set of tide in the ports of Bengal and their approaches,
(7) the provisions of sections 6, 29, 30, 50 to 60 of Act VI of 1884, and the rules or notifications issued under sections 29, 50, 50A, 51, 51A, 64 and 65 of the Act.

22. If a candidate fails, he will not be re-examined till he has rendered additional service for three months as a certificated serang or as chief helmsman of a steam-vessel of over 50 nominal horse-power.

Qualifications for Certificates of Competency as First Class Masters.

23. *Examinations in sight and colours.*—All candidates for Certificate of Competency must first be examined in sight and colours.

24. A candidate for a certificate as first-class master of inland steam-vessels must be not less than twenty-four years of age, and must have served as second class master in charge of a steam-vessel for not less than three years, or he must be not less than twenty-two years of age, hold a Certificate of Competency as second mate granted under the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1859, or the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and subsequent enactments or a certificate to which the provisions of any such Act have been made applicable under the Merchant Shipping (Colonial) Act, 1869, and have served as mate of an inland steam-vessel or master of a river flat for not less than one year; or he must be not less than twenty-four years of age, and must have served either not less than three years at sea and three years as mate of a river steamer or master of a river flat, or not less than six years as mate of a river steamer or master of a river flat.

25. Each candidate will be examined apart, and *vivâ voce* in each and all of the following subjects :—

(1) the rules of the road ;
(2) the management of river steamers under all contingencies ;
(3) Tide tables ;
(4) Storm signals ;
(5) The port rules and knowledge of buoys, lights, landmarks, channels, sands and set of tide in the ports of Bengal and their approaches ; and
(6) The provisions of Act VI of 1884, and the rules or notifications issued under sections 29, 50, 50A, 51, 51A, 64 and 65 of the Act.

26. If a candidate fails, he will not be re-examined till he has rendered additional service for three months as mate of a river steamer or as master of a river flat.

Failure.

Re-examination in case of failure. Certificate of lower grade.

27. (*1*) If a candidate has failed in his examination, but the subjects in which he has failed are not included in the subjects required for a certificate of a lower grade, he may, if he desires it, receive a certificate of such lower grade.

(*2*) If a candidate fails to pass in the subjects mentioned in rule 18, clause (*4*), rule 21, clause (*6*) or rule 25, clause (*5*), but otherwise passes a satisfactory examination, he shall be granted a Certificate of Competency but such certificate shall be valid only for that part of the province for which it is endorsed.

28. When a certificate of lower grade is granted to a candidate, as provided in rule 26, no part of any fee paid by him will be returned to him, and on presenting himself, when entitled so to do, for re-examination for the higher grade of certificate, he will be required to pay again the full fee.

Fees.

29. Candidates for examination in making their application on Form Exn. 2*b* will be required to pay the examination fee before any step is taken, whether by enquiring into their services or testing their qualifications or by following any other course prescribed by these rules. Should it be found that their services are not sufficient to entitle them to be examined, or should their testimonials be unsatisfactory, or should they, from any other cause, not be examined no part of the fee will be returned to them, but when they have fulfilled the requisite service, or are able to produce satisfactory testimonials, as the case may be, they will be allowed to again present themselves for examination for a certificate of the same grade without paying any further fee.

30. The fee for examination must be paid to the Port Officer. In any case in which a candidate offers money to any other officer, and in any place but in the Port Office, the candidate so offering money will be regarded as having committed an act of misconduct, and will be rejected and not allowed to be again examined for twelve months.

Fees to be paid by applicants for examination.

31. If a candidate fails in his examination, *no part of the fee will be returned to him.*

32. If the candidate satisfy the examiners as to his knowledge of the prescribed subjects, and generally as to his competency to command an inland river steamer, they shall certify the same to the Government, which will then grant a certificate to the candidate.

33. The fees are as follows :—

	Rs.
First-Class Master	16
Second-Class Master	6
Serang	4

General.

34. Certificates of Competency of first and second class masters and serangs shall be made and issued in the forms hereunto annexed.

35. Every Certificate of Competency shall be made in duplicate, and one copy shall be delivered to the person entitled to the certificate, and the other shall be kept and recorded by the Port Officer of Calcutta.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY

AS

First Class Master of an Inland Steam-vessel under Act VI of 1884.

To_____

WHEREAS it has been reported to His Excellency the Governor in Council that you have been found, after examination, duly qualified to fulfil the duties of First-Class Master of an Inland Steam-vessel under Act VI of 1884, I do hereby grant you this CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY as such First-Class Master, to ply in the province of Bengal.

By order of the Government of Bengal.

Given under my Hand and Seal.

Asst. Secy. to the Government of Bengal.

This ..... day of _____ 191

No. OF CERTIFICATE.

Address of owner_____

Date and place of Birth _____

Signature_____

Any master who fails to deliver up a Certificate which has been cancelled or suspended is liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 500.

N.B.—Any person other than the owner thereof becoming possessed of this Certificate is required to transmit it forthwith to the Government of Bengal.

Issued at Calcutta on the _____day of _____ 191 .

REGISTERED.

Port Officer of Calcutta.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL

CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY

AS

Second-Class Master of an Inland Steam-vessel under Act VI of 1884.

To

_____

WHEREAS it has been reported to His Excellency the Governor in Council that you have been found, after examination, duly qualified to fulfil the duties of Second-Class Master of an Inland Steam-vessel having engines of less than 80 nominal horse power under Act VI of 1884, I do hereby grant you this CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY as such Second-Class Master, to ply in the province of Bengal.

By order of the Government of Bengal.

Given under my Hand and Seal.

Asst. Secy. to the Government of Bengal.

This _____day of _____ 191 .

No. OF CERTIFICATE_____

BEARER_____, son of _____, by caste_____

Date * and place of birth showing village, thana and district_____

Residence, showing village, thana and district_____

Height_____

Personal description, stating particularly any permanent marks or scars _____

No. of Register Ticket_____

Signature_____

Any Master who fails to deliver up a certificate which has been cancelled or suspended is liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 500.

N.B.—Any person other than the owner thereof becoming possessed of this certificate is required to transmit it forthwith to the Government of Bengal.

Issued at Calcutta on the_____day of_____19 .

REGISTERED.

Port Officer of Calcutta.

* If not known exactly, must be stated on the best information or evidence available.

NOTE.—This certificate is valid only for vessels manned and officered entirely by Asiatics.

N.B.—The above note should be struck out when the certificate is granted to an English knowing candidate.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY

AS

SERANG OF AN INLAND STEAM-VESSEL UNDER ACT VI OF 1884.

To _____

WHEREAS it has been reported to His Excellency the Governor in Council that you have been found, after examination, duly qualified to fulfil the duties of Serang of an Inland Steam-vessel having engines of less than 30 nominal horse-power under Act VI of 1884, I do hereby grant you this CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY as such Serang, to ply in the Province of Bengal.

By order of the Government of Bengal.

Given under my Hand and Seal.

Asst. Secy. to the Government of Bengal.

This _____ day of _____ 19 .

NO. OF CERTIFICATE _____

BEARER _____ son of _____ by caste _____

Date * and place of birth, showing village, thana and district _____

Residence, showing village, thana and district _____

Height _____

Personal description, stating particularly any permanent marks or scars _____

Number of Register Ticket _____

Signature _____

Any Serang who fails to deliver up a certificate which has been cancelled or suspended is liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 500.

N.B.—Any person other than the owner thereof becoming possessed of this certificate is required to transmit it forthwith to the Government of Bengal.

Issued at Calcutta on the _____ day of _____ 19 .

REGISTERED.

Port Officer of Calcutta.

* If not known exactly, must be stated on the best information or evidence available.
NOTE.—This certificate is valid only for vessels manned and officered entirely by Asiatics.
N. B.—The above note should be struck out when the certificate is granted to an English knowing candidate.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 19th December 1916.

No. 122Marine.—Mr. A. J. W. Ward, Senior Master Pilot, is appointed, until further orders, to act as a Branch Pilot, with effect from the date he is placed on the general running list.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 14th December 1916.

No. 124Marine.—The following draft of an amendment which the Governor in Council proposes to make in the rules under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum within the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal (published under Bengal Government Notification No. 143Marine, dated 30th November 1914), is published for general information.

The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor in Council on the expiration of one month from the date of publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Draft amendment.

In part I of the said rules, after clause (*n*), the following shall be inserted as clause (*o*):—

"District Magistrate' includes "Additional Magistrate" in respect of such districts where there are Additional Magistrates.

F A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 9227A.

No. 9006A.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Debendra Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Birbhum, is allowed leave for three weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Birbhum.

No. 9009A.—The 12th December 1916.—Babu Sushil Chandra Datta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Tippera.

No. 9048A.—The 16th December 1916.—Babu Rebati Raman Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is allowed leave for three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 20th October 1916.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 9134A.—The 18th December 1916.—Babu Satish Chandra Guha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for one month, under article 242(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 25th November 1916.

No. 9148A.—The 18th December 1916.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors, named below, are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names:—

Babu Nagendra Nath Mazumdar	...	...	Nadia.
Maulvi Saiyid Ali Ahmad	...	...	24-Parganas.
„ Fazl-ul-Azim	...	...	Tippera.
Babu Mati Chand Pradhan	...	...	Darjeeling.
„ Ajit Kumar Basu	...	...	Dacca.
Maulvi Abu Muhammad Ubaidur Rashid		...	24-Parganas.

No. 9178A.—The 19th December 1916.—Babu Manindra Lal Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 5th December 1916.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 14441, dated Calcutta, the 12th December 1916.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Rai Sahib Girish Chandra Bagchi is placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st December 1916, until further orders.

No. 14525, dated Calcutta, the 14th December 1916.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Aghor Nath Ghosh, of the Kishoreganj Subdivision and Dispensary, Mymensingh district, is allowed privilege leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 27th December 1916 or any subsequent date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 14527, dated Calcutta, the 14th December 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Sita Nath Ghosh, officiating at the Madaripur Subdivision and Dispensary, Faridpur district, is appointed to act at the Kishoreganj Subdivision and Dispensary, Mymensingh district, during the absence on leave of second grade Assistant Surgeon Aghor Nath Ghosh, or until further orders.

No. 14769, dated Calcutta, the 19th December 1916.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Basanta Kumar Ray, Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, is transferred from Khulna to Saidpur, temporarily, with effect from the 9th December 1916.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

MAULVI DALILUR RAHAMAN, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Comilla Treasury from the afternoon of the 13th December 1916 and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

G. P. HOGG, *Collector.*

TIPPERA, *the 13th December 1916.*

BABU JITENDRA NATH SIRCAR, Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Darjeeling Treasury, with effect from the 6th December 1916, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

L. BURROWS, for *Deputy Commissioner.*

DARJEELING, *the 14th December 1916.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU TRAILOKYA NATH RAY, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Hathazari, in the district of Chittagong, is temporarily vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Hathazari Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT :
CIVIL,
The 11th December 1916.

BABU ASHWINI KUMAR DAS GUPTA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Pingna, in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Pingna Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 14th December 1916.

BABU REBATI RANJAN MUKHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Diamond Harbour Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 14th December 1916.

BABU SANTOSH SIL BANARJI, Munsif of Bankura, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Bankura.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 15th December 1916.

BABU JANAKI NATH MUKHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Manikganj, in the district of Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Manikganj Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 14th December 1916.

BABU SARADA KUMAR SEN GUPTA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Berhampore Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 14th December 1916.

BABU HEM CHANDRA MITRA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Kusba, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Kusba Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL,
The 14th December 1916.

General Letter No. 12.

To

THE DISTRICT JUDGE OF

Calcutta, the 7th December 1916.

SIR,

HIGH COURT.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT. *Civil.*

I AM directed to forward herewith, for information and guidance, the accompanying copy of a letter No. 4241-Com., dated the 10th November 1916, from the Government of Bengal, and of its enclosure, being a copy of the Notification of the Government of India, in the Commerce and Industry Department, No. 6806-W.-II, dated the 5th August 1916, directing the winding up of the businesses carried on in British India by the hostile firms mentioned therein, and the transfer of all proceedings in the winding up of the said businesses to the Government of Bengal.

2. In doing so, I am to request that you will be so good as to invite the special attention of the Courts subordinate to you to the matters set out in the letter of the Government of Bengal.

3. I am at the same time to point out that by a subsequent Notification of the Government of India, in the Commerce and Industry Department, No. 11063-W.-II, dated the 11th November 1916, the entry "27. The Beechwood Estate Company, Limited" has been deleted from the schedule appended to the Notification referred to in paragraph 1 above.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

No. 4241-Com., dated Calcutta, the 10th November 1916.

From—THE HON'BLE MR. J. DONALD, M.A., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department, Commerce,
To—The Registrar, High Court, Appellate Side.

I AM directed to invite the attention of the Hon'ble the High Court to the provisions of the Enemy Trading (Winding Up) Order, 1916, published under the Government of India, Commerce and Industry Department Notification No. 6200-W.-II, dated the 22nd July 1916. By this order the provisions of certain sections of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), relating to the winding up of a Company by the Court have been made applicable to the winding up of hostile firms under section 5 of the Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916 (now Act X of 1916). It is also provided by section 5 of the Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916, that for the purposes of any winding up order under the Ordinance, all powers exercisable by the Court under the Indian Companies Act shall be exercisable by the Governor General in Council or by such authority as he may appoint either generally or specially in that behalf.

2. The Government of India in their Commerce and Industry Department Notification No. 6806-W.-II, dated the 5th August 1916, a copy of which is enclosed, have issued a winding up order under section 4 of the Enemy Trading Ordinance in respect of certain hostile firms, and transferred all proceedings connected with the winding up of their businesses to this Government under rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding Up) Order. The powers of the Court referred to in section 5 of the Ordinance are now exercisable by this Government. The Governor in Council desires to bring these facts to the notice of the Hon'ble the High Court, with particular reference to section 171 of the Indian Companies Act, under which no suits or other legal proceedings can be commenced or proceeded with except by the leave of the Court against a Company in respect of which a winding up order has been made. Several suits are pending in the Civil Courts against certain of the firms referred to, and the Governor in Council fears that the provisions of this section as affected by the orders above quoted may possibly be overlooked by the subordinate Civil Courts in this Presidency. I am accordingly to request that, with the permission of the Hon'ble Judges, their attention may be invited to them.

NOTIFICATION.

The 5th August 1916.

No. 6806-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 4 of the Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916 (V of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the businesses carried on in British India by the undermentioned hostile firms; and in pursuance of rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding Up) Order, 1916, he is also pleased to direct that all proceedings in the winding up of the said businesses be transferred to the Government of Bengal :—

1. Messrs. Posner & Company.
2. The Indian Radium Company.
3. Messrs. A. Menges & Company.
4. „ Otto Shacke & Company.
5. „ Wolpert & Company.
6. The Devauville Company.
7. Messrs. Smidt Sanders & Company.
8. „ Hadenfeldt & Company.
9. „ R. Jager & Company.
10. „ F. Ad. Assmann & Company.
11. „ Orenstein & Arthur Koppel.
12. Jos. Rosenfeld.
13. Messrs. F. Schonert & Company.
14. „ E. Grueber & Company.
15. „ Holzmuller & Schmidt.
16. Fritz Kapp.
17. Thomas Paar.
18. E. J. Morgenstern, Florist and Agriculturist, Darjeeling.
19. Messrs. Meyer Soetbeer & Company.
20. A. Janowitzer.
21. The Austrian Export and Import Company, Limited.
22. Messrs. Alois Schweiger & Company, Limited.
23. „ R. Ditmar Brunner Brothers, Limited.
24. „ Schroder Smidt & Company, Limited.
25. The Deutsch-Asiatische Bank.
26. Mr. H. Boeckel.
27. The Beechwood Estate Company, Limited.
28. C. K. Rasch.

29. A. Schloss.
30. M. Wehmeyr.
31. F. Wurthle.
32. M. Schlesinger.
33. A. Grabowski.
34. A. Vonschuh.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 13th December 1916

No. 101.—Babu Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Professor of Mathematics at the Presidency College, Calcutta, *vice* Babu Bibhuti Bhushan Banerji, transferred to Burma.

No. 102.—Maulvi A. S. M. Azam is confirmed in his appointment as Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Burdwan Division, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from 21st March 1916.

The 14th December 1916.

No. 103P.—Khan Bahadur Maulvi Ahsanullah, Additional Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division (Jessore and Khulna), in class IV of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and ten days with effect from 13th November 1916.

No. 104P.—Maulvi Alfuzuddin Ahmed, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division (Calcutta and 24-Parganas), in class VII of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act as an Additional Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division (Jessore and Khulna), during the absence, on leave, of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Ahsanullah.

The 15th December 1916.

No. 104(a)P.—In modification of this office Notification No. 92-P., dated 24th November 1916, Maulvi Kazi Imdadul Huq, Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Dacca Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), under orders of transfer to Hooghly, is appointed to b · Head Master of the Calcutta Training School on the pay of his own grade with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Braja Lal Mukherji, about to retire.

This cancels the Notification No. 91-P., dated 24th November 1916, appointing Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachari to be Head Master of the Calcutta Training School.

The 16th December 1916.

No. 105P.—Babu Surendra Chandra Banerji, Systematic Assistant in the Department of Botanical Survey of India, is reappointed to be Professor of Botany in the Presidency College, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION—No. 4420Misc.

Calcutta, the 14th December 1916.

THE price-lists of staple food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), for the period from 1st July 1916 to 30th September 1916, having been approved by the Board of Revenue, Bengal, are published for general information.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

J. A. L. SWAN,

Secretary.

Price-list (retail) of Staple Food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared from July to

BURDWAN

1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
BURDWAN ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Burdwan, Nutunganj.	Rice ... ...
	Asansol ditto ...	Raniganj ...	Do. ... ...
	Katwa ditto ...	Katwa ...	Do. ... ...
	Kalna ditto ...	Kalna ...	Do. ... ...
BIRBHUM ...	Sadar ditto ...	Suri	Do. ... ...
	Rampur Hât ditto ...	Rampur Hât ...	Do. ... ...
BANKURA ...	Sadar ditto ...	Bankura ...	Do. ... ...
	Vishnupur ditto ...	Vishnupur ...	Do. ... ...
MIDNAPORE ...	Sadar ditto ...	Colonelgola and School Bazar, town Midnapore.	Do. ... ...
	Ghatal ditto ...	Ghatal Municipal Market.	Do. ... ...
	Tamluk ditto ...	Tamluk Bazar ...	Do. ... ...
	Contai ditto ...	Kantanala Bazar, town Contai.	Do. ... ...
HOOGHLY ...	Sadar ditto ...	Hooghly ...	Do. ... ...
	Serampore ditto ...	Serampore ...	Do. ... ...
	Arambagh ditto ...	Arambagh ...	Do. ... ...
	Howrah ditto ...	Ramkristopur ...	Do. ... ...
	Uluberia ditto ...	Uluberia ...	Do. ... ...

under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), for three months September 1916.

DIVISION.

5	6	7	8	9
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th September 1916.
	July.	August.	September.	
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last day of every month	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
27th of every month	7 12	8 0	8 8	8 1
Ditto	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
28th of every month	7 7	7 6	7 3	7 5
Last day of every month	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 5
Last Monday or Friday of every month ...	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 15
Last day of every month	8 4	7 12	7 6	7 13
Ditto	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 3
Ditto	8 1	7 9	7 14	7 13
27th of every month	8 0	7 13	7 10	7 13
Ditto	8 0	7 5	8 6	7 14
Last market day, *i.e.*, last Sunday or Thursday, whichever is nearer to the last day of every month.	8 0	8 0	8 12	8 4
Last Thursday of every month ...	7 10	7 8	7 2	7 7
First or last Saturday of every month ...	6 4	6 6	6 14	6 8
Ditto ditto ...	6 15	7 6	7 4	7 3
Last day of every month	7 0	7 3	7 0	7 1
Last Saturday of every month ...	7 0	7 0	7 4	7 1

PRESIDENCY

1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
24-PARGANAS	Sadar subdivision ...	Chetla Hât ...	Rice ... ...
	Barasat and Barrackpore subdivisions.	Barasat ...	Do. ... ...
	Diamond Harbour subdivision.	Magrahât ...	Do. ...
	Basirhat subdivision ...	Baduria ...	Do. ... ...
NADIA ...	Sadar ditto ...	Goari ...	Do. ... ...
	Ranaghat ditto ...	Ranaghat ...	Do. ... ...
	Meherpur ditto ...	Meharpur Kalibazar	Do. ... ...
	Chuadanga ditto ...	Chuadanga ...	Do. ... ...
	Kushtia ditto ...	Bahadurkhali ...	Do. ...
MURSHIDABAD	Sadar ditto ...	Berhampore Khagra	Do. ... ...
	Lalbagh ditto ...	Jiaganj ...	Do. ... ...
	Kandi ditto ...	Kandi ...	Do. ... ...
	Jangipur ditto ...	Raghunathganj ...	Do. ... ...
JESSORE ...	Sadar ditto ...	Jessore ...	Do. ... ...
	Narail ditto ...	Rupganj ...	Do. ... ...
	Magura ditto ...	Magura ...	Do. ... ...
	Jhenida ditto ...	Jhenida ...	Do. ... ...
	Bongaon ditto ...	Bongaon ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION.

5	6	7	8	9
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th September 1916.
	July.	August.	September.	
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last Wednesday of every month ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
Ditto ditto ...	8 2	7 5	7 5	7 9
Second Tuesday of every month ...	7 9	7 10	7 8	7 9
Last day of every month	6 14	6 15	6 11	6 13
28th of every month	7 4	6 6	6 6	6 11
Last Monday of every month	6 4	6 8	6 4	6 5
Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	7 6	7 6	7 9	7 7
28th of every month	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
Ditto	7 0	7 0	7 4	7 1
First Monday of every month	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
The last market day before the 28th of every month.	8 8	7 12	8 0	8 1
Ditto ditto ...	8 10	8 0	8 0	8 3
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	7 8	7 12	7 12	7 11
Sunday or Thursday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	7 4	7 5	8 0	7 8
Thursday or Sunday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Thursday falling on or next before the 26th.	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
Ditto ditto ...	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 15
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	7 13	7 2	7 7	7 7

PRESIDENCY

1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
KHULNA ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Khulna Bazar (*alias* Saheberhat).	Rice ... ...
	Satkhira ditto ...	Satkhira Bazar (*alias* Pranshire).	Do. ... ...
	Bagerhat ditto ...	Bagerhat ...	Do. ... ...

DACCA

DACCA ...	Narayanganj subdivision ...	Narayanganj Bazar	Rice ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Dacca town Imamganj Bazar.	Do. ... ...
	Manikganj ditto ...	Dasora Bazar ...	Do. ... ...
	Munshiganj ditto ...	Mirkadim ...	Do. ... ...
MYMENSINGH...	Jamalpur ditto ...	Raniganj ...	Do. ... ...
	Tangail ditto ...	Kagmari ...	Do. ... ...
	Netrakona ditto ...	Netrakona ...	Do. ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Nasirabad ...	Do. ... ...
	Kishorganj ditto ...	Kishorganj ...	Do. ... ...
FARIDPUR ...	Sadar ditto ...	Faridpur ...	Do. ... ...
	Madaripur ditto ..	Madaripur ...	Do. ... ...
	Goalundo ditto ...	Goalundo ...	Do. ... ...
	Gopalganj ditto ...	Gopalganj ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

5	6	7	8	9
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th September 1916.
	July.	August.	September.	
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last market day of every month ...	8 0	7 12	8 0	7 15
28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the 26th.	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 9
Sunday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Sunday falling on or before the 26th.	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0

DIVISION.

	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last market day before the 13th of every month.	6 10	6 10	6 10	6 10
Last market day of every month ...	7 4	6 13	7 0	7 0
Market day falling on or immediately before the 28th of every month.	7 6	7 4	7 4	7 5
Last Sunday of every month ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
Last market day of the 3rd week of every month.	7 7	7 4	6 11	7 2
Ditto ditto ...	7 2	7 2	7 2	7 2
Ditto ditto ...	7 0	7 8	6 13	7 2
Ditto ditto ...	6 14	6 10	6 10	6 11
Ditto ditto ...	6 14	6 5	6 5	6 8
Last market day of every month ...	7 8	6 12	7 0	7 1
On the market day preceding the 28th of every month.	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 3
Ditto ditto ...	7 3	7 6	7 6	7 5
Last market day of every month ...	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12

DACCA

1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
BAKARGANJ ...	Patuakhali subdivision ...	Patuakhali ...	Rice ... ...
	Pirojpur ditto ...	Pirojpur ...	Do. ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Barisal ...	Do. ... ...
	Dakhin Shahbazpur subdivision.	Bhola Hât ...	Do. ... ...

CHITTAGONG

TIPPERA ...	Brahmanbaria subdivision	Brahmanbaria ...	Rice ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Rajganja Bazar, Comilla.	Do. ... ...
	Chandpur ditto ...	Chandpur Old Bazar	Do. ... ...
NOAKHALI ...	Sadar ditto ...	Kalitara Hât ...	Do. ... ...
	Feni ditto ...	Feni Bazar ...	Do. ... ...
CHITTAGONG ...	Sadar ditto ...	Buxy Hât ...	Do. ... ...
	Cox's Bazar ditto ...	Cox's Bazar ...	Do. ... ...

RAJSHAHI

RAJSHAHI ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Saheb Bazar ...	Rice ... ...
	Noagaon ditto ...	Noagaon ...	Do. ... ...
	Nator ditto ...	Nator ...	Do. ... ...
DINAJPUR ...	Sadar ditto ...	Railway Bazar Hât	Do. ... ...
	Thakurgaon ditto ...	Lahirihat ...	Do. ... ...
	Balurghat ditto ...	Balurghat ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

5	6	7	8	9
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS. COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th September 1916.
	July.	August.	September.	
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 3
Ditto ditto ...	6 4	6 12	7 0	6 11
Last day of every month	7 4	7 8	7 4	7 5
Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	7 0	7 0	7 9	7 3

DIVISION.

	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	6 6	6 2	6 2	6 3
Last market day of every month ...	6 9	6 8	6 10	6 9
Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	7 11	8 0	7 10	7 12
Last market day of every month ...	7 5	8 0	7 5	7 9
Ditto ditto ...	8 4	8 13	8 5	8 7
Last Saturday of every month ...	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 11
Friday immediately preceding the 26th or the 26th, if that day happens to be a Friday.	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 11

DIVISION.

	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last day of every month	7 5	7 2	7 2	7 3
Ditto	7 10	7 7	7 9	7 9
Ditto	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 3
Last market day of every month ...	7 8	7 13	8 6	7 14
.....	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
.....	8 4	8 0	8 7	8 4

RAJSHAHI

1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
JALPAIGURI ...	Alipur Duar subdivision ...	Alipur Duar ...	Rice ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Dinbazar ...	Do. ... ...
RANGPUR ...	Sadar ditto ...	Nawabganj Chaliamad, Rangpur.	Do. ... ...
	Nilphamari ditto ...	Sagamacha ...	Do. .. ...
	Kurigram ditto ...	Kurigram ...	Do. .. ...
	Gaibandha ditto ...	Gaibandhabazar ...	Do. ... ...
BOGRA ...	District of Bogra ...	Kalitala Hât ...	Do. ... ...
PABNA ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Pabna Bazar ...	Do. ... ...
	Sirajganj ditto ...	Fariapati at Sirajganj.	Do. ... ...
MALDA ...	District of Malda ...	Balia Nawabganj ...	Do. ... ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

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Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS. COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th September 1916.
	July.	August.	September.	
	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
.....	7 10	6 4	7 3	7 0
15th of every month	6 13	7 5	7 3	7 2
Last Wednesday or Saturday, whichever may be next to the last day of every month.	6 4	8 1	8 0	7 7
Last Wednesday or Sunday, whichever may be close to the 28th of every month.	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 5
Last Saturday or Tuesday next to the 28th of every month.	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
27th of every month	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 7
Last Sunday of every month ...	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 13
15th of every month	8 4	8 2	7 8	7 15
Ditto	7 0	7 0	7 1	7 0
Second Wednesday of every month ..	10 0	9 6	8 12	9 6

CUSTOM HOUSE NOTICE.

ON the 28th, 29th and 30th December 1916 the Custom House including the Treasury will be open for work as usual.

On the 23rd, 26th and 27th December 1916, the Treasury will be closed but the Office will be open for the despatch of urgent business from 11-30 A.M. to 1-30 P.M.

On the 25th December 1916 and on the 1st January 1917 the Custom House will be entirely closed, work on boardship being allowed only on payment of the special holiday fee of Rs. 100 for each day in addition to the ordinary fee.

C. W. E. COTTON,
Collector of Customs.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE,
The 6th December 1916.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. for the transaction of urgent business only on the 28th, 29th and 30th December 1916.

N. BHAR,
Collector of Stamp Revenue.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.
The 19th December 1916.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power conferred on me under Government Order No. 168P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, I appoint Babu Kali Pada Hazra, Babu Atal Behari Sinha and Dr. Bhubaneswar Mitra and re-appoint Mr. Surjya Kumar Agasti to be non-official visitors of the Midnapore Central Jail for two years.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 13th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 272R.G.—Babu Manindra Lal Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 12th October 1916, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

This notification modifies the order in Notification No. 165R.G., dated the 25th September 1916, published at page 1860, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 4th October 1916.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 34M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the Nabadwip Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the general election of Commissioners held on the 13th November 1916:—

Number of Ward		Name
I	...	Babu Sitikanta Bhattacharji.
		,, Purna Chandra Mukharji, B.A.
		,, Dhiraj Kumar Banarji.
II	...	,, Gour Chandra Gosain.
		,, Satis Chandra Gupta.
III	...	,, Pramatha Nath Bhattacharji.
		,, Narayan Chandra Banarji, B.L.
		,, Ram Narayan Chatarji.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE. PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3192M.—In exercise of the power conferred upon me by section 19(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended by Bengal Act V of 1908, I appoint the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Nator, to be an *ex-officio* member of the Nator Local Board in the district of Rajshahi.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 11th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3195M.—In exercise of the power conferred upon me by section 19(2 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended by Bengal Act V (B.C.) of 1908, I appoint Babu Aghore Nath Chaudhury to be a member of the Naugaon Local Board, *vice* Babu Tarak Nath Sanyal, removed under section 18 (1) (*c*) of the Local Self-Government Act.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 11th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 62L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint Qazi Muhammad Kayem to be a member of the Ranaghat Local Board, in the district of Nadia, in the place of Qazi Muhammad Mutlub, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5461J.—Under section 19(2) of Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, I appoint Maulvi Abdul Raub to be a member of the Netrakona Local Board, in the district of Mymensingh, *vice* Maulvi Jalaluddin Ahamed, deceased.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 15th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 63L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me by the Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I do hereby take possession, under section 6, clause (*b*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, of the private ferry at Bangdoi over Bangdoi river on the Budhata-Bangdoi and Bangdoi-Ellarchak roads in the subdivision Satkhira, district Khulna, and declare it to be a public ferry.

2. In exercise of the powers delegated to me by the Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, I further direct, under section 35 of the aforesaid Act, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Khulna, and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all fines levied and the compensation received under the said Act, in respect thereof, shall be paid into the District Board of Khulna, with effect from the date of this Notification.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th December 1916.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2072R.—The 15th December 1916.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act. II of 1912, into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Rajarambari Rural Bank (registered No. 441 of 1913) in the district of Faridpur, that the Society ought to be dissolved:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the said Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Subdivisional Officer, Goalundo, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. M. MITRA,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under section 47(3) of Bengal Act V of 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to Improvement Scheme No. VIIC (Maniktala Spur) originally notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 6th January 1915.

C. H. BOMPAS,
Chairman, Calcutta Improvement Trust.

The 18th December 1916.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under Section 63 (5) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plan of a Proposed Public Street No. XII (Ballygunge Main Road), which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 28th June 1916.

C. H BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST, 5, CLIVE STREET, *the 6th December 1916.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 16th December 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 16th December 1916.

No. 263-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alteration shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 11255-W.-II, dated the 18th November 1916, as subsequently amended, viz. :—

REMOVALS.

United States of America.

Kempner, H., Cotton Exchange, Galveston, Texas.

No. 268-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations and additions shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, viz :—

(*i*) *Delete* the words "and tanned" *after* the word "raw" against item 50.

(*ii*) *Insert* the following new entry after item 37 :—

Articles.	Destinations.	Exceptions.
37 (a) Skins (tanned) ...	All destinations except the United Kingdom.	

No. 278-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall

be made in this Department's Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, viz.:—

Additions.

Assomull, W., and Co.
Central China Export and Import Company.
Chinai, J. C., and Co.
Ching Kee and Co.
Chiyoya.
Chop-Tong Chong (Wee Hock Siang and Co.).
Chop-Tek Hock (Yeoh Haing and Co.).
Gaston Williams and Wigmore Far Eastern Division Inc, Shanghai.
Hai Ho Conservancy Commission, Tientsin.
Honig, Bertin.
International Recreation Club, Peking.
Kingsley, T. L., and Co.
London Ladies Tailors.
Moysey, H. J.
Tien Zung and Co.
Tobacco Products Corporation.
Wee Hock Siang and Co. (Chop-Tong Chong).
Yeoh Haing and Co. (Chop-Tek Hock).

No. 279-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 139-C.-I.-D., dated the 2nd December 1916, viz.:—

For the words "No. 1903-W.-II" *read* "No. 9003-W.-II."

No. 288-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations and additions shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

After the word "kinds" against item 47 *insert* "(other than Konnam, Avaram and Velam barks and Divi Divi)".

Insert the following new entry after item 12, viz:—

	Articles	Destinations.	Exceptions and exemptions.
12 (a).	Konnam, Avaram and Velam barks and Divi Divi.	All destinations.	

A. H. LEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th December 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 15th December 1916.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps.

No. 1516.—Second-Lieutenant William Thomas Hamlyn to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 15th October 1916.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 1517.—Alexander O'Brien Webb to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 31st October 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2842M.—The 13th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Comilla Municipality, in the district of Tippera, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the provisions of Part IX of that Act to the areas of the said municipality the boundaries of which are specified below :—

Tippera.

No. 1—Mahalla Jannagar.

The area is bounded on the *East* by the river Goomti ; on the *South* by a line running due west from the bank of the river Goomti and passing by the north of the premises and lands of Mr. J. E. Courjon and Mrs. Weathral ; on the *West* and *North* by the Captan Bazar Lane No. 1 from a point opposite the tank of Tookkoo Mea, and on the *North* by Captan Bazar Lane No. 2, beginning from the south-west corner of Umed Ali Taluqdar's tank and passing eastward parallel to the same lane across the Goomti embankment up to the bank of the river Goomti.

No. 2—Mahalla Bagichagaon.

The area is bounded on the *East* by Bagichagaon (Telegraph Office) Road ; on the *North* by the Dacca-Chittagong Trunk Road ; on the *West* by the District Board road at Bagichagaon and a straight line running due south from a point where the District Board road turns west towards the Railway Station and terminating across the Kandirpar Road to its junction with the south boundary. The *South* boundary is a straight line drawn due west from the south-west corner of the tank attached to Maharaja's No. 7 Kothi up to its junction with the west boundary.

No. 3—Mahalla Kandirpar II.

The area is bounded on the *North* by a straight line drawn due east from south-west corner of the tank attached to Maharaja's No. 7 Kothi and crossing Kandirpar Lane III, passes eastward joining with Kandirpar Lane II near the north-east corner of the tank of late Babu Sarat Chandra Deb ; the boundary on the *East* and *South* is the same as Kandirpar Lane II ; the boundary on the *West* begins from the junction of the Kandirpar Lane II with Kandirpar Lane III, and passes north along the Lane No. III, up to north-east corner of Abhoy Chakravarti's tank, whence the line passes

westward and turns due north to meet the straight line forming the north boundary at a point opposite south-east corner of the tank attached to Maharaja's No. 7 Kothi.

No 4—Mahalla South Charta.

The area is bounded on the *North* and *East* by the existing latrine area; on the *South* the boundary passes along a line running westward by the south of Mahmed Gazi Chaudhuri's house up to the lane passing by the east of the Muhammadan Girls' School; then the line turns south and passes westward by the south of Girls School compound and terminates at its junction with the west boundary, which is municipal footpath or lane passing northward to the Circular Road.

No. 5—Mahalla Kansaripatty and Moulvipara.

The area is bounded on the *West* and *North* by the existing latrine area The boundary on the *East* runs south along a lane on the west of the Muradpur pound up to a point on the Muradpur Lane, then it turns west along the lane up to the Old Maulvi Bari tank; then passing by the east and south banks of the tank, runs west along a deep drain, then it turns south by the east of the houses of Nawab Ali-Nawab Chaudhuri and late Maulvi Arafar Rahman and terminates at a point on the south boundary, which is a deep drain beginning from the south-east corner of Maulvi Arfar Rahman's house and passes due west up to the Circular Road.

Bankura. *No. 2887M.—The 16th December 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the levy, by the Commissioners of the Bankura Municipality, in the district of Bankura, under sub-section (*l*) of section 279 of that Act, of a water-rate within the said Municipality.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*a*) of the first proviso to section 279 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased further to direct that the water-rate shall not be levied upon any house or land within the said Municipality no part of which lies within a radius of 1,320 feet from the nearest stand-pipe or other supply of water available to the public.

Calcutta. *No. 2906M.—The 18th December 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 12 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to the Hon'ble Mr. C. H. Bompas, I.C.S., Chairman of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 2nd January 1917, and furlough for the remaining period.

Calcutta. *No. 2921M.—The 19th December 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 13 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. J. C. K. Peterson, I.C.S., to act as Chairman of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. C. H. Bompas, I.C.S., on leave.

Khulna. *No. 2840L.S.-G.—The 13th December 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I(*a*) of Notification No. 317T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Nawapara Union, in the district of Khulna, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Khulna. *No. 2841L.S.-G.—The 13th December 1916.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Nawapara Union, in the district of Khulna, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Khulna.

No. 2838L.S.-G.—The 13th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in the district of Khulna into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Khulna ...	Bagerhat	Fakirhat	Nawapara.	9	Boiltoli ... 12 Piljanga ... 13 Barberia ... 14 Shyambagat ... 15 Bhadua or Firingidanga ... 16 Nawapara ... 17 Baliadanga ... 76 Shahapur ... 77	*North.* Lakpur (20), Ballabhpur (18), thana Khulna, Salberia (11), Barberia (10), Lalchandrapur (9). *East.* Pagla Shyamnagar (80), Dapara (79), Jaria (78), Jaria Sirganti (105). *South.* Kalshi Panchali (106), Udkul (107), Bhatpara Rasulpur (75), Paikpara (74), Paikpara (73), Sunagar (61), Jugidanga (60), Fakirdanga (59). *West.* Srikrishnapur (38), Mashkata (37), Nij Jaria (26), Kamardanga (24), Kahardanga (23).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Nawapara Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

3. This cancels Notification No. 75L.S.-G., dated the 14th January 1909.

Murshidabad.

No. 2904L.S.-G.—The 18th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint, with effect from the 23rd December 1916, Rai Baikuntha Nath Sen Bahadur to be Chairman of the District Board of Murshidabad.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART I C.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
SIBPUR. *the 9th March 1916.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 30th November 1916.

BABU PROMODERANJAN DAS GUPTA, M.Sc., is granted a Post-graduate Research Scholarship to the value of Rs. 100 a month for carrying on researches in the investigation of the Physical and Physiological values of Indian articles of diet in the Physiological Laboratory of the Presidency College, Calcutta, *vice* Babu Snehamoy Dutt, M.Sc., with effect from 1st December 1916, or any subsequent date on which he undertakes his researches.

The scholarship is tenable until the 30th June 1917.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

State Scholarship of £200 per annum tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries by Indian Girls or Women, 1917.

THE scholarship will be granted for medical, and occasionally for other educational or professional, courses and will be tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries, for a period of three years in the first instance, with a possibility of extension to five years. The scholarship will carry with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectation of such employment is held out.

2. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates from Bengal are requested to make application to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, not later than 31st January 1917. The application should be accompanied by (1) evidence of having obtained a degree of an Indian University in medicine or educational or professional courses; (2) a medical certificate of fitness to undergo, abroad, the course of study proposed; (3) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that she is a native of Bengal or domiciled in Bengal and of purely Indian parentage; (4) full details including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of her academical career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed; (5) full address of the candidate.

3. The State scholar is required to proceed to England within a reasonable time from the date of her selection, so as to arrive there not later than the middle of September, and to reside there for the period of her scholarship, unless compelled to return sooner in consequence of ill health. The scholarship will be payable from the date on which the scholar reports her arrival in England. The selected candidate will be provided with a second class passage to England, and with a second class return passage if she completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

4. Charges for University and college fees, for private tuition, for books, instruments, hotel bills, medical attendance and travelling (except the two journeys between England and India) are not defrayed by the Secretary of State.

5. For further particulars pages 1143 to 1155 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 21st June 1916, may be consulted.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th December 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th December 1916

IN supersession of this office notification dated 15th September 1916, the Post Graduate Scholarship of the value of Rs. 30 a month, reserved for Muhammadans and backward classes of Eastern Bengal, is awarded, on usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress, to Muhammad Somed Ali who passed the last B. A. Examination with second class Honours in Economics from the Dacca College with immediate effect.

The scholarship is tenable till 31st May 1918 in the Dacca College.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th December 1916.

JOGESH CHANDRA BISWAS, B.A., is awarded a Post Graduate Scholarship reserved for the Hooghly College of the value of Rs. 30 a month, for two years with effect from the 1st June 1916, on the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress.

The scholarship is tenable in the Calcutta University.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES OF BENGAL AND BIHAR AND ORISSA, 1917.

THE examination will be held at the following centres according to the following routine :—

Bengal.—Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (for Khulna), Dacca, Rajshahi, Barisal, Pabna and Rangpur.

Bihar and Orissa.—Bhagalpur.

Standard time.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, 9th March...	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, 10th „ ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Monday, 12th „ ...	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, 13th „ ...	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Elementary Engineering.
Wednesday, 14th „ ...	Surveying ...	Modern English I.
Thursday, 15th „ ...	Modern English II ...	Elementary Science.

[NOTE.—The Manual Training Examination will commence at 8 A.M. on 9th March, and will extend over two or more periods as may be determined by the Examiner.]

2. The examination will be conducted under the general supervision of the B Final Examination Board, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. All applications for admission to the examination must be despatched by the Principals and Head Masters of the institutions concerned so as to reach the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, who is Secretary to the Board, by the 18th January 1917. No candidate whose application has not reached the Principal by that date will be admitted to the examination.

3. The fee for admission to the Examination is Rs. 12, which will in no case be returned. Candidates must pay the fees when registering their names with the Head Master or Principal who will deposit the money in the Local Treasury and send the Treasury receipt with the application forms to the Secretary.

4. The prescribed Registration form must be used and the full details shown as required thereon. Forms may be obtained from the Secretary on application.

B. HEATON,
Secretary, B Final Examination Board.

SIBPUR,
The 28th November 1916.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of the 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1917, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
385	Huda Raskhali and others, pargana Azimabad.	19,410 10 0	.....	*1a. 2g. 2c. share in each of the 33 mauzas out of the 33 mauzas in the estate, *i.e.* excluding mauza Khakramuri.	Kali Krishna Chakravertti.	1,361 9 0	.....	147 6 0½
389	Mauza Santoshpur and others, pargana Balia	9,399 9 0	.....	*1a. 2g. 2c share in the estate.	Sita Nath Ghose ...	665 3 10	.....	98 5 7
401	Huda Ramkrishnapur and others, pargana Azimabad	8,941 9 7	...	* Ditto ...	Kali Krishna Chakravertti.	626 11 3½	.....	137 13 7½
956	Kismat Agarpara, pargana Agarpara.	4,496 3 0	Whole estate ..	.....	Bijoy Kali Roychowdhuri and others.	.....	153 5 1	.....

* All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

HEM CHANDRA CHATTERJI, for Collector.

24-Parganas Collectorate, Certificate Department, Alipore, the 12th December 1916.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Mymensingh, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26 Joint	Jemindary ph. Barabazu.	9,853 2 0	No ...	Joint share	Maulvi Wazed Ali Khan, Pani and others.	3,196 7 0	.....	237 3 3
26/3	Ditto ...	9,853 2 0	No ...	Separate account No. 3 6a. 8g. share of the estate.	Mr. E. Bignold, General Manager, Court of Wards, and others.	3,888 10 0	.....	126 5 6
9/Joint	Zemindary, ph. Atia ...	6,729 2 0	No ...	Joint share 5a. 4g. 1dt. 210 dhuls share of Kanchanpur, 5a. 9g. 1c. 2kt. 2dt. 301 37/480 dhuls. 2 kgs. share of Mangalhore, 5a. 9g. 1c. 1dt. 68 591/1440 dhuls 2kgs share of Lashkarpur and Dhangara, 5a. 9g. 1c. 2kt 1dt. 98 591/1440 dhuls 2kgs. share of all other remaining kismats of the estate except the entire 16a. share of kismats Maithun and Bethrail will be sold. And 10a. 15g. 2c. 3kt. 2dt. 149 dhuls share of Kanchanpur, 10a. 10g. 1dt. 58 443/480 dhuls 2kgs. share of Mangalhore, 10a. 10g. 2kt. 2dt. 291 849/1440 dhuls 2kgs. share of Lashkarpur and Dhangara, 16a. share of Maithun and Bethroil, 10a. 10g. 2dt. 261 849/1440 dhuls 2kgs. share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Maulvi Abdul Gafur Choudhuri and others.	525 10 0	.....	348 13 3
6153 Joint.	Zemindary ph. Atia ...	842 4 4	No ...	Joint share 13a. 8g. 3c. 1dt. 291 73/77 dhuls 74 tils share of kismats Shingharagi, Panisail, Betunjani, Ohhoto Begjan, Dari Bahar, Anoltara, Hudda, Banjuri, Kalisindur, Shialaid, Arrah and Babiapara with Chandina and 12a. 3g. 1dt. 1 dwip 291 73/77 dhuls 74 tils share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be sold and 2a. 10g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt. 68 4/77 dhuls 6 tils share of kismats Shingharagi, Panishail, Betunjani, Ohhoto Begjan, Dari Bahar, Anaitara, Hudda, Banjuri, Kalishindur, Shialaid, Arrah and Babiapara with Chandina and 3a. 16g. 2kt. 2dt. 6 dwip 68 4/77 dhuls 6 tils share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Hoshenjan Chaudhuri and others.	655 2 0	.....	24 2 11
18333	Joar Balumandi, ph. Baradakhat.	2,696 13 0	Yes ...	Whole estate	Sri Nath Ray Barman and others.	.....	1,032 3 6	.....
111	Zemindary ph. Nadrajal.	1,032 0 0	Yes ...	Ditto	Upendra Nath Chaudhury.	.....	268 13 0	.....

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 28th November 1916.

MIR HAFEZUDDIN AHMED, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrear due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
284	Taluk Char Panchash Hazari, pargana Shahajapur.	1 895 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jadob Chandra Bagchi and others.	.....	65 12 0	.....
285	Ditto ditto ...	2,326 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Roy Parvati Sankar Choudhuri and others.	.....	190 0 1	.....

Faridpur, the 17th November 1916.

K. B. GOSSAIN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1917 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
314	Pargana Battitaki, M Phulbheri.	1,602 3 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6. The following share of the mauzas will be sold— Mauza Sitibattitaki. ,, Abhoymukundapur ,, Astidangar. ,, Baja. ,, Bhatbar. ,, Bhuyan. ,, Bhajpur. ,, Chhatriabetya. ,, Dahuka. ,, Dangarpara. ,, Dasagram. ,, Durgachak ,, Dharmachak. ,, Kagerhe. ,, Krhaidangar. ,, Phulbherhi. ,, Gargarhyachak. ,, Gurhi. ,, Gobindachak. ,, Gobindapur. ,, Gopalbarh. ,, Jamaria. ,, Jote. ,, Kalankichi ota. ,, Karanji. ,, Kalikachak. ,, Kunorpur. ,, Kotai. ,, Khagrbabherhi. ,, Khursai. ,, Lakhanda. ,, Madhubarh. ,, Mahamadchak. ,, Mahasandichak. ,, Mamgna. ,, Mukundapurhat. ,, Palashidakhin. ,, Radhamohanchak. ,, Ramchak. ,, Ramdangar. ,, Salboni. ,, Simulya. ,, Siruchak. ,, Surlha. ,, Sousdaharchak. ,, Srichandapur. ,, Khandarbheri. ,, Tapsia. ,, Tala. ,, Taladiha. ,, Trilochanpur. 9a. 11g. 1kt. 1dt. share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ramanimoni Dasi, guardian of Amulya and Nibaran Chandra Jana, minors.	954 3 2	.....	73 9 3

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
962	Pargana Kasijora, M. Jhagarkona.	943 10 7	Entire ...	.....	Rajendra Nath Bag and another, and 4 others.	.....	73 15 7	.....
983	Pargana Kasijora, M. Maguri.	3,376 15 7	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, 4 annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and 2 others.	944 3 10	.....	74 7 10
1010	Pargana Kasijora, M. Purbapitpur *alias* Purbagopalpur.	1,353 14 8 Including police.	Entire ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	96 2 8 Including police.	.....
1025	Pargana Kasijora, M. Sridharbasan.	1,456 13 6 Including police.	Do. ...	.....	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and another and another.	.....	114 7 4 Including police.	.....
2171	Pargana Sabang, M. Hariharpur.	2,427 11 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7. The following share of the mauzas will be sold— A. G. GH. Mauza Hariharpur ... ... 4 7 2 „ Khelarchak ... 4 7 2 „ Khorai ... ... 4 7 2 „ Panpara ... ... 4 7 2 „ Pratapchak ... ... 1 10 0 „ Upalda ... ... 4 7 2 „ Palkchak ... ... 4 7 2 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Raj Krista De and 3 others.	603 10 7	.....	61 0 5 March to September 1916.
2246	Pargana Sabang, M. Mohar.	1,302 1 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. 1 only, 8 annas share of the mahal will be sold, All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Krishna Das Mandal and another.	651 0 6	.....	25 6 0
2699	Pargana Uttarbehar, M. Saharahat *alias* Sahara.	2,171 4 8	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3 only. 8 annas share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripasindhu Masanta and 2 others.	1,085 10 1	.....	85 1 1

The 2nd December 1916.

S. C. UPADHYAYA, for Collector on tour.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1916, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land-revenue.

When, in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement, it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.
1448	Mahal Darihat Rajbarigauj, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	721 18 0	Whole ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakravarty and another.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1510	Mahal Kali Das Ghatak share 4 annas, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	694 5 0	Do. ...	.....	Rash Behari De and others.	.....	12 3 1	.....
1661	Taluk Shibjoy Banerjee, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	.....	Residuary share containing 10 annas 13 gauda 1 kara 1 kranti will be sold. The remaining 5 annas 6 gauda 2 kara 2 kranti share will be exempted from sale.	Hira Lall Pal Chowdhary and others.	4,087 11 1	.....	517 0 0

Barisal, the 28th November 1916.

H. C. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Notices of Sale.

NOTIFICATION A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
339-0	Mallati, pargana Pissy.	.....	.....	2a. 9g. 3c 1kag annas share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Tarak Dasi Dasi, mother, on behalf of Kali Das and others.	1,131 0 0	.....	14 10 2
488-2	Sankarchandra, pargana Shahanzial.	.....	... ...	1 anna share ... ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukerjee	685 5 2	.....	174 5 2

Krishnagar, the 18th November 1916. BISWESWAR BHATTACHARYA, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estate in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2466 Ejmali	Manada Sundari and others, pargana Govindapur.	653 13 0	No	13a. 8g. 1c. 3k. 12 ths shares only The remaining 2a. 11g. 2c. 8 ths share of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Manada Sundari Dasi, guardian of Atul Chandra Ghose, minor, and others.	550 13 0	.....	Land Revenue— 24 3 9 Cess— 4 14 9 29 2 6

Rajshahi, the 17th November 1916. A. CASSELLS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with section 11 of Act VII of 1868, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.			Khash Mahal tenures.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
Lat No. 10 1937.	Haripur Tahasil Musa, Char-Rahim Meadi Madhasatta No. 24.	548 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sreemoti Asrafferessa Begum and others.	.....	Rent 119 14 Cess 9 9 129 7	.....
Lat No. 8 1686.	Chargazi Tahasil Madhasatta No. 3.	612 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Palaumean	.....	Rent 123 19 Cess 23 1 157 0	.....

Noakhali Collectorate, the 20th November 1916. B. C. PRANCE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
31	Pargana Durgapur, Ramkishore Bosu.	5,849 15 0	.....	S. A. No. 1, his. 2 as. 10 gds. ... ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 2 to 26 and residue share amounting to 13 as. 10 gds.	Maheschandra Pal	912 4 5	.....	319 6 11
112	Tappeh Kamrapur Ram Kishore Ghosh.	4,584 3 0	.. ...	Residue, viz :— ... ... 5 as. 6½ gds 2 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarali, Kamtal, Tengabo, Nanaki, Narandi, Aksha, Khargra Dhalchhatra, Goongaon, Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar-Maaiser. 2 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranir char, Oraba Bhargaon, Hasali Alunia, Bhaber char, Goalghooni, Joar Khagutia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur. 1 a. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Joar Panchamighat. 7 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Joar Durgapur, 8 as. of remaining kismat except Joar Gutiaba. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 to 26 amounting to 10 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarali Kamtal, Tengabo, Nanaki, Narandi, Aksha, Kharagra, Dhalchhatra, Goongaon Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar Maaiser. 13 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranirchar, Oraba, Bhargao Hasali, Alunia Bhaber char, Goalghuni, Joar Ghagutia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur. 14 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Joar Panchamighat, 8 as. 13½ gds. 1 kt. of Durgapur, 16 as. of Joar Gutiaba, 8 as. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Rai Chaudhury and others.	1,660 2 11	.....	268 5 8
194	Pargana Rajnagar, Chakla Nurpur Mudafat Hisya Rajkrishna Sen.	708 10 0	16 ans.	.....	Joy Chandra Datta and others.	.....	67 1 7	.....
201	Pargana Rajnagar Mudafat Hisya Rajkrishna Sen, Chakla Raipur Ramya Chandra Banerjee.	1,979 4 1	.....	Residue, viz., 8 as. 17½ gds. 1 kt. of Joar Daudpur, 16 as. of remaining kismats. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 and 2 amounting to 7 as. 2 gds. 2 kt. of Joardoudpur.	Ram Kamal Pal and others.	1,911 4 3	...	23 11 7
846	Pargana Rakanpur, tappeh Boukhanda John Hollow.	3,074 10 8	.....	Residue, viz., 4 as 6½ gds. 2 kt. of Ghior, Takurkandi Kandapara, Ghorer Char, Bandar, Bandakadamtali. Bandasundarpur, Banda Karatia, Degreerchar, 4 as. 10 gds. of Benodepur, 7 as. of Safulli, 8 as. 6½ gds. 2 kt. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Rai Chaudhuri and others.	1,558 14 5	.....	27 13 8
9013	Pargana Nasti, kt. Sallilya in char Mirpur.	961 0 0	.....	Residue, hisya 12 as. 9½ gds. 8 til ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz.:— S. A. No. 1, hisya 3 as. 10 gds. 2 kt.	Mahini Kanta Saha Choudhuri and others.	750 2 6	.....	86 2 3
10802	Surplus to Rajrajeswar.	1,338 0 0	16 annas ...	.....	Suryya kumar Das and others.	.....	99 12 1	.....
10804	Pargana Nasti, surplus to Porakanda.	1,388 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rajkumar Bondapadhya.	.....	644 0 0	.....
10808	Tappeh Ban Bhowal surplus to Baloo char in mauza Gaimpur.	1,330 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rani Ananta Sundari Debi Choudhurani and others.	.....	35 7 8	.....
10946	Surplus to mauza Bil Xamarta.	649 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bibhabati Debi ...	.....	40 12 0	.....
15646	Pargana Nasti, parcel of land excluded from estate No. 10804.	564 8 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakrabarty.	.....	5 2 7	.....
15642	Dearah, mahal Saydpur.	555 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Parbati Sundari Dasya and others.	.....	1,410 0 0	.....
15730	Dearah, mahal Rahitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Mr. F. W. Needham	.....	2,565 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 3rd November 1916.

S. C. SINHA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Pabna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1917 for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
104	Pargana Islampur, Islampur.	24,335 7 0	...	*Separate account No. 2— 3as. 13gds. 1 kora and 1 kranti share of the estate.	Debendra Narayan Singha.	4,056 14 3	...	608 9 9

* All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

G. C. CHATTERJEE, Collector.

Pabna, the 7th December 1916.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 12th December 1916.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,00,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs 95,41,866 1 1			
Ditto ditto at Branches	„ 1,19,78,273 6 9	2,15,20,139	7	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		20,33,99,888	14	3
Bank Post Bills, etc.		18,80,621	2	4
Sundries		16,79,546	5	10
		26,89,80,195	14	3

ASSETS

		Rs	A	P.
Government Securities		6,51,80,682	12	0
Other authorized Investments		1,11,08,145	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		2,90,96,810	8	7
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,57,56,204	11	1
Bills discounted and purchased		3,21,67,136	10	4
Balances with other Banks		31,47,123	11	0
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		29,70,851	12	1
Stamps		11,209	10	1
Sundries		3,69,592	5	2
		19,98,07,757	0	4
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 3,00,09,348 18 9			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs 3,91,63,090 0 2	6,91,72,438	13	11
		26,89,80,195	14	3

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs.; value Rs. 3,51,555 0 0
† Do 2s do „ 8,70,825 0 0
Rs. 12,22,380 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 8 per cent.
Percentage, 30·31

By order of the Directors.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 14th December 1916

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer

(2734—1)

DISTRICT CHARITABLE SOCIETY.

Cash Account for the month of October, 1916.

Budget for 1916.	Income	October 1916.	Total.	Total from January to October 1916.	Budget for 1916.	Expenditure.	October 1916.	Total	Total from January to October 1916.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	GRANT-IN-AID—					POOR RELIEF—			
14,400	Government of India	1,200 0 0		12,000 0 0	23,585	Through Indian Committee, Pensions.	1,993 10 0		20,981 9 0
3,000	,, ,, Bengal	250 0 0		2,500 0 0					
1,000	Sunday fees	.....		7,110 0 0					
699	Corporation to Alms House.	.....		91 7 0	1,900	Through Indian Committee, Establishment.	155 0 0		1,543 7 0
2,000	Royal Calcutta Turf Club.	.....		.....	22,000	Central Office, Pensions.	1,754 0 0		17,038 0 0
			1,450 0 0		4,000	Central Office, Schooling.	226 8 0		2,358 0 0
					8,500	Central Office, Casual Relief.	598 10 9		9,359 10 6
	PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTIONS—				1,200	Central Office, Training and Outfit.	33 0 0		577 10 6
6,000	Recurring	79 0 0		4,588 0 0					
6,000	New Subscriptions and Donations.	169 0 0		7,459 12 6					
180	Contribution to vards rent.	.....		135 0 0	1,500	Central Office, Private Orders.	97 0 0		877 0 0
600	Xmas Dinner collections.	.....		.....	200	Central Office, A. G. Apcar's Charity.	.....		138 12 0
			248 0 0		600	Central Office, Xmas Dinner account.	.....		4 2 0
	DONATION TO INDIAN COMMITTEE—				720	Howrah Committee	.....		.....
100	Received by the Central Office.	.....		.....				4,857 12 9	
			.....			ALMS HOUSE—			
					3,864	Establishment and Enquiry Officer.	332 0 0		3,390 0 0
					15,000	Dieting	1,078 1 9		11,042 12 6
					2,000	Contingencies ...	189 15 9		2,025 12 3
					1,000	Clothing and Bedding.	.....		776 7 0
	INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS—								
600	General Fund ...	.....		280 0 0	1,500	Repairs	.....		899 0 0
21,000	Trust Funds "A" ...	.....		22,444 15 7	5,500	Bakery account ...	421 11 6		4,367 3 3
19,000	,, ,, "B" ...	100 0 0		12,207 11 9	8,000	Oil-crushing account	157 2 5		7,918 13 0
			100 0 0					2,161 15 6	
	RELIEF FUNDS—								
1,500	Private orders ...	37 0 0		831 9 0		ESTABLISHMENT—			
200	Apcar's Charity ...	.....		200 0 0	9,174	Central Office, Staff and Menials.	757 8 0		8,412 0 0
			37 0 0		300	Auditing	.....		300 0 0
					1,200	Rent	100 0 0		1,000 0 0
					750	Contingencies ...	26 14 6		867 3 6
					850	Printing and advertising.	3 0 0		778 15 0
	ALMS HOUSE—							887 6 6	
6,800	Bakery account ...	459 2 0		4,857 11 6					
9,000	Oil-crushing account	482 3 9		5,658 11 9					
			941 5 9						
8,000	DeSouza Home ...	565 0 0		6,028 12 3		SUNDRY CHARGES—			
	Deposit account ...	.....		2,332 11 10	100	Bank of Bengal ...	2 6 1		67 12 4
			565 0 0					2 6 1	
			3,341 5 9	88,624 7 2					
	Stock Account Ram Sebuk Chatterjee's Fund.	.....	.....	500 0 0					
	Mrs. R. A. Claudius' Fund.	.....	.....	1,600 0 0	8,000	DeSouza Home ...	525 11 6		6,048 12 3
					3,005	Deposit account ...	104 10 0		4,856 0 4
								630 5 6	
								8,539 14 4	1,05,048 14 4
						Bank of Bengal Safe Custody Deposit Account.	.....		2,100 0 0
								.....	
1,19,779	Total ...	.....	3,341 5 9	90,724 7 2	1,26,428	Total ...	.....	8,539 14 4	1,07,148 14 4

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance	.....	17,234 11 10	Total payments from 1st January to 31st October 1916.	.....	1,07,148 14 4
			Cash in hand	507 1 0	
Total Receipts from 1st January to 31st October 1916.	.....	90,724 7 2	Balance at Bank	897 14 11	
				1,404 15 11	
			Less cheques not cashed	594 11 3	
					810 4 8
Total ...	.....	1,07,959 3 0	Total ...	.....	1,07,959 3 0

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd November 1916.

S. K. BHUTTACHARJEE,
Accountant.

PERCY W. WOOLLA,
Secretary.

			Rs.	Rs.
1915	Donations and New Subscriptions,	January to September ...	13,536	
	,, ,, ,,	October	574	
				14,110
1916	,, ,, ,,	January to September ...	14,493	
	,, ,, ,,	October	169	
				14,662

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to an order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, made in Execution Case No. 31 of 1916 (Bolohari Singh and others *versus* Benodini Dasee) and dated 14th day of June 1916 and in execution of a decree of the Calcutta Court of Small Causes and dated the 9th day of August 1915 by the Sheriff of Calcutta, in his sale-room in the ground-floor of the High Court by public auction on Friday, the 12th day of January 1917, at 12 o'clock noon the undermentioned properties belonging to the defendant :—

(1) All that the partly upper-roomed and partly lower-roomed brick-built house together with the piece or parcel of land on part whereof the same stands containing by estimation 7 cottahs, more or less, situate, lying at and being the premises No. 1, Nebutala Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by the premises No. 2, Nebutala Lane, east partly by the municipal filled up ditch and partly by the tiled hut of Thakurdas, fisherman, south partly by the said tiled hut, and partly by Sankaritola Lane, west by Nebutala Lane.

There is, so far as appears from a search made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, from the year 1865 to 1916, no encumbrance affecting the property to be sold save and except the following :—

Mortgage dated the 7th day of June 1911, executed by Sreemutty Benodini Dasee, in favour of Behari Lall Nath of Bhatpara, thana Jagatdal, district 24-Parganas, for securing repayment of rupees one thousand with interest thereon at the rate of one per cent. per month with quarterly rests within three years.

The sums for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered are rupees two hundred and seventy-five annas ten and pies six, being the amount mentioned in the said decree besides costs of execution.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

E. H. BRAY, Sheriff.

S. C. Datta, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Calcutta High Court, Sheriff's Office, the 12th day of December 1916. (2730—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to the order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, dated the 9th day of May 1916, and made in Execution Case No. 32 of 1915 of the said Court and made in execution of the decree, dated the 28th day of April 1908, of the Court of the Second Subordinate Judge of Alipore made in suit No. 49 of 1908 (wherein Gopal Chandra Sadkhan is plaintiff and Sreemutty Chundunmoney Dassee and another are defendants), by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room at the Court House by public auction at 12 o'clock noon, on Friday, the 12th day of January 1917, the following properties belonging to the defendant Sreemutty Aghoremoni Dassi :—

Lot No. I.—The undivided half part or share of and in the two-storied house and premises No. 32-3 Amherst Street, in the town of Calcutta, containing an area of about 1 cottah 13 chitaks and 32½ square feet, being in block No. VII and holding No. 121 in the north division of the said town of Calcutta, the Government revenue payable to the Calcutta Collectorate in respect of the entire holding, being Rs. 1-6-4 annually, and bounded as follows :—viz., on the north by Corris Church Lane, on the west by the house of Issur Chunder Sadkhan in Amherst Street, on the south by the house of Sreemutty Monmohini Dassi in Pataldanga Lane and on the east by the house of Kirtibash Singha in Corris Church Lane.

Lot No. II.—The undivided half share of and in the two-storied house and premises No. 24, Ismail Madan Lane, formerly known as Dhurrumtollah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, containing an area of about 1 cottah 2 chitaks and 31½ square feet, being in block X and holding No. 150 in the north division of the said town of Calcutta, the Government revenue payable in respect of the entire holding being six annas and eleven pies annually to the Collector of Calcutta, and bounded as follows :—viz., on the north by Boolioo Agarwalla's stable, on the south by Ismail Madan Lane, on the east by the house and premises No. 23, Ismail Madan Lane, and on the west by No. 25, Ismail Madan Lane.

It appears from searches made in the office of the Registrar and Joint Sub-Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, that there are no encumbrances affecting the said attached property No. 32-3, Amherst Street, and 24, Ismail Madan Lane.

The sums for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 8,851-5-3, being the amount of the decree in the above suit No. 49 of 1908 of the said Second Subordinate Judge's Court, Alipore, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from 28th April 1908, the date of the said decree, till realisation besides costs of execution less Rs. 3,767-11-8 realised on the 16th March 1911, and also less Rs. 2,607-0-1 realised on the 7th September 1915.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

E. H. BRAY, Sheriff.

Panna Lal De, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Sheriff's office, the 12th day of December 1916. (2731—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the court-house on Saturday, the 6th day of January 1917, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon pursuant to a decree and orders of the said Court, dated, respectively, the 15th day of January 1897, 12th day of August 1899, 8th day of September 1909, 17th day of June 1913 and 4th day of April 1914, made in suit No. 234 of 1896 (wherein Sreematy Nirodamani Dasi is the plaintiff and Akshay Kumar Das and others are the defendants) the undermentioned properties :—

Lot No. 1.—All that piece or parcel of tenanted land situate, lying at and being premises No. 47-2, Serpentine Lane, formerly being a portion of the entire premises No. 47, Serpentine Lane, in holding No. 350, Block No. 1, in the south division of the town of Calcutta containing by measurement 1 cottah 10 chitaks and 22 square feet excluding the common passage and butted and bounded on the north partly by the passage common to the said premises Nos. 47-2 and 47-1, Serpentine Lane, and partly by the lane common to the premises Nos. 47, 47-1 and 47-2, Serpentine Lane, on the east partly by the premises No. 6, Dixon Lane, and partly by the premises No. 7, Dixon Lane, on the south partly by the premises No. 7, Dixon Lane, and partly by the premises No. 8, Dixon Lane and on the west partly by the premises No. 45, Serpentine Lane, and partly by the premises No. 45-1, Serpentine Lane, the annual Government revenue payable in respect of the entire holding being Rs. 2-12-8 only.

Lot No. 2.—All that piece or parcel of tenanted land situate, lying at and being premises No. 47, Serpentine Lane, formerly a portion of the entire premises No. 47, Serpentine Lane, in holding No. 350, Block No. 1 in the south division of the town of Calcutta containing by measurement 2 cottahs 6 chitaks and 23 square feet excluding the common passage and butted and bounded on the north by Serpentine Lane, on the east by a lane with side open drain common to the premises Nos. 47, 47-1 and 47-2, Serpentine Lane, on the south by the premises No. 47-1, Serpentine Lane, and on the west by the premises No. 46, Serpentine Lane, the annual Government revenue payable in respect of the entire holding being Rs. 2-12-8 only.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's office in the court-house or at the office of Babu Sarat Chandra Ghose, Attorney for the plaintiff, at No. 5, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

Sarat Ch. Ghose, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, dated the 27th day of November 1916. (2712—1—2809)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court House on Saturday, the 6th day of January 1917, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the decrees and order of the said Court made in suit No. 487 of 1906 (wherein Sasi Bhusan Dey is the plaintiff and Akbar Khan and others are the defendants), and dated respectively the 9th day of December 1907, the 26th day of March 1909 and the 27th day of April 1914, the undermentioned properties described in the mortgage in suit as follows :—

Lot No. I.—All that upper-roomed, brick built messuage tenement or dwelling-house and premises, together with the pieces or parcels of land or ground thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 7 cottahs and 12 chitaks, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being (formerly) premises Nos. 7 and 8, Taltolla Lane (at present *No. 7, Taltolla Lane*), in the town of Calcutta and being block No. VIII, holding No. 144, south division, and butted and bounded in the manner following, that is to say, on the north by a public road, on the east by the premises (formerly) No. 9 (but at present forming the western portion of No. 8), Taltolla Lane, on the south by the land belonging to Shiroo Khansama, and on the west by the premises No. 6, Taltolla Lane, the annual ground-rent payable for which is rupee 1 annas 8 and pies 3 only.

Lot No. II (a).—All that brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house and premises, together with the piece or parcel of land or ground thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 4 cottahs 13 chitaks and 40 square feet, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being (numbered and formerly) premises No. 9, Taltolla Lane, in the town of Calcutta (now numbered and forming the *western portion of No. 8, Taltolla Lane*), being block No. VIII, holding No. 141, south division, and butted and bounded in the manner following, that is to say, on the north by Taltolla Lane, on the east by the premises (formerly) No. 10, Taltolla Lane (but at present forming the eastern portion of the premises No. 8, Taltolla Lane), on the south by the land belonging to Golam Ostagur, and on the west by the premises No. 7, Taltolla Lane, and the annual ground-rent for which is annas 13 only.

Lot No. II (b).—All that brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house and premises together with the piece or parcel of land or ground thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation 4 cottahs and 8 chitaks, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being (formerly) premises No. 10, Taltolla Lane (now numbered and forming the *eastern portion of No. 8, Taltolla Lane*), in the town of Calcutta and being block No VIII, holding No. 140, in the south division, and butted and bounded in the manner following, that is to say, on the north and east by Taltolla Lane, on the south by the dwelling-house of Ramjan Sircar, and on the west by the premises (formerly) No. 9 (but now forming the western portion of the premises No. 8), Taltolla Lane, the annual ground-rent payable for which is annas 11 only.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the undersigned or at the office of Babu Surendra Nath Das, Attorney for the plaintiff, at No. 9, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

Surendra Nath Das, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 23rd day of November 1916.

(2706—1—2830)

SUIT No. 417 OF 1916.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

NOTIFICATION.

PURSUANT to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 417 of 1916 (wherein Fakhrannessa Bibi is the plaintiff and Mussamat Khatija Bibi and others are the defendants), the creditors of Haji Meerza Kareem Beg, late of No. 140, Machooa Bazar Street, Calcutta, who died on or about the 29th day of January 1904, are, on or before the 8th day of January 1917, to send to the office of the Registrar of this Court on its Original Side their names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them ; or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

Every creditor, holding any security, may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar with the particulars of his claim, or shall produce the same before the Assistant Referee in the Court House on Monday, the 29th day of January 1917, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Each claimant should send in his statement of claim with a Court-fee stamp of Rs. 2 affixed thereon.

S. C. MITRA,
Assistant Master and Referee.

R. L. Mullick, Attorney for the plaintiff.

Calcutta, the 16th December 1916.

(2784—1—2831)

PROCLAMATION OF SALE.

In the Court of 1st Sub-Judge, Midnapore.

Jogendra Nath Maity, Jotindra Nath Maity, Dhirendra Nath Maity, Girindra Nath Maity, Surendra Nath Maity, Hrishikesh Maity and Pranabesh Maity, minor, represented by their guardian mother Shrimati Kiran Shashi Dei, village Natshal, pargana Mohisadal, district Midnapore, decree-holders, *versus* Baikuntha Nath Kotal, Bhusan Chandra Kotal, Girish Chandra Kotal, Harish Chandra Kotal, Jogendra Nath Kotal, Surendra Nath Kotal, Narendra Nath Kotal, minor, represented by his guardian brother, Surendra Nath Kotal, village Lalpatia, pargana Daro, district Midnapore, judgment-debtors.

I. Twelve annas share of mauza Chanpijalpai consisting of 126 bighas 19 cottahs 12 chitaks of land under the Mohisadal in thana and sub-register Mohisadal, district Midnapore, it is to be sold for Rs. 2,030.

II. The whole of mauza Dhobanala Seoichak consisting of 260 bighas 7 cottahs 15 chitaks of land under the Government khas mahal in pargana Darodubnan, district Midnapore, it is to be sold for Rs. 390 out of 260 bighas 7 cottahs 15 chitaks of lands only. Rs. 100 is the rent for 105 bighas 9 cottahs 13 chitaks arable land. The remaining land is patit.

III. The whole of mauza Moniruddinchar consisting of 844 bighahs 1 cottah 4 chitaks of land having nijjote maliki right of judgment-debtors under Government khas mahal in pargana Daro, thana Suttahatta, sub-register Kukrahatti. Its rent is Rs. 597.

The jote right of judgment-debtor is to be sold for Rs. 9,580.

SYAMA CHARAN CHAKRABERTTY,
1st Sub-Judge.

Midnapore, the 6th December 1916.

(2681—1—2829)

SALE NOTIFICATION.

In the Court of the 3rd Sub-Judge, Tippera.

EXECUTION CASE No. 247 OF 1916.

Manmatha Nath Basak, decree-holder.

Ramani Ranjan Ray Chaudhuri, judgment-debtor.

Date of sale, 5th February 1917.

TAUZI No. ⅘ of the Tippera Collectorate, taluk Govindaram Ray, pargana Mahabatpur, police-station Matlab, mauzas Baishpur, Bhawanipur and others, and police-station Chandpur, mauzas Bakhargaon, Bhatigaon and others. Judgment-debtor's share in the entire taluk, 2 annas 10 gundas, to be sold.

Approximate value of the above share Rs. 800 only, and revenue assessed on the said share Rs. 605-15-6.

NAGENDRA NATH CHATTERJEE,
Subordinate Judge, 3rd Court, Tippera.

Comilla, the 12th December 1916. (2751—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

No. 130 OF 1915.

Re. Satish Chandra Sen, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 26th day of January 1917 except Saturday and Sunday.

Like notice in the matter of Bejoy Krishna Mundal, *ex parte* the debtor No 131 of 1915.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 12th December 1916. (2713—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (i) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 193 OF 1915.

In the matter of Mrs. Amelia Letitia Casey, of 28-1, Police Hospital Road, Entally.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for her discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 8th day of January 1917, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 30th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2637—1—2820)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (i) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 194 OF 1915.

In the matter of James Arthur Casey, of 28-1, Police Hospital Road, Entally.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 8th day of January 1917, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 30th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2638—1—2821)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

NOTICE

IS hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act of 1907, to the creditors that the insolvency petition of Mohesh Chandra De, of Patrasayer, thana Sonamukhi, district Bankura, has been admitted by this Court as No. 7 of 1916, and that the 22nd January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

J. JOHNSTON, Offg. District Judge.

Bankura, the 16th December 1916. (2786—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 68 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 23rd September 1916, filed by Satyandra Nath Das, son of Nilkamal Das, of Kashiaish, thana Patiya, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 11th day of December 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2732—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 70 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 25th September 1916, filed by Mosan Ali, son of Umar Ali, of Fateabad, thana Hathazari, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed receiver.

Dated this 12th day of December 1916.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

(2748—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 77 OF 1916.

WHEREAS Abdul Aziz, son of Monohar Ali, of Yasinnagar, thana Raozan, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 4th December 1916, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 17th of January 1917 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 13th December 1916. (2749—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 106 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Kalim, son of late Sheik Kanoo, of Biltaluk, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th December 1916. (2764—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 45 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 2nd June 1916, filed by debtor Chinta Haran Ganguly, son of late Dwarika Nath Ganguly, of Ichhapura, police-station Serajdikha, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 11th day of December 1916.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2758—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 95 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Girish Chandra De, son of late Krishna Mangal De, of Ulon, police-station Keraniganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th December 1916. (2759—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 100 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Samiruddin, son of late Sheik Jamir Bepari, of Rowhar Char, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th December 1916. (2760—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 101 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Tajaruddin, son of late Sheik Jamir Bepari, of Rowhar Char, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th January of 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th December 1916. (2761—1)

NOTICE

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 102 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Mantaj, son of late Sheik Jamir Bepari, of Rowhar Char, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th January of 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor,

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th December 1916. (2762—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 105 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Sharitullah, son of late Sheik Maloo, of Biltaluk, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th December 1916. (2763—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 23 OF 1916.

ON the application of the debtor Ronoda Prosad Saha, son of Bhoboni Prosad Saha, resident of Sabhar, station Sabhar, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 5th January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Dacca, the 15th December 1916. (2771—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASE No. 94 OF 1916.

(INSOLVENCY.)

BADERADDIN SARKAR, son of Tabir Mahomed Hazi, deceased, resident of Kharikadam, police-station Birganj, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 26th January 1917 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner.

ASHUTOSH GUPTA,

Subordinate Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 13th December 1916. (2736—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

MISCELLANEOUS CASES NOS. 92 AND 93 OF 1916.

(INSOLVENCY.)

HIKMATULLA SARKAR and Samiruddin Sarkar, sons of Tabaratulla Sarkar, deceased, residents of Kharikadam, police-station Birganj, district Dinajpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents. The 26th January 1917 has been fixed for examination of the petitioners.

ASHUTOSH GUPTA,

Subordinate Judge in charge.

Dinajpur, the 13th December 1916. (2737—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 32 OF 1916.

TAKE notice that Lokenath Banik, son of late Akrur Chandra Banik, of Kulakona, police-station Muksudpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that the 5th February 1917 has been fixed for hearing of his petition.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 13th December 1916. (2733—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

NOS. 30 AND 31 OF 1916 (INSOLVENCY).

TAKE notice that Naimuddi Shekh and Gaber Shekh, sons of late Kinai Shekh, of Gangarampur, police-station Muksudpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that the 6th February 1917 has been fixed for hearing of their petitions.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 14th December 1916. (2752—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 29 OF 1916.

TAKE notice that Hem Chandra Chakravarty, son of Purna Chandra Chakravarty, of Khandarpara, police-station Muksudpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and the 7th February 1917 has been fixed for hearing of his petition.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 16th December 1916. (2767—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 62 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Nagendra Nath Nandi, son of late Dhormo Das Nandi, of Napara, thana Khanakul, district Hooghly, was, on the 13th November 1916, adjudged an insolvent. The 5th January 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th November 1916.

(2571—1—2812)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 63 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Benoy Krishna Dey, son of Purna Chandra Dey, of Sonthbor Jhapordaha, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, was, on the 23rd September 1916, adjudged an insolvent. The 5th January 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th November 1916.

(2573—1—2811)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Bejoy Krishna Mahindar, son of late Abinash Chandra Mahindar, of Munsirhat Bamunpara, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 138 of 1916, and that the 5th January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th November 1916.

(2574—1—2814)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Khorsed Ali Mallik, son of late Haras Tulla Mallik, of Pachla *alias* Gojgiri, thana Pachla, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No 124 of 1916, and that the 5th January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th November 1916.

(2576—1—2813)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 34 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gourish Chandra Bhattacharjee, son of late Girish Chandra Bhattacharjee, of Belara, thana Pandu, district Hooghly, was on the 10th November 1916 adjudged an insolvent. The 5th January 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 27th November 1916.

(2606—1—2810)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 82 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Bhusan Chandra Dhak, son of late Badal Chandra Dhak, of Domra, thana Hooghly, district Hooghly, was on the 23rd September 1916 adjudged an insolvent. The 5th January 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and claimants should prove their claims on that day.

C. SELLS, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 30th November 1916.

(2607—1—2815)

ORDER ANNULLING ADJUDICATION.

(Section 42 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907).

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 39 OF 1915.

Rasik Lal Das, son of late Ram Chandra Das, of Hashadaha, police-station Jibonnagar, district Nadia, applicant.

ON the application of Hora Sundar Mozumdar, of Siliguri, and on reading his application and hearing, his pleader, it is ordered that the order of adjudication, dated the 11th December 1915, against Rasik Lal Das, of Hashadaha, be and the same is hereby annulled

Dated this 16th day of December 1916.

R. E. JACK, District Judge.

(2772—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 58 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 11th August 1916, filed by Naba Kumar De, of Barogeria, pargana Khandar, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Priyanath Mondal, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 11th January 1917 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 11th January 1917 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 13th day of December 1916.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2746—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 39 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 17th June 1916, filed by Umesh Chandra Samonta, of Chaipat, pargana Khariji Mondal Ghat, district Midnapore, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Jotindra Kumar Naug, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 10th January 1917 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 10th January 1917 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 13th day of December 1916.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2747—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 69 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th November 1916, filed by Brojendra Nath Ray, of Dariband, town Midnapore, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the debtor and hearing Babu Atal Behari Singha, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and the 15th January 1917 is fixed for the proving of the debts of the creditors.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 15th January 1917 has been fixed for the framing of the schedule of debts, and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 15th day of December 1916.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2768—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 29 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Iasin Mandal, son of Baksha Shek, of Kalakura, police-station Nalitabari, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent, and the 6th January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 11th December 1916.

(2765—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 15th day of September 1916, made by Mahim Chandra Tilakdas, son of the late Hari Nath Tilakdas, of Kendua, thana Tangail, district Mymensingh, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 9th December 1916. (2766—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 42 OF 1916.

Petitioner, Azgar Mondal.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Azgar Mondal, of Bhaduri, police-station Ranaghat, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 42 of 1916, and that 6th January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

R. E. JACK, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 16th December 1916. (2773—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1916.

Petitioner, Hajari Mondal.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Hajari Mondal, of Digri, police-station Chapra, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 43 of 1916, and that 13th January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

R. E. JACK, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 16th December 1916. (2774—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 60 OF 1916. (ACT III.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Kumud Nath Choudhury of Serpur, district Bogra, and others that the insolvency petition of Benod Pramanik, son of late Janu Sirkar of Suvagasa, police-station Serpur, district Bogra, has been filed, and that the 21st December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th December 1916. (2708—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 53 OF 1916.

(ACT III.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors Kutisvar Sil, Sagarkandi and others that the insolvency petition of Gopal Chandra Roy, son of late Bhola Nath Roy, of Sayamsundarpur, called Ratanganj, police-station Sujanagar, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 2nd February 1917 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 11th December 1916. (2715—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 33 OF 1916 (ACT III).

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditor Giribala Dasi, wife of late Basanta Kumar Shaha Choudhury, of Hemaitpur, police-station Hemaitpur, district Pabna, and others that the insolvency petition of Jadu Sarder, son of late Madhu Sarder, of Maligasa, police-station Pabna, has been filed and that the 5th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 12th December 1916. (2742—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 87 OF 1916 (ACT III.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditor Doctor Jadu Nath Saha, of Satbaria, police-station Sujanagar, district Pabna, and others that the insolvency petition of Hajari Sarder, son of late Jamir Sarder, of Nirshintapur, police-station Sujanagar, has been filed and that the 4th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 12th December 1916. (2743—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 68 OF 1916 (ACT III).

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditor Mohi Kanta Dutt, of Saidpur, police-station Shanthia, and others that the insolvency petition of Amar Pramanik, son of late Nazir Pramanik, of Hukhali, police-station Shanthia, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 22nd December 1916 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 13th December 1916. (2744—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

CASE No. 84 OF 1916 (ACT III).

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditor Sri Nath Hoar, of Kamalapur, police-station Sujanagar, and others that the insolvency petition of Sapar Mollah son of late Mochan Mollah, of Ranimagar, police-station Sujanagar, district Pabna, has been filed and that the 30th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the same.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, 13th December 1916. (2745—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 26 OF 1916.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Abdul Sheikh Mondal, son of late Nosib Mondal, of Debisingpara, police-station Poba, district Rajshahi, petitioner debtor

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

THE 6th day of January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

C. BARTLEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 1st December 1916. (2662—1 - 2663)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 OF 1916.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Kadar Mondal, son of late Jhoru Mondal, of Badalpur, police-station Tanore, district Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

THE 6th day of January 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

C. BARTLEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 1st December 1916. (2663—1—2664)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 144 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kadim Ullah, son of late Kandura Shaikh, of Durgapur, police-station Mithapukhur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 9th December 1916. (2709—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 147 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge

ON the application of the debtor Aser Uddin, son of late Sutur Mamud, of Akabpur, police-station Mithapukhur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th December 1916. (2718—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 150 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Vaze Mamud, son of late Jhapu Shaikh, of Ververi, police-station Kishoregange, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 13th December 1916. (2753—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 143 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge

ON the application of the debtor Bishnu Mohan Das Bairagi, son of late Ram Das Sardar, of Chartabari, police-station Kaligange, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 9th December 1916. (2710—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 145 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Khezmat Shaikh son of late Salamat Shaikh, of Anantapur, police-station Govindagange, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 6th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 9th December 1916. (2711—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 148 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kaimullah Shaikh, son of late Jalad Mamud, of Saptana, police-station Lalmanirhat, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th December 1916. (2716—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 146 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Lal Mohammed Barkandaz, son of late Rabi Mandul, of Kasirampur, police-station Mithapukhur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent the 6th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th December 1916. (2717—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 149 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Chand Mamud Korain, son of late Batulsha Fakir, of Ververi, police-station Kishoregani in Rangpur for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge

Rangpur, the 13th December 1916. (2754—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 151 OF 1916.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, I.C.S., Esq., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Vadia Majhi, son of late Prasad Majhi, of Bahanguri, police-station Nageswari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 13th day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 13th December 1916. (2755—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 294 OF 1916.

Shaikh Nur Mahammad, son of Shaikh Abdul, of Rajeswar Bagan, Beliaghata Main Road, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Madan Mohan Burman and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 8th day of January 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1916. (2639—1—2823)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 295 OF 1916

Harish Chandra Ghosh *alias* Hari Das Ghosh, son of late Jogneswar Ghosh, of 28-3, Bagmari Road, thana Maniktola, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Munshi Khan and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 8th day of January 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1916. (2640—1—2824)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 296 OF 1916.

Arjan Molla, son of Saduri Molla, of Kanta Kumari, thana Bistupur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Gopi Sing and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 8th day of January 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1916. (2641—1—2827)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 297 OF 1916.

Sheik Abdul Karim, of 31-1, Ekbalpur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Ahmad Khan Kabuli and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of November 1916, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 8th day of January 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1916. (2642—1—2822)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 299 OF 1916.

Mir Emjad Ali, son of late Mir Obed Ali, No. 9, Dihi Srirampur Road, thana Beneapukur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Sukram Nessa Bibi and others, creditors.

ON the 29th day of November 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 8th day of January 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1916. (2643—1—2825)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 300 OF 1916.

Sasi Mandal, son of late Syama Charan Mandal, of Jaita, thana Behala, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Jorat Khan Kabuli and others, creditors.

ON the 29th day of November 1916 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 8th day of January 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1916. (2644—1—2826)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 205 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 19th July 1916, made by Niranjan Banerjee, son of late Taraprosanna Banerjee, of Bangapur, thana Nilgunge, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 28th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2646—1—2816)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 239 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 19th August 1916, made by Behari Lal Karmakar, *alias* Pander Karmakar, and Jadu Nath Karmakar, of Chhoto Jagulia, thana Baraset, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtors themselves and on reading their application and hearing their pleader, it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated this 28th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge
(2647—1—2819)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 245 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 24th August 1916, made by Saraswati Dasi, daughter of late Kunja Behari Bosu, of Bhowanipur, 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor herself and on reading her application and hearing her pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 29th day of November 1916.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge
(2648—1—2818)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 246 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 26th August 1916, made by Haridas Adhikari, son of Suru Charan Adhikari, 51, Circular Garden Reach Road, Khidderpur, 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 28th day of November 1916

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.
(2649—1—2817)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907*].

In the Court of the 1st Additional District Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 23 OF 1912.

1. Nil Ratan Mandol,
2. Amulya Ratan Mandol,
3. Satya Charan Mandol,
4. Fatic Chandra Mandol, insolvents.

All of Kidderpur, police-station Watgunge, sub registry Alipore, district 24-Parganas, applicants.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvents have applied at the Court for their discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 4th day of January 1917, at 10-30 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 8th day of December 1916.

A. J. CHOTZNER, Additional District Judge, 24 Parganas. (2682—1—2828)

MAULVI AZIZUL ALAM, B.L., intends to be admitted to practise as a Vakil in the High Court.

(2544—4)

Notice.

WANTED two probationers on a subsistence allowance of Rs. 15 a month for the Civil Courts of this district. Preference will be given to Mahomedan candidates and to candidates who know typewriting. None need apply who has not passed at least the Matriculation Examination. Applications stating age with copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned on or before the 15th January 1917.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 13th December 1916.

WANTED temporarily for three months an Estate Overseer for the Agricultural Research Institute, Pusa, on pay of Rs. 75 per mensem and free accommodation.

None need apply who has not at least passed the Sub-Overseership examination of the Public Works Department.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 25th December 1916. The selected candidate will be required to join at once.

WYNNE SAYER, Asst. Agricultural Adviser to the Govt. of India.

Pusa Post Office, Bihar, the 12th December 1916.

Notice.

WANTED a District Engineer for the Malda District Board on a salary of Rs. 250—10—300 a month. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules. Applications with necessary certificates and testimonials are to be submitted on or before the 31st December 1916 in sealed and registered covers addressed to the Chairman, District Board, Malda, and superscribed "application for appointment of District Engineer."

J. H. LINDSAY, Chairman District Board, Malda.

Malda, the 1st December 1916. (2624—3)

Annual Contracts.

CONTRACTORS are informed that sealed tenders for the supply of iron cast pig, timber, cordage, liquid fuel and other miscellaneous stores from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1918 will be received by the Superintendent, Ammunition Factory, Dum-Dum, up to 5th January 1917 for consideration and orders of the Director of Ordnance Factories, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

2. Forms of "Tender" and "Schedule" of the stores for which tenders are invited are obtainable on payment of Re. 1 per set on application in writing. Samples and specifications of the articles can be inspected at the Factory. Interpretation of the clauses of the forms and such other information required will be furnished by the Superintendent on any working day of the Factory.

3. Tenders from recognised firms only will be considered. New tenderers should be prepared to quote references as to standing, financial position, etc., if called upon to do so. A deposit of earnest-money at 2 per cent on the value of stores tendered for must accompany all tenders in Bank of Bengal Receipt or Government Promissory Notes, the latter standing in the name of tenderer. Cash will not be accepted.

E. CARBURY, MAJOR, R.A., Superintendent.

Ammunition Factory Office, Dum-Dum, the 8th December 1916.

Notice.

SEALED Tenders for the supply of Doosootie, Timber, Cordage, Twine, Acid Sulphuric, Bonemeal, Charcoal, Oil various, Tincture of Steel, Calico, Cotton Waste and Flannelette to the Rifle Factory, Ishapore, from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1918, will be received by the undersigned up to 4 P.M. on Saturday, 13th January 1917, and opened at 8 P.M on the 15th January 1917.

2. Forms and conditions of tenders and schedule of stores are obtainable on payment of Re. 1 per set on application in writing.

3. Samples of articles to be supplied and specifications can be inspected at the Factory Store Section any day (Sundays and holidays excepted).

F. S. GRIMSTON, M.INST.C.E., Superintendent.

Rifle Factory, Ishapore, the 13th December 1916.

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European establishment :—

Mr. J. R. G. Allen to act as Agent at Patna Branch as from 11th December 1916, *vice* Mr. E. Bent, transferred to Head Office.

Mr. S. B. W. Futcher to act as Agent at Jalpaiguri Branch as from 3rd December 1916, *vice* Mr. J. R. G. Allen, transferred.

By order of the Directors,

N. H. Y. WARREN,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 13th December 1916. (2735—1)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Nadia have, at their special meeting, held on the 2nd December 1916, determined to levy the road-cess in the district, during the ensuing year 1917-18, at the maximum rate as prescribed by law.

BISWAMBHAR RAI (RAI BAHADUR),

Vice-Chairman, District Board, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 13th December 1916. (2750—1)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Noakhali have, at their Special Meeting of the 2nd December 1916, determined to levy the Road Cess in the district during the year 1917-18 at the maximum rate, viz, six pies in the rupee on the annual value of land.

B. C. PRANCE, Chairman, District Board, Noakhali.

Noakhali District Board's Office, the 14th December 1916. (2787—2)

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department will be held on 1st February 1917 at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital, at these stations and from—

Calcutta.	Simla.
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(1) The Deputy Director General, Indian Medical Service, Simla.

(2) The Personal Assistants to the Surgeons General with the Governments of Bengal, Madras and Bombay.

(3) All Administrative Medical Officers and the Principals of the Medical Colleges at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

H. F. CLEVELAND, COL., I.M.S.,

Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 1st November 1916.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Sale of Ships' life-boats salved at Calicut.

One steel life-boat—27′ 8″ × 8′ 5′ × 3′ 3″.
Certified for 47 persons by the Board of Trade. With air tanks and casing, bottom boards, 10 oars, 21 iron row locks, but no rudder.

One steel life-boat—27′ 8″ × 8′ 5″ × 3′ 4″.
Certified for 48 persons by the Board of Trade. With 13 loose air tanks (somewhat damaged).

One wooden chiuchor built life-boat—27′ 2″ × 8′ 1″ × 3′ 2″.
Certified for 42 persons by the Board of Trade. With rudder and 13 loose air tanks (somewhat damaged).

One wooden chiuchor built life-boat—27′ 2″ × 8′ 1″ × 3′ 3″.
Certified for 43 persons by the Board of Trade. With rudder and 12 loose air tanks (somewhat damaged).

The hulls of all these boats are in good condition. They are now lying at the Port Office, Calicut, and may be seen at any time. Tenders may be sent to the Port Officer, Calicut, marked "Tender for life-boats."

F. B EVANS,

Collector of Malabar and Receiver of Wrecks.

Malabar Collr.'s Office, Calicut, the 11th December 1916

POST OFFICE.

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CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 18th December 1916.*

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 11th December 1916.*

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—KANGAROO ISLAND, BACKSTAIRS PASSAGE.

Cape St. Alban Light—Intended Alteration in characteristics.

No. 368 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1147 of 1916), are republished :—

Date of alteration.—On or about 1st November 1916.

Position.—Lat. 35° 48¾′ S., long. 138° 07¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 10 secs., 120 ft., vis. 14 m.* (U).

Details.—The flashing light with white and red sectors will be replaced by a *group flashing white* light, showing *two* flashes *every ten seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse,	Flash,	eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Remarks.—The limits of the arc of visibility of the light will be unaltered ; the light showing from 118° (*S. 67° E. Mag.*), through south, to 5° (*North Mag.*).

Note.—No further Notice will be given.

Variation.—5° E.

Charts affected.—No. 25, Backstairs passage.
„ 1014, Cape Jervis to Rivoli bay.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2370

Australia Directory, Vol, I, 1907, page 311 ; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, Notice No. 6 of 1916. (*H. 6026/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—PALAWAN, EAST COAST.

Anchorage Island—Reef reported eastward of.

No. 369 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1154 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 9 miles eastward of Anchorage island.

Lat. 9° 56′ 12″ N., long. 119° 04′ 30″ E.

Details.—Further particulars concerning this reef are not at present available.

Note.—The position on the charts is to be encircled by a danger line and on chart No. 967 marked " *Reef reported (1916).*"

Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.

„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 97.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2570 of 1916. (*H. 5904/16.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR SEA.

Roti Island—Alteration in character of Light.

No. 370 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1157 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Near the Governor's house at Baä.

Lat. 10° 44½′ S., long. 123° 02¾′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 15 sec., 49 ft., vis. 12 m.*

Details.—The group flashing white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every fifteen seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.
3 secs.	12 secs.

Charts affected.—No. 2468, Plan of Baä road.

„ 942*a*, Eastern archipelago, eastern portion—part II.

„ 475, North-west coast of Australia.

„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 947.

Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 303.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1310 of 1916. (*H. 5762/16.*)

INDIAN OCEAN—CHAGOS ARCHIPELAGO.

Great Chagos Bank—Shoal reported southward of.

No. 371 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1164 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Centre of shoal, lat. 6° 48′ S., long. 72° 21′ E.

Details.—The shoal is reported to be about 3 miles in length, and to extend in a north-easterly and south-westerly direction over a breadth of about 2½ miles.

Note.—The extent of the shoal is to be indicated on the charts by a danger line and marked "*Shoal repd. (1916).*"

Charts affected.—No. 3, Chagos archipelago.
„ 2899, Chagos archipelago to Madagascar.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean, northern portion.
„ 2483, Atlantic and Indian oceans, &c.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 92.

Authority.—Colonial Secretary, Mauritius. (*H. 5675/16.*)

SUMATRA, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Chalang Bay—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 372 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1165 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 2¾ cables, westward, from Johore reef and $4\frac{5}{10}$ cables, 223° (*S. 43° W. Mag.*), from the conspicuous house on the eastern shore of the bay.
Lat. 4° 37½′ N., long. 95° 35¼′ E.

Depth.—1¾ fathoms, sand.

Variation.—Nil.

Chart affected.—No. 1701, Plan of Rigas and Chalang bays.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I. 1916, page 320.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1372 of 1916. (*H. 6008/16.*)

CHINA SEA, MALAY PENINSULA—SIAM.

Patani Roads—Shoal reported.

No. 373 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1166 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Tanjong Patani, lat. 6° 57¼′ N., long. 101° 17′ E.

Details.—The following note with regard to a reported shoal, in the channel between Loftus bank and the coast south-eastward of Tanjong Patani, is to be inserted on the chart :—
"*8-ft. shoal reported in this Channel (1916).*"

Chart affected.—No. 998, Pulo Kapas to Lakon roads, with plan.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 122.

Authority.—Master Attendant, Singapore. (*H. 5800/16.*)

PERSIAN GULF.

Henjam Island—Wireless Telegraph Mast.

No. 374 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 181M. of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables 176° (S. 6° E. Mag.) from the White Mosque near Ras-al-Mashia.

Latitude 26° 41′ 12″ N.
Longitude 55° 53′ 26″ E. } On Chart No. 3599.

Height.—205 feet from surface of hill.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3599, Plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.
„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, page 208.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding, H. M. S. "Britomart," dated 1st November 1916.

PERSIAN GULF.

Shatt-al-Arab—Light-buoy established and Buoy No. 4 withdrawn.

No. 375 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 182M. of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) Light-buoy :—

Position.—At a distance of one cable 325° (N. 37° W. Mag.) from the former position of Buoy No. 4 on Chart No. 1235.

Latitude 29° 51′ 10″ N., Longitude 48° 41′ 20″ E.

Description.—A light-buoy exhibiting a flashing red light.

(*b*) Buoy No. 4 :—

Details.—The black buoy which is marked No. 4 on the chart has been permanently withdrawn and should be expunged accordingly.

Variation.—2° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 281, Indian Light List, 35th Issue, 1916, page 12.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding, R. I. M. S. "Nearchus", dated 21st November 1916.

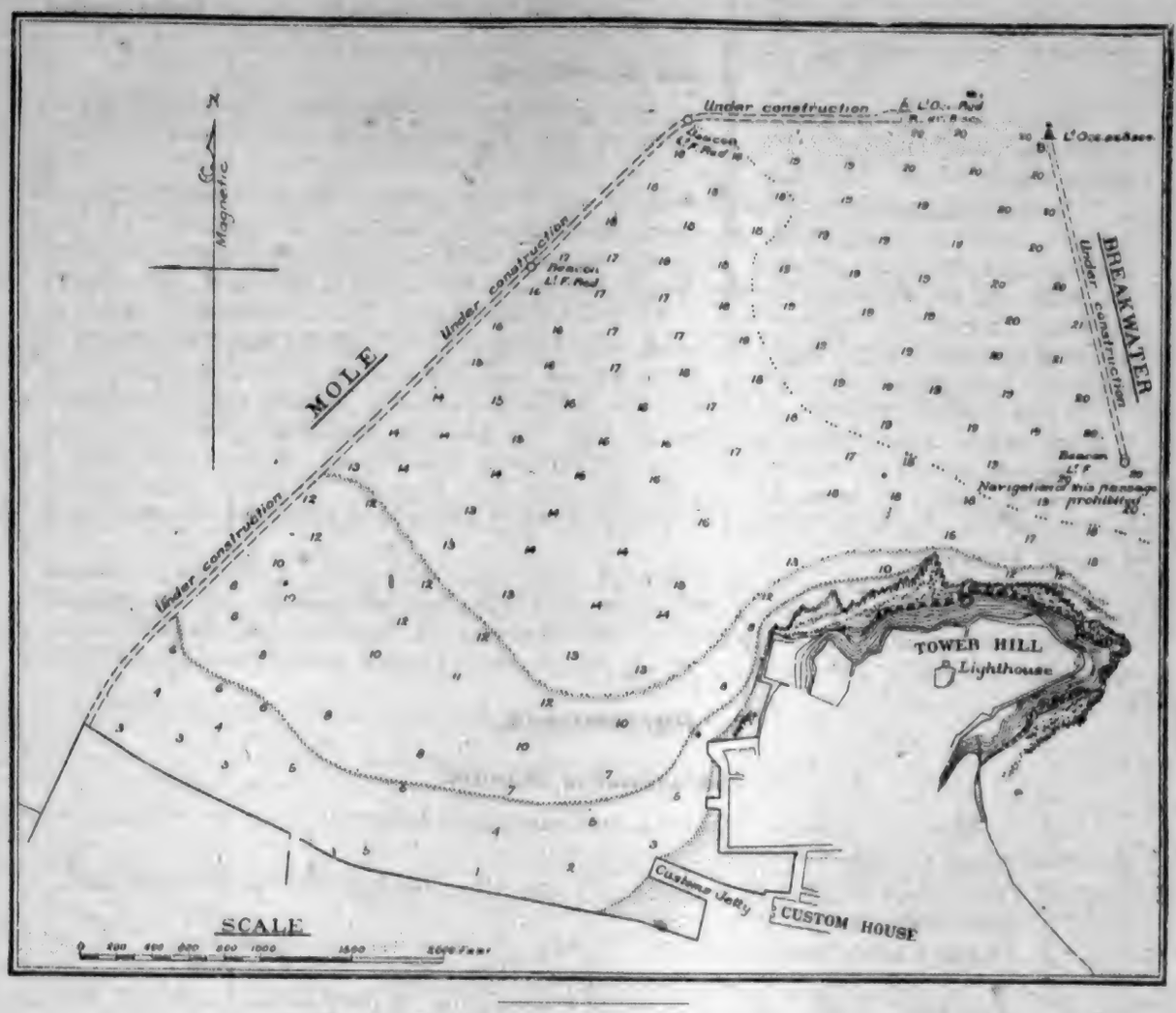
CHINA SEA—CHEFOO DISTRICT.

Chefoo harbour—Breakwater under construction; Establishment of beacon lights on the mole.

No. 376 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 630 of 1916) that two pole-beacons have been established on the mole in the positions indicated on the accompanying plan.

From each of these a *red* unclassed light will be exhibited from sunset to sunrise.

The other aids to navigation in connexion with the harbour works, as notified in previous Notices to Mariners, are also indicated on the accompanying plan.



INDIA, EAST COAST—BAY OF BENGAL.

Madras harbour—Exhibition of a temporary light.

No. 377 (first publication).—In continuation of this Office Notice to Mariners No. 351 of 1916 regarding the destruction of the North Arm light, Madras harbour, Mariners are hereby informed that a further intimation has been received from the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, in his Notice No. 49 of 1916, that a temporary fixed red light will be exhibited on or about the 12th December 1916, from a position 60 yards south of the old light and 30 feet above high water.

CHINA SEA—TIENTSIN DISTRICT—GULF OF PECHILI.

Winter Navigation of Taku Bar and of the Haiho; system of supplying information concerning ice in the Gulf of Pechili.

No. 378 (first publication).—The following is a re-publication of Notice to Mariners No. 631 of 1916, issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai.

Notice is hereby given of the following arrangements for the winter navigation of the Taku Bar and the Haiho.

General.

After the removal of the *Taku* Light-vessel, on or about the 1st December, her place will be taken by an ice-breaker to the following extent and showing lights as described hereunder.

At the commencement of the winter season, *i.e.*, immediately after the removal of the *Taku* Light-vessel, an ice-breaker will continuously act as light-vessel so long as ice-breaking operations are not needed.

When such operations are needed, the continuous occupancy of the light-vessel's position by the ice-breaker will cease. She will, however, when possible, act as light-vessel for a few hours before the expected arrival of a steamer.

Subsequently, she will not again act continuously as a light-vessel unless it be so notified.

Ice Conditions.

When ice exists, information concerning conditions will be telegraphed to Chefoo and Dairen. Vessels bound for Taku should call at one of these ports for it.

A vessel arriving off Taku, whose agent has given the necessary notice as laid down herein, will, if conditions permit, find an ice-breaker in the position of the light-vessel. The ice-master will inform the master of conditions. If the master decides to proceed, a pilot will, if desired, be placed on board from the ice-breaker. At a suitable time the ice-breaker will, if necessary, lead the way in, and, in doing so, will make such instructive signals concerning the steamer's action as the ice-master considers desirable.

It should be understood that, when the ice-master makes such a signal, the master of a following steamer is free to use his discretion as to obeying that signal so far as considerations concerning the safety of his own vessel are concerned. It would, however, be well for him to consider what would be the effect of disregarding the signal if that disregard affected the safety of a third vessel.

It should be clearly understood that the Harbour Authority, under whose authority the ice-breakers operate, incur no responsibility in respect to accidents which may happen in the process of following an ice-breaker. A vessel accepting the services of an ice-breaker in the above conditions does so at her own risk.

Particulars.

Ice-breaking Signals.

An ice-breaker leading the way and steamers following shall make use of the following signals :—

One short blast	meaning	I am altering my course to starboard.
Two short blasts	„	„ „ „ „ port.
Three short blasts	„	My engines are going astern.
One long blast	„	(*a*) Can I pass ahead of you? (*b*) (From an ice-breaker ahead) You are requested to pass ahead of me.
Three long blasts	„	Come on.
Five long blasts	„	Keep back.

A vessel requiring the assistance of an ice-breaker should make the following signals :—

By day.—A pennant with two balls beneath it; also a succession of one long and three short blasts on the whistle or siren.

By night.—Three lights in a vertical line one over the other not less than 6 feet apart, of which the highest and lowest are *white* and the middle one *red*; also a succession of one long and three short blasts on the whistle or siren.

Pilots and masters should make a special point not to call upon an ice-breaker to perform any work in connexion with vessels under their charge except such as is actually needed. The ice-breakers will otherwise be unduly hampered in the carrying out of their general routine work.

Ice-breaker acting as Light-vessel.

When acting as a light-vessel the ice-breaker will show—

By day.—A black ball at her masthead.

By night.—Five minutes of flashing with her searchlight every 15 minutes.

During foggy or thick weather a gong will be sounded at intervals of one minute when the fog signal of a vessel in the neighbourhood, showing that she is under way, is heard.

Pilots.

Masters are warned against the danger of taking their vessels over the Taku Bar during the winter season without a pilot.

Inward-bound vessels may obtain a pilot from the ice-breaker acting as a light-vessel.

Notice by Agents.

Steamer agents at Tientsin should give the earliest notice possible to the Harbour Office concerning the following :—

(*a*) Date and time of steamer's departure from Chefoo or Dairen.
(*b*) Time of steamer's expected arrival off Taku

Ice Information.

Ice telegrams, giving information of the ice conditions at Taku, Chinwangtao, and—as far as can be ascertained—in the Gulf, will be sent daily from Taku and Chinwangtao and will be posted at the Harbour Offices at Chefoo, Taku, and Tientsin. They will also be sent to Dairen.

Masters of steamers are requested to co-operate in this matter by reporting the ice conditions met with to the Harbour Masters at Tientsin, Chinwangtao, and Chefoo immediately on arriving at one of these ports. Such reports will be posted.

To facilitate the making of these reports a special book of forms will be supplied on application to any of the Harbour Offices mentioned.

Masters of steamers are further requested to co-operate by making it a routine practice to signal to passing steamers the ice conditions experienced. The following special signals should be used for the purpose :—

Ice Signals.

The nature of the numbered signals is given in Part III.

Part I.—Signals concerning Taku and the Gulf.

Signal No.	1.	No ice.	At Taku Bar.
,, ,,	2.	Ice conditions favourable.	
,, ,,	3.	,, ,, difficult.	
,, ,,	4.	,, ,, very difficult.	
,, ,,	5.	,, ,, impracticable.	
Signal No.	6.	No ice.	In the Gulf.
,, ,,	7.	Ice conditions favourable.	
,, ,,	8.	,, ,, difficult.	
,, ,,	9.	,, ,, very difficult.	
,, ,,	10.	,, ,, impracticable.	

Part II.—Signals concerning Chinwangtao.

The following signals are to be made in conjunction with a square flag or a *red* light at one of the mastheads :—

Signal No.	1.	No ice.	At Chinwangtao.
,, ,,	2.	Ice conditions favourable.	
,, ,,	3.	,, ,, difficult.	
,, ,,	4.	,, ,, very difficult.	
,, ,,	5.	,, ,, impracticable.	
Signal No.	6.	No ice.	Off Chinwangtao.
,, ,,	7.	Ice conditions favourable.	
,, ,,	8.	,, ,, difficult.	
,, ,,	9.	,, ,, very difficult.	
,, ,,	10.	,, ,, impracticable.	

Part III.—Nature of signals.

The signal numbers correspond to certain "dots" and "dashes" as shewn hereunder. These "dots" and "dashes" can be signalled by one or the other of the following means :—

(*a*) By short and long blasts on the steamer's whistle or siren.
(*b*) By short and long flashes by a signal lamp.
(*c*) By a hoist of flags in which "dots" are represented by any square flag and "dashes" by any pennant.

Signal No.	1.	.	—	—	—	—	Signal No.	6.	—	.	.	.	.
,, ,,	2.	.	.	—	—	—	,, ,,	7.	—	—	.	.	.
,, ,,	3.	.	.	.	—	—	,, ,,	8.	—	—	—	.	.
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,, ,,	5.	.	.	.	.	.	,, ,,	10.	—	—	—	—	—

These signals, if made by blasts or by flashes, should be repeated several times while the vessels are passing

The 4th December 1916.

JAPAN—KIUSIU, SOUTH COAST.

Osumi Islands, Mage Shima—Reef off.

No. 359 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1118 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Off the southern end of Mage shima, at a distance of 13¼ cables, 178° (*S. 2° W. Mag.*), from the 225-foot summit.
Lat. 30° 43¼′ N., long. 130° 51′ E.
Depth.—4 fathoms, sand and rock.
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1493, Plan of Mage shima.
„ 1648, Osumi kaikyo to O shima, with inset.
Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 81.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 209 of 1916. (*H. 5716/16.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Kunfida Southern Approach—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 360 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1125 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ miles, north-westward, from Makasir.
Lat. 18° 58′ 30″ N., long. 41° 06′ 30″ E.
Depth.—2 fathoms.
Chart affected.—No. 8c, Red sea, sheet III.
Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, page 344.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5723/16.*)

RED SEA—EASTERN SHORE.

Jebel Sabaya—Shoal reported north-eastward of.

No. 361 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1126 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 6¼ miles north-eastward from the northern extremity of Jebel Sabaya.
Lat. 18° 39′ 00″ N., long. 41° 10′ 00″ E., on chart No. 8c.
Details.—A depth of 3 fathoms was obtained in the above position, but the shoal has not been examined and less water may exist.
Note.—The position on the charts is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "*Shoal reported (1916).*"
Charts affected.—No. 8c, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 8d, Red sea, sheet IV.
„ 2523, Red sea.
Publication.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 345.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5789/16.*)

RED SEA, WESTERN SHORE.

North Massawa Channel—Existence of Shoals.

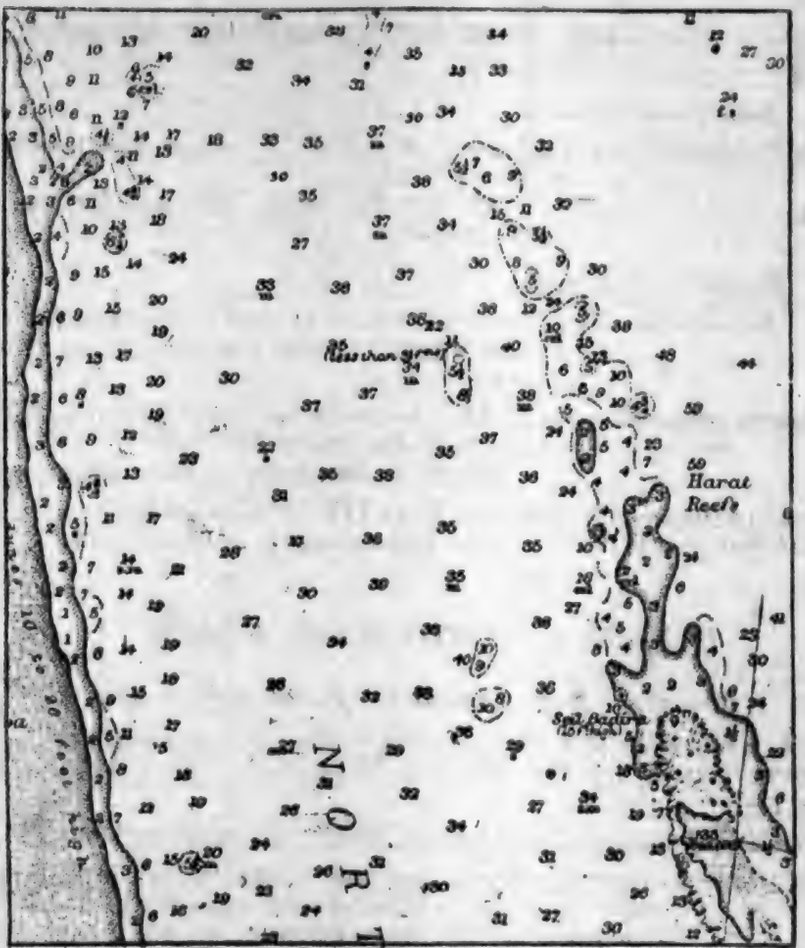
No. 362 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1133 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Harat reefs, lat. 16° 16′ N., long. 39° 25′ E.
Details.—The accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 164, 8d and 2523, show the existence of several shoals not hitherto charted, in North Massawa channel.

Charts affected.—No. 164, Massawa channel.
„ 8*d*, Red sea, sheet IV.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, pages 222, 223.

Authority.—Italian Government Chart. (*H. 5714/16.*)



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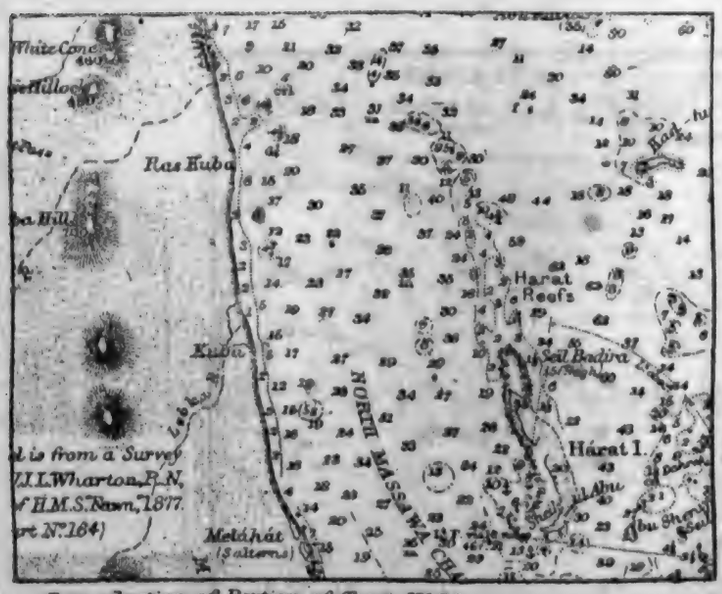

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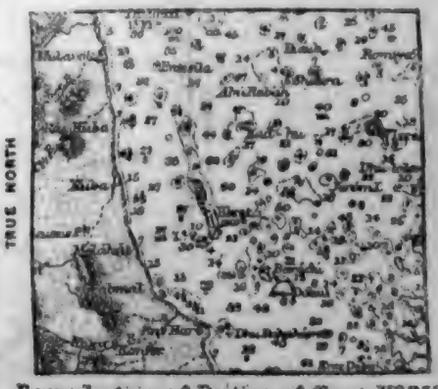

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0 30 Sea Miles

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

North Mafia Channel Approach—Shoals reported.

No. 363 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1135 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 2¼ miles westward from Vulture bank.
Lat. 7° 32′ 00″ S., long. 39° 42′ 38″ E., on chart No. 1032.

Depth.—4 fathoms.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 1¾ miles south-eastward from Vulture bank.
Lat. 7° 33′ 17″ S., long. 39° 46′ 20″ E., on chart No. 1032.

Depth.—9 fathoms.

Remarks.—The above shoals have not been examined, and a note to this effect is to be placed against them on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 1032, Channels between Kilwa point and North Mafia channel.
„ 669, Cape Delgado to Port Mombasa.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 363.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5588/16.*)

SUMATRA, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Mulaboh Bay Approach—Existence of Shoals.

No. 364 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1137 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Ujong Karveng, lat. 4° 07′ N., long. 96° 08′ E.

Details.—A recent survey in the vicinity of Mulaboh bay has revealed the existence of the shoals shown on the accompanying reproduction of the plan of Mulaboh on chart No. 2760.

Chart affected.—No. 2760, Plan of Mulaboh.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 323.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1325 of 1916. (*H. 5749/16*)

Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 2760.

COCHIN CHINA.

Castlereagh Bank and Cape Vert—Amendments to Charts with regard to Shoals.

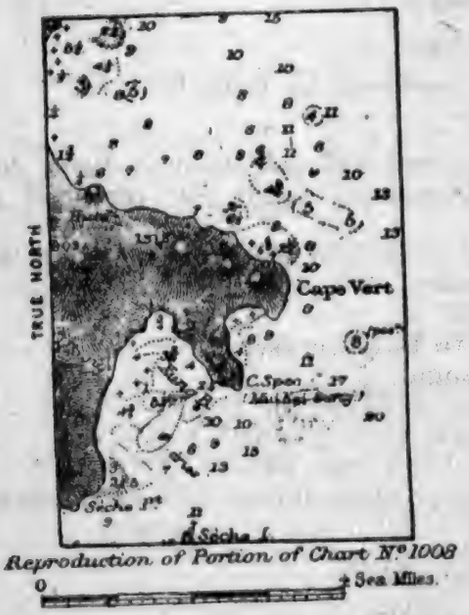
No. 365 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1138 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Castlereagh bank, lat. 12° 03′ N., long. 109° 15′ E.
Cape Vert, lat. 12° 24′ N., long. 109° 19½′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts with regard to shoals in the vicinity of Castlereagh bank and Cape Vert are shown on the accompanying reproduction of portions of charts Nos. 1008 and 1342.

Charts affected.—No. 1008, Kam-ranh bay to Vung-ro bay.
„ 1342, Fan-rang bay to Tong king gulf.
„ 2661*a*, China sea, northern portion, western sheet.
„ 2660*a*, China sea, southern portion, western sheet.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, pages 216, 222.
Authority.—French Government Chart. (*H. 5806/16.*)



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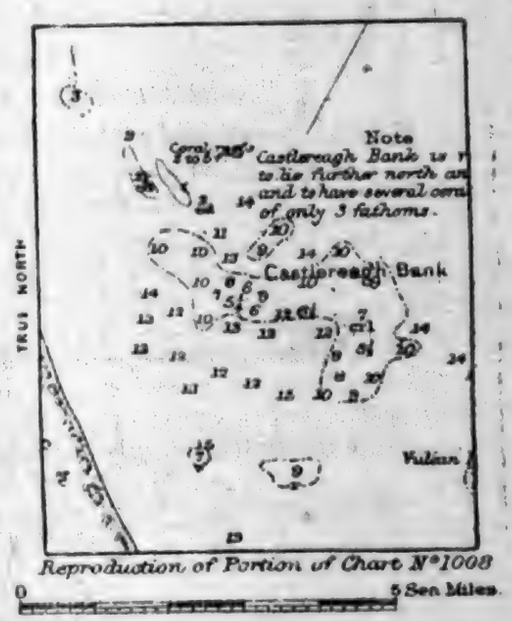

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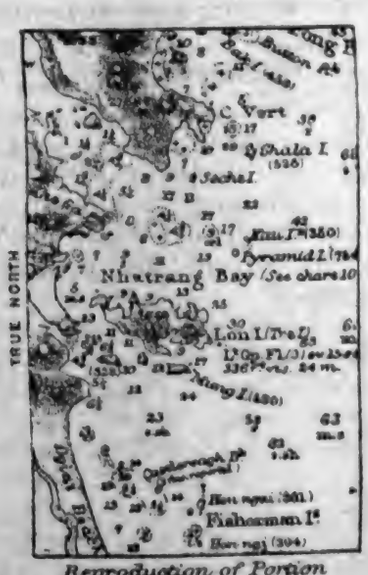


Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 1342.
0 5 10 Sea Miles

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Buoys between Alibagh and Vengurla relaid.

No. 366 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 175M. of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 87-M. of 1916. (This Office No. 195 of 1916.)

Details.—The following buoys which were withdrawn during the South-West monsoon were relaid in their respective positions on the dates noted against each :—

Alibagh Outer Reef Buoy	...	13th October 1916.
Ambolgarh Reef Buoy	...	15th „ „
Malvan, Rock Buoy	...	18th „ „
Malvan, Two Inner Harbour Buoys.		18th „ „
Malvan Fort (Harbour) buoy	...	26th „ „
Malvan, Johnston Castle Rock Buoy.		27th „ „
Malvan, Rajkot Fort Buoy	...	27th „ „
Vengurla, Bubra Rock Buoy	...	28th „ „
Vengurla, South Rock Buoy	...	31st „ „

Authority.—The Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, dated 13th November 1916.

BAY OF BENGAL.

CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced by buoy.

No. 367-I. (second publication).—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 28th December 1916 and replaced in March 1917.

A red conical buoy with staff and cage will mark the position during her absence.

Position.—Lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.
„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 630.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice dated 28th November 1916.

The 27th November 1916.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Cuyo West Pass—Amendments to Charts.

No. 352 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1106 of 1916), are republished :—

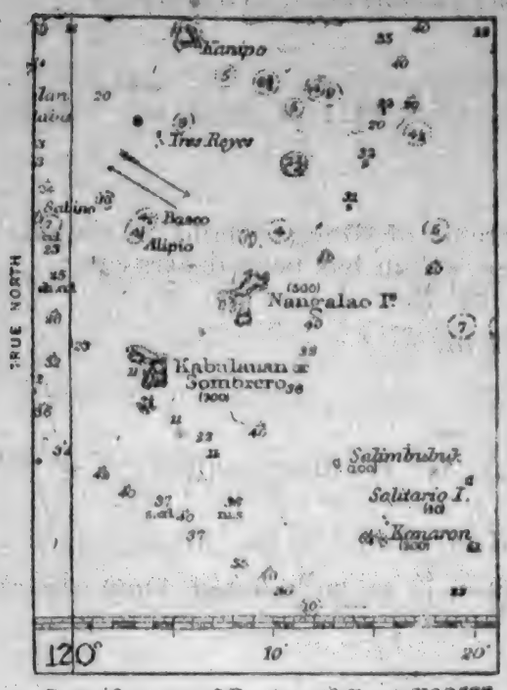
Position.—Salimbubuk island, lat. 11° 19¼′ N., long. 120° 13¼′ E.

Details.—The existence of several shoals, and amendments to the charts with regard to existing shoals south-eastward of Kalamion (Kulion) island, are shown on the accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 2577, 967, 943 and 2661*b*.

Remarks.—The small islet shown on the charts about 3 miles westward from Salimbubuk island, and the reef extending northward from Nangalao island, do not exist and have therefore been omitted from the reproductions.

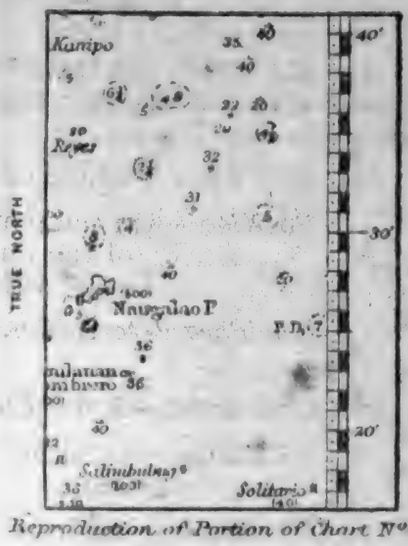
Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine islands, between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 967, Palawan island.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion, eastern sheet.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 61.
Authority.—U.S.A. Government Chart. (*H. 5425/16.*)



Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 2577.

0 5 10 Sea Miles



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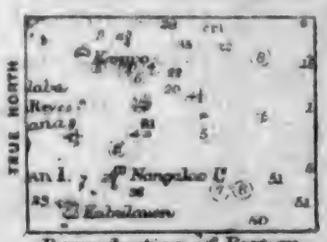

Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 2651

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PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Tunghi Bay—Amended Buoyage and Depths.

No. 353 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1107 of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 341 of 1916. (*This office No. 149 of 1916.*)
Position.—Tunghi bay entrance, lat. 10° 44′ S., long. 40° 39′ E.
Details.—The accompanying reproduction of a portion of chart No. 658 shows amended buoyage and depths in Tunghi bay.
Chart affected.—No. 658, Ras Pekawi to Cape Delgado.
Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 314, 315.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5586/16.*)

Reproduction of Portion of Chart N° 658

0 5 Sea Miles

AFRICA—EAST COAST.

Tanga Bay and Approaches—New Light established; Alterations in Buoyage.

No. 354 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1111 of 1916), are republished:—

(*a*) New light established:

Position.—On the north-eastern extreme of Ulenge island on the site of the former lighthouse which has been destroyed.
Lat. 5° 00½′ S., long. 39° 10½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F., *vis. 11 m.*

Details:

Character.—A *fixed white* light.

Visibility.—11 miles; from 270° (*N. 85° W. Mag.*) to 360° (*N. 5° E. Mag.*).

Structure.—An iron tripod, boarded in, 43 feet in height.

Note.—The sketch of Ulenge lighthouse is to be deleted from chart No. 663.

(*b*) Alterations in buoyage:

(1) Alteration in description of buoy:

Position.—At a distance of about 2 cables, north-eastward, from the northern end of Nuile reef.
Lat. 5° 03¾′ S., long. 39° 12½′ E.

Details.—"I. Tanga" buoy has been replaced by a black conical buoy with square topmark.

(2) Buoys disappeared:

Details.—With the foregoing exception, all the buoys outside Tanga island anchorage, shown on chart No. 663, have disappeared and are to be expunged from the chart.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 663, Mansa and Tanga bays, with plan of Tanga island anchorage and view B.
„ 1390, Chale point to Pangani.
„ 664, Zanzibar to Malindi.
„ 669, Cape Delgado to Port Mombasa.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 124.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, pages 450, 451.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5587/16.*)

BORNEO, EAST COAST.

Balik Papan Bay and Mahakan River Entrance—Tidal Signals from Light-Vessels discontinued.

No. 355 (third publication)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1111 of 1916), are republished:—

(*a*) Balik Papan pilot and light-vessel:
Position.—Lat. 1° 19′ S., long. 116° 57′ E.

(*b*) Muara Jawa pilot and light-vessel:
Position.—Lat. 1° 00½′ S., long. 117° 12′ E.

(*c*) Muara Bayor pilot and light-vessel:
Position.—Lat. 0° 38½′ S., long. 117° 41′ E.

Details.—The tidal signals formerly made from the above light-vessels have been discontinued.

Charts affected.—No. 2636, Strait of Makassar (*a*).
„ 2637, South part of Strait of Makassar (*a*).
„ 2662, Plan of River Mahakan (*b*), (*c*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 1064.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 364, 367, 369.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1309 of 1916. (*H. 5761/16.*)

SUMATRA, EAST COAST.

Aru Bay and Palembang River—Tidal Signals from Light-Vessels discontinued.

No. 356 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1115 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) Aroe Baai pilot and light-vessel :

Position.—In the approach to Sembilang channel.
Lat. 4° 11′ N., long. 98° 22¼′ E.

(*b*) Palembang pilot and light-vessel :

Position.—At the entrance to Palembang river.
Lat. 2° 12′ S., long. 104° 57′ E.

Details.—The tidal signals formerly made from the above light-vessels have been discontinued.

Charts affected.—No. 3586, Aru bay (*a*).
„ 3471, Banka strait (*b*).
„ 2757, Banka strait to Singapore (*b*).
„ 2597, Banka strait (*b*).

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, Nos. 716, 975.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 92, 93.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 120.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1309 of 1916. (*H. 5761/16.*)

PERSIAN GULF.

Farsi Arabi and Herkuz islands—Beacons erected.

No. 357 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 174M. of 1916), are republished :—

(1) Farsi Island.

Position.—Lat. 27° 59½′ N. long. 50° 10½′ E.

Details.—A wooden mast, 30 feet high, surmounted by a circular iron top-mark in two vertical planes, 9 feet in diameter, at the summit of the southern part of the island.

(2) Arabi Island.

Position.—Lat 27° 46½′ N. long. 50° 11′ E.

Details.—A wooden mast, 30 feet high, surmounted by an iron four-pointed star in two vertical planes, 9 feet in diameter, at the summit of the south-east extremity of the island.

Remarks.—This island is higher than as noted on the chart, the actual height being about 10 feet due probably to the successive layers of guano, and has a cairn of loose stones about 6 feet high at its northern end.

(3) Herkuz Island.

Position.—Lat. 27° 56′ N. long. 19° 11½′ E.

Details.—A wooden mast 30 feet high, surmounted by a circular iron top-mark in two vertical planes, 9 feet in diameter, at the summit in the centre of the island.

Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, pages 142 and 143.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding, R. I. M. S. "Nearchus" dated 22nd October 1916.

CHINA SEA—GULF OF PECHILI, ENTRANCE TO THE HAIHO.

Fort light discontinued.

No. 358 (third publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 629 of 1916) that the Fort Light at the Entrance to the Haiho, Gulf of Pechili, has been discontinued.

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RESOLUTION REVIEWING THE REPORTS ON THE WORKING OF MUNICIPALITIES IN THE BENGAL PRESIDENCY (EXCEPT CALCUTTA) DURING THE YEAR 1915-16.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

MUNICIPAL.

CALCUTTA, THE 18TH DECEMBER 1916.

RESOLUTION—No. 2896M.

READ—

The Reports from the Commissioners of Divisions on the working of Municipalities in the Bengal Presidency (except Calcutta) during the year 1915-16.

DURING the year under review the municipalities of Bengal suffered so little from the unfavourable financial conditions consequent on the war, that their collections increased by nearly a lakh of rupees and they had no difficulty in providing for current needs. The effect of the war was, however, apparent in their inability to undertake large and expensive schemes of improvement, for which they are dependent on the assistance of Government

by means either of grants or loans, or both. Few private individuals are willing to come forward with generous contributions for public purposes, and both Municipal Commissioners and the ratepayers are opposed to increased taxation, so that funds for large schemes are not forthcoming from other sources. Owing to the necessity for careful economy of the provincial revenues, the amounts which the Government could make available for grants and loans to municipalities had to be reduced, and consequently a number of useful schemes of water-supply and drainage had to be kept in abeyance. As soon as normal financial conditions are restored, the Governor in Council trusts that he will be able to extend to municipal bodies the assistance they require for projects of improvement. He must however reaffirm the principle that Government, with many demands upon its limited resources, cannot make grants to Municipal Boards which have not learnt the lesson that the development of their towns depends mainly on their readiness to raise taxation to a reasonable figure and that, in the case of water-supply, they must be prepared to make the projects self-supporting.

In pursuance of the policy that the representative system should be extended to the greatest extent compatible with the interests of the ratepayers, orders were passed that the right to elect Municipal Commissioners should be given to nine municipalities in which they had hitherto been appointed by Government, viz., Budge-Budge, Cox's Bazar, Darjeeling, Dhulian, Jhalakati, Narayanganj, Netrakona, Patuakhali and Rangpur. Eleven municipalities have since been given the right to elect their Chairmen, the number of municipal towns in which Government appoints the Chairman being consequently reduced to 14. In the important municipality of Howrah, where the Magistrate has hitherto been elected Chairman, the Municipal Commissioners declared themselves in favour of having a non-official Chairman. The Governor in Council, accepting this resolution, did not appoint the Magistrate a Commissioner, and a non-official was elected to the Chairmanship.

In order that Municipal Boards should enjoy the fullest measure of financial independence permissible under the law, the Governor in Council directed that all municipalities, except those in which maladministration had shown that such a concession could not safely be allowed, should be given a free hand in framing their budgets according to their discretion, the Commissioners of Divisions being required only to see that the law, statutory rules and Government orders are complied with and that due provision is made for the necessary minimum closing balance and for the service of municipal loans.

It rests with the Municipal Commissioners of the towns which have been granted these privileges to justify the confidence which the Governor in Council has placed in their capacity for independent self-government.

2. **Number of municipalities and revision of boundaries.**—The number of municipalities increased from 111 to 112, in consequence of the partition of the Serampore municipality into the separate municipalities of Serampore and Rishra-Konnagar. The partition of the South Barrackpore municipality was also sanctioned, but did not take effect during the year. The limits of the North Barrackpore, Navadwip and Netrakona municipalities were reduced by the exclusion of rural areas.

3. **Elections.**—General elections were held in 64 municipalities and the majority were contested. A significant instance of the democratic leaven at work under the representative system is that a Muchi and a Chandal were elected Commissioners in one municipality. There has been a noticeable growth of interest in municipal elections, but it is a matter for regret that this should be associated with a tendency to resort to litigation. One-sixth of the elections were the subject of civil suits. The reports do not show how far these suits are due to irregularities at the polls, difficulties in the election procedure, the resentment of defeated candidates or party spirit and faction, but it is clear that they are a serious check to municipal administration. In one town the new Municipal Board was unable to meet during the year under review owing to a temporary injunction issued by the civil court; in another the constitution of the new body of Municipal Commissioners was delayed for about a year by litigation about election.

Under the existing law it is not possible to follow the English practice, by which election petitions are disposed of by a special commissioner appointed for the purpose and the long delays of civil court suits are avoided. Government are considering the question of amending the law so as to remedy the present unsatisfactory state of affairs, and in the meantime it is not too much to expect that suits and injunctions should be minimized by the common sense and good faith of contending parties.

An interesting development of the elective system in Bengal was the adoption at the general election held in the Kotrung, Serampore and Rishra-Konnagar municipalities of a system of secret voting, which was first tried experimentally in 1913-14 at a bye-election at Kotrung in order to prevent candidates interfering with the liberty of the voters.

4 **Number of meetings and attendance of Commissioners.**—Altogether 123 meetings failed for want of a quorum, and seven municipalities failed to hold at least one meeting a month. There was a good average of attendance throughout the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions.

5. **Number of ratepayers.**—The number of ratepayers decreased from 318,099 to 317,722. The percentage of ratepayers to the population residing within municipal limits averaged 16·11 and varied in individual towns from 35·8 in Bogra to 3·5 in the mill-town of Titagarh.

6. **Assessment and taxation.**—There was no change in the methods of taxation in force. A water rate was imposed for the first time in Khulna, and in a few cases the provisions of section IX of the Bengal Municipal Act were extended to new areas on the request of the municipalities concerned. The average incidence of taxation per head fell from Rs. 2-6-10 to Rs. 2-3-10. As in previous years it was highest in Darjeeling, viz., Rs. 8-0-8. In the plains it varied from Rs. 6-9 per head in Cossipore-Chitpur to 5 annas 4 pies in Baduria.

7. **Revision of assessment.**—A general revision of assessment was effected in 24 municipalities, while in other cases the revision made in the previous year took effect during the year under review. They resulted in every case in an increase of income, the enhancement being greatest in Chittagong (Rs. 19,798). Only two municipalities, Bhatpara and Kalna, took the opportunity of reassessment to enhance the rate of taxation; and complaints are general that the municipalities show great reluctance to increase their taxation. A signal instance of this spirit is afforded by the town of Bally, where the revision of assessment resulted in a considerable increase of revenue, and the Commissioners proceeded to reduce it by lowering the rate on holdings from 7½ per cent. to 6 per cent. The appeals against revision were numerous. It took two years to dispose of them in Burdwan, and nearly a year in Rampur-Boalia, where they numbered 2,932.

8. **Collections.**—The total collections rose from Rs. 42,20,568 to Rs. 43,01,670 or 3 lakhs above the figure recorded in 1913-14. This continuous rise in collections may be taken as a satisfactory symptom of municipal prosperity. There was however a decrease in the percentage of collections on current demand, which represented 95·33 per cent. as against 96·03 per cent, in the preceding year. In no less than twenty municipalities the collections were in excess of the current demand, the ratio in Halishahar rising to the abnormal figure of 126·7 per cent. The excess is obviously due to failure to realize dues in the previous year and is so far satisfactory that it shows a creditable effort to remedy past negligence. The least successful of the larger municipalities was Rampur-Boalia. Embarrassed by the work of revaluation, by a large number of appeals against reassessment, by a general election, and by a disinclination to issue warrants, the executive of this municipality succeeded in realising only 73·7 per cent. of the current demand.

There was an increase in the total remissions from Rs. 1,56,742 to Rs. 1,80,578, their percentage on current demand rising from 3·5 per cent. to 4 per cent. Three municipalities remitted a percentage of 10 per cent. and the small municipalities of Dhulian and Debhatta nearly one-fifth.

The outstanding balances rose from Rs. 3,35,821 to Rs. 3,63,755. They exceeded Rs. 5,000 in the case of 17 municipalities, and were noticeably

large in Dacca, Rampur-Boalia, Hooghly-Chinsura and Serampore. In Cossipore-Chitpur, Jessore and South Dum-Dum, they were partly due to unsettled claims against public bodies. The Burdwan municipality has entirely failed to reduce an abnormal balance of over Rs. 35,000, which for the last two years has been attributed to delay in disposing of the appeals against the revision of assessment in 1914-1915—an explanation which Government has already held to be inadequate. These are conspicuous examples of a tendency to laxity in the realization of municipal dues, which is only too constant a theme of the annual reports. An outstanding balance of Rs. 10,311 in Berhampore is due to the collections having been impeded by the prosecution of practically the whole of the collecting staff for embezzlement.

9. **Income and expenditure.**—The total receipts including opening balances amounted to Rs. 82,94,648 as against Rs. 93,61,841 during the previous year. This large decrease is due to the fact that the total for 1914-15 included the proceeds of the sale of Government securities, to the value of Rs. 8,00,000, by the Howrah municipality, as well as a loan to the same municipality of Rs. 4,34,000, whereas its only receipt under either head, during the year 1915-1916, was a loan of Rs. 1,00,000. The total actual income, excluding opening balance and receipts under "Extraordinary and Debt", decreased by Rs. 2,21,514 and amounted to Rs. 54,06,316. The amount of Government loans fell from Rs. 5,82,000 to Rs. 1,78,000, but there was an increase of Rs. 98,458 in the total receipts from rates and taxes, and of Rs. 15,029 in revenue derived from other municipal property and powers apart from taxation.

The total expenditure declined from Rs. 72,18,133 to Rs. 66,35,636. The decrease was entirely under the heads "Extraordinary and Debt" and is mainly accounted for by a decrease of over five lakhs in savings bank investments by the Howrah municipality. Actual current expenditure amounted to Rs. 57,97,859 as against Rs. 57,52,157 during the previous year, and it is apparent that though no new capital expenditure was possible, the ordinary current activities of the towns were sustained.

10. **Closing balances.**—The closing balances which had increased by about 3 lakhs in the last two years fell from Rs. 21,46,708 to Rs. 16,59,012. Only three municipalities retained closing balances of over one lakh, viz., Howrah (Rs. 1,86,484), Narayanganj (Rs. 1,09,891) and Cossipore-Chitpur (Rs. 1,02,812). The greater part of the larger balances consists of funds earmarked for schemes of improvement, such as drainage or water-supply, and in many cases is made up of unspent Government grants given for projects which it has not been possible to proceed with owing to the rise in the cost of materials.

Details of the main items of revenue and expenditure are given below.

11. **Taxes on houses and lands (Rs. 16,30,735).**—There was an increase of Rs. 43,384 due to revision of assessment in certain municipalities and larger collections in Howrah; the increase was confined to the Burdwan, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions. A decrease of Rs. 18,808 in Cossipore-Chitpur is attributed to non-payment of taxes claimed from the Calcutta Corporation.

12. **Tax on animals and vehicles (Rs. 2,25,227).**—This tax yielded an increase of Rs. 8,225, which more than makes up for the falling off of the previous year, which was ascribed to a failure of cart traffic consequent on dullness in the jute trade.

13. **Tax on professions and trades (Rs. 84,291).**—The receipts under this head rose by Rs. 2,446: the only noticeable feature is an increase in the collections by the Rangpur municipality from Rs. 277 to Rs. 3,156 on receipt of the Commissioner's sanction to the rates of fees for jute godowns.

14. **Tolls on roads and ferries (Rs. 83,943).**—Receipts under this head in the Dacca and Rajshahi Divisions, which fell heavily during the previous year, recovered partially; but a falling off in the other Divisions, especially Presidency and Burdwan, resulted in a net decrease of Rs. 2,902.

15. **Water-rate (Rs. 6,88,436).**—There was an increase of Rs. 20,878, due partly to the levy of a water-rate for the first time in Khulna, and to the fact that the water-rate was realised for the whole year in Hooghly-Chinsura,

where it was only collected for three quarters of the previous year, during which the water-works first came into working. The balance of the increase was due to better collections, especially in Howrah, Mymensingh and Jessore. A decrease of Rs. 9,685 in Cossipore-Chitpur is attributed to remissions on account of railway holdings.

16. **Lighting rate (Rs. 1,92,294).**—There was a decrease of Rs. 4,110, the net result of a decrease of Rs. 7,213 in Cossipore-Chitpur, attributed to remissions for railway holdings, and of an increase of Rs. 3,000 in Howrah.

17. **Conservancy (Rs. 10,92,020).**—Receipts rose by Rs. 21,829. An increase of over Rs. 30,000 in the Burdwan, Rajshahi and Dacca Divisions more than counterbalanced a decrease in the Presidency Division, where it was due mainly to remission of taxes in Cossipore-Chitpur, and in the Chittagong Division, where it was due to reduction of the latrine rate.

18. **Tax on persons according to circumstances and property (Rs. 3,98,078).**—There was an increase of Rs. 4,869, notwithstanding the abolition of the tax in some wards of the Rampur-Boalia and Nator municipalities.

19. **Realizations under Special Acts (Rs. 1,09,241).**—There was a decrease of Rs. 2,370 which calls for no remarks. Fees under the Hackney Carriage Act were levied for the first time in Bogra.

20. **Revenue from municipal property and powers other than taxation (Rs. 4,87,279).**—An increase of Rs. 15,029 was shared by all Divisions. The Burdwan municipality obtained an addition of Rs. 8,745 in receipts from educational institutions, which is attributed largely to the school fees obtained from a branch municipal school which has been recently established. The amount of fines realised decreased slightly, and the small total of Rs. 40,879 under this head, of which Rs. 13,604 was realised in one municipality seems to indicate lack of energy in the prosecution of municipal offences.

21. **Grants and contributions (Rs. 2,90,182).**—There was a decrease under this head of Rs. 3,48,256, due mainly to a reduction of the Government grants on account of the financial stringency arising out of war conditions. The following were the larger Government grants which it was found possible to make :—

Burdwan	municipality	...	Rs. 17,452 for drainage.
Bankura	ditto	...	Rs. 19,025 for water-works and sanitary improvement.
Midnapore	ditto	...	Rs. 22,074 for the college and other educational purposes.
Chittagong	ditto	...	Rs. 10,200 towards the pay of the Secretary-Engineer.
Dacca	ditto	...	Rs. 7,500 for a conservancy tramway.

There was a slight increase in private contributions, and the following instances of liberality deserve special mention. Suri received a contribution of Rs. 25,000 from Raja Satya Niranjan Chakarvarty of Hetampur towards the Suri water-works. Berhampore received a donation of Rs. 23,097, the bulk of which was contributed by Raja Rao Jogendra Narayan Bahadur of Lalgola for the charitable hospital and the Khagra burning ghât. Babu Raj Krishna Ghose gave Rs. 2,000 to the Bhatpara municipality for a female bathing ghât, Babu Profulla Nath Tagore made over land of the value of Rs. 1,500 to the Baranagar municipality for the drainage works, and Babu Hari Charan Guha gave Rs. 1,292 to the Bally municipality for a road. Generous contributions were made to Bhadreswar by the Victoria and Shamnagar North Jute Mills for the construction of roads in the mill bustees, and the Managing Agents of the Empire Jute Mills granted Rs. 4,000 to Titagarh for improvement of the drainage. There was a decrease in contributions from local funds, the greater part of which were made for medical purposes. Barisal received Rs. 5,000 from the District Board towards the water-works, and Dacca Rs. 6,600 from the Dacca Electric Light Trust Fund for the better lighting of the town.

22. **Office establishment and collection charges (Rs. 4,56,921).**—Expenditure on this account increased by Rs. 45,683 and its percentage on the total expenditure from 7·9 per cent. to 8·1 per cent. This

increase is chiefly due to the establishment charges of Howrah, which rose by over Rs. 45,000, more than half of this amount being due to an increase in charges for survey. The percentage of expenditure on this account varied from 20·08 in North Dum Dum to 3·8 in Berhampore. Other towns which appear to have exercised commendable economy are Katwa and Barisal with percentages of 4·1 and 4·4 respectively. The low percentage of 3·9 in Chittagong is due to the pay of the Secretary-Engineer being debited under another head.

23. **Prevention of fire (Rs. 79,537).**—The bulk of the expenditure consists of contributions by suburban municipalities to the Calcutta Fire-Brigade. There was an increase of Rs. 1,357 in Darjeeling, which is the only town with an organised fire-brigade outside Calcutta.

24. **Lighting (Rs. 3,73,692).**—There was an increase of Rs. 39,125 under this head. In Darjeeling alone there was an increase of over Rs. 24,000, incurred for the most part in capital outlay on the existing electric power works and a new hydro-electric scheme. In Dacca electric lighting was extended to certain streets with the help of the grant from the Electric Light Trust Fund already referred to. The increase in other municipalities is attributed rather to the increase in the cost of materials, such as oil and glass chimneys, than to any improvement in lighting. A decrease in the expenditure in the Dacca Division was caused by the fact that the Narayanganj Municipality had to substitute kerosene for petrol lamps through inability to procure mantles. The municipalities of North Barrackpore and South Barrackpore spent nothing on lighting.

25. **Water-supply (Rs. 9,51,819).**—There was an increase of Rs. 1,66,670 in expenditure on water-supply. Of this increase Rs. 1,34,327 was incurred on account of capital works, expenditure on which had fallen by five lakhs during the previous year, and Rs. 32,343 in maintenance and repairs. Of the total expenditure on capital works (Rs. 5,39,752), a sum of Rs. 2,09,566 was spent on the construction of water-works at Chittagong, which have since been opened, and Rs. 1,93,373 on the extension of the Howrah water-works, the completion of which has been delayed through the inability of Government to make the full loan promised. The only water-works scheme completed during the year was that of the Bankura municipality. Other capital works of minor importance were the extension of the water-pipes in Burdwan and Cossipore-Chitpur, the repair of the water-works engine at Berhampore, improvements to the Barisal water-works, and the re-excavation of a tank in Pabna at a cost of Rs. 6,392.

The largest of the schemes under consideration was the Riparian Municipalities Water-works Scheme, which is intended for the supply of water to municipalities on the east bank of the Hooghly north of Calcutta. Representatives of the municipalities concerned were invited to confer on a revised scheme prepared by the Sanitary Engineer at an estimated cost of 35 lakhs; and the details of a system under which a Water-works Board can be constituted, and the water-works financed and managed, are under the consideration of Government.

The final approval of Government was given to water-works schemes for Dacca (Rs. 1,80,000), Nator (Rs. 67,000), Satkhira (Rs. 51,793) and Chandpur (Rs. 1,26,000). It was not possible to start work on any of these schemes during the year, but the Satkhira municipality, to which Government had already given a grant, has since been able to make a beginning with its project. In other cases the schemes depend for their execution on the receipt of grants and loans from Government, which it was not possible to make on account of financial stringency. At the same time, the estimates require revision in view of the increase of prices, and thus involve reconsideration of the financial proposals on which the schemes were sanctioned.

Sketch projects for the water-supply of Krishnagar, Raniganj and Suri received the approval of Government during the year and detailed estimates were called for. Important schemes of water-supply for Asansol, Midnapore and Murshidabad were under the consideration of the Municipal Commissioners in consultation with the Sanitary Engineer. Experiments in the sinking of a well in the bed of the Cossye and in pumping at Midnapore gave satisfactory results, and the Sanitary Engineer drew up a scheme, which has been submitted to the Municipal Commissioners since the close of the year.

26. **Drainage (Rs. 3,25,529).**—There was a net decrease of Rs. 3,61,221 in expenditure on drainage, though expenditure on establishment and maintenance increased from Rs. 1,44,683 to Rs. 1,64,298. The heavy net decrease is due to the fact that expenditure on capital works in Howrah was less by Rs. 3,68,896 than during the preceding year. The bulk of the capital outlay was incurred in the Burdwan Division. The drainage scheme of the Bankura municipality was completed during the year. Sums of over Rs. 25,000 each were spent by the Burdwan and Katwa municipalities. In Bhadreswar a surface scheme for part of the municipality was completed at a cost of Rs. 21,627, and the Commissioners now propose to take in hand another block of the scheme. Various small works were carried on or initiated, but the only new scheme of any importance with which a beginninng is reported to have been made is the Bharpara drainage scheme in Howrah. Two larger schemes were under the consideration of Government during the year. The Bagjola scheme for the drainage of municipalities to the north of Calcutta was considered by the Sanitary Board in consultation with the Chairmen of the Calcutta Corporation and the local Municipalities and other officers concerned, and in view of the sanitary objections to it, it was decided not to proceed further with the scheme in its present form. A combined project for sewerage and surface drainage in Rampur-Boalia, at an estimated capital cost of Rs. 1,46,000, was prepared by the Sanitary Engineer during the year. Drainage schemes are reported to be pending with the municipalities of Hooghly-Chinsurah, Kamarhati, Budge-Budge and Comilla among others, and have not yet materialized owing to the difficulty of formulating satisfactory financial proposals.

27. **Conservancy (Rs. 15,59,947).**—An increase of Rs. 41,681 was contributed to by the municipality of Howrah and the three divisions of Eastern Bengal. A considerable saving was effected in the cost of the conservancy staff at Asansol without any reduction of its efficiency.

28. **Sanitary Officers (Rs. 53,209).**—This is the first year in which expenditure on Sanitary Officers has been entered under a separate head. The Sanitary Officers Act (II of 1914) was brought into force during the year by notifications prescribing the sanitary staff to be entertained by all municipalities. Expenditure on this account was incurred, however, by only 36 municipalities during the year, and progress towards making the necessary appointments must be regarded as slow. There are signs of a tendency to avoid appointing the staff pending the receipt of grants-in-aid from Government. Municipalities must recognise that they are now under a legal obligation to appoint these officers irrespective of the receipt of assistance from Government and that this constitutes a necessary charge on municipal finances. Assistance from Government towards the pay of Sanitary Inspectors can only be expected when a municipality has shown both its readiness to make the appointment, and its inability to meet the charge, notwithstanding a reasonable incidence of taxation, without prejudice to the efficiency of other departments of the municipal administration.

29. **Hospitals and Dispensaries and plague charges (Rs. 3,90,942).**—There was an increase of expenditure amounting to Rs. 37,348. The Dwarika Nath Charitable Dispensary at Tangail, which had hitherto been under private maintenance, was placed in charge of the municipality. An increase of Rs. 19,004 in expenditure by Berhampore was due to the addition to the Charitable Hospital of a new outdoor dispensary, with the help of private generosity which has already been mentioned.

30. **Public Works (Rs. 8,66,251).**—Expenditure under this head increased by Rs. 36,412. There was an increase of Rs. 41,738 on roads, and of Rs. 3,121 on establishment, and a decrease under the subheads Stores and Buildings. Expenditure on roads increased in the Burdwan, Dacca and Rajshahi Divisions. The percentage of outlay on public works ranged from 46·2 in Taki to 4·1 in Kotrung and Kurseong, in the latter of which the roads are maintained by the Public Works Department. In twenty municipalities more than a quarter of the total expenditure was on account of public works.

31. **Public Instruction (Rs. 2,21,956).**—Educational expenditure rose by Rs. 13,203, and it is observed that the whole of the increase was devoted to secondary rather than primary education. The major portion of the increase is due to expenditure on colleges and high schools in Burdwan,

Midnapore and Maniktolla. The expenditure on primary schools decreased from Rs. 1,08,328 to Rs. 88,567 and the Governor in Council desires to invite attention to the principle that primary education must be the first object of municipal educational expenditure. and that the municipal fund should not be utilized for secondary education intended for the benefit of well-to-do classes until full provision has been made for primary schools. Twenty-two municipalities spent over 5 per cent. of their income on primary education. The percentage was highest in Jhalakati (21·8 per cent.) and Debhata (16·7) and varied elsewhere from 8·7 in Cox's Bazar to less than 2 per cent. in Howrah, Midnapore, Burdwan and Darjeeling, while the extremely low figure of ·06 was reached in Dinajpur.

32. **Loans.**—Thirty-nine municipalities were in debt to Government at the end of the year, the total amount of their outstanding liabilities on the 31st March 1916 being Rs. 45,36,292 in addition to Rs. 12,600 due from Burdwan and Bally for loans taken from other sources. The largest outstanding loan liabilities were those of Howrah (Rs. 24,51,828), Dacca (Rs. 2,73,681), Hooghly-Chinsurah (Rs. 1,78,031), Narayanganj (Rs. 1,25,161) and Chittagong (Rs. 1,10,000). Four municipalities took loans during the year, viz., Howrah (Rs. 1,00,000 for water-supply), Chittagong (Rs. 60,000 for water-supply), Barisal (Rs. 13,000 for water-supply) and Bankura (Rs. 5,000 for sanitary works). The Berhampore and Bansberia municipalities liquidated their loans.

33. **Outstanding liabilities on account of current bills.**—At the end of the financial year, eighty municipalities had outstanding liabilities on account of current bills, amounting to Rs. 2,17,576, which represented 5·7 per cent. of their current demand. In 16 municipalities the outstanding liabilities exceeded the closing balance. The tendency to incur liabilities beyond annual means was marked in the Rajshahi Division, where the liabilities exceeded the closing balances in five municipalities, notably Pabna and Rampur-Boalia with outstanding liabilities of Rs. 5,664 and Rs. 4,173, respectively, against closing balances of Rs. 1,839 and Rs. 1,796.

34. **Audit of accounts and embezzlement.**—No financial irregularities were discovered during the year in the Rajshahi and Dacca Divisions. Elsewhere the usual tale of dishonesty among subordinates and laxity of supervision repeats itself. The audit of the accounts of Berhampore brought to light a systematic embezzlement, which necessitated a special audit of the accounts from 1912 to 1915. A large sum of municipal money had been gradually embezzled for some years by the collecting staff, practically all of whom were involved in the fraud. Eight persons were prosecuted and sentenced; and the municipality is being required to pay the cost of the special audit. Embezzlements by the collecting staff were also discovered in Basirhat, South Barrackpore. Satkhira, Netrakona and Tamluk. In the municipality last named the detection of a fraud by a member of the staff, who is still absconding, had so little effect in stimulating the executive to closer supervision that another embezzlement was committed by his successor.

Reference has already been made to the issue of instructions relaxing the control exercised by Commissioners over municipal budgets. The Commissioner of the Presidency Division attributes certain instances of extravagance to the policy of non-intervention, but Government consider that it would be premature to draw conclusions at present as to the effect of orders which were passed only towards the close of the year under review.

35. **Howrah.**—The current demand on account of taxes rose from Rs. 9,79,935 to Rs. 9,95,273, and the total demand amounted to Rs. 10,47,669, of which 92·5 per cent. was collected against 91·5 per cent. in the previous year. The total ordinary income rose from Rs. 10,49,825 to Rs. 10,83,028, while the total ordinary expenditure fell from Rs. 13,68,749 to Rs. 12,06,621. Owing to the war and the impossibility of obtaining loans. the Commissioners had to postpone all capital expenditure except that to which they were actually committed. Work proceeded on the new filters and settling tanks at Serampore, for which contracts were made before the war, and the Bharpara drainage scheme was taken up in accordance with an agreement with the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, which will pay Rs. 12,500 towards the total cost of the scheme (Rs. 34,500). Work on the central drainage scheme and developments of the water-works improvement scheme, such as the laying of the new town main and the purchase of a new

pumping engine, were postponed. The work already done for the improvement of the water-supply has increased the supply in the town by 58 per cent., giving 17 gallons per head of population. A general election was held in December, but it was not till after the close of the financial year that the municipality was reconstituted. The Governor in Council will watch with special interest the progress made by this municipality under the Chairmanship of a non-official gentleman.

36. **General Remarks.**—It is not without a sense of disappointment that the Governor in Council has read the criticisms of Commissioners and District Officers on the working of municipalities during the year. The towns-people of Bengal have now had over 30 years' training in municipal administration under the Bengal Municipal Act and he cannot but feel, after reviewing the record of the year's work in the most friendly spirit, that, with some notable exceptions, progress is slow.

The Commissioner of the Presidency Division considers that the year under report has scarcely been one of progress except that the municipalities on the east bank of the Hooghly have now agreed to join in a common scheme of water-supply which they rejected ten years ago. Sanitary Officers have received little encouragement; taxation is inadequate; expenditure on drainage and water-supply is not seriously faced. "The Municipal Committee's conception of civic duty," he remarks, "is seldom sufficiently high to set self-interest aside and test the faith of the people in municipal government by a large increase of taxation." Among individual municipalities he mentions Berhampore as having again failed to perform its duties efficiently owing to laxity of management and torpid inaction accompanied by a listless expectancy of Government aid. Maniktolla has suffered from party spirit and faction for some years and is said by the Magistrate to have had the pretensions, but not the substance of modern administration. In Debhatta rates were not collected owing to internal dissension. The Commissioner adds, however, that with these exceptions the municipal services were for the most part efficiently performed within the limits of the financial resources, while in municipalities connected with the headquarters of districts the standard of administration was in many ways creditable. The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas refers to the administration of the mill municipalities, such as Titagarh, Naihati and Bhatpara, which have had their resources augmented by substantial help from the mills, as business-like and efficient. Other small rural municipalities, however, are unsatisfactory, and the Magistrate points out that an inspection of any of the minor municipalities must convince any disinterested person that the taxation is wholly inadequate, the collections are poor and dilatory, and there is a general reluctance to use coercive measures to improve them. In Nadia some elements of progress are observed, and there has been normal progress in the municipalities in Khulna district with the exception of Debhatta. Little advance however has been made in Jessore, while in Murshidabad there are said to be very few indications of the growth of a healthy public opinion, which will insist on municipal questions being decided on their merits, instead of in accordance with the private interests of rival local factions.

The record of the municipalities in the Burdwan district is generally unsatisfactory. Of Burdwan it is reported that little good can be said: the roads are bad, the drains are not flushed, the water-supply is abused with impunity, the finances are mismanaged and in confusion, the Municipal Board is rent by faction. Party faction and self-interest among the Commissioners prevent good administration in Katwa and to a less degree in Kalna. Conspicuous by contrast are the municipalities of Asansol, the affairs of which were administered with foresight, efficiency and economy, and Raniganj, which was managed with quiet efficiency, on a small income of which "little was wasted." The Vishnupur municipality worked smoothly, and a marked improvement is noticed in the administration and cleanliness of Bankura, where the Municipal Commissioners have to deal with the expansion of the town owing to the opening of railway communications. No special reform or improvement was effected in Midnapore. The Commissioners of Hooghly-Chinsura declined to impose a water-rate adequate to meet the maintenance charges of the water-works; the collection of taxes was bad, and the municipality had insufficient funds to carry out municipal work efficiently. Party feeling runs high in

Baidyabati and prevents good administration. In Bansberia it is reported that no improvements can be expected unless the executive and the Commissioners exert themselves to promote the welfare of the municipality. Arambagh, however, was well managed; in Uttarpara the virulence of party feeling abated; and the work of Bhadreswar municipality shows a very great improvement, so that it promises to be the most up to date and progressive town in the district.

In the Rajshahi Division the Commissioner reports that there has been a distinct improvement in the administration of municipal affairs, especially in Pabna, where a real effort is being made to look after the welfare of the town. A change in the executive has resulted in an improvement of the working of the Sirajganj municipality, and Rangpur is commended by the Magistrate for its improved administration and business-like assessment. The hill municipalities of Darjeeling and Kurseong maintain their good record, and in both mention is made of the assistance given to the executive by the Commissioners and of their practical interest in municipal affairs.

In the Dacca Division most of the important municipalities are maturing useful schemes of improvement, but tend to rely too much on Government aid. Professor Geddes visited Dacca on the invitation of the municipality and made a close study of the town and its needs: his report will shortly be published. This is the first occasion on which an opportunity has been afforded to an Eastern Bengal municipality of coming into contact with modern ideas of town-planning and improvement. The administration of the other towns in the Division calls for little comment. A keen interest in municipal elections was displayed, and it is satisfactory to learn that at Madaripur the parties were content to abide by the decision of the Magistrate over disputed elections without having recourse to litigation.

The only outstanding feature in the municipal work of the Chittagong Division was the progress made with the water-works in the town of Chittagong. The Chandpur municipality has been trying to accumulate funds for a water-supply scheme, so that it may be able to contribute its share of the cost when Government can come to its assistance. In Comilla the Municipal Commissioners have been unable for several years past to undertake any important scheme for want of adequate funds. Its financial position does not afford sufficient security for loans from Government, and the only means of increasing the permanent revenues seems to be to adopt a tax on holdings instead of the unsatisfactory method of assessment on incomes. Mention of the town of Brahmanbaria as under water for three months with "all the roads covered with water to a sufficient depth to allow of small boats sailing over them" gives a glimpse of the difficulties of municipal work in an Eastern Bengal town in a wet year.

37. The following gentlemen are mentioned by Commissioners as having served with special distinction on Municipal Committees during the year and the Governor in Council desires to thank them and all others who are co-operating in the development of municipal life in Bengal :—

Mr. N. G. A. Edgley, I.C.S., Asansol.
„ M. C. G. Young, Asansol.
The Revd. J. Mitchell, Bankura.
Babu Nagendra Nath Ghose, Bankura.
Mr. G. Crawford, Raniganj.
Babu Bipin Bihari Banerjee, Raniganj.
„ Baroda Prosad De, Serampore.
Mr. W. D. Bruce Watt, Bhadreswar.
„ Omerta Lal Munshi, Uttarpara.
Babu Surendra Kumar Sen, Dinajpur.
„ Jogesh Chandra Sarkar, Rangpur.
„ Dinanath Biswas, Pabna.
Mr. V. Gerard Smith, Sirajganj.
Revd. Mr. McColl, Kurseong.
Babu Pyari Lal Das, Dacca.
„ Jogendra Nath Guha, Jhalakati.
„ Dinesh Chandra Guha, Nalchiti.
Maulvi Fazlul Karim, Patuakhali.
The Hon'ble Mr. E. A. Martin, Chittagong.
Babu Sarat Chandra Shome, Chandpur.
Maulvi Safar Ali, Noakhali.
Rai Kripa Nath Dutta Bahadur, Cossipore-Chitpur.
Maulvi Saiyid Mofakhar-ur-Rahman, Titagarh.
Rai Shyama Charan Bhattacharjee Bahadur, Bhatpara.
„ Barada Kanta Mitra Bahadur, Naihati.
The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray, South Suburban.
Mr. T. C. Donald, Garulia.
Babu Pramatha Nath Chakrabarti, Kumarkhali.
Mr. W. S. Hopkyns, I.C.S., Howrah.
Rai Mahendra Nath Bhattacharji Bahadur, Howrah.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORM NO. I.—*Statement showing the constitution of the Municipalities in the Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916.*

Name of District.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	Act under which constituted.	Population within Municipal limits.	PARTICULARS AS TO CHAIRMAN.				NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE.								Total number of meetings held including those specified in columns 19 and 20.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which proved abortive for want of a quorum.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which were adjourned.	Average percentage of officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of non-officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of all members present at each meeting.
					Elected non-official.	Elected official.	Nominated non-official.	Nominated official.	(a) Ex-officio.	(b) Nominated.	(c) Elected.	(d) Total.	(e) Official.	(f) Non-official.	(g) European.	(h) Indian.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
			BURDWAN DIVISION.																			
Burdwan.	1	Burdwan ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	35,921	1	...	...	...	3	4	15	22	2	20	2	20	24	1	5	4·16	63·75	50·6
	2	Kalna ...		6,603	1	...	...	...	1	4	10	15	1	14	...	15	29	...	1	36·2	58·7	54·48
	3	Katwa ...		6,904	1	...	...	...	1	3	8	12	1	11	...	12	19	1	7	36·84	53·15	50·87
	4	Dainhat ...		5,342	...	...	...	1	...	4	8	(a)12	...	12	...	12	11	...	...	...	58·3	58·3
	5	Raniganj ...		15,497	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	2	10	19	...	...	...	58·5	58·5
	6	Asansol ...		21,919	...	...	...	1	7	5	...	12	1	11	7	5	15	...	...	...	72·0	72·2
			Total ...	94,186	4	...	...	2	12	24	49	85	5	80	11	74	117	2	13	...	...	...
Birbhum.	7	Suri ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	9,131	1	...	...	...	3	2	11	16	(b)2	14	...	16	26	9	...	35·0	41·66	37·5
Bankura.	8	Bankura ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	23,453	...	...	1	...	3	2	10	15	(c)2	13	3	12	24	...	1	45·1	65·8	61·1
	9	Vishnupur		20,478	...	...	...	1	1	4	8	13	3	10	1	12	24	4	4	31·6	52·5	47·6
	10	Sonamukhi		13,275	...	...	...	1	1	3	6	10	2	8	1	9	14*	...	1	78·5	58·9	62·8
			Total ...	57,206	...	..	1	2	5	9	24	38	7	31	5	33	62	4	6	...	...	...
Midnapore.	11	Midnapore ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	32,740	1	...	...	...	2	4	12	18	(d)3	15	1	17	13	...	...	46·15	76·3	69·6
	12	Tamluk		8,049	1	...	...	...	2	2	8	12	4	8	...	12	22	...	...	76·0	77·25	76·6
	13	Ghatal ...		12,084	1	...	...	...	1	4	10	15	2	13	...	15	16	...	1	68·25	50·0	50·83
	14	Chandrakona		8,721	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	...	12	35	7	4	...	52·62	52·62
	15	Ramjibanpur		8,481	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	12	...	...	...	68·52	68·52
	16	Khirpai ...		4,605	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	9	...	...	...	58·02	58·02
	17	Kharar ...		8,839	...	...	...	1	1	5	10	16	1	15	...	16	13	1	...	76·9	57·4	58·6
			Total ...	82,898	6	...	...	1	6	25	60	91	10	81	1	90	120	8	5	...	...	...
Hooghly.	18	Hooghly-Chinsura.	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	28,916	1	...	...	...	2	4	12	18	(e)2	16	2	14	26	...	5	41·02	63·58	59·82
	19	Serampore*		31,817	1	...	...	...	1	4	10	15	1	14	3	12	11	...	2	9·0	75·9	71·5
	20	Rishra-Konnagore.		17,373	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	2	10	10	...	1	...	72·5	72·5
	21	Uttarpara ...		7,373	...	...	1	...	...	4	8	12	2	10	...	12	17	...	...	...	60·8	60·29
	22	Baidyabati ...		20,516	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	...	12	21	1	...	...	51·2	51·2
	23	Bhadreswar		24,353	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	2	10	23	1	...	...	52·16	52·16
	24	Kotrung ...		6,574	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	2	7	...	9	11	...	...	3·0	62·5	55·5
	25	Bansberia ...		6,108	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	24	...	...	...	71·2	71·2
	26	Arambagh ...		8,048	...	...	...	1	1	3	8	(f)12	2	10	...	12	18	...	...	55·55	80·55	76·38
			Total ...	1,51,078	7	...	1	1	4	33	74	111	9	102	9	102	161	2	8	...	...	...
Howrah.	27	Howrah ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	1,79,006	...	1	...	...	5	5	20	30	5	25	7	23	35	...	...	50·85	44·8	49·14
	28	Bally ...		22,394	1	...	...	...	1	6	14	21	...	21	3	18	30	...	3	...	62·38	62·38
			Total ...	2,01,400	1	1	...	...	6	11	34	51	5	46	10	41	65	...	5	...	...	...
			Divisional Total ...	5,95,899	19	1	2	6	36	104	283	392	38	354	36	356	551	25	35	...	..	...
			PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																			
24-Parganas.	29	Cossipore-Chitpur.	Act III (B.C.) of 1884 as amended.	47,012	...	1	...	...	...	4	8	12	2	10	2	10	30	...	2	96·4	44·6	53·3
	30	Manikrala		53,875	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	1	11	1	11	22	...	4	90·9	77·6	78·7
	31	Baranagar		25,889	1	...	...	...	...	4	9	13	1	12	2	11	28	9	10	14·2	39·5	37·6
	32	Kamarhati		18,004	...	...	1	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	2	10	18	3	...	...	47·7	47·7
	33	South Suburban.		28,083	1	...	...	...	...	3	7	10	1	9	...	10	21	...	...	95·2	72·4	74·7
	34	Tollygunge		18,626	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	1	8	1	8	28	...	3	78·5	60·7	62·7
	35	Garden Reach		45,295	...	...	...	1	...	12	...	12	2	10	5	7	13	...	...	57·6	59·2	58·9
	36	Rajpur ...		11,609	1	...	...	...	...	6	12	18	4	14	...	18	17	...	...	15·6	84·5	70·3
	37	Baruipur ...		5,376	...	...	1	...	...	3	6	9	1	8	...	9	19	...	...	84·2	57·8	61·4
	38	Jainagar ...		9,747	1	...	...	...	1	3	8	12	1	11	...	12	25	5	8	20	63·6	60·0
	39	South Dum Dum.		12,882	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	1	8	2	7	6	...	...	20	48·8	48·8
	40	North Dum Dum.		5,046	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	2	7	...	9	13	1	...	61·5	64·8	64·1

* From 1st October 1915 to 31st March 1916.

(a) Excludes the Official Chairman.
(b) Ditto District Engineer and the Government Pleader.
(c) Ditto ditto. Bankura.
(d) Excluding District Engineer, Midnapore.
(e) Exclusive Government Pleader, Hooghly.
(f) Ditto the Official Chairman.

FORM NO. I.—*Statement showing the constitution of the Municipalities in the Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916*—continued.

Name of District.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	Act under which constituted.	Population within Municipal limits.	Particulars as to Chairman.				Number of Members of Committee.								Total number of meetings held (including those specified in columns 19 and 20).	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which proved abortive for want of a quorum.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which were adjourned.	Average percentage of officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of non-officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of all members present at each meeting.
					Elected non-official.	Elected official.	Nominated non-official.	Nominated official.	(a) Ex-officio.	(b) Nominated.	(c) Elected.	(d) Total.	(e) Official.	(f) Non-official.	(g) Europeans.	(h) Indians.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
PRESIDENCY DIVISION—*concluded.*																						
24 Parganas—*concluded.*	41	South Barrackpore.	Act III (B.C.) of 1884 as amended.	11,849	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	3	9	...	12	14	1	1	45·2	49·1	56·0
	42	Panihati ...		11,118	1	...	...	...	...	3	7	10	3	7	...	10	13	...	...	78·4	67	69·2
	43	Titagarh ...		45,159	1	...	...	...	...	10	...	10	1	9	6	4	17	...	...	52·9	69·7	61·7
	44	North Barrackpore.		16,105	1	...	...	...	...	5	10	15	1	14	2	13	10	...	...	80	54·6	56·6
	45	Garulia ...		11,582	...	...	1	...	...	10	...	10	1	9	3	7	13	...	...	91·6	53·2	69·5
	46	Baranat ...		9,764	1	..	...	...	...	6	12	18	6	12	...	18	25	2	1	40·3	42·9	42·0
	47	Naihati ...		18,218	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	3	6	2	7	13	...	...	100	45·8	63·8
	48	Halisahar ...		13,484	...	...	...	1	...	4	8	12	5	7	3	9	13	...	...	70·5	61·5	66·02
	49	Bhatpara ...		50,426	1	...	...	...	...	15	...	15	1	14	8	7	16	...	...	37·5	69·1	67·1
	50	Gobordanga		5,072	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	20	1	...	...	64·2	64·2
	51	Basirhat ...		18,332	1	...	...	...	...	5	10	15	1	14	...	15	24	...	4	45·45	42·8	40·0
	52	Baduria ...		13,685	1	...	...	...	1	3	8	12	1	11	...	15	17	2	2	41·9	28·8	29·9
	53	Taki ...		5,203	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	1	8	...	9	19	2	...	47·8	50	49·7
	54	Budge-Budge		17,982	...	...	1	...	2	7	...	9	2	7	4	5	19	...	...	90	57·1	71·4
		Total ...		527,723	19	1	4	2	4	133	165	302	46	256	43	259	471	26	35	...	...	...
Nadia.	55	Krishnagar	Act III (B.C.) of 1884 as amended.	28,475	1	...	...	...	3	4	14	21	3	18	1	20	17	...	...	56	59·9	58·5
	56	Santipur ...		26,703	1	...	...	...	...	5	10	15	1	14	...	15	17	...	...	70·5	61·7	72·3
	57	Ranaghat ...		9,850	1	...	...	...	2	4	12	18	2	16	...	18	13	1		22·2	40·1	39·3
	58	Nabadip ...		12,480	1	...	...	...	1	3	8	12	1	11	...	12	20		2	50	60	60·8
	59	Kushtia ...		6,291	1	...	...	...	...	5	10	15	...	15	...	15	18	...	...	...	49·7	49·7
	60	Kumarkhali		3,769	1	...	...	...	...	5	10	15	...	15	...	15	17	...	...	...	59·3	59·3
	61	Meherpur ...		5,961	1	...	...	...	1	2	6	9	1	8	...	9	15	...	...	26·6	69·5	60·0
	62	Birnagar ...		2,654	...	...	1	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	...	12	13		...	...	51·3	51·3
	63	Chakdah ...		4,931	...	...	...	1	2	3	8	13	2	11	...	13	19	2	...	68·4	58·3	59·9
		Total ...		96,114	7	...	1	1	9	35	86	130	10	120	1	129	147	3	2	...	...	...
Murshidabad.	64	Berhampore	Act III (B.C.) of 1884 as amended.	36,142	1	...	...	...	2	5	14	21	5	20	2	22	17	...	1	31·7	63·8	57·4
	65	Murshidabad		13,649	1	...	...	...	...	5	10	15	...	15	...	15	24	6	3	...	64·07	64·07
	66	Azimganj ...		13,527	1	...	...	...	...	5	10	15	1	14	..	15	15	...	...	13	55·71	52·86
	67	Jangipur ...		11,408	1	...	...	...	...	6	12	18	...	18	...	18	18	8	...	...	33	33·0
	68	Kandi ...		12,658	...	...	...	1	1	3	7	11	2	9	...	11	18	2	...	73·6	52·9	56·5
	69	Dhulian ...		8,298	...	...	1	...	...	9	...	9	...	9	...	9	20	3	...	...	58·8	58·8
		Total ...		93,482	4	...	1	1	4	36	53	93	8	85	3	90	112	19	4	...	...	...
Jessore.	70	Jessore ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884 as amended.	8,911	1	...	...	...	2	4	12	18	2	16	...	18	22	3	4	20·45	45·45	42·67
	71	Kotchandpur.		8,077	...	...	...	1	...	5	5	10	2	8	1	9	22	2	3	34·09	55·66	51·36
	72	Maheshpur		4,215	...	...	...	1	1	5	10	16	1	15	...	16	44	13	6	26·9	62·3	61·05
		Total ...		21,203	1	...	...	2	3	14	27	44	5	39	1	43	88	17	13	...	...	...
Khulna.	73	Khulna ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884 as amended.	13,996*	1	...	...	...	2	3	10	15	3	12	...	15	19	1	1	36·8	53·5	50·1
	74	Satkhira ...		10,366	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	...	12	17	...	1	...	51·7	51·7
	75	Debhatta ...		5,296	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	...	12	20	5	...	...	44·0	44·0
		Total ...		29,158	3	...	...	...	3	11	26	39	3	36	...	39	56	6	2	...	...	...
		Divisional Total ...		787,680	34	1	6	6	22	229	357	608	72	536	48	560	874	71	56	...	...	...
DACCA DIVISION.																						
Dacca.	76	Dacca ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	108,152	1	...	...	...	2	5	14	21	2	19	3	18	17	...	...	32·3	69·6	66·1
	77	Narayanganj		27,876	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	4	8	20	...	1	...	61·3	62·0
		Total ...		136,028	2	...	...	...	2	9	22	33	2	31	7	26	37	...	1	...	...	...
Mymensingh.	78	Mymensingh	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	19,853	1	...	...	..	1	5	12	15	2	16	1	17	18	...	...	19·4	62·1	57·4
	79	Muktagacha		6,555	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	23	1	2	...	51·6	51·6
	80	Jamalpur ...		21,109	...	1	...	...	1	4	10	15	3	12	1	14	23	5	...	60·8	47·4	50·1
	81	Bharpur ...		15,591	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	1	11	...	12	22	3	1	59·5	48·3	49·2
	82	Kishorganj ...		18,026	1	...	...	...	1	4	10	15	1	14	...	15	17	2	2	76·5	57·9	59·2
	83	Basirpur ...		10,833	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	29	1	...	...	59·7	59·7
	84	Netrokona ...		(a) 7,217	...	...	...	...	2	13	...	15	5	11	...	16	25	1	1	50·0	50·0	51·5
	85	Tangail ...		16,962	...	...	...	1	2	3	10	15	4	11	2	13	23	4	2	52·5	49·0	50·6
		Total ...		115,646	5	1	...	2	5	38	63	106	16	93	4	105	190	17	8	...	...	...
Faridpur.	86	Faridpur ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	18,181	1	...	...	...	1	5	12	18	2	16	1	17	21	...	...	30·0	55·0	53·2
	87	Madaripur...		19,073	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	...	12	18	2	...	...	55·5	55·5
		Total ...		32,304	2	...	...	...	1	9	20	30	2	28	1	29	39	2	...	...	...	...

* Last year's figure was incorrect. Census figures furnished in this statement.
(a) The population has decreased on account of the reduction of the area.

FORM NO. 1.—*Statement showing the constitution of the Municipalities in the Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916*—concluded.

Name of District.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	Act under which constituted.	Population within Municipal limits.	Particulars as to Chairman.				Number of Members of Committee.								Total number of meetings held (including those specified in columns 19 and 20.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which proved abortive for want of a quorum.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which were adjourned.	Average percentage of officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of non-officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of all members present at each meeting.
					Elected non-official.	Elected official.	Nominated non-official.	Nominated official.	(a) Ex-officio.	(b) Nominated.	(c) Elected.	(d) Total.	(e) Officials.	(f) Non-officials.	(g) Europeans.	(h) Indians.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
DACCA DIVISION—*concluded.*																						
Bakarganj	88	Barisal ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	22,473	1	...	...	...	1	4	10	15	1	14	1	14	16	...	2	75·0	54·4	55·8
	89	Nalchiti ...		1,953	...	1	...	...	2	6	...	9	2	7	..	9	25	...	...	88·0	45·1	54·6
	90	Jhalakati ...		5,979	...	1	...	...	1	8	...	9	3	6	...	9	35	...	...	84·7	59·0	67·6
	91	Pirojpur ...		11,996	...	...	...	1	1	10	...	11	1	10	...	11	21	1	...	93·2	52·1	61·5
	92	Patuakhali...		6,217	...	...	...	1	1	9	...	10	1	9	...	10	15	...	...	100·0	72·5	75·3
		Total ...		48,618	1	2	...	2	7	47	10	64	8	46	1	63	113	1	2	...	...	...
		Divisional Total ...		333,396	10	3	...	4	18	94	114	226	28	198	13	213	378	20	11	...	...	...
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.																						
Chittagong.	93	Chittagong...	Act III of 1884.	24,766	1	...	...	...	2	4	12	18	3	15	4	14	21	...	2	...	...	67·7
	94	Cox's Bazar		4,378	...	...	...	1	8	10	...	13	3	10	1	12	13	...	...	76·92	68·46	70·41
		Total ...		33,144	1	...	...	1	5	14	12	31	6	25	5	26	34	...	2	...	...	...
Tippera.	95	Comilla ...	Act III of 1884.	23,692	...	...	1	...	1	6	12	19	1	18	1	18	15	...	...	40·0	58·8	57·8
	96	Brahmanbaria.		22,296	...	1	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	1	11	15	...	...	...	54·1	54·1
	97	Chandpur ...		12,717	...	...	...	1	1	2	6	9	1	8	2	7	20	...	...	95·0	66·8	70·0
		Total ...		57,704	...	1	1	1	2	12	26	40	2	38	4	36	50	...	...	...	...	...
Noakhali.	98	Noakhali ...	Act III of 1884.	7,009	1	...	...	...	2	2	8	12	5	7	...	12	11	...	...	38·0	61·4	51·6
		DIVISIONAL TOTAL ...		97,857	2	1	1	2	9	28	46	83	13	70	9	74	95	...	2	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																						
Rajshahi.	99	Rampur Boalia.	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	23,406	1	...	...	...	2	5	14	21	7	14	3	18	40	3	12	41·07	57·3	51·5
	100	Nator ...		8,251	...	1	..	...	1	5	12	18	2	16	...	16	15	...	..	63·3	57·0	57·5
		Total ...		31,657	1	1	...	...	3	10	26	39	9	30	3	36	55	3	12	...	...	...
Dinajpur.	101	Dinajpur ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	15,945	1	...	...	...	2	3	10	15	5	10	...	15	14	...	...	52·6	65·0	60·0
Jalpaiguri.	102	Jalpaiguri ...	Ditto	11,469	...	...	...	1	3	3	10	16	3	13	1	15	14	..	2	58·3	46·8	48·9
Rangpur.	103	Rangpur ...	Ditto	16,429	1	...	...	...	2	4	12	18	1	17	...	18	31	1	2	41·9	51·04	50·7
Bogra	104	Bogra ...	Ditto	9,113	1	...	...	...	3	4	8	15	3	12	1	14	18	...	2	70·0	60·0	62·4
	105	Sherpur ...		4,088	1	...	...	...	2	2	8	12	2	10	...	12	18	1	...	44·0	48·0	47·0
		Total ...		13,201	2	...	...	...	5	6	16	27	5	22	1	26	36	1	2	...	...	...
Pabna.	106	Pabna ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	19,274	1	...	...	...	3	3	12	18	4	14	1	17	22	2·	1	53·9	65·7	63·1
	107	Serajganj ...		24,777	1	...	...	...	...	6	12	18	2	16	2	16	17	...	...	64·7	65·7	65·6
		Total ...		44,051	2	...	...	...	3	9	24	36	6	30	3	33	39	3	1	...	...	...
Malda.	108	English Bazar.	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	14,322	1	...	...	...	3	3	12	18	3	15	...	15	18	...	...	42·6	65·9	62·0
	109	Old Malda ...		3,750	1	...	...	...	2	2	8	12	2	10	...	12	12	...	...	12·5	77·5	66·6
	110	Nawabganj		11,956	...	...	1	...	...	12	..	12	...	12	...	12	17	...	...	...	56·4	56·4
		Total ...		30,028	2	...	1	...	5	17	20	42	5	37	...	42	47	...	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling.	111	Darjeeling ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1884.	19,005	...	...	...	1	5	20	...	25	6	19	19	6	22	...	...	42·4	45·9	45·08
	112	Kurseong ...		5,574		1	...		3	6	3	12	3	9	8	4	17	...	...	74·5	65·7	68·0
		Total ...		24,579	...	1	...	1	8	26	3	37	9	28	27	10	39	...	...	...	...	...
		Divisional Total ...		187,350	9	2	1	5	31	75	121	230	43	187	35	195	275	7	19	...	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL ...		19,71,191	74	8	10	20	116	533	890	1,539	194	1,345	141	1,398	2,173	133	193	...	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL FOR 1914-15 ...		19,78,115	...	...	...	...	110	530	886	1,526	185	1,341	150	1,376	2,159	...	...	...	...	...

FORM No. II.—*Statement showing the Income of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	Balance in hand at the close of last year.	MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES.															
				Octroi.															
				(a) Class I (Articles of food or drink for men and animals.)	(b) Class II (Animals for slaughter.)	(c) Class III (Fuel, lighting and washing.)	(d) Class IV (Building materials.)	(e) Class V (Drugs, gums and spices.)	(f) Class VI (Tobacco.)	(g) Class VII (Cloth.)	(h) Class VIII (Metals.)	(i) Composition for octroi.	Total.	Tax on houses and lands.	Tax on animals and vehicles.	Tax on professions and trades.	Tolls (on roads and ferries).	Water-rate.	Lighting-rate.	Conservancy (including scavenging and latrine-rates).
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
BURDWAN DIVISION.			Rs.											Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	22,944	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46,824	8,750	1,836	5,500	45,285	...	21,646
	2	Kalna	(a) 4,141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	583	4,679	439	...	...	...	4,576
	3	Katwa	45,521	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	176	1,592	70	...	...	...	2,493
	4	Dainhat	887	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	497	...	...	...	...	629
	5	Raniganj	3,250	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,007	1,379	731	...	...	...	2,989
	6	Asansol	9,925	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,154	1,385	419	...	...	...	13,850
		Total	86,668	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90 723	18.212	3 495	5,500	45,285	...	46,183
Birbhum	7	Suri	6,767	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,506	902	204	...	...	...	5,718
Bankura	8	Bankura	29,692	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,162	3 277	117	...	...	...	4,897
	9	Vishnupur	1,806	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	313	2,060	39	...	...	...	2,807
	10	Sonamukhi	4,075	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	732	57	...	...	...	...
		Total	35,573	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,614	6,069	213	...	...	...	7,704
Midnapore	11	Midnapore	38,473	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,660	5,362	534	...	...	...	22,196
	12	Tamluk	1,716	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	545	805	50	150	...	...	3,048
	13	Ghatal	10,870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	269	1,483	133	16	...	...	...
	14	Chandrakona	1,496	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	2,075	...	...	...	...	...
	15	Ramjibanpore	2,288	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	1,041	...	...	...	...	...
	16	Khirpai	2,061	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	1,351	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Kharar	5,340	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	2,930	...	...	...	...	...
		Total	62,644	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28,609	14,837	721	166	...	...	25,244
Hooghly	18	Hooghly-Chinsura	9,698	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30,835	5,042	613	3 663	23,474	...	16,198
	19	Serampore(b)	28,961	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,153	788	1,016	3,209	6,707	...	10,337
	19a	Ditto(c)	...*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 617	1,080	640	2,523	9,702	...	10,000
	20	Rishra-Konnagore(c)	...*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,393	171	46	686	...	...	4,591
	21	Uttarpara	60,850	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,480	1,010	367	1,835	...	...	5,199
	22	Baidyabati	3,390	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 680	5,771	1,321	107	...	...	6,964
	23	Bhadreswar	59,462	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,048	1,168	630	...	...	...	9,733
	24	Kotrung	1,585	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 890	167	3,176	...	...	...	2,042
	25	Bansberia	453	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	379	270	320	.	...	...	...
	26	Arambagh	1,809	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	669	2,150	142	...	...	...	1,733
		Total	1,61,979	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,13,689	17,607	8,471	42,023	39,883	...	66,785
Howrah	27	Howrah	4,60,576	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 44,469	14,670	22,126	...	2,55,370	1,13,408	2,19,525
	28	Bally	5,378	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25,145	1,114	798	787	...	...	13,884
		Total	4,55,954	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,69,614	15,784	22,924	787	2,55,370	1,13,408	2,33,409
		Divisional Total	7 90,583	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,07,704	73,411	35,828	18,475	3,40,538	1,13,408	2,85,043
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																				
24-Parganas	29	Cossipore-Chitpur	1,00,147	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,39,735	4,336	1,386	...	67,820	49,878	54,626
	30	Maniktala	44,786	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38,315	12 186	4,157	...	40,305	4,579	31,692
	31	Baranagar	17,321	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28,966	1,583	579	850	...	...	22,961
	32	Kamarhati	1,755	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,496	416	356	...	...	...	8,536
	33	South Suburban	5,113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,319	1,747	4,331	...	3,657	...	6,640
	34	Tollygaug	5,420	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,703	1,834	2,774	...	5,793	...	4,850
	35	Garden Reach	45,364	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47,087	2 333	1,127	...	18,617	...	27,015
	36	Rajpur	4,988	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	1,132	244	...	...	...	2,023
	37	Baruipur	6 962	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	302	1,392	62	...	...	...	1,970
	38	Jainagar	1,936	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	102	1,172	78	...	...	...	1,884
	39	South Dum-Dum	38,905	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,346	2,506	300	...	3,496	...	4,904
	40	North Dum-Dum	1,763	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	3,134	59	...	...	...	500
	41	South Barrackpore	944	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,618	977	294	...	...	...	4,534
	42	Panihati	2 737	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	389	604	135	...	...	...	3,986
	43	Titagarh	15 635	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,523	1,060	614	...	...	...	22,514
	44	North Barrackpore	2,271	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	420	634	723	108	...	...	5,040
	45	Garulia	10,537	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,274	158	474	...	...	...	6,536
	46	Barasat	4,287	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	823	5,999	24	...	...	...	1,432
	47	Naihati	27,037	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,954	548	152	1,500	...	...	4,155
	48	Halisahar	804	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9.344	990	325	212	...	...	3,418
	49	Bhatpara	34,527	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35,354	965	2,176	640	...	...	13,703
	50	Gobordanga	3,602	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	122	411	100	...	...	...	...
	51	Basirhat	1,631	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	904	1,018	396	...	...	...	1,478
	52	Baduria	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	759	19	...	...	...	224
	53	Taki	941	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	95	141	...	...	...	...	...
	54	Budge-Budge	6,602	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34 084	388	172	...	...	...	5,834
		Total	3,74 844	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,47,549	49,750	20,957	3,400	1,39,688	54,457	2,40,406

Revised
(b) Up to 30th
(c) From 1st

N.B.—The Serampore Municipality was divided into the two Municipalities of
* *Vide* note in respect of

in the Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916.

Other taxes (to be specified in detail, *e.g.*, servants' tax, pilgrims' tax, etc., in as many columns as may be necessary).					Realizations under Special Acts.		From other sources (to be specified in detail in as many columns as may be necessary).						Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.							Other fees (to be specified in detail in as many columns as may be necessary).		
Tax on persons.	Miscellaneous receipts and penalties.	Warrant fees and penalties.	Tax on arable lands.	Total rates and taxes.	From pounds.	From hackney carriages.	Vaccination fees.	Jute warehouse fees.	Petroleum fees.	Fees on musical processions.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Rents of lands, houses, *serais* (rest-houses), *dak* bungalows, etc.	Sale-proceeds of lands and produce of lands, etc.	Conservancy receipts (other than taxes and rates).	Fees and revenue from educational institutions.	Fees and revenue from medical institutions.	Fees and revenue from markets and slaughter-houses.	Fees and revenue from tramways.	From burning-ghats and burial-grounds.	Sale of night-soil, etc.	Other fees.
22	22(*a*)	22(*b*)	22(*c*)	23	24	25	26	26(*a*)	26(*b*)	26(*c*)	26(*d*)	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	35(*a*)	35(*b*)
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	10	...	...	1,29,851	358	467	...	...	...	...	...	825	4,198	41	415	16,843	...	779	...	84	661	27
5,727	191	...	...	16,165	296	89	4	...	46	...	...	359	276	148	18	...	...	...	...	1,685	...	...
6,479	4	...	...	10,741	310	...	...	...	46	...	...	356	187	8	125	...	53	8	...	3,250	...	...
2,583	28	...	...	3,746	480	...	...	...	...	...	...	480	195	5	...	...	...	...	...	410	...	...
..	42	...	...	19,148	302	61	3	..	...	...	...	366	109	58	...	...	4	75	...	...	74	...
...	17	...	...	44,855	656	146	17	...	175	...	...	994	38	...	...	...	...	2,149	...	...	...	9
14,789	292	...	...	2,24,479	2,332	763	24	...	261	...	...	3 380	4,908	260	558	16,843	57	3,011	...	5,299	735	56
6,535	76	...	...	14,941	516	145	2	..	...	...	...	663	60	23	265	...	...	1,302	...	...	...	...
10,820	18	...	...	22,291	253	81	14	...	139	...	25	512	72	...	103	...	172	3,417	...	...	96	...
7,939	91	...	...	13,939	320	...	1	...	60	...	10	391	1,044	3	3	...	...	1,247	...	5	...	...
4,994	51	...	...	5,973	204	...	...	...	...	...	5	209	51	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23,753	150	...	...	41,503	777	81	15	...	199	...	40	1,112	1,167	3	114	...	172	4,664	...	5	96	...
...	310	...	..	56,066	502	474	2	...	...	...	...	978	699	1	79	17,201	1,496	729	...	288	...	129
4,447	59	...	...	8,604	47	...	39	...	17	...	...	103	85	167	...	...	10	2 593	...	1	...	...
6,248	139	...	...	8,283	95	...	2	...	...	...	...	97	886	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,624	74	...	...	4 836	113	...	1	...	...	...	...	114	617	378	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,397	27	..	...	3,536	118	...	...	...	3	..	...	121	292	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1,905	5	...	...	3,494	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,982	94	...	..	6,063	115	...	2	...	...	...	...	117	159	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20,598	708	...	...	90,882	1,119	474	46	...	20	...	...	1,659	2,828	546	79	17,201	1,805	3,322	...	289	...	129
...	405	...	...	80,250	470	394	24	...	33	...	..	921	328	246	...	...	...	66	...	...	...	...
...	1	...	...	38 211	329	28	8	...	34	...	...	392	134	75	...	...	65	1,700	...	...	10	148
...	22	...	...	37,584	382	216	4	...	20	...	...	572	333	19	...	...	365	1,980	...	...	10	96
...	...	...	...	12,787	16	37	5	...	...	...	...	58	3	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...
...	105	...	...	7,976	44	102	2	...	23	...	...	171	100	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
...	47	...	...	25,878	216	17	17	...	...	...	...	250	148	94	...	...	...	51	...	755	...	...
686	20	...	...	30,870	263	89	4	...	...	...	...	349	23	164	1,545	...	...	125	...	198	...	30
...	49	...	...	19,324	75	...	3	...	...	...	...	78	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
3,321	15	...	...	4,305	96	...	3	...	...	...	...	99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,850	...	...
3,325	50	...	...	8,056	130	..	9	...	...	4	...	143	464	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
7,329	714	...	...	2,66,251	1,964	876	79	...	110	4	...	3,033	1,733	651	1,549	...	430	3,892	...	4,512	28	299
...	473	..	...	9,70,041	1,296	858	37	14,238	22	...	...	16,451	6,693	2,109	...	...	16,354	3,847	...	...	160	16,310
...	3	...	...	41,731	279	17	3	...	...	...	...	299	83	259	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	476	...	...	10,11,772	1,575	875	40	14,238	22	...	...	16,750	6,776	2,368	37	...	16,354	3,847	...	...	16	16,310
73,004	2,416	...	...	16,49,828	8,283	3,214	206	14,238	612	4	40	26,597	17,562	3,452	2,602	34,044	18,518	19,742	...	10 205	946	16,764
...	967	...	...	3,08,748	695	146	32	24,014	...	...	...	24,887	5,439	9	4,293	...	...	125	...	625	...	3,315
...	1,160	...	...	1,52,394	1,001	1,290	20	3,045	...	...	...	5,356	777	...	6,482	...	...	176	...	...	...	...
...	186	...	...	55,125	128	103	20	...	...	...	...	251	2,041	9	53	...	...	63	...	100	...	31
...	47	...	...	21 851	172	11	9	...	...	...	...	92	186	42	4	...	...	186	...	87	...	380
...	74	...	...	36,768	146	68	50	...	...	...	...	264	110	84	...	...	...	...	...	2 206	...	770
...	171	...	...	80,135	453	218	26	...	...	...	...	697	2,507	6	1,476	...	...	987	125	...	...	...
...	4,686	...	...	1,00,814	517	296	26	2,551	18	...	...	3,408	239	...	...	...	...	70	...	86	...	315
3,711	116	...	...	9,269	42	122	10	...	...	...	...	174	215	45	37	...	...	25	...	...	...	...
3,187	67	...	...	7,780	147	109	8	...	120	...	2	386	31	22	...	...	...	25	...	166	...	...
3,770	24	...	...	6,980	334	13	10	...	...	...	...	357	153	...	...	...	4	...	...	111	...	56
6	51	...	...	23,808	408	146	9	...	...	...	...	557	80	8	...	...	...	41	..	...	...	283
1,765	...	...	...	5,823	119	39	4	...	...	...	...	162	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3,651	3	...	...	12,078	150	128	7	...	...	...	...	284	60	12	...	...	...	...	...	341	...	...
6,607	12	...	...	11,720	372	66	7	...	...	...	...	445	76	43	...	...	...	50	...	475	...	...
...	18	...	...	53,729	81	80	2	..	...	...	...	173	656	3	...	...	...	852	...	693	...	...
5,147	3	...	...	12,075	333	116	4	...	...	...	...	453	82	2	313	...	...	118	...	64	...	400
...	58	...	...	16,528	171	...	1	...	...	...	...	172	1,247	76	30	...	...	25	...	80	...	...
3,076	42	...	...	11,306	467	36	3	..	...	...	...	506	162	56	6	...	...	955	...	...	...	21
9,023	...	...	...	16,821	172	126	11	...	...	...	...	309	185	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4,547	42	...	...	18,878	385	27	7	...	...	...	...	419	67	40	2	...	...	414	...	...	...	...
...	74	...	...	53,912	600	...	2	...	...	...	...	602	111	5	831	...	...	100	...	330	52	510
3,469	3	...	...	4,105	96	...	15	...	...	...	...	111	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4,644	16	...	...	8,386	190	...	44	...	...	...	...	234	61	13	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...
3,513	...	...	...	4,563	233	...	10	...	...	...	...	243	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,404	22	...	...	2,662	36	...	14	...	...	...	...	50	40	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	4
...	70	...	...	40,582	117	30	...	...	...	...	...	147	299	20	1,789	...	...	75	...	49	...	...
61,320	7,861	...	...	10,24,390	7,563	3,171	347	29,618	138	...	2	40 831	14,887	508	15,315	...	4	3,611	125	5,411	52	6,045

figures.
September 1915.
October 1915 to 31st March 1916.
Serampore and Rishira-Konnagore with effect from the 1st October 1915.
entries in column 33.

FORM No. II —*Statement showing the income of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—*concld.*						GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS (FOR GENERAL AND SPECIAL PURPOSES).									
			Fines under Municipal and other Acts.	Interest of investments.			Premium on loans	Total.	From Government.			From local funds.			From other sources.			Total.
				For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.			For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	
			36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51
BURDWAN DIVISION.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	388	..	...	628	...	24,044	17,452	2,118	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	19,580
	2	Kalna	356	70	...	...	...	2,521	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	...	17
	3	Katwa	615	...	...	...	...	4,246	...	...	55	...	...	300	...	...	212	567
	4	Dainhat	...	...	...	...	...	610	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85	85
	5	Raniganj	422	126	...	...	...	869	...	...	23	...	...	100	...	...	4	127
	6	Asansol	377	...	...	...	...	2,570	...	...	82	...	...	1,750	...	...	1,608	3,440
		Total	2,139	196	...	628	...	34,860	17,452	2,118	160	...	...	2,150	27	..	1,909	23,816
Birbhum	7	Suri	138	...	...	7	...	1,799	...	...	667	...	...	1,250	...	...	776	2,693
Bankura	8	Bankura	331	...	...	...	...	4,123	22,185	...	1,163	600	...	1,500	...	...	271	25,619
	9	Vishnupur	222	...	...	...	...	2,534	484	...	93	...	...	300	200	...	184	1,211
	10	Sonamukhi	114	..	...	...	...	171	294	...	250	40	...	340	...	...	6	930
		Total	667	...	...		..	6,818	22,963		1,506	640	...	2,140	200	...	411	27,760
Midnapore	11	Midnapore	298	...	1,849	1,456	...	24,224	...	22,074	480	...	...	5,000	365	296	923	29,098
	12	Tamluk	62	...	...	...	...	2,908	...	...	573	..	...	750	...	...	358	1,681
	13	Ghatal	179	30	...	...	...	1,094	...	...	570	...	...	680	...	...	314	1,564
	14	Chandrakona	53	...	...	...	...	1,043	...	...	200	...	...	740	...	...	156	1,096
	15	Ramjibanpur	89	52	...	...	...	433	...	.	...	...	...	852	...	...	80	409
	16	Khirpai	66	...	...	...	...	157	...	...	...	...	...	380	...	...	32	412
	17	Kharar	100	...	...	...	...	274	...	...	...	...	...	488	...	...	105	561
		Total	847	82	1,849	1,456	...	30,133	...	22,074	1,773	...	...	8,858	365	296	1,948	34,814
Hooghly	18	Hooghly Chinsura	536	...	...	..	...	1,176	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,344	...	...	20,344
	19	Serampore (*b*)	423	68	511	...	...	3,134	...	...	13	...	...	375	3,235	...	853	3,476
	19a	Ditto (*c*)	226	...	...	...	...	2,199	...	...	183	...	...	11,57	3,600	...	1 504	6,344
	20	Rishra-Konnagore (*c*)	50	...	...	...	...	111	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Uttarpara	194	...	...	...	...	309	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Baidyabati	342	116	...	...	...	1,506	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	23	Bhadreswar	665	1,079	...	...	...	3 820	...	...	11	...	...	180	5,733	...	2,066	7,990
	24	Kotrung	84	...	...	...	...	90	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	12
	25	Hansberia	75	...	...	...	...	3,634	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	26	Arambagh	62	5	...	...	...	538	...	...	160	...	...	700	...	..	502	1 362
		Total	2,657	1,268	511	...	..	17,521	...	...	367	12	...	2,412	31,812	...	4,925	19,528
Howrah	27	Howrah	13,804	13,184	...	...	..	73,961	1,800	...	...	700	...	...	889	...	...	3,389
	28	Bally	74	...	...	...	...	453	...	...	...	...	..	...	1,292	...	...	1,292
		Total	13,878	13,184	...	...	...	74 414	1,800	...	...	700	...	...	2,181	...	...	4,681
		Divisional Total	20,126	14,730	2,360	2,091	...	165,845	42,215	24,192	4,473	1,352	...	16,310	34,585	296	9,969	133 292
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																		
24-Parganas	29	Cossipore-Chitpore	2,331	...	...	...	...	16,187	1,980	...	...	700	...	...	29	...	...	2,709
	30	Maniktala	800	1,448	...	...	..	9,677	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	31	Baranagar	317	831	51	...	...	2,496	1,198	...	...	...	...	..	920	...	...	2,118
	32	Kamarhati	86	.	...	..	...	860	...	...		...	...	...	1,032	...	...	1,032
	33	South Suburban	168	...	...	...	...	3,328	...	...	...	240	...	300	...	...	...	540
	34	Taltygani	173	...	...	...	...	4,664	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	35	Garden Reach	244	750	...	...	...	1,393	990	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	990
	36	Rajpur	134	...	...	...	...	496	...	...	...	...	...	300	100	...	...	400
	37	Baruipur	338	...	...	...	...	581	...	...	...	...	...	120	...	...	85	205
	38	Jainagar	57	...	...	...	...	380	...	...	200	...	...	300	...	...	...	500
	39	South Dum Dum	39	...	...	...	...	521	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	172	172
	40	North Dum Dum	4	...	...	...	...	18	...	...	300	...	...	240	...	..	.	540
	41	South Barrackpore	92	...	...	...	...	503	...	...	...	...	...	702	...	...	...	702
	42	Panihati	74	...	.	...	...	718	300	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	300
	43	Titagarh	521	...	...	...	...	2,725	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,060	...	...	6,060
	44	North Barrackpore	21	...	...	...	.	990	498	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	498
	45	Garuda	128	...	...	...	...	1,586	100	...	..	...	...	...	1,040	...	214	1,354
	46	Barasat	40	...	...	36	...	1,278	...	...	335	.	...	120	...	...	497	952
	47	Naihati	114	...	...	...	...	301	...	...	...	...	...	120	24	...	...	144
	48	Halishahar	21	...	...	..	...	547	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	...	34
	49	Bhatpara	188	1,325	...	...	...	3,452	...	...	250	...	...	...	...	...	...	250
	50	Gobordanga	25	...	...	...	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...
	51	Basirhat	95	...	...	...	...	219	289	...	80	..	...	120	...	...	...	489
	52	Baduria	108	...	...	...	...	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	53	Taki	29	...	...	...	...	78	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	54	Budge-Budge	190	...	...	...	...	2,422	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	259	259
		Total	6,280	4,349	51	35	...	56,713	5,355	...	1,145	940	...	2,332	9,229	...	1,227	20,217

* These figures include the amount of Rs. 12,795 and Rs. 2,000 received respectively by the municipalities of (New) Serampore and Rishra-Konnagore

† Of this amount, Rs. 4,966 and Rs. 14,795, representing the value of uncashed cheques and closing balance respectively of the old Serampore Municipality and have not therefore been taken into account

in the Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916—concld.

MISCELLANEOUS.			EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT.												
Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals.	Other items.	Total.	**Total income of the year, excluding opening balance.**	Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.	Loans. From Government.	Loans. Raised in the open market.	Reclamations of Sinking Fund for repayment of loans.	Advances. Permanent.	Advances. Other.	Deposits.	Total.	Total receipts, excluding opening balance.	Total receipts, including opening balance.	Incidence of taxation. (column 23) per head of population.	Incidence of income (column 56) per head of population.
52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	**Rs.**	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1,541	1,584	3,125	**1,77,425**	...	...	...	...	200	15,030	3,211	18,461	1,95,886	2,18,881	3 9 10	4 15 0
48	84	230	**19,292**	...	...	...	...	...	525	240	765	20,057	24,198	1 14 0	2 2 10
...	177	177	**16,090**	...	...	...	...	...	5,062	970	6,032	22,122	67,643	1 8 10	2 5 3
50	110	160	**5,081**	...	...	...	...	...	350	223	573	5,654	6,541	0 11 2	0 15 2
...	212	212	**20,722**	...	..	...	..	100	335	338	788	21,510	24,760	1 3 9	1 5 4
..	369	369	**52,098**	...	..	..	...	...	4,000	2,406	6,406	58,504	68,429	2 0 8	2 6 0
1,637	2,536	4,173	**2,90,708**	.	...	...	...	300	25,342	7,383	33,025	3,23,733	4,10,401	2 6 1	3 1 4
...	123	123	**20,219**	...	...	...	...	...	1,207	26,817	28,024	48,243	55,010	1 10 2	2 3 5
...	660	660	**53,185**	...	5,000	...	...	110	4,545	7,061	16,716	69,901	99,593	0 15 2	2 4 3
...	215	215	**17,880**	113	...	...	...	...	1 890	1,483	3,386	20,916	22,722	0 10 4	0 13 8
...	48	48	**7,331**	...	...	...	...	...	345	80	425	7,756	11,831	0 7 2	0 8 10
...	903	903	**78,096**	13	5 000	...	...	110	6,730	8,624	20,477	98,573	1,34,146	0 11 9	1 5 10
...	528	528	**1,10,894**	...	...	...	...	...	12,260	5,977	18,237	1,29,251	1,57,724	1 11 4	1 6 2
...	229	229	**13,525**	.	...	...	...	...	1,833	365	2,198	15,723	17,439	1 1 1	1 10 9
...	59	59	**11,087**	...	...	...	...	.	...	1,546	1,946	13,032	23,902	0 10 11	0 14 8
...	41	41	**7,130**	...	...	...	...	40	9	657	706	7,836	9,322	0 9 6	0 14 0
...	...	...	**4,492**	...	...	...	...	..	...	23	23	4 515	7,203	0 6 8	0 8 6
...	6	6	**4,208**	...	...	...	...	...	1 324	.	1,326	5,534	7,595	0 13 1	0 14 5
...	56	56	**7,071**	...	...	...	...	...	250	1,349	1,598	8,669	14,009	0 10 11	0 12 9
...	919	919	**1,58,407**	...	...	...	...	40	15,798	12,315	28,153	1,81,560	2,37,304	1 1 6	1 14 6
384	352	736	**1,03,427**	...	..	...	...	...	1,334	1,670	3,004	1,06,431	1,16,129	2 12 4	3 9 2
...	255	255	**45,468**	...	..	...	...	...	2,737	3,791	6,528	51,996	62,957†	0 12 3	0 14 8
1	12,893*	12,894	**60,593**	...	...	...	...	.	2,351	9,227	11,578	72 171	72.171	1 2 10	1 8 0
...	2.000*	2 000	**14,956**	...	...	...	...	25	175	376	576	15,532	16,532	0 11 9	0 11 11
1	7	8	**18,464**	...	...	...	...	...	565	212	777	19,241	80,091	2 7 0	2 8 0
859	423	1,282	**28,916**	...	...	...	...	50	762	1,380	2,192	31,108	34,498	1 4 2	1 6 6
...	664	664	**43,702**	...	...	...	...	6	2 014	6,145	8,185	51,887	1,07,340	1 4 3	1 12 8
...	1	1	**10,505**	...	...	...	...	...	85	74	159	10,664	12,229	1 9 1	1 9 6
...	79	79	**6,117**	..	...	...	...	50	...	30	80	6,197	8 650	0 11 3	1 5 3
...	43	43	**10,147**	...	..	...	...	...	35	5	40	10,187	11,796	1 0 0	1 4 2
1,345	16,717	17,962	**3,44,295**	...	...	...	...	131	10,078	24,910	35,119	3,79,414	5,21,642†	1 12 1	2 2 9
2,389	16,797	19,186	**10,82,028**	...	1,00,000	...	...	...	6,172	80,590‡	1,86,762	12 69,790	17,20,366	5 6 8	6 0 9
207	255	462	**44,237**	...	...	2,000	.	...	4,384	3,435	9,819	54,056	59,434	1 13 9	1 15 7
2,596	17,052	19,648	**11,27,265**	..	1,00,000	2,000	...	...	10,556	84,025	1,96,581	13,23,846	17,79,800	5 0 4	5 9 6
5,478	38,250	43,728	**20,18,990**	13	1,05,000	2,000	...	381	69,711	1,62,074	3,39,379	33,58,369	31,28,193	2 13 3	3 5 9
443	2,757	3,210	**3,55,721**	...	...	...	...	...	876	10,007	10,883	3,66,604	4,66,751	6 9 0	7 9 0
4,188	2,313	6,498	**1,73,925**	31,200	...	...	...	...	515	31,348	63,063	2,36,988	2,81 774	2 13 5	3 3 10
569	495	1,064	**62,053**	..	...	...	...	..	1,234	2,373	3,607	65,660	83,881	2 2 0	2 8 4
511	51	562	**24,497**	...	...	...	...	...	246	92	338	24,835	26,590	1 3 5	1 5 9
..	635	635	**41,535**	...	...	...	...	...	302	550	852	42,387	47,500	1 4 11	1 7 7
53	217	270	**35,756**	...	...	...	...	40	540	1,433	1,913	37,669	43,169	1 9 10	1 14 8
...	1,185	1,185	**1,07,960**	25,000	...	...	...	...	..	475	25,475	1,43 435	1,78,699	2 8 7	2 8 1
...	125	125	**10,424**	...	...	...	...	...	428	50	478	10,902	15,380	0 12 9	0 14 4
...	6	6	**8,958**	...	...	...	...	...	...	165	165	9 123	15,365	1 7 2	1 10 7
11	67	78	**8,295**	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8.215	10,331	0 12 0	0 14 3
...	127	127	**24,985**	...	..	...	...	171	201	372	35,357	54,262	1 15 5	0 15 0	
5	17	22	**6,255**	...	...	...	...	144	139	283	6.538	7,821	1 1 6	1 3 10	
210	115	325	**13,896**	...	...	...	...	225	51	276	14,172	15.116	1 0 3	1 2 9	
...	61	61	**13,244**	...	...	...	...	300	192	492	13,736	16,493	1 0 10	1 3 0	
...	84	84	**62,761**	...	..	...	...	2,125	3,206	5,331	68,092	83,727	1 3 0	1 6 2	
...	69	69	**14,094**	...	.	...	...	88	111	199	14,293	18,564	0 11 11	0 14 0	
130	428	558	**19,188**	...	...	...	...	75	370	443	19,631	30,168	1 5 5	1 10 6	
...	92	92	**14,221**	...	...	...	...	1,110	1,789	2,899	17,120	21 407	1 4 8	1 9 10	
...	65	65	**17,640**	...	...	...	...	2,650	202	2,852	20,492	47,529	0 14 9	0 15 5	
...	120	120	**19,998**	...	...	...	...	...	87	87	20,085	20,679	1 6 5	1 7 9	
28	113	141	**57,357**	...	...	...	...	2,050	...	2,050	59,407	93,944	1 0 9	1 2 2	
...	2	2	**4,255**	...	...	...	...	150	...	170	4,405	8,007	0 12 11	0 13 5	
...	25	25	**8,332**	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	77	9 409	11,340	0 7 3	0 8 1
...	3	3	**4,948**	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	31	4,979	6,948	0 5 4	0 5 9
...	31	31	**2,821**	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	97	2,918	3,859	0 8 2	0 8 8
9	53	62	**43,442**	...	...	...	...	...	3,567	600	4,167	47,609	54,211	2 4 0	2 6 7
6,184	9,226	15,410	**11,57,551**	56 200	...	...	...	49	16,794	53,446	1,26,490	12,84,041	16,56,585	1 15 7	2 3 1

out of the balance of the old Serampore Municipality on 30th September 1915.
have been taken into account in the subsequent transactions as shown against the municipalities of Serampore (New) and Rishra Konnagore
in striking the district total for column 65.

FORM No. II.—*Statement showing the Income of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	Balance in hand at the close of last year.	MUNICIPAL RATES AND Octroi. (a) Class I (Articles of food or drink for men and animals).	(b) Class II (Animals for slaughter).	(c) Class III (Fuel, lighting and washing).	(d) Class IV (Building materials).	(e) Class V (Drugs, gums and spices).	(f) Class VI (Tobacco).	(g) Class VII (Cloth).	(h) Class VIII (Metals).	(i) Composition for octroi.	Total.	Tax on houses and lands.	Tax on animals and vehicles.	Tax on professions and trades.	Tolls (on roads and ferries).	Water rate.	Lighting rate.	Conservancy (including scavenging and latrine rates).
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.			Rs.											Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Nadia	55	Krishnagar	214	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25,083	3,840	1,172	...	...	...	13,364
	56	Santipur	3,384	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,321	2,579	916	..	...	...	11,513
	57	Ranaghat	17,537	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,747	822	174	...	...	...	5,881
	58	Nabadwip	2,238	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,156	700	314	...	...	...	8,083
	59	Kushtia	15,805	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,760	838	718	...	...	...	4,796
	60	Kumarkhali	706	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	93	140	57	...	...	...	2,483
	61	Meherpur	836	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	365	407	103	...	...	...	...
	62	Birnagar	877	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	109	180	...	...	...	...	...
	63	Chakdah	440	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	279	823	63	...	...	...	...
		Total	41,537	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	72,833	10,139	3,516	...	[illegible]	...	46,092
Murshidabad	64	Berhampore	86,952	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23,774	3,675	290	2,355	27,170	...	16,919
	65	Murshidabad	2,085	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,307	1,610	118	2,627	...	...	5,716
	66	Azimganj	5,762	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	527	2,958	542	1,105	...	...	6,917
	67	Jangipur	5,006	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	578	877	34	2,840	...	...	2,810
	68	Kandi	4,914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	406	618	83	...	...	...	2,198
	69	Dhuliau	296(a)	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	490	181	...	...	...	...
		Total	75,015	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26,592	10,158	1,348	8,827	27,170	...	34,490
Jessore	70	Jessore	32,513	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,222	2,525	260	...	8,935	...	6,289
	71	Kotchandpur	775	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	2,000	7	300	...	...	638
	72	Maheshpur	170	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	488	...	221	...	...	...
		Total	33,458	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,306	5,011	267	521	8,935	...	6,927
Khulna	73	Khulna	11,848	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,409	468	591	450	3,603	...	7,652
	74	Satkhira	26,432	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	644	892	43	...	...	...	1,927
	75	Debhatta	216	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	6	...	...	...
		Total	38,496	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,078	1,360	634	456	3,603	...	9,579
		DIVISIONAL TOTAL	5,63,370	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,66,358	75,408	26 622	13,314	1,79,396	54,457	3,37,496
DACCA DIVISION.																				
DACCA	76	Dacca	1,09,816	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,60,843	7,578	1,522	12,090	53,813	...	82,382
	77	Narayanganj	1,11,259	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40,247	394	329	6,432	26,320	...	26,454
		Total	2,20,075	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,01,090	7,972	1,851	19,462	80,133	...	88,836
MYMENSINGH	78	Mymensingh	13,015	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,011	2,462	2 134	...	27,234	...	19,561
	79	Muktagacha	805	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	1,123	332	...	...	...	3,588
	80	Jamalpur	5,146	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	713	931	653	...	...	...	4,836
	81	Sherpur	773	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	178	930	181	...	...	...	4,114
	82	Kishorganj	1,088	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	518	634	168	...	...	...	2,514
	83	Baitpur	166	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	53	...	...	...	...	1,108
	84	Nerakona	2,230	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	543	187	350	...	...	...	4,639
	85	Tangail	29,246	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	661	492	305	1,295	..	...	3,515
		Total	53,469	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,720	6,811	4,021	1,295	27,234	...	43,875
FARIDPUR	86	Faridpur	7,108	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,166	491	550	217	...	...	12,764
	87	Madaripur	1,730	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	745	...	4,608	3,321	...	...	5,884
		Total	8,838	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,911	491	5,158	3,538	...	...	18,648
BAKARGANJ	88	Barisal	13,641	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,870	351	144	3,793	16,311	...	13,636
	89	Naichity	1,768	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	...	23	160	...	...	...
	90	Jhalakati	3,862	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	...	516	1,173	...	...	2,588
	91	Pirojpur	1,679	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	592	...	172	725	...	...	2,050
	92	Patuakhali	883	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	645	...	165	747	...	...	...
		Total	21,783	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,204	351	1,070	6,598	16,311	...	18,244
		DIVISIONAL TOTAL	3,03,185	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,20,925	15,805	12,100	30,813	1,22,697	...	1,69,603

(a) Revised figures.

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TAXES.					REALIZATION UNDER SPECIAL ACTS.								REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION.									
Other taxes (to be specified in detail, *e.g.*, servants' tax, pilgrim tax, etc., in as many columns as may be necessary).							From other sources (to be specified in detail in as many columns as may be necessary).												Other fees (to be specified in detail in as many columns as may be necessary).			
Tax on persons.	Miscellaneous receipt and penalties.	Warrant fees and penalties.	Tax on arable lands.	Total rates and taxes	From pounds	From hackney carriages.	Vaccination fees.	Jute warehouse fees.	Petroleum fees.	Fees on musical professions.	Miscellaneous	Total	Rents of lands, houses, *serais* (rest-houses), dâk bungalows, etc.	Sale-proceeds of lands, and produce of lands, etc.	Conservancy receipts (other than taxes and rates).	Fees and revenue from educational institutions.	Fees and revenue from medical institutions.	Fees and revenue from markets and slaughter-houses.	Fees and revenue from tramways.	From burning ghâts and burial-ground.	Sale of night-soils, etc.	Other fees.
22	22(*a*)	22(*b*)	22(*c*)	23	24	25	26	26(*a*)	26(*b*)	26(*c*)	26(*d*)	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	35(*a*)	35(*b*)
Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	23	...	...	44,182	594	370	20	...	...	112	...	1,096	1 221	4,276	223	...	67	39	...	...	...	76
...	115	...	...	34,443	534	120	26	...	...	...	...	680	67	30	42	4,686	...	73	...	114	...	118
...	11	...	...	16,655	254	57	19	...	160	...	...	490	797	101	...	...	30	...	...	...	...	17
...	71	...	...	18,324	426	34	3	...	...	..	...	462	335	27	10	...	1	...	...	165	...	67
...	35	...	...	14,147	325	...	9	...	...	...	...	244	...	70	121	...	...	40	...	21	11	60
2,783	56	...	...	5,582	119	...	7	...	...	10	...	136	10	47	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...
2,330	1	...	...	3,215	361	.	3	...	...	...	...	364	...	85	...	.	2	10	...	...	...	...
2,643	8	...	...	2,940	160	...	3	...	37	..	...	200	407	35	...	...	...	318	...	...	...	14
3,149	29	...	...	4,343	228	...	4	...	..	...	...	232	24	48	...	...	...	15		...	...	...
10,914	347	...	...	1,43,831	2,911	580	94	...	197	122	...	3,904	2,861	4,719	396	4,686	100	396	...	300	11	382
...	33	...	...	74,115	340	380	24	...	100	...	18	866	906	43	187	...	...	230	...	810	...	...
6,606	4	...	...	17,998	1 063	67	19	...	...	..	...	1,149	85	24	...	...	...	446	...	384	...	...
9,167	4	...	...	21,220	1,079	49	4	...	...	...	...	1.132	264	...	...	...	...	41	...	463	...	...
4,539	22	...	...	10,700	660	...	14	...	...	...	...	694	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,666	...	...
5,322	11	...	...	9,568	100	...	6	...	...	...	...	106	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3,733	13	...	...	4,847	845	...	3	...	..	..	...	548	42	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29,367	86	...	...	1,37,948	4,107	496	74	...	100	...	18	4,795	1,355	73	187	...	...	717	...	3,313	...	...
...	38	...	...	31,267	719	137	36	...	54	...	49	995	614	61	...	...	...	80	...	294	...	...
4,012	58	...	...	7,050	289	16	10	...	90	...	...	405	278	...	...	...	...	27	...	9	...	8
2,307	14	...	...	3,076	301	...	...	...	...	...	...	301	...	7	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
6,319	107	...	...	41,393	1,309	153	46	...	144	...	49	1,701	899	68	...	...	...	107	...	303	...	8
7,223	75	...	...	25,470	330	58	10	...	306	...	...	701	741	86	2	...	...	25	...	...	...	...
5,328	47	...	...	8,781	143	24	16	...	...	6	...	188	207	...	...	...	...	82	...	...	...	...
2,168	18	...	...	2,217	43	...	2	...	...	...	...	45	21	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14,618	140	...	...	36,468	516	81	28	...	306	6	...	937	969	89	2	...	...	107	...	...	...	...
1,22,538	8,941	...	...	13,84,080	16,408	4,481	589	23,840	815	128	69	52,168	20,964	5,457	15 900	4,686	104	4,938	125	9,327	63	8,445
...	70	...	...	2,99,228	558	1,236	107	...	391	...	...	2,292	3,466	9	8,692	...	...	1 195	...	4,065	...	7,930
...	155	...	...	1 00,450	302	104	29	.	1,598	...	...	2,033	1,893	914	472	140	...	1 094	...	...	...	19
...	225	...	...	3,99,678	860	1,340	136	...	1 989	...	...	4,325	5,359	923	9,164	140	...	2,289	...	4,065	...	7,949
13,778	149	...	...	71,329	1,162	310	42	...	...	...	...	1,514	557	76	197	...	...	14	...	...	...	...
6,188	33	...	...	11,312	501	288	5	...	...	...	...	794	91	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	24
9,153	167	...	...	16 454	438	37	9	...	360	...	...	864	47	7	43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6,999	288	...	...	12,697	326	...	7	...	...	...	...	333	...	...	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6,387	2	...	...	10,123	124	...	19	...	...	...	35	178	151	47	10	...	...	61	...	...	...	...
3,341	3	...	...	4,854	130	15	22	...	...	...	...	167	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4,869	21	..	...	10,602	634	...	9	...	...	...	...	643	...	19	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7,328	367	...	...	13,781	550	40	14	...	...	...	...	604	119	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
67,936	1,028	...	...	1,80,850	3,865	630	127	...	380	...	35	5,037	965	229	304	...	...	75	...	...	...	24
8,155	157	...	...	36,300	245	122	24	...	48	...	...	439	62	...	...	...	...	46	...	...	...	8
7,806	17	...	...	32,381	194	...	25	...	440	...	...	669	30	1,535	...	48	...	2,432	...	...	...	14
15,961	174	...	...	48,681	439	122	49	...	488	...	...	1,098	82	1,535	...	48	...	2.007	...	...	...	22
13,694	34	...	...	54,063	388	144	4	...	140	...	...	676	669	1,935	140	1	...	30	...	424	...	2,117
2,165	...	...	...	2 401	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6,422	33	...	...	10,746	130	...	2	...	792	...	...	924	139	58	773	97	...	35	...	...	...	...
5,598	90	...	...	9,227	31	...	27	...	...	...	...	58	33	40	14	...	...	715	...	...	...	31
3,917	68	...	...	5,542	97	...	17	...	160	...	...	274	11	.	...	43	...	30	...	...	...	...
31,796	225	...	...	80,979	693	144	50	...	1,092	...	...	1,979	842	2,033	927	141	...	790	...	424	...	2,148
1,05,895	1,882	...	...	6,80,288	9,857	2,236	362	...	3,949	...	35	12[illegible]9	7,348	4,710	10,395	329	...	3,651	...	4,149	..	10,143

FORM No. 11.—*Statement showing the Income of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY, AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—*concld.*						GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTION (FOR GENERAL AND SPECIAL PURPOSES).									
				Interest on Investments.					From Governments.			From local funds.			From other sources.			
			Fines under Municipal and other Acts.	For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	Premium on loans.	Total.	For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	Total.
			36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
Nadia	55	Krishnagar	519	...	...	...	...	6,412	1,670	...	500	..	...	1,275	...	...	3,347	6,792
	56	Santipur	113	...	...	...	...	5,242	915	967	...	...	...	150	...	...	...	2,032
	57	Ranaghat	172	...	...	...	...	1,117	500	...	648	...	...	480	...	...	336	1,934
	58	Nabadwip	44	...	...	...	...	649	...	...	275	...	...	900	...	...	346	1,521
	59	Kushtia	56	...	...	...	...	419	...	...	800	...	...	240	1,214	...	714	3,058
	60	Kumarkhali	130	...	...	...	...	202	...	...	...	...	...	240	...	...	...	240
	61	Meherpur	38	...	...	...	...	135	...	...	116	...	...	490	...	...	397	1,003
	62	Birnagar	...	68	...	..	...	737	...	...	400	...	...	240	...	...	74	714
	63	Chakdah	22	...	...	...	...	109	...	...	400	...	...	240	...	...	...	640
		Total	1,133	68	...	...	...	15,022	2,085	967	3,229	...	...	4,335	1,214	...	5,104	17,934
Murshidabad	64	Berhampore	670	...	...	6,805	...	9,451	...	...	3,096	...	...	6,030	3,950	...	23,097	36,143
	65	Murshidabad	100	...	...	175	...	1,184	275	...	1,088	...	..	800	3,600	...	2,047	7,790
	66	Azimganj	117	...	...	...	...	905	...	...	150	...	...	840	...	...	34	1,024
	67	Jangipur	259	...	...	56	...	2,002	...	...	975	...	...	2,500	...	...	1,052	4,527
	68	Kandi	44	...	...	...	...	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	69	Dhulian	90	...	...	...	...	138	...	...	43	...	...	750	...	...	919	1,712
		Total	1,280	...	...	6,836	...	13,761	275	...	5,332	...	...	10,890	7,550	...	27,149	51,196
Jessore	70	Jessore	650	...	...	63	...	1,762	338	...	763	...	...	2,300	...	...	6 51	4,052
	71	Kotchandpur	110	...	...	...	...	432	...	...	...	...	...	200	...	...	81	281
	72	Maheshpur	19	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	360	...	...	...	360
		Total	779	...	...	63	..	2,220	338	...	763	...	...	2,860	...	...	733	4,693
Khulna	73	Khulna	391	...	...	...	...	1,245	1,037	..	...	...	...	...	192	...	...	1,229
	74	Satkhira	12	...	...	45	...	346	...	...	140	1,500	...	900	...	...	6 13	3,153
	75	Debhatta	...	...	...	...	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total	403	..	...	45	...	1,615	1,037	...	140	1,500	...	900	192	...	613	4,382
		DIVISIONAL TOTAL	9,875	4,417	51	6,979	...	89,331	10,049	967	10,609	2,440	...	21,307	18,185	...	34,825	98,422
DACCA DIVISION.																		
Dacca	76	Dacca ...	2,863	2,820	...	...	...	31,040	8,089	2,400	...	...	...	...	6,600	...	...	17,089
	77	Narayanganj	398	..	...	...	...	4,930	1,500	858	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,358
		Total	3,261	2,820	...	...	...	35,970	9,589	3,258	...	...	...	...	6,600	...	..	19,447
Mymensingh	78	Mymensingh	262	...	...	524	...	1,630	150	...	1,000	...	...	...	40	...	...	1,190
	79	Muktagacha	147	...	...	...	...	262	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	80	Jamalpur	122	...	...	...	...	219	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	81	Sherpur	218	...	...	...	...	247	298	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	298
	82	Kishorganj	226	...	...	...	...	495	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	83	Baxitpur	21	...	...	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...
	84	Netrakona	111	...	...	...	...	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	85	Tangail ...	540	...	...	...	...	744	...	...	...	58	...	...	...	...	...	98
		Total	1,652	...	...	524	...	3,773	448	...	1,000	98	...	...	40	...	...	1,586
Faridpur	86	Faridpur ...	126	...	...	...	...	241	3,333	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	3,383
	87	Madaripur	83	...	..	...	...	4,142	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total	209	...	...	...	...	4,383	3,333	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	3,383
Bakarganj	88	Barisal ...	162	...	...	...	...	8,468	...	...	...	5,250	...	...	58	...	...	5,308
	89	Nalchiti ...	20	...	...	...	...	20	800	...	200	334	...	...	...	...	...	1,134
	90	Jhalakati ...	100	...	...	...	...	1,182	500	...	150	...	...	...	...	...	150	800
	91	Pirojpur ...	108	...	...	...	...	939	2,800	...	160	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,960
	92	Patuakhali	35	...	...	...	...	119	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	500
		Total	423	...	...	...	...	7,728	4,100	...	510	5,584	...	...	58	...	150	10,402
		DIVISIONAL TOTAL	5,545	2,820	...	524	...	51,854	17,470	3,258	1,510	5,682	...	...	6,748	...	150	34,818

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MISCELLANEOUS.			Total income of the year, excluding opening balance.	EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT.								Total receipts, excluding opening balance.	Total receipts, including opening balance.	Incidence of taxation (column 24) per head of population.	Incidence of income (column 55) per head of population.
				Sale-proceeds of Government securities, and withdrawals from Savings Bank.	Loans.		Realisations of Sinking Fund for repayment of loans.	Advances.		Deposits.	Total.				
Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals.	Other items.	Total.			From Government.	Raised in the open market		Permanent.	Others.						
53	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
29	522	551	59,033	...	...	...	...	50	1,121	9,153	10,324	69,357	89,581	1 14 1	2 8 2
4	155	159	42,556	2,837	...	...	...	...	2,409	1,013	6,259	48,815	68,199	1 [illegible] 7	1 9 5
593	13	606	20,805	...	...	...	...	...	1,924	472	2,396	23,201	[illegible]58	1 11 0	2 1 9
4	51	55	21,011	...	...	...	...	...	674	64	738	21,749	23,987	1 7 5	1 10 11
...	81	81	17,949		...	...	...	...	2,021	2,274	4,295	22,244	37,749	2 3 11	2 13 7
...	11	11	6,171		...	...	...	...	...	30	30	6,201	6,907	1 7 8	1 10 2
...	31	31	4,748	...	...	...	...	...	1,004	5	1,009	5,757	6,593	0 8 7	0 12 8
8	27	35	4,626	...	...	...	...	...	1,271	148	1,419	6 045	[illegible]22	1 1 8	1 11 10
...	7	7	3,331	...	...	...	...	...	341	31	372	3,703	[illegible]43	0 14 1	1 1 3
638	901	1,539	1,82,230	2,837	...	...	...	50	10,775	13,190	26,852	2,09,082	2,50,639	1 7 11	1 14 4
78	646	724	1,21,299		...	...	...	175	11,163	19,227	30,565	1,51 864	2,08,816	2 13 4	4 10 2
...	84	84	28,205	...	...	...	...	50	3,846	...	3,896	32,101	34,186	1 6 8	2 3 7
...	199	199	24,480	...	...	...	...	...	878	...	878	25,358	31,120	1 11 6	1 15 9
...	52	52	17,975	...	...	...	...	...	2,128	1,730	3,858	21,833	26,839	0 15 0	1 9 2
...	31	31	9,786	...	...	...	...	...	286	...	286	10,072	14,986	0 12 1	0 12 9
...	1	1	7,046	...	...	...	...	...	...	186	186	7,232	7,528	0 8 4	0 13 7
78	1,013	1,091	2,08,701	...	...	...	...	225	18,301	21,143	39,669	2,48,460	3,33,475	1 10 5	2 8 0
67	375	442	38,518	...	...	...	...	...	2,370	1,290	3,660	42,078	74,591	3 8 1	4 5 2
..	37	37	8,205	...	...	...	...	...	330	158	488	8,693	9,468	0 13 11	1 0 3
...	118	118	3,881	...	...	...	...	...	593	...	593	4,474	4,644	0 11 8	0 14 9
67	530	597	50,604	...	...	..	...	...	3,193	1,448	4,641	55,245	88,703	1 15 [illegible]	2 6 2
...	600	600	29,248	...	...	...	...	...	...	912	912	30,160	42,008	1 15 4	2 4 0
...	39	39	12,507	...	...	...	...	...	970	707	1,677	14,184	40,616	0 12 11	1 2 4
40	3	43	2,329	...	...	...	...	...	...	69	69	2,398	2,614	0 6 8	0 7 0
40	642	682	44,084	...	...	...	...	...	970	1,688	2,658	46,742	85,238	1 4 0	1 8 2
7,007	12,312	19,319	16,43,270	59,037	...	..	...	315	80,033	90,915	2,00,300	18,43,570	24,06,940	1 13 2	2 2 8
8,478	2,616	11,094	3,60,743	...	...	...	...	180	18,265	10,207	28,672	3,89,415	4,98,331	2 12 3	3 5 4
76	1,012	1,088	1,10,759	...	...	...	...	20	321	10,123	10,464	1,21,223	2,32,482	3 9 7	3 15 6
8,554	3,628	12,182	4,71,502	...	...	...	...	200	18,606	20,330	39,136	5,10 638	7,30,713	2 14 11	3 7 5
836	879	1,715	77,378	...	...	...	...	...	3,095	1,160	4,255	81,633	94,648	3 9 5	3 14 5
...	400	400	12,708	...	...	...	...	...	921	1,327	2,148	14,856	15,861	1 11 7	1 15 0
...	44	44	17,580	...	...	...	...	...	350	1,395	1,645	19,225	24,371	0 12 6	0 13 4
...	18	18	13,593	...	...	...	...	...	270	101	371	13,964	14,737	0 13 0	0 13 11
302	59	451	11,247	...	..	...	...	...	...	48	48	11,295	12,883	0 8 13	0 9 11
...	53	53	4,794	...	...	...	...	...	550	...	550	5,344	5,510	0 4 9	0 7 0
...	131	131	11,331	...	...	...	...	...	...	156	156	11,487	13,917	1 7 6	1 9 7
315	84	299	15,526	...	...	...	...	...	245	455	700	16,226	48,472	0 13 5	0 15 2
1,443	1,668	3,111	1,64,357	...	...	...	...	...	5,431	4,442	9,873	1,74,230	2,36,699	1 4 10	1 6 9
914	679	1,593	32,156	...	...	...	...	...	530	333	863	33,019	40,127	2 0 3	2 7 2
...	344	344	27,526	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,526	30,246	1 2 9	1 7 1
914	1,023	1,937	59,682	...	...	...	...	...	530	333	863	60,545	69,373	1 8 3	1 13 7
282	623	905	65,420	...	12,000	..	...	...	685	2,426	16,111	81,531	98,172	2 5 9	2 14 6
...	14	14	3,616	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,616	5,884	1 3 8	1 14 7
248	76	324	13,976	...	...	...	...	...	1,073	281	1,354	15,330	19,192	1 12 [illegible]	2 8 4
...	154	154	13,038	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,038	14,717	0 11 [illegible]	1 1 5
...	66	66	6,501	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,501	7,324	0 [illegible] 3	1 0 9
530	933	1,463	1,02,551	...	12,000	...	...	...	1,758	2,707	17,465	1,20,016	1,41[illegible]	1 10 8	2 1 9
11,441	7,252	18,693	7,98,092	...	12,000	...	...	200	26,325	27,812	67,337	8,65[illegible]29	11,68,584	[illegible] 9	2 6 5

(a) Revised figures.

FORM No. II.—*Statement showing the Income of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality	Balance in hand at the close of last year.	MUNICIPAL RATES AND Octroi. (a) Class I (Articles of food or drink for men and animals).	(b) Class II (Animals for slaughter).	(c) Class III (Fuel, lighting and washing).	(d) Class IV (Building materials).	(e) Class V (Drugs, gums and spices).	(f) Class VI (Tobacco).	(g) Class VII (Cloth).	(h) Class VIII (Metals).	(i) Composition for octroi.	Total.	Tax on houses and lands.	Tax on animals and vehicles.	Tax on professions and trades.	Tolls (on roads and ferries).	Water-rate.	Lighting-rate.	Conservancy (including scavenging and latrine rates).
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.			Rs.											Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
Chittagong	93	Chittagong	3,09,740	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52,767	5,724	1,191	3,265	...	...	23,242
	94	Cox's Bazar	1,080	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	702	..	...	2,543	...	...	1,066
		Total	3,10,820	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53,469	5,724	1,191	5,808	..	...	24,308
Tippera	95	Comilla	3,505	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,253	1,887	466	1,900	...	...	11,910
	96	Brahmanbaria	3,575	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,246	65	78	...	...	...	4,641
	97	Chandpur	21,464	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,079	...	128	5,213	4,598	...	15,208
		Total	28,544	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,578	1,952	671	7,113	4,598	...	31,759
Noakhali	98	Noakhali	4,154	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,904	855	301	...	...	...	7,002
		DIVISIONAL TOTAL	2,43,518	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90,951	8,531	2,163	12,921	4,598	...	63,069
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																				
Rajshahi	99	Rampur Boalia	2,189	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,385	9,070	221	1,091	...	...	11,277
	100	Nator	19,473	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,219	3 006	340	...	...	...	4,823
		Total	21,662	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,604	12,076	561	1,091	...	...	16,200
Dinajpur	101	Dinajpur	10,240	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,558	10,716	201	2,764	...	...	15,975
Jalpaiguri	102	Jalpaiguri	16,885	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	5,019	1,324	629	...	..	...	12,321
Rangpur	103	Rangpur	2,583	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,160	9,729	3,156	...	...	...	15,296
Bogra	104	Bogra	5,052	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,806	4,276	729	1,175	...	...	13,731
	105	Sherpur	2,252	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,089	...	75	...	...	2,877
		Total	7,304	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,806	6,365	729	1,250	...	...	16,608
Pabna	106	Pabna	7,588	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,773	2,627	179	1,756	...	...	11,978
	107	Serajganj	4,451	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	889	1,659	327	870	...	...	5,671
		Total	12,039	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,662	4 286	506	2,626	...	...	17,649
Malda	108	English Bazar	5,744	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,884	1,285	10	650	...	...	6,182
	109	Old Malda	1,963	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	278	1,466	...	138	...	...	...
	110	Nawabganj	15,393	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	3 347	...	...	...	...	1,312
		Total	23,100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,280	6,098	10	788	...	...	7,500
Darjeeling	111	Darjeeling	1,30,553	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66,162	1,578	898	...	30,026	24,429	29,727
	112	Kurseong	10,619	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,548	...	898	...	10,171	...	5,533
		Total	1,41,172	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86 710	1,578	1,786	...	40,207	24,429	35,260
		DIVISIONAL TOTAL	2,34,985	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,44,797	52,072	7,578	8,519	40,207	24,429	1,36,808
		GRAND TOTAL	21,44,613	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,30,735	2,35,227	84,291	83,943	6,86,436	1,92,294	10,92,020
		GRAND TOTAL FOR 1914-15	19,05,846	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,87,351	2,17,002	81,845	86,845	6,67,558	1,96,404	10,70,191

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TAXES.				REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS.									REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION.									
Other taxes (to be specified in detail, *e.g.*, servants' tax, pilgrims' tax, etc., in as many columns as may be necessary).							From other sources (to be specified in detail in as many columns as may be necessary).												Other fees (to be specified in detail in as many columns as may be necessary).		
Tax on persons.	Miscellaneous receipts and penalties.	Warrant fees and penalties.	Tax on arable lands.	Total rates and taxes.	From pounds.	From hackney carriages.	Vaccination fees.	Jute warehouse fees.	Petroleum fees.	Fees on mutiral proceedings.	Miscellaneous.	To al.	Rents of lands, houses, *serets* (rest-houses), dâk bungalows, etc.	Sale-proceeds of lands and produce of lands, etc.	Conservancy receipts other than taxes and rates).	Fees and revenue from educational institutions.	Fees and revenue from medical institutions.	Fees and revenue from markets and slaughter-houses.	Fees and revenue from tramways.	From burning-ghâts and burial-grounds.	Sale of night-soil, etc.	Other fees.
23	23 (a)	23(b)	23(c)	24	25	26	26(a)	26(b)	26(c)	26(d)	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	35(a)	35(b)
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	642	...	...	86,831	816	755	78	...	804	...	...	2,433	1,085	84	1	14,000	...	1,880	...	...	...	...
1,960	19	...	...	6,290	183	...	3	...	...	...	...	186	...	17	...	...	...	758	...	...	...	...
1,960	661	...	...	93,121	999	755	81	...	804	...	...	2,619	1,085	100	1	14,000	...	2,618	...	...	...	...
12,087	32	...	..	31,534	606	202	14	...	...	8	...	830	60	53	...	...	...	48	...	...	...	...
3,527	47	...	...	15,604	144	...	6	...	60	...	...	210	233	280	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	48	...	...	44,274	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16,614	127	...	...	91,412	784	202	20	...	60	8	...	1,074	454	333	...	...	...	48	...	...	...	...
...	...	15	...	16,077	228	...	7	...	...	...	...	235	69	...	...	...	...	66	...	...	...	...
17,574	788	15	...	2,00,610	2,011	957	108	...	864	8	...	3,948	1,608	433	1	14,000	...	2,732	...	...	...	...
398	24	...	...	42,564	1,480	1,901	45	603	153	...	...	4,132	58	1,704	273	...	...	24	...	55	...	20
1,847	44	...	...	14,279	506	714	31	...	...	...	...	1,281	56	28	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	75
2,245	68	...	...	56,843	1,986	2,615	76	603	153	...	...	5,403	114	1,732	291	...	...	24	...	55	...	95
16,411	536	...	...	50,151	1,341	100	20	550	353	...	...	3,364	242	43	231	3,133	...	230	...	...	...	...
11,111	100	...	...	30,404	698	...	45	...	...	...	...	743	...	...	...	...	...	709	...	...	...	...
...	...	236	809	45,476	722	332	37	...	...	10	...	1,101	404	5	3	...	...	38	...	...	...	...
7,587	...	60	...	30,364	484	73	9	...	...	...	...	566	106	21	...	2,480	...	..	...	...	...	...
3,610	11	...	...	8,662	330	...	3	75	...	...	...	408	5	14	...	132	...	40	...	...	...	...
11,197	11	60	...	39,026	814	73	12	75	...	...	...	974	111	35	...	2,602	...	40	...	...	...	...
11,144	135	...	...	30,590	674	114	12	...	...	...	...	800	44	325	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11,920	119	...	...	21,455	173	...	15	...	...	...	..	188	214	156	...	...	.	1,663	...	...	...	...
23,064	252	...	...	52,045	847	114	27	...	...	...	...	988	258	481	...	...	...	1,663	...	...	...	...
8,566	...	23	...	18,600	949	...	4	...	76	...	...	1,029	558	...	1	2	...	2,300	...	...	...	1
2,420	...	...	...	4,302	402	...	8	...	96	...	...	506	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4,255	37	...	...	9,075	915	...	...	...	.	...	...	915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15,241	37	23	...	31,977	2,266	...	12	...	172	...	...	2,450	558	...	1	2	...	2,300	...	...	...	1
...	11	...	...	1,53,841	75	...	24	...	44	...	2	146	70,368	303	401	...	...	11,940	...	...	...	57,342
...	...	...	...	37,140	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	441	221	...	...	...	...
...	11	...	...	1,89,981	95	...	25	...	44	...	2	166	70,368	303	401	...	441	12,161	...	...	...	57,342
79,269	1,005	319	809	4,95,903	5,639	3,334	254	1,228	722	10	2	14,089	72,055	2,599	917	5,737	441	17,165	...	55	...	57,438
3,98,078	14,402	334	809	44,10,639	41,196	14,122	1,519	45,076	7,052	150	146	1,09,241	1,19,337	17,051	29,845	58,794	19,063	80,220	125	24,076	1,012	92,790
3,93,309	1,796	...	...	43,13,201	43,999	16,326	1,723	43,054	6,171	22	286	1,11,611	1,03,441	23,739	29,034	47,968	6,590	69,472	7,119	24,696	2,643	90,362

FORM No. 11.—*Statement showing the income of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—*concld.*						GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS (FOR GENERAL AND SPECIAL PURPOSES.)								
			Fines under Municipal and other Acts.	Interest of investments.			Premium on loans.	Total.	From Government.			From local funds.			From other sources.		
				For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.			For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	For general purposes.	For educational purposes.	For medical purposes.	Total.
			36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Chittagong.	93	Chittagong ...	1,116	...	...	...	...	18,185	10,300	2,327	...	...	...	...	...	137	...	12,864
	94	Cox's Bazar ...	4	...	...	...	...	739	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total ...	1,120	...	...	...	...	18,924	10,300	2,327	...	...	...	...	...	137	...	12,864
Tippera ...	95	Comilla	351	...	...	...	...	512	...	...	...	...	...	...	85	1	...	86
	96	Brahmanbaria ...	14	...	...	...	...	527	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	97	Chandpur ...	156	...	...	...	...	317	696	...	...	45	...	...	750	...	...	1,491
		Total ...	521	...	...	...	...	1,356	696	...	...	45	...	...	835	1	...	1,577
Noakhali ...	98	Noakhali ...	106	...	...	...	...	241	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	500
		DIVISIONAL TOTAL ...	1,747	...	...	...	...	20,521	11,396	2,327	...	45	...	...	835	138	...	14,741
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																		
Rajshahi ...	99	Rampur Boalia ...	673	...	...	...	...	2,607	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	100	Nator	462	...	...	...	...	629	...	480	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	480
		Total ...	1,135	...	...	...	...	3,436	...	480	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	480
Dinajpur ...	101	Dinajpur	260	...	...	...	...	4,159	...	...	...	...	...	...	140	...	...	140
Jalpaiguri ...	102	Jalpaiguri ...	118	...	...	...	...	824	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur ...	103	Rangpur	331	...	...	...	...	781	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	...	100
Bogra ...	104	Bogra	123	...	...	105	...	2,833	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	105	Sherpur	109	...	...	...	...	290	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total ...	232	...	...	105	...	3,123	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pabna ...	106	Pabna	401	...	...	...	...	770	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	107	Serajganj	253	...	...	...	...	2,286	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	...	...	150
		Total ...	654	...	...	...	...	3,056	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	...	...	150
Malda ...	108	English Bazar ...	209	...	...	...	...	3,071	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	109	Old Malda ...	24	...	...	...	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	110	Nawabganj ...	20	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Total ...	253	...	...	...	...	3,115	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling ...	111	Darjeeling ...	465	...	...	...	...	1,40,819	4,663	...	...	340	...	...	...	...	...	5,003
	112	Kurseong ...	151	...	...	...	...	813	...	...	190	...	...	900	200	...	1,778	3,068
		Total ...	616	...	...	...	...	1,41,632	4,663	...	190	340	...	900	200	...	1,778	8,069
		DIVISIONAL TOTAL ...	3,586	...	...	105	...	1,60,128	4,663	480	190	340	...	900	690	...	1,778	8,909
		GRAND TOTAL ...	40,879	21,967	2,411	9,699	...	4,87,279	85,853	31,194	16,782	2,759	...	38,517	60,943	434	46,720	2,90,182
		GRAND TOTAL FOR 1914-15 ...	42,487	22,677	1,900	9,923	...	4,72,280	3,52,914	23,946	88 261	22,322	4,872	44,100	57,401	347	45,185	6,38,438

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MISCELLANEOUS.				EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT.											
Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals.	Other items.	Total.	**Total income of the year, excluding opening balance.**	Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.	Loans. From Government.	Loans. Raised in the open market.	Realizations of Sinking Fund for repayment of loans.	Advances. Permanent.	Advances. Other.	Deposits.	Total.	Total receipts, excluding opening balance.	Total receipts, including opening balance.	Incidence of taxation (column 23) per head of population.	Incidence of income (column 55) per head of population.
52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	**Rs.**	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
636	2,221	2,857	**1,22,970**	...	60,000	...	...	...	24,286	1,691	85,977	2,08,947	4,18,687	3 0 10	4 6 9
...	38	38	**7,273**	..	...	...	...	50	2,148	85	2,283	9,556	10 636	1 6 11	1 10 6
636	2,259	2,895	**1,30,243**	...	60,000	...	...	50	26,434	1,776	88,260	2,18,503	4,29,323	3 13 5	4 0 11
118	382	500	**33,462**	...	...	...	...	...	1,471	60	1,531	34,993	38,498	1 6 2	1 7 7
...	4,206	4,206	**20,647**	...	...	...	...	...	868	...	868	21,515	25,090	0 11 2	0 14 9
...	1,767	1,767	**47,783**	...	...	...	...	50	3,941	1,021	5,012	52,795	74,259	3 7 8	3 12 1
118	6,455	6,573	**1,01,892**	...	...	...	...	50	6,280	1,081	7,411	1,09,303	1,37,847	1 9 4	1 12 3
...	73	73	**17,126**	...	...	...	...	50	275	33	358	17,484	21,638	2 4 8	2 7 1
754	8,787	9,581	**2,49,281**	...	60,000	...	...	150	32,989	2,890	96,029	3,45,290	5,88,808	2 0 11	2 9 5
184	380	564	**50,087**	.	...	...	...	...	4,374	...	4,374	54,461	56,650	1 13 1	2 2 3
...	191	191	**16,800**	..	...	...	...	...	850	2	852	17,652	37,125	1 11 8	2 0 7
184	571	755	**66,887**	...	...	...	...	...	5,224	2	5,226	72,113	93,775	1 12 9	2 1 10
861	750	1,611	**58,325**	...	...	...	...	...	4,460	1,853	6,313	64,638	74,878	3 3 4	3 10 6
...	791	791	**32,762**	...	...	...	...	...	300	103	403	33,165	50,050	2 10 4	2 13 8
...	147	147	**47,605**	...	...	...	...	...	5 868	378	6,246	53,851	56,434	2 12 3	2 14 4
107	200	307	**34,072**	...	...	...	...	...	1,685	4,441	6,126	40,198	48,250	3 5 4	3 11 10
...	145	145	**9,505**	...	...	...	...	...	130	11	141	9,646	11,898	2 1 11	2 5 2
107	345	452	**43,577**	...	...	...	...	...	1,815	4,452	6,267	49,844	57,148	2 15 4	3 4 10
...	335	335	**32,495**	...	...	...	...	...	1,250	...	1,250	33,745	41,333	1 6 5	1 11 0
...	1,616	1,616	**25,695**	...	...	...	...	...	300	354	654	26,349	30,800	0 13 10	1 0 7
...	1,951	1,951	**58,190**	..	...	...	...	...	1,550	354	1,904	60,094	72,133	1 2 11	1 5 2
72	49	121	**22,821**	...	..	...	...	...	1,157	...	1,157	23,978	29,722	1 4 9	1 9 6
40	14	54	**4,886**	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,886	6,849	1 2 4	1 4 10
...	302	302	**10,312**	...	...	...	...	...	699	486	1,185	11,497	26,890	0 12 2	0 13 10
112	365	477	**38,019**	...	...	...	...	...	1,856	486	2,342	40,361	63,461	1 1 0	1 4 3
9,808	1,467	11,275	**3,10,083**	...	...	...	...	...	21,536	1,122	22,648	3,32,732	4,63,285	3 0 8	16 5 1
113	102	215	**41,254**	...	...	...	..	...	5,205	3,791	9,086	50,340	60,989	6 10 7	7 6 5
9,921	1,569	11,490	**3,51,338**	...	...	...	...	...	26,821	4,913	31,734	3,83,072	5,24,244	7 11 8	14 4 6
11,185	6,489	17,674	**6,96,703**	...	...	...	..	...	47,894	12,541	60,435	7,57,138	9,92,123	2 10 4	3 11 6
35,865	73,090	1,08,955	**54,08,318**	59,050	1,78,000	2,000	...	1,245	2,36,952	2,96,232	7,63,480	61,69,796	82,94,648	2 3 10	2 11 11
42,184	51,146	93,330	**56,27,630**	3,02,901	5,82,000	...	...	1,005	2,56,826	1,88,433	13,31,165	74,58,995	93,64,841	2 6 10	3 2 8

FORM NO. III.—*Statement showing the Expenditure of the Municipalities*

Name of District.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	General Administration and Collection Charges.								Public Safety.					Public Water-supply.		Public Drainage.	
			General Administration—Office Establishment, Inspection, Honorary Magistrate's Establishment, etc.	Collection of taxes including Bonded Warehouses (establishment, purchase of account books and paper, money boxes, repairs to outposts, etc.).	Collection of tolls on roads and ferries.	Survey of land.	Refunds (other than octroi).	Pensions and gratuities	Annuities.	Total.	Fire (establishment, purchase of fire engines, buckets, repairs, etc.).	Lighting (establishment, purchase of lamps, oil, repairs, etc.).	Police (establishment, purchase of clothing, lanterns, etc., repairs to outposts).	Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes.	Total.	Capital outlay.	Establishment, repairs etc.	Capital outlay.	Establishment, repairs, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN DIVISION.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan ...	4,089	5,702	...	..	...	66	...	9,837	249	7,278	...	23	7,550	8,928	22,208	25,547	3,069
	2	Kalna ...	580	1,438	...	...	4	...	...	2,022	12	898	...	55	965	...	186	...	802
	3	Katwa ...	415	695	...	...	8	...	...	1,118	9	629	...	...	638	...	345	26,922	531
	4	Dainhat ...	338	315	...	...	...	...	...	653	...	227	...	...	227	...	...	...	239
	5	Raniganj ...	562	906	...	...	...	...	...	1,468	...	1,264	...	26	1,290	...	502	...	2,864
	6	Asansol ...	1,007	1,852	...	28	24	...	...	2,911	...	3,406	...	10	3,416	60	790	5,012	1,285
		Total ...	6,971	10,908	...	28	36	66	...	18,009	270	13,632	...	114	14,016	8,988	24,001	57,481	8,590
Birbhum ...	7	Suri	892	872	...	..	..	...	...	1,694	1	944	...	11	996	...	247	...	564
Bankura	8	Bankura ...	1,067	1,331	...	...	...	...	...	2,398	6	1,489	...	24	1 519	23,507	184	5,806	2,464
	9	Vishnupur ...	656	577	...	...	...	...	...	1,233	3	699	...	15	717	...	594	...	71
	10	Sonamukhi ...	541	464	...	...	...	...	...	1,005	2	506	...	14	522	...	1,115	...	40
		Total ...	2,264	2,372	...	...	...	...	...	4,636	11	2,694	...	53	2,758	23,507	1,893	5,806	2,575
Midnapore	11	Midnapore ...	1,855	3,873	...	205	...	...	...	5,933	30	3,345	...	10	3,425	...	3,051	...	4,838
	12	Tamluk ...	533	594	...	...	...	...	...	1,127	20	540	...	4	564	...	863	...	346
	13	Ghatal	318	651	20	...	...	...	...	989	...	457	...	7	464	...	803	...	45
	14	Chandrakona ...	350	413	...	...	...	...	...	763	...	474	...	2	476	...	126	...	397
	15	Ramjibanpur ...	264	413	...	...	...	...	...	677	...	352	...	...	352	...	...	...	252
	16	Khirpai	212	388	...	...	..	...	...	600	...	193	...	...	193	...	834	...	...
	17	Kharar	246	394	...	...	...	...	...	640	...	264	...	...	264	...	1,817	...	196
		Total ...	3,770	6,726	20	205	...	...	...	10,721	50	5,655	...	23	5,728	...	6,494	...	6,054
Hooghly	18	Hooghly-Chinsura	2,306	3,075	...	400	...	...	...	5,781	...	5,675	...	6	5,681	24,452	10,411	...	4,131
	19	Serampore* ...	1,473	1,754	241	...	...	...	...	3,468	...	1,989	...	17	2,006	5,226	5,875	1,135	5,944
	19a	Ditto † ...	1,228	1,382	129	...	...	...	...	2,739	...	1 864	...	6	1,870	10,839	5,965	426	4,494
	20	Hishra-Konnagore,†	464	455	...	...	...	...	..	919	...	555	...	...	555	...	...	35	1,392
	21	Uttarpara ...	936	1,279	...	178	...	...	...	2,393	...	1,152	.	4	1,156	2,936	23	...	840
	22	Baidyabati ...	1,005	2,488	...	253	...	...	...	3,746	115	2,378	...	...	2,393	...	200	..	2,884
	23	Bhadreswar ...	1,075	1,841	...	923	...	...	...	3,839	...	1,339	...	...	1,339	...	...	16,648	...
	24	Kotrung ...	460	626	...	86	...	...	...	1,172	...	1,277	...	...	1,277	...	351	...	44
	25	Bansberia ...	413	456	...	...	15	...	...	884	...	345	...	...	345	...	...	...	415
	26	Arambagh ...	416	436	...	...	...	...	...	852	...	495	..	5	500	...	143	...	100
		Total ...	9,776	13,392	370	1,840	15	...	...	25,393	115	16,769	...	38	16,922	43,453	22,968	18,244	19,744
Howrah ...	27	Howrah	36,019	48,638	...	43,766	3,141	495	...	1,32,059	27,009	99,400	...	315	1,26,723	1,93,373	80,892	30,988	24,435
	28	Bally	2,331	2,404	...	...	...	...	...	5,735	...	3,598	...	33	3,631	...	1,186	35	3,078
		Total ...	38,350	52,042	...	43,766	3,141	495	...	1,37,794	27,009	1,03,007	...	348	1,30,354	1,93,373	81,878	31,003	27,513
		Divisional Total ...	61,953	86,312	390	45,939	3,192	561	...	1,98,247	27,456	1,42,741	...	587	1,70,784	2,69,321	1,37,481	1,12,534	65,040
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																			
24-Parganas.	29	Cossipore-Chitpur	12,965	9,625	...	978	50	...	...	23,618	37 067	32,790	...	12	69,869	4,526	54,289	1,939	13,334
	30	Maniktala ...	4,504	7,980	...	...	241	...	...	12,815	3,644	12,326	...	84	16,074	...	35,363	...	4,869
	31	Baranagar ...	2,290	2,321	...	20	...	...	...	4,631	...	5,862	...	14	5,876	...	1,196	1,610	2,036
	32	Kumarhati ...	1,365	1,546	...	262	...	..	...	2,973	...	2,042	...	15	2,057	...	...	...	976
	33	South Suburban	1,071	3,125	..	...	...	...	...	4,196	...	1,326	...	...	1,326	554	2,678	...	643
	34	Tollygunj ...	1,136	2,213	...	...	...	...	...	3,349	...	1,763	...	...	1,763	..	3,746	...	2,869
	35	Garden Reach ...	3,479	3,221	...	90	...	...	...	6,790	6,138	3,849	...	68	10,055	1,334	16 766	3,980	3,590
	36	Rajpur ...	621	688	...	...	...	...	...	1,309	...	818	...	8	826	...	2	...	173
	37	Baruipur ...	463	469	...	...	...	...	...	932	...	298	...	...	298	...	43	3,560	392
	38	Jainagar ...	442	326	...	...	...	...	...	768	...	804	...	3	807	...	...	...	328
	39	South Dum Dum	670	1,397	...	...	...	...	...	2,076	...	991	...	...	991	...	1,978	...	594
	40	North Dum Dum	439	830	...	...	...	...	...	1,269	...	303	...	...	303	...	...	...	122
	41	South Barrackpore.	781	564	...	...	...	...	...	1,345	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	941
	42	Panihati ...	712	684	...	...	...	...	...	1,396	...	78	...	2	80	...	...	..	1,417
	43	Titagarh ...	3,249	1,099	...	...	...	...	...	4,348	...	891	..	10	901	366	...	...	2,893
	44	North Barrackpore.	580	869	...	...	...	...	...	1,449	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80
	45	Garulia ...	1,657	724	...	..	...	...	...	2,381	...	376	...	1	377	...	...	886	416
	46	Baraset ...	404	1,061	...	...	...	...	...	1,465	...	430	...	...	430	...	339	...	797
	47	Naihati ...	890	1,121	...	...	...	...	...	2,011	4	1,276	...	1	1,281	...	56	117	220
	48	Halisahar ...	614	1,205	...	...	...	...	...	1,819	...	1,192	.	...	1,192	...	216	...	55
	49	Bhatpara ...	1,496	1,676	...	.	...	...	...	3,172	...	2,124	...	112	2,240	...	459	10,207	1,334
	50	Gobordanga ...	316	412	...	...	...	...	...	728	..	127	...	...	127	...	206	...	144
	51	Basirhat ...	700	796	...	...	1	...	...	1,497	...	299	...	2	301	...	150	...	250
	52	Baduria ...	426	504	...	...	...	...	...	930	...	123	..	2	125	...	300	...	219
	53	Taki	316	193	...	...	...	...	...	509	...	36	...	2	38	...	31	...	123
	54	Budge-Budge ..	1,744	2,048	...	...	40	...	...	3,832	...	4,259	...	...	4,259	...	2,361	...	...
		Total ...	43,429	46,517	...	1,350	332	...	...	91,628	46,893	74 387	...	317	1,21,597	6,777	1,20,369	22,299	38,815

* Up to 30th September 1915.
† From 1st October 1915 to 31s March 1916.

in the Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916.

HEALTH AND CONVENIENCE.

Conservancy (including road cleaning and watering) latrines.	Charges on account of Health Officers and Sanitary Inspectors.	Hospitals and Dispensaries.	Plague charges.	Vaccination.	Other sanitary requirements.	Markets and slaughter-houses.	Pounds.	Dák Bungalows and Serais.	Arboriculture, public gardens and experimental cultivation.	Veterinary charges.	Registration of births and deaths.	Public Works. Establishment.	Buildings.	Roads.	Stores.	Total.
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
42,053	1,312	9,250	...	301	457	24	15	...	...	318	158	2,565	1,929	24,324	107	1,42,565
6,415	200	21	...	126	427	...	17	...	26	...	26	382	947	4,156	19	13,730
4,838	...	2,389	35	83	4	...	3	...	...	...	24	180	117	2,859	...	38,300
1,905	...	764	...	79	3	...	...	...	...	...	24	180	330	536	...	4,060
5,700	...	2,632	...	155	271	...	17	...	...	...	36	280	80	3,341	...	18,557
21,812	...	8,805	314	136	...	2,012	...	...	...	...	...	716	...	2,995	...	43,737
82,823	1,512	23,861	349	880	1,162	2,036	52	...	26	318	268	4,312	3,373	38,211	126	2,58,049
8,285	78	5,576	...	123	110	5	...	...	...	...	...	360	...	1,000	...	16,348
8,107	275	10,370	...	146	314	1,034	16	28	...	...	36	432	26	5,164	26	57,936
6,337	773	1,747	...	207	30	286	...	...	...	2	...	192	15	1,876	13	12,113
2,360	587	2,933	...	141	96	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	105	464	...	7,841
16,804	1,635	18,050	...	494	440	1,290	16	28	...	2	36	624	146	7,504	39	77,889
24,838	...	19,606	.	343	1,324	243	227	...	...	...	36	288	161	6,902	...	61,907
4,564	...	2,800	...	83	12	306	...	...	...	.	...	252	124	1,334	4	10,194
2,602	...	8,887	...	147	202	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	103	2,606	...	14,908
868	...	1,829	...	126	13	...	200	...	...	...	24	...	31	676	...	4,190
683	...	1,502	..	42	3	...	...	...	...	...	24	72	600	341	5	3,504
421	...	1,599	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	2	24	90	49	480	...	3,480
1,473	...	2,832	...	48	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	156	108	1,790	24	8,456
35,449	...	39,055	...	800	1,666	601	444	...	2	..	108	858	1,177	13,998	33	1,06,629
29,683	...	1,863	...	283	28	...	5	...	...	950	24	756	49	7,231	411	80,277
16,944	400	3,965	...	157	33	229	22	...	...	143	150	315	...	3,350	...	43,778
11,623	420	5,433	...	84	10	149	11	...	...	291	96	191	...	5,684	...	45,586
5,187	206	...	...	52	7	...	4	...	...	84	50	69	210	2,049	...	9,244
7,106	...	600	...	77	32	...	30	...	...	99	36	324	...	1,371	8	14,483
11,936	345	1,160	...	171	...	...	2	...	14	100	180	864	...	3,492	...	20 838
15,976	..	4,945	...	167	348	...	9	...	...	155	48	377	250	10,359	12	49,349
4,474	...	...	...	51	12	...	3	...	200	44	37	...	...	394	6	5,616
1,839	...	...	...	49	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	384	670	1,834	...	5,194
2,539	...	3,217	...	71	104	...	...	...	...	...	12	351	23	524	...	7,084
1,07,097	1,370	21,213	...	1,152	618	378	86	...	214	1,866	618	3,330	1,202	37,188	437	2,81,348
2,67,293	11,540	16,495	4,011	2,206	4,904	9,181	391	...	388	1,869	5,057	23,960	1,436	99,173	400	7,77,772
17,158	...	2,676	...	159	43	...	45	...	150	...	95	680	500	8,595	497	34 897
2,84,451	11,540	19,171	4,011	2,365	4,947	9,181	436	...	538	1,869	5,152	24,640	1,936	1,07,768	897	8,12,669
5,34,809	16,135	1,23,906	4,360	5,814	8 843	13,491	1,034	28	780	4,056	6,182	34,324	7,834	2,05,689	1,532	15,82,942
89,302	4,915	11,412	...	869	4,825	...	75	...	...	49	...	5 188	15,000	31,028	109	2,36,860
52,909	3,538	5,775	291	679	...	..	...	...	...	...	294	1,720	...	20,236	849	1,36,705
29,540	2,519	976	50	196	549	...	133	...	...	45	79	922	...	6,196	5	46,051
10,748	...	..	...	158	...	239	3	...	...	...	60	360	18	5,081	103	17,748
8,691	...	2,783	...	471	36	...	...	...	...	...	60	3 802	...	12,587	62	32,367
9,566	...	24	...	271	...	188	...	...	...	...	126	2,474	...	5,148	49	24,430
34,114	3,311	1,788	117	913	35	...	...	...	...	..	275	3,865	1,032	18,792	379	89,957
3,785	...	1,403	...	72	8	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	118	2,679	...	8,076
2,564	...	1,611	...	92	60	...	3	...	...	...	42	...	...	877	6	9,280
2,017	...	1,430	...	60	1	...	...	...	...	..	48	198	113	922	24	5,136
4,839	...	1,811	...	110	2	...	...	...	...	...	60	121	...	3,644	3	12,362
957	...	1,007	...	38	1	...	2	...	...	...	24	253	16	1,922	7	4,349
5,041	...	847	10	98	...	...	8	...	...	...	32	1,168	...	3,469	14	11,525
4 552	635	1,718	...	87	186	...	24	...	...	...	...	120	71	2,386	...	11,166
30,165	690	620	46	312	...	...	17	...	...	...	181	1,442	5,307	3,909	...	46,868
6,440	600	1,124	...	72	21	46	30	...	...	...	60	...	...	2,189	...	11,984
6,757	400	1,462	...	81	3	...	...	...	...	25	...	36	383	...	1,121	...	11,870
3,306	...	3,423	...	86	...	964	...	...	...	...	...	69	...	100	2,426	16	11,526
9,391	...	1,117	...	155	78	...	6	...	...	...	...	36	...	...	5,314	...	16,393
5,173	660	961	...	128	35	14	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	1,870	5	8,865
21,247	825	1,354	...	292	157	...	59	...	...	...	49	...	1,320	6,796	83	44,176
598	...	...	...	73	...	...	6	...	...	...	24	...	25	1,388	...	2,464
1,824	602	2,052	...	185	13	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	73	2,089	13	7,347
589	...	1,149	...	82	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	156	28	680	...	3,215
103	...	320	...	42	...	...	10	...	...	...	36	...	69	1,309	...	2,043
13,908	...	4,957	...	196	328	...	...	...	147	...	...	846	12	9,641	77	32 472
3,57,859	18,695	80,404	514	8 817	8,395	1,433	397	...	197	94	1,627	23,708	23,332	1 54,170	1,796	8,33,598

FORM NO. III.—*Statement showing the Expenditure of the Municipalities*

Name of District.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.				CONTRIBUTIONS.	MISCELLANEOUS.										
			Schools and colleges.	Contributions.	Libraries, museums, menageries, etc.	Total.	For general purposes.	Interest due on account of loans.		Discount.	Actual cost of works done for private individuals.	Other items (to be specified in detail in as many columns as may be necessary).						
								Interest due on account of previous year.	Interest due on account of current year.			Printing charges.	Law charges.	Provident Fund.	Miscellaneous.	Burning ghat charges.	Election charges.	Total.	Total.
			38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	47(a)	47(b)	47(c)	47(d)	47(e)	48	49
BURDWAN DIVISION			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan ...	21,993	879	...	22,872	...	159	324	...	850	977	397	307	2,428	...	...	4,409	5,742
	2	Kalna ...	311	...	60	371	...	...	...	...	...	295	65	61	1,033	...	...	1,454	1,454
	3	Katwa ...	...	416	...	416	...	600	552	...	...	181	7	32	71	...	...	291	1,443
	4	Dainhat ...	...	355	...	355	...	...	...	...	...	82	1	18	36	...	...	137	137
	5	Raniganj ...	...	1,168	69	1,217	...	...	...	...	...	266	100	43	153	...	...	562	562
	6	Asansol ...	...	975	...	975	50	...	...	...	...	299	491	156	259	...	...	1,205	1,205
		Total ...	22,304	3,773	129	26,206	50	759	876	...	850	2,100	1,061	917	3,980	...	...	8,068	10,543
Birbhum ...	7	Suri ...	...	617	55	672	...	...	...	...	4	39	50	59	256	...	...	404	408
Bankura	8	Bankura ...	...	745	...	745	...	380	872	...	109	200	88	84	256	...	...	608	1,939
	9	Vishnupur ...	...	819	109	928	...	...	...	...	...	200	45	36	78	...	...	359	359
	10	Sonamukhi ...	...	775	...	775	...	...	...	...	...	112	140	19	264	...	...	535	535
		Total ...	...	2,339	109	2,448	...	380	872	...	109	512	273	119	598	...	...	1,502	2,833
Midnapore	11	Midnapore ...	46,697	1,271	36	48,004	...	...	...	...	417	561	485	771	902	..	...	2,719	3,136
	12	Tamluk ...	...	436	...	436	...	...	...	...	...	172	32	19	15	...	...	238	238
	13	Ghatal ...	...	772	...	772	...	...	...	...	...	146	16	17	42	...	...	221	221
	14	Chandrakona ...	...	606	50	656	...	...	...	...	...	150	5	5	15	...	...	175	175
	15	Ramjibanpur ...	...	458	..	458	...	...	...	...	...	100	41	14	1	...	...	156	156
	16	Khirpai ...	...	240	12	252	...	...	...	...	..	54	...	10	8	...	...	72	72
	17	Kharar ...	...	228	...	228	...	...	57	...	...	56	332	18	202	...	..	608	665
		Total ...	46,697	4,011	98	50,806	...	...	57	...	417	1,339	941	854	1,185	...	...	4,219	4,693
Hooghly	18	Hooghly-Chinsura ...	...	1,214	60	1,274	...	...	7,420	...	...	869	788	171	680	...	...	2,508	9,928
	19	Serampore ...	360	1,244	50	1,654	...	...	744	...	...	395	136	135	3,055	...	...	3,721	4,465
	19a	Ditto ...	240	852	..	1,092	30	...	729	..	...	103	136	108	271	...	...	618	1,047
	20	Rishra-Konnagore.	188	602	...	790	..	...	...	...	...	138	1	28	...	...	...	167	167
	21	Uttarpara ...	...	458	46	504	...	...	...	...	...	231	12	79	150	...	...	472	472
	22	Baidyabati ...	...	1,532	...	1,532	...	...	...	...	860	217	31	128	204	...	...	580	1,440
	23	Bhadreswar ...	...	1,177	70	1,247	...	...	...	...	...	410	261	111	165	...	...	947	947
	24	Kotrung ..	...	366	...	366	...	...	..	...	...	177	997	23	100	...	...	1,297	1,297
	25	Bansberia ...	115	224	...	339	...	...	10	...	...	257	61	25	543	...	...	876	886
	26	Arambagh ...	242	395	...	637	...	...	...	...	...	153	55	32	21	...	...	241	241
		Total ...	1,145	8,064	226	9,435	30	...	8,913	...	860	2,930	2,468	840	5,189	...	...	11,427	21,200
Howrah	27	Howrah ...	...	11,746	1,524	13,270	7,678	...	97 688	...	1,432	13,016	5,891	3,404	27,708	...	.	50,019	1,49,109
	28	Bally ...	...	1,996	295	2,291	25	...	...	...	77	462	483	112	170	...	..	1,227	1,306
		Total ...	...	13,742	1,819	15,561	7,703	...	97,688	...	1,509	13,478	6,374	3,516	27,878	...	...	51,240	1,50,415
		Divisional Total ...	70,146	32,546	2,436	1,05,128	7,783	1,139	1,08,376	...	3 749	20,298	11 147	6,305	39,088	...	...	76,856	1,90,090
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																			
24 Parganas.	29	Cossipore-Chitpore ...	...	6,469	...	6,469	...	...	1,714	...	129	1,205	929	937	1,404	...	...	4,475	6,318
	30	Maniktala ...	735	6,997	...	7,732	30	...	3,224	...	3,620	1,701	201	318	86	...	...	2,306	9,160
	31	Baranagar ...	...	996	25	1,021	...	...	1,256	...	199	686	152	219	442	...	...	1,499	2,954
	32	Kamarhati ...	92	495	135	722	...	...	..	...	579	216	28	100	758	...	...	1,102	1,681
	33	South Suburban ...	192	790	108	1,090	...	...	522		...	600	217	113	741	...	...	1,671	2,193
	34	Tollygani ...	380	747	...	1,127	...	...	466		53	503	377	119	522	...	...	1,321	1,840
	35	Garden Reach ...	...	1,971	..	1,971	30	...	...	...	...	667	562	345	602	...	...	2,176	2,176
	36	Rajpur ...	.	270	...	270	...	...	...	...	...	151	89	36	18	...	...	294	294
	37	Baruipur ...	..	224	...	224	...	...	478	...	...	74	152	44	83	...	...	333	811
	38	Jainagar ...	396	250	...	646	..	...	...	...	...	98	122	18	81	...	...	314	314
	39	South Dum Dum ...	...	432	...	432	...	...	...	...	...	160	351	84	67	...	...	662	662
	40	North Dum Dum ...	...	260	..	260	...	...	...	...	...	80	1	46	10	...	...	137	137
	41	South Barrackpore.	...	279	...	279	...	...	...	...	208	110	61	39	88	...	...	298	506
	42	Panihati ...	...	444	...	444	...	...	25	...	...	100	36	27	93	...	...	256	281
	43	Titagarh ...	...	1,030	...	1,030	...	...	1,795	..	...	160	333	102	45	...	...	640	2,425
	44	North Barrackpore.	...	587	...	587	...	...	...	...	...	117	158	67	350	...	...	692	692
	45	Garulia	...	326	...	326	...	...	945	...	139	190	143	58	91	...	...	482	1,568
	46	Baraset	...	417	...	417	...	...	421	...	4	150	57	24	274	...	...	505	930
	47	Naihati	...	688	...	688	...	...	162	...	...	269	39	64	168	...	...	540	709
	48	Halisahar	...	403	...	403	...	...	...	...	...	133	21	42	94	...	...	290	290
	49	Bhatpara	...	947	...	947	...	...	2,125	...	...	255	325	110	43	...	...	733	2,858
	50	Gobordanga	...	144	...	144	...	...	...	...	...	88	12	12	336	...	...	448	448
	51	Basirhat	...	588	...	588	...	...	174	...	...	150	55	17	101	...	...	323	497
	52	Baduria	..	222	...	222	...	...	...	...	...	55	77	18	258	...	...	408	408
	53	Taki	...	114	...	114	...	...	...	...	...	55	195	7	20	...	...	277	277
	54	Budge Budge ...	240	1,321	180	1,741	10	...	589	...	9	502	322	115	1,635	...	...	2,574	3,152
		Total ...	2,025	27,401	448	29,874	330	...	13,876	...	4,940	8,472	4,985	3,079	9,310	...	...	24,746	43,562

* No figures in these columns have been shown in view of the
† *Vide* footnote to column 65 of Form II

in the Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916—continued.

Total expenditure.	EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT									BALANCE.			
	Investments.				Advances.								
	In Securities (other than for sinking funds).	In Savings Bank.	Payment to sinking fund.	Repayment of loans.	Permanent.	Other.	Deposits.	Total.	Total disbursements.	Deposits.	Actual balance.	Total.	Grand total.
50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1,88,566	...	...	1,100	...	900	9,637	2,434	13,276	2,01,941	4,272	12,617	16,889	2,18,830
18,472	...	...	...	...	...	509	860	869	19,341	...	4,857	4,857	24,198
41,915	...	...	...	248	...	6,050	1,020	7,328	49,243	...	18,400	18,400	67,643
5,432	...	...	...	...	...	350	223	573	6,005	...	536	536	6,541
20,194	..	126	...	...	100	145	333	704	20,898	...	3,862	3,862	24,760
52,294	...	...	...	...	...	4,000	667	4,667	56,961	701	10,767	11,468	68,429
3,26,873	...	126	1,100	248	300	20,691	5,051	27,516	3,54,389	4,973	51,039	56,012	4,10,401
20,118	...	...	...	...	...	1 412	1,128	2,540	22,658	876	31,774	32,652	55,010
64,536	...	...	...	1,227	110	1,651	912	6,800	71,336	409	27,848	28,257	99,593
15,350	...	13	...	...	...	1,840	1,465	3,318	18,668	80	4,004	4,084	22,722
10,678	...	...	...	...	...	620	79	699	11,377	...	454	454	11,831
90,564	...	13	..	1,227	110	7,011	2,456	10,817	1,01,381	489	33,306	32,795	1,34,146
1,22,405	...	...	...	...	...	14,655	865	15,020	1,37,425	1,473	18,837	20,299	1,57,724
12,589	...	...	...	...	...	2,313	767	3,080	15,669	...	1,770	1,770	17,439
17,354	...	...	...	...	...	...	896	896	18,250	1,769	3,883	5,652	23,902
6,260	...	...	...	...	80	660	...	740	7,000	401	1,931	2,332	9,332
5,139	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	33	5,172	...	2,041	2,041	7,203
4,587	...	...	...	...	...	1,376	25	1,301	5,888	...	1,707	1,707	7,595
10,253	...	...	...	499	...	280	...	749	11,002	1,348	1,659	3,007	14,009
1,78,587	...	...	...	499	80	19,154	2,076	21,809	2,00,396	4,990	31,818	36,808	2,37,204
1,02,951	...	...	...	10,257	...	93	479	10,829	1,13,780	718	1,631	2,349	1,16,129
55,371	...	...	...	719	...	2,967	4,139	7,825	63,196	...*	...*	...*	63,196†
52,564	...	...	...	733	...	2,008	43	2,783	55,347	9,037	7,787	16,824	72,171
11,575	...	...	...	...	25	470	...	495	12,070	376	3,086	3,462	15,532
19,007	...	...	...	...	...	585	50	635	19,642	...	60,469	60,469	80,091
29,749	...	...	...	...	50	792	1,376	3,218	31,967	...	2,531	2,531	34,498
56,421	...	...	...	...	...	1,095	1,449	2,544	58,965	42,636	25,839	68,375	1 07,340
9,726	...	..	...	..	...	130	85	215	9,941	...	2,286	2,286	12,229
7,648	...	...	...	318	50	...	5	373	8,021	...	629	629	8,650
9,314	92	...	...	...	...	569	...	661	9,965	...	1,831	1,831	11,796
3,54,328	92	...	...	12,027	125	8,689	7,625	28,548	3,82,876	52,667	1,16,089	1,38,756	5,21,632
12,06,621	...	1,69,200	...	1,19,110	...	18,826	23,125	3,27,261	15,33,882	79,588	1,06,896	1,86,484	17,20,366
47,883	...	...	..	400	...	5,145	302	5,847	53,730	4,230	1,374	5,704	59,434
12,54,504	...	1,69,200	...	1,19,510	...	20,971	23,427	3,33,108	15,87,612	83,918	1,08,270	1,92,188	17,79,800
22,24,974	92	1,69,339	1,100	1,33,511	615	77,998	41,763	4,24,338	26,49,312	1,17,585	3,71,296	4,88,881	31,38,193
3,43,134	...	...	...	2,746	...	1,364	16,695	20,805	3,63,939	7,743	95,070	1,02,813	4,66,751
1,72,766	...	...	...	2,550	100	415	11,083	24,134	1 96,894	22,350	62,630	84,980	2,81,774
60,533	818	51	...	1,668	...	975	3,236	6,851	67,384	957	14,240	15,197	82,581
25,181	...	24	...	...	...	155	555	734	25,915	147	528	675	26,590
41,172	...	...	...	1,598	50	200	90	2 018	43,190	1,425	2,885	4,310	47,500
32,509	...	...	...	1,475	...	590	633	2,698	35,207	487	7,795	8,282	43,489
1,10,969	...	...	...	...	...	328	130	458	1,11,427	2,201	65,076	67,277	1,78,699
10,775	...	...	...	...	...	855	153	1,008	11,783	30	4,047	4,077	15,860
11,545	...	...	...	738	...	..	202	930	12,475	...	2,910	2,910	15,385
7,671	...	...	...	...	...	...	84	84	7,755	235	2,261	2,496	10,251
16,523	...	...	...	...	...	170	2,168	2,338	18,861	...	35,401	35,401	54,262
6,318	...	...	...	...	...	370	15	385	6,703	18	1,100	1,118	7,821
12,779	...	...	...	...	170	...	...	150	13,929	...	1,187	1,187	15,116
13,367	...	...	...	219	...	241	278	738	14,105	313	2,075	2,388	16,493
54,542	...	...	...	4,610	...	2,150	2,760	9,520	64,062	286	19,379	19,665	83,727
14,392	...	...	...	...	...	88	270	358	14,750	...	1,814	1,814	16,564
18,220	...	...	...	1 452	...	372	512	2,306	18,426	...	11,742	11,742	30,168
14,768	...	...	...	675	50	852	566	2,143	16,911	1,070	3,496	4,496	21,407
21,075	...	...	...	204	...	2,650	227	3,081	24,156	...	23,373	23,373	47,529
12,569	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	50	12,619	...	8,060	8,060	20,679
53,393	...	...	...	2,992	...	150	2,190	5,334	58,726	...	35,208	35,208	93,934
3,911	...	...	..	...	...	150	...	150	4,061	...	3,946	3,946	8,007
10,130	...	...	...	265	...	...	..	265	10,395	...	845	845	11,240
4,900	...	...	...	..	...	...	77	77	4,977	...	11	11	4,988
2,981	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	3,011	...	848	848	3,859
45,466	...	...	...	1,159	..	3,404	804	4,347	49,813	54	4,344	4,398	54,211
11,20,889	818	75	...	22,172	350	14,887	53,908	90,880	12,11,469	37,215	4,10,201	4,47,416	16,58,885

remarks contained in the footnote to column 65 of Form 11.

FORM NO. III.—*Statement showing the Expenditure of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	GENERAL ADMINISTRATION AND COLLECTION CHARGES.								PUBLIC SAFETY.					PUBLIC			
			General Administration—Office Establishment, Inspection, Honorary Magistrates' Establishments, etc.	Collection of taxes including Bonded Warehouses (establishment, purchase of account books and paper, money boxes, repairs to outposts, etc.).	Collection of tolls on roads and ferries.	Survey of land.	Refunds (other than octroi).	Pensions and gratuities.	Annuities.	Total.	Fire (establishment, purchase of fire engines, buckets, repairs, etc.).	Lighting (establishment, purchase of lamps, oil, repairs, etc.).	Police (establishment, purchase of clothing, lanterns, etc., repairs to outposts).	Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes.	Total.	Water-supply.		Drainage.	
																Capital outlay.	Establishment, repairs, etc.	Capital outlay.	Establishment, repairs, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY DIVISION—*concld.*			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Nadia	55	Krishnagar	1,739	1,672	...	...	19	...	...	3,433	...	1,977	...	...	1,977	...	763	...	319
	56	Santipur	1,633	2,191	...	...	...	..	...	3,824	...	3,020	...	...	3,020	...	762	238	1,771
	57	Ranaghat	513	694	...	...	...	...	...	1,206	...	681	...	...	681	...	192	131	689
	58	Nabadwip	701	825	...	...	150	...		1,676	...	864	...	41	905	...	5	2	190
	59	Kustia	662	710	...	...	9	...	...	1,371	...	914	...	...	914	...	21	6,222	918
	60	Kumarkhali	260	406	...	...	14	...	...	680	...	299	...	...	299	...	61	...	139
	61	Meherpur	345	301	...	...	...	...	..	646	10	179	...	...	189	...	153	...	...
	62	Birnagar	371	284	...	11	...	...	...	666	...	91	...	...	91	...	27	...	220
	63	Chakdah	285	490	...	...	...	...	...	775	...	100	...	...	100	...	212	...	173
		Total	6,491	7,573	...	11	192	...	...	14,267	10	8,125	...	41	8,176	...	1,597	6,588	4,419
Murshidabad	64	Berhampore	1,988	3,102	...	...	2	...	...	5,092	...	3,164	...	9	3,173	2,132	28,197	578	4,524
	65	Murshidabad	838	964	...	...	...	...	...	1,802	...	1,529	...	11	1,540	...	1,120	104	1,689
	66	Azimganj	657	1,183	178	692	...	...	...	2,710	...	1,836	...	..	1,836	...	18	...	1,653
	67	Jangipur	418	732	14	...	20	...	...	1,174	3	741	...	4	748	...	903	596	897
	68	Kandi	543	539	...	21	...	...	...	1,103	...	1,057	...	...	1,057	...	...	...	827
	69	Dhulian	330	373	...	...	...	...	...	693	...	99	...	...	99	...	...	...	333
		Total	4,734	6,893	192	713	22	...	...	12,544	3	8,426	...	24	8,453	2,132	30,235	1,378	9,323
Jessore	70	Jessore	958	926	...	...	1	...	...	1,885	...	1,585	...	12	1,597	109	4,550	50	1,105
	71	Kotchandpur	487	419	...	...	...	...	...	906	...	413	...	3	416	...	46	...	153
	72	Maheshpur	388	174	...	...	...	..	...	562	...	296	...	2	298	...	98	...	66
		Total	1,833	1,519	...	...	1	...	...	3,353	...	2,294	...	17	2,311	109	4,704	50	1,324
Khulna	73	Khulna	877	626	...	250	950	...	...	2,703	...	602	...	6	608	2,011	2,257	...	863
	74	Satkhira	470	679	...	...	...	...	...	1,149	...	529	...	1	530	870	89	...	296
	75	Debhatta	333	168	...	...	...	...	...	501	...	14	...	...	14	...	8	...	90
		Total	1,680	1,473	...	250	950	...	...	4,353	...	1,145	...	7	1,152	2,881	2,354	...	1,249
		Divisional Total	58,167	65,965	192	2,324	1,497	...	...	128,148	46,906	94,377	...	406	1,41,689	11,899	1,59,289	30,215	55,200
DACCA DIVISION.																			
Dacca	76	Dacca	9,108	2,607	...	778	72	...	...	13,565	...	16,999	..	85	17,084	1,096	27,744	...	10,293
	77	Narayanganj	4,182	2,699	...	...	17	...	...	6,898	...	4,691	...	10	4,701	5,929	16,589	2,337	1,676
		Total	13,290	11,306	...	778	89	...	...	25,463	...	21,690	...	95	21,785	7,027	44,333	2,337	11,969
Mymensingh	78	Mymensingh	1,572	3,183	...	...	...	...	...	4,755	...	3,586	...	1	3,587	6	18,377	1,600	2,161
	79	Muktagacha	649	716	...	...	...	...	...	1,365	...	905	...	7	912	...	707	...	210
	80	Jamalpur	647	1,182	...	...	...	...	...	1,829	...	1,126	...	2	1,128	...	709	...	507
	81	Sherpur	683	802	...	...	...	...	...	1,485	7	717	...	9	733	...	388	...	195
	82	Kishorganj	532	733	...	...	...	...	...	1,265	...	913	...	5	918	...	793	42	988
	83	Basitpur	376	324	...	...	...	...	...	700	...	432	...	...	432	...	207	...	40
	84	Netrakona	539	474	...	...	...	...	...	1,013	...	580	...	14	594	...	208	...	146
	85	Tangail	807	653	516	...	...	...	...	1,976	.A	1,211	...	1	1,212	...	837	1,197	...
		Total	5,805	8,067	516	..	...	...	...	14,088	7	9,440	...	39	9,486	6	21,725	2,839	3,542
Faridpur	86	Faridpur	975	1,749	18	43	64	...	...	2,849	...	3,053	...	7	3,060	408	3,116	...	272
	87	Madaripur	610	1,067	...	...	...	...	..	1,677	...	2,200	...	1	2,201	961	...	119	...
		Total	1,585	2,816	18	43	64	...	...	4,526	...	5,253	...	8	5,261	1,369	3,116	119	272
Bakarganj	88	Barisal	1,235	2,075	...	...	2	36	...	3,348	...	2,957	...	5	2,962	20,000	6,091	114	955
	89	Nalchity	207	356	...	...	...	28	...	591	...	437	...	5	442	...	644	...	588
	90	Jhalakati	626	398	...	...	10	...	...	1,034	...	954	...	3	957	...	237	1,040	886
	91	Pirojpur	641	395	...	...	...	...	...	1,036	...	863	...	1	866	...	942	...	65
	92	Patuakhali	510	431	...	...	...	...	...	941	...	781	...	...	781	...	274	...	840
		Total	3,219	3,655	...	...	12	64	...	6,950	...	5,994	...	14	6,008	20,000	8,388	1,154	3,114
		Divisional Total	23,899	29,844	534	821	165	64	...	51,027	7	42,377	...	166	42,540	28,402	77,462	6,449	18,896

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HEALTH AND CONVENIENCE.

Conservancy (including road cleaning and watering) and latrines.	Charges on account of Health Officers and Sanitary Inspectors.	Hospitals and dispensaries.	Plague charges.	Vaccination.	Other sanitary requirements.	Markets and slaughter-houses.	Pounds.	Dak Bungalows and Serais.	Arboriculture, public gardens and experimental cultivation.	Veterinary charges.	Registration of births and deaths.	Public Works.				
												Establishment.	Buildings.	Roads.	Stores.	Total.
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
20,684	2,588	17,519	...	148	96	...	...	...	1,144	..	...	3,422	...	10,983	..	57,666
16,801	1,888	2,403	...	147	477	...	...	...	103	...	...	689	256	6,996	23	31,905
6,870	...	3,182	...	98	59	...	41	...	...	...	36	566	37	3,378	12	15,292
10,111	...	2,361	...	97	38	...	8	...	...	...	24	757	93	4,149	92	17,827
4,619	...	4,813	...	62	336	...	...	...	325	...	24	318	126	5,074	...	20,868
2,447	...	693	...	49	1	...	...	...	2	...	24	304	49	789	3	4,360
308	...	1,708	...	38	...	...	4	...	3	...	25	...	5	699	...	2,943
307	...	1,453	...	24	...	87	...	...	34	...	25	60	10	440	...	2,694
315	...	1,780	...	40	4	...	1	...	85	...	24	98	...	611	2	3,843
62,462	4,476	35,911	...	703	1,011	87	54	..	1,702	..	193	6,213	576	31,329	132	1,57,002
21,967	2,313	45,495	...	331	148	11	32	...	...	95	10	630	...	12,512	15	1,19,009
9,670	620	6,606	...	141	366	146	16	...	...	...	...	396	406	3,014	24	24,188
11,003	...	2,938	...	135	216	...	11	...	...	...	60	1,620	12	3,269	44	21,979
4,331	...	7,104	...	127	317	...	6	...	...	...	...	305	111	2,750	17	16,861
3,599	...	...	...	122	55	...	19	...	302	...	60	388	1,497	2,502	17	9,888
372	...	1,930	...	102	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	377	1,997	360	...	5,575
50,962	2,933	65,073	...	958	902	157	88	...	302	95	130	3,625	4,023	24,607	117	1,97,010
7,205	633	7,084	...	131	35	...	439	...	...	...	22	1,102	5	3,830	...	26,310
1,969	...	1,488	...	73	8	...	...	...	..	...	24	270	21	744	...	5,296
321	...	910	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	120	93	344	...	1,962
9,496	633	9,982	...	234	43	...	439	...	...	...	46	1,492	119	4,918	...	33,588
11,792	600	1,850	...	111	36	...	6	...	178	120	...	475	37	3,750	1	24,087
2,840	...	2,166	...	55	7	...	...	...	10	3	...	...	201	1,684	1	8,312
130	...	96	...	30	...	...	1	...	...	...	36	...	...	1,082	...	1,473
14,762	600	4,112	...	196	43	...	7	...	188	123	36	475	238	6,516	2	33,772
4,95,530	27,387	1,66,082	514	7,908	8,294	1,677	985	..	2,339	312	3,033	34,612	28,388	2,21,540	2,047	12,54,970
1,30,831	5,243	11,180	...	902	1,452	12,288	...	...	545	903	321	9,124	256	63,986	226	2,76,392
40,743	...	3,300	...	364	371	288	...	38	125	848	60	1,735	35	10,789	2	80,239
1,71,574	5,243	14,480	...	1,266	1,823	12,576	...	38	670	1,751	381	10,859	291	74,775	228	3,61,631
22,493	845	4,324	...	161	237	50	26	...	...	230	130	677	951	4,093	23	66,603
4,123	...	88	...	94	38	...	21	...	...	...	...	262	196	2,354	4	9,056
6,686	...	1,300	...	131	181	...	...	...	6	...	36	647	105	3,883	23	14,214
5,069	620	1,800	...	92	201	...	...	...	9	...	48	641	74	1,797	10	10,384
4,724	...	735	...	73	25	25	25	...	13	...	...	167	449	1,169	7	8,529
917	...	550	...	84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180	15	1,442	...	3,488
5,348	...	480	...	78	75	...	2	...	...	...	...	420	217	1,298	...	8,272
3 651	800	706	...	100	1,456	...	...	...	109	...	...	147	87	4,990	2	13,582
53,010	2,065	9,683	...	803	2,313	84	74	...	137	230	204	3,181	2,094	22,026	69	1,24,075
13,293	...	963	...	124	540	...	...	...	103	...	...	388	184	3,831	9	22,231
5,653	...	840	...	84	...	1,158	...	...	...	...	60	492	...	8,949	...	16,316
17,946	...	1,803	...	208	540	1,158	...	...	103	...	60	881	184	12,780	9	40,547
19,831	...	2,000	...	138	156	...	...	...	...	60	60	664	196	12,916	18	63,179
147	...	480	...	51	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	1	988	...	2,890
5,117	...	1,800	...	88	9	...	3	...	72	...	24	271	75	2,398	...	11,830
2,.12	...	1,300	...	116	5	461	...	...	...	24	...	...	96	1,380	11	6,512
198	...	600	...	76	7	...	...	...	...	25	24	239	12	,299	..	3,494
27,405	...	6,180	...	469	198	461	3	...	72	109	108	1,174	380	18,981	29	88,095
2,89,933	7,308	32,046	...	3,746	4,874	14,279	77	38	981	2,110	753	16,094	2,949	1,28,562	335	6,14,338

FORM NO. III.—*Statement showing the Expenditure of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.				CONTRIBUTIONS.	MISCELLANEOUS											
								Interest on Loans.				Other Items (to be specified in detail in as many columns as may be necessary.)							
			Schools and colleges.	Contributions.	Libraries, Museums, Menageries, etc.	Total.	For general purposes.	Interest due on account of previous year.	Interest due on account of current year.	Discount.	Actual cost of work done for private individuals.	Printing charges.	Law charges.	Provident Fund.	Miscellaneous.	Burning ghat charges.	Election charges.	Total.	Total.
			38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	47(a)	47(b)	47(c)	47(d)	47(e)	48	49
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
Nadia	55	Krishnagar	1,024	...	48	1,072	...	...	...	...	27	639	678	153	495	...	...	1,965	1,992
	56	Santipur	5,595	1,718	110	7,413	...	...	...	...	4	850	983	343	380	...	...	2,056	2,060
	57	Ranaghat	...	447	24	471	...	...	567	...	441	161	7	38	139	...	...	335	1,243
	58	Nabadwip	...	902	...	902	25	...	...	...	5	230	877	31	47	...	...	1,185	1,191
	59	Kushtia	100	322	...	422	100	...	383	...	...	146	3	44	224	...	...	417	900
	60	Kumarkhali	...	216	24	240	...	...	...	...	...	74	11	26	93	...	...	204	204
	61	Meherpur	50	226	...	276	...	...	...	...	...	80	19	12	535	..	...	638	636
	62	Birnagar	...	166	...	166	...	...	...	...	7	49	778	17	40	...	...	884	891
	63	Chakdah	...	204	...	204	...	...	...	...	...	78	11	34	39	...	...	150	150
		Total	6,759	4,201	206	11,166	125	...	950	...	385	1,805	3,457	694	1,972	...	...	7,932	9,267
Murshidabad.	64	Berhampore	...	909	...	909	100	...	21	...	69	716	1,485	106	270	...	...	2,577	2,667
	65	Murshidabad	91	888	...	979	...	...	...	...	6	249	271	83	158	...	...	761	767
	66	Azimganj	...	490	...	490	...	...	...	...	...	92	124	44	403	...	...	663	663
	67	Jangipur	...	566	...	566	...	...	...	...	...	178	46	...	252	...	...	473	473
	68	Kandi	...	415	...	415	...	...	...	...	...	133	...	25	115	...	...	273	273
	69	Dhulian	...	228	...	228	...	...	...	...	...	111	6	19	39	...	...	175	175
		Total	91	3,396	...	3,487	100	...	21	...	75	1,476	1,932	277	1,237	...	...	4,922	5,018
Jessore	70	Jessore	...	691	...	691	...	...	2,858	...	65	120	34	62	425	...	..9	641	3,554
	71	Kotchandpur	...	739	...	739	...	...	...	...	35	129	37	18	98	...	...	282	317
	72	Maheshpur	...	324	...	324	...	...	36	...	...	198	...	5	...	...		203	239
		Total	...	1,754	...	1,754	...	...	2,894	...	100	447	71	85	523	...	...	1,126	4,120
Khulna	73	Khulna	...	923	15	938	...	...	380	...	...	245	87	60	81	...	...	473	853
	74	Satkhira	...	311	...	311	...	...	...	...	...	108	28	15	29	...	...	178	178
	75	Debhatta	...	400	...	400	...	...	...	...	...	70	82	...	5	...	...	157	157
		Total	...	1,634	15	1,649	...	...	380	...	...	423	195	75	115	...	...	808	1,188
		Divisional Total	6,875	38,986	669	47,930	555	...	18,121	...	5,500	12,623	10,640	4,214	12,057	...	...	39,534	63,156
DACCA DIVISION.																			
Dacca	76	Dacca	...	7,132	...	7,132	300	...	11,647	...	5,796	1,096	2,732	956	6,786	...	...	11,570	29,013
	77	Narayanganj	3,347	...	...	3,347	...	...	5,234	...	...	350	290	292	7,035	...	...	7,967	13,301
		Total	3,347	7,132	...	10,479	300	...	16,881	...	5,796	1,446	3,022	1,248	13,821	...	...	19,537	42,314
Mymensingh.	78	Mymensingh	...	1,414	...	1,414	...	...	795	...	883	343	270	243	680	...	...	1,536	2,903
	79	Muktagacha	...	336	...	336	...	...	...	...	...	160	53	26	472	...	...	701	701
	80	Jamalpur	...	436	24	460	...	...	...	...	...	287	35	46	181	...	...	519	919
	81	Sherpur	...	504	...	504	...	...	...	...	...	175	48	70	92	...	...	385	385
	82	Kishorganj	...	390	...	390	...	...	...	...	210	13	94	42	9	...	...	158	368
	83	Baritpur	...	226	...	226	...	...	...	...	...	68	...	...	105	...	...	173	173
	84	Netrakona	...	427	...	490	...	...	...	...	...	152	...	31	47	...	...	230	230
	85	Tangail	...	781	120	901	...	...	400	...	211	300	19	45	356	...	...	620	1,321
		Total	...	4,527	144	4,671	...	...	1,195	...	1,003	1,348	519	503	1,942	...	...	4,312	6,510
Faridpur	86	Faridpu	...	589	...	589	...	...	31	...	733	55	3	92	1,018	...	...	1,168	1,922
	87	Madaripur	500	550	60	1,110	..	...	...	...	...	581	18	41	1 907	...	...	2,347	2,347
		Total	500	1,139	60	1,699	...	...	31	...	733	436	21	133	2,925	...	...	3,515	4,279
Bakarganj.	88	Barisal	...	1,047	24	1,071	...	...	1,447	...	299	230	107	182	3,235	...	...	3,754	5,300
	89	Nalchity	5	90	...	95	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	11	30	...	...	60	60
	90	Jhalakati	...	2,250	...	2,250	...	...	...	...	...	75	9	32	306	...	...	422	422
	91	Pirojpur	16	330	28	364	25	...	..	...	..	197	36	49	626	...	...	908	908
	92	Patuakhali	409	210	...	619	...	...	...	...	...	59	25	21	108	...	...	293	293
		Total	430	3,917	52	4,399	25	...	1,447	..	299	580	177	295	4,405	...	...	5,457	7,183
		Divisional Total	4,277	16,715	256	21,248	325	...	19,554	...	7,831	3 790	3,739	2,179	23,092	...	...	33,801	60,186

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Total expenditure.	EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT.									BALANCE.			GRAND TOTAL.
	Investments.		Payments to Sinking Funds.	Advances.			Deposits.	Total.	Total disbursements.	Deposits.	Actual balance.	Total.	
	In securities (other than for Sinking Funds).	In Savings Bank.		Repayment of loans.	Permanent.	Other.							
50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
66,130	...	...	...	...	50	163	1,197	1,410	67,540	...	2,041	2,041	69,581
48,222	...	...	...	...	135	1,777	643	2,555	50,777	...	1,422	1,422	52,199
18,893	...	...	...	603	...	2,335	178	3,116	22,009	421	18,428	18,849	40,858
22,526	...	...	...	...	...	899	230	1,129	23,655	...	332	332	23,987
24,275	...	...	...	348	...	1,985	203	2,536	26,811	204	10 734	10,938	37,749
5,983	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	6,013	...	894	894	6,907
4,690	...	...	...	...	...	979	...	979	5,669	348	576	924	6,593
4,512	...	...	...	...	...	1,316	199	1,515	6,027	...	595	595	6,622
4,772	...	...	...	...	...	341	...	341	5,113	31	999	1,030	6,143
2,00,003	...	...	...	951	185	9,795	2,680	13,611	2,13,614	1,004	36,021	37,025	2,50 639
1,30,820	...	...	...	712	175	11,354	17,765	30,006	1,60,826	...	47,990	47,990	2,08,816
29,276	...	...	...	...	50	3,222	...	3,272	32,548	...	1,638	1,638	34,186
27,678	...	...	...	...	...	878	...	878	28,556	...	2,564	2,564	31,120
19,822	...	...	...	...	...	3,088	1,297	4,385	23,207	1,208	2,334	3,632	26,839
12,246	...	...	...	...	...	385	...	385	12 631	...	2.155	2,155	14,986
6,770	...	...	...	...	...	...	211	211	6,981	186	361	547	7,528
2,26,612	...	...	...	712	225	18,127	19,273	38,337	2,64,949	1,444	57,042	58,586	3,23,475
34,047	...	...	...	2,991	...	30,453	...	33,444	67,491	1,731	5 369	7,100	74,591
7,674	...	...	...	...	...	330	199	529	8,203	...	1,265	1,265	9 468
3,403	...	...	...	117	...	633	...	750	4,153	...	489	489	4,644
45,126	...	...	...	3,108	...	31,416	199	34,723	79,849	1,731	7.123	8,854	88 703
29,189	...	...	...	870	...	...	679	1,549	30,438	233	11,337	11,570	42,008
10,380	...	...	...	...	...	970	1,026	1,996	12,376	...	28,240	28,240	40,616
2,848	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	44	2,889	...	25	25	2,914
42,114	...	...	...	870	...	970	1,749	3,589	45,703	233	39,602	39,835	85,538
18,34,444	889	75	...	27,813	760	74,865	76,809	1,80,840	18,15,284	41,647	5,49,989	5,91,636	24,06,940
3,48,488	...	...	...	16,388	180	17,430	22,883	56,880	4,05,366	5,249	87,616	92,865	4,98,231
1,13,376	...	...	...	1,560	...	330	1,325	9,215	1,22,591	9,851	1,00,340	1,09,891	2,32,482
4,61,862	...	...	...	23 948	180	17,760	24,207	66,095	5,27,957	14,900	1,87,956	2,02 756	7,30,713
68,262	...	...	..	1,155	...	1,608	6 914	9,677	78,939	467	15,242	15,709	94,648
12,370	...	...	..	...	...	479	...	479	12,849	1,787	1,025	2,812	15,661
16,170	...	...	..	...	...	300	80	380	16,550	1,484	4,337	5 821	24,371
13,491	...	...	...	...	..	350	93	443	13,934		803	803	14,737
11,470	...	...	...	...	...	...	412	412	11,882	...	501	501	12,383
4,966	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,966	...	544	544	5,510
10,499	...	...	...	...	...	...	216	216	10,715	113	3,089	3,202	13,917
18,602	...	...	...	336	...	246	872	1,453	20,055	26	25,349	25,417	45,472
1,58,830	...	...	...	1,491	...	2,983	8,587	13,060	1,71,890	3,879	50,930	54,809	2,26,699
30,961	...	...	...	336	...	690	4,853	4,879	35,340	467	4,400	4,867	40,127
25,851	...	...	...	...	...	...	671	671	26,522	...	2,924	2,924	29,216
56,312	...	...	...	336	...	690	4,224	5,250	61,862	467	7,324	7,811	69,373
76,060	...	...	...	1,587	...	173	2,537	4,297	80,347	1,562	13,263	14,825	95,172
4,078	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,078	...	1,306	1,306	5,384
16,483	...	...	...	...	...	1,073	270	1,343	17,826	...	1,366	1,366	19,192
9,711	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,711	...	5,006	5,006	14,717
6,328	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,328	...	1,006	1,006	7,334
1,12,660	...	...	...	1,587	...	1,246	2,797	5,630	1,18 290	1,562	21,947	23,509	1,41,799
7,89,664	...	...	...	27,382	180	22,678	39,815	90,035	8,79,699	20,728	2,65,157	2,88,885	11,68,584

FORM No. III.—*Statement showing the Expenditure of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	GENERAL ADMINISTRATION AND COLLECTION CHARGES.								PUBLIC SAFETY.					PUBLIC
			General Administration—Office Establishment, Inspection, Honorary Magistrates' Establishments, etc.	Collection of taxes (including Bonded Warehouses establishment, purchase of account books and papers, money boxes, repairs to octrois, etc.).	Collection of tolls on roads and ferries.	Survey of land.	Refunds (other than octroi).	Pensions and gratuities.	Annuities.	Total.	Fire (establishment, purchase of fire-engines, buckets, repairs, etc.).	Lighting (establishment, purchase of lamps, oil, repairs etc.).	Police (establishment, purchase of clothing, lanterns, etc., repairs to outposts).	Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes.	Total.	Water-supply, Capital outlay.	Water-supply, Establishment, repairs, etc.	Drainage, Capital outlay.	Drainage, Establishment, repairs etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Chittagong	93	Chittagong ...	2,813	5,988	373	314	998	...	...	9,086	496	4,342	...	10	4,848	2,09,566	6,145	1,016	1,730
	94	Cox's Bazar ...	267	420	...	...	...	...	...	687	...	351	...	1	352	...	240	...	119
		Total ...	3,080	5,708	373	314	998	...	...	9,773	496	4,693	...	11	5,200	2,09,566	6,385	1,016	1,849
Tippera	95	Comilla	997	1,307	...	109	...	...	...	2,412	...	2,026	61	18	2,105	...	847	120	2,082
	96	Brahmanbaria ...	487	812	...	13	...	36	...	1,348	...	671	...	4	675	...	1,503	...	597
	97	Chandpur ...	1,303	608	...	331	24	...	...	2,366	...	2,837	..	49	2,886	2,520	5,490	675	992
		Total ...	2,787	2,727	...	453	24	36	...	6,027	...	5,534	61	71	5,666	2,520	8,240	795	3,651
Noakhali	98	Noakhali ...	777	785	...	220	5	...	...	1,787	...	1,098	...	53	1,151	...	596	...	1,233
		Divisional Total ...	6,644	9,220	373	987	227	36	...	17,587	496	11,325	61	135	12,017	2,12,086	15,221	1,811	6,733
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																			
Rajshahi	99	Rampur Boalia ...	1,604	3,031	...	...	...	...	...	4,635	...	3,111	...	66	3,177	...	1,679	732	3,027
	100	Nator ...	744	1,030	...	313	...	...	...	2,087	...	1,456	...	13	1,469	...	270	...	113
		Total ..	2,348	4,061	...	313	...	...	...	6,722	...	4,567	...	79	4,646	...	1,949	732	3,140
Dinajpur	101	Dinajpur ...	1,712	2,493	...	...	2	...	...	4,207	18	3,031	...	11	3,060	434	47	1,150	446
Jalpaiguri	102	Jalpaiguri ...	1,175	1,459	...	...	...	...	...	2,634	...	2,372	..	171	2,543	228	47	...	613
Rangpur	103	Rangpur ...	1,361	2,186	...	1	20	...	...	3,568	...	3,539	...	...	3,539	...	930	...	4,544
Bogra	104	Bogra ...	1,553	1,321	...	113	...	...	...	2,986	85	2,778	...	4	2,867	...	812	158	1,127
	105	Sherpur ...	538	553	...	...	...	...	...	1,191	...	943	...	7	950	...	122	...	364
		Total ...	2,090	1,874	...	113	...	...	...	4,077	85	3,721	...	11	3,817	...	934	158	1,501
Pabna	106	Pabna ...	826	2,025	...	...	...	...	...	2,851	175	2,433	...	1	2,609	6,392	3,620	...	1,393
	107	Serajganj ...	741	1,361	...	...	...	...	...	2,002	...	1,713	...	11	1,724	...	1,029	...	678
		Total ...	1,567	3,386	...	...	...	...	...	4,853	175	4,146	...	12	4,333	6,392	4,649	...	2,071
Malda	108	English Bazar ...	1,118	927	...	...	...	...	...	2,045	33	1,265	..	48	1,336	...	6	416	2,004
	109	Old Malda ...	369	350	...	...	...	...	..	719	..	330	...	28	358	...	10	6	5
	110	Nawabganj ...	550	780	...	...	...	...	...	1,330	...	595	...	14	609	...	1,361	...	25
		Total ...	2,037	2,057	...	...	...	...	...	4,094	33	2,190	...	90	2,303	...	1,377	422	2,034
Darjeeling	111	Darjeeling ...	17,757	10,398	...	207	2,767	...	...	31,029	4,371	56,360	...	206	60,937	9,387	9,216	689	3,673
	112	Kurseong ...	1,333	1,294	...	34	...	...	...	2,761	...	2,446	...	...	2,446	1,593	3,495	6,921	436
		Total ...	19,090	11,692	...	241	2,767	...	...	33,790	4,371	58,806	...	206	63,383	10,980	12,711	7,760	4,109
		Divisional Total ...	31,380	29,078	...	884	2,789	...	...	63,916	4,672	82,872	...	580	88,124	18,044	22,644	10,222	18,427
GRAND TOTAL			1,81,743	2,14,419	1,489	50,639	7,970	661	...	4,56,921	79,537	3,73,692	61	1,884	4,55,154	5,59,782	4,13,067	1,61,231	1,64,298
GRAND TOTAL FOR 1914-15 ...			1,70,900	1,96,515	892	54,736	7,538	657	...	4,11,238	78,804	3,34,567	...	1,699	4,14,670	4,05,425	3,79,724	6,42,067	1,44,683

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HEALTH AND CONVENIENCE.

Conservancy (including road cleaning and watering) and latrines.	Charges on account of Health Officers and Sanitary Inspectors.	Hospitals and dispensaries.	Plague charges.	Vaccination.	Other sanitary requirements.	Markets and slaughter houses.	Pounds.	Milk Bungalows and Serais.	Arboriculture, public gardens and experimental cultivation.	Veterinary charges.	Registration of births and deaths.	Public Works.				Total.
												Establishment.	Buildings.	Roads.	Sundries.	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
35,513	...	2,650	...	187	119	218	219	...	269	...	345	13,371	303	28,896	83	3,00,450
1,709	...	580	...	60	1,409	277	...	...	...	...	...	430	25	1,572	...	6,421
37,222	...	3,230	...	247	1,528	495	219	...	269	...	345	13,701	328	30,468	83	3,06,861
14,308	...	2,298	...	60	48	72	70	...	...	...	...	892	...	5,580	...	26,358
5,743	261	1,800	...	85	9	...	39	...	10	...	60	335	87	5 426	...	16,045
15,743	660	1,800	...	92	582	...	...	...	...	...	...	504	488	5,994	95	35,335
35,794	921	5,298	...	237	639	72	109	...	10	...	60	1,722	575	17,000	95	77,738
7,640	...	1,800	...	134	169	...	13	...	...	225	...	316	10	1,575	...	13,450
80,656	921	10,028	...	618	2,336	567	340	...	279	225	305	15,759	913	49,043	178	3,98,049
30,047	...	4,208	...	191	...	260	225	...	82	60	...	808	128	9,424	47	40,916
5,979	...	900	...	127	290	...	...	...	346	...	22	474	...	3,596	...	12,117
36,026	...	5,108	...	318	290	260	225	...	428	60	22	1,282	128	13,020	47	53,033
23,517	...	3,583	...	144	148	...	...	...	300	225	...	730	771	11,514	78	43,046
12,753	718	2,520	...	183	...	103	...	...	...	..	...	102	1,146	2,834	228	21,585
18,914	840	5,800	...	359	245	...	71	...	326	...	...	384	186	7,418	50	40,067
13,480	...	1,777	...	144	250	...	...	...	360	36	60	721	221	4,970	...	24,128
3,078	...	1,400	...	65	41	...	...	...	6	...	...	609	17	605	5	6,315
16,558	...	3,177	...	211	291	...	...	...	366	36	60	1,330	238	5,575	5	30,443
10,572	...	3,500	...	120	148	84	12	...	...	...	120	605	544	2,519	42	29,671
7,476	...	3,550	...	187	249	4	...	...	221	...	...	851	4	5,403	26	19,678
18,048	...	7,050	...	307	397	88	12	...	221	...	120	1,456	548	7,922	68	49,349
9,537	...	2,000	...	181	70	135	...	...	...	...	...	516	...	4,299	69	19,223
708	...	480	...	24	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1,443	...	2,694
1,999	...	1,900	...	198	...	...	7	...	...	...	47	147	...	3,319	1	9,004
12,234	...	4,380	...	403	83	135	7	...	...	...	47	663	5	9,061	70	30,921
40,684	..	17,666	...	565	...	7,790	...	...	266	240	60	9,762	15,356	23,136	...	1,38,539
10,483	...	6,674	...	135	531	179	...	...	118	...	60	120	514	973	...	31,232
51,167	...	23,340	...	700	531	7,969	...	...	384	240	120	9,882	15,769	24,109	...	1,69,771
1,79,317	1,858	54,566	...	2,625	1,985	8,558	315	...	2,026	561	369	15,909	18,791	81,463	549	4,88,215
15,59,947	53,209	3,83,068	4,474	19,711	16,337	38,561	2,751	66	6,454	7,245	9,641	1,16 598	58,775	6,86,237	4,641	42,58,484
15,18,264	..	3,49,551	3,963	18,499	...	35,198	4,360	267	6,425	8,183	9,995	1,13,477	80,405	6,44,499	11,488	42,56,515

FORM No. III.—*Statement showing the Expenditure of the Municipalities*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Serial number of Municipality.	Name of Municipality.	PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS.				CONTRIBUTIONS.	MISCELLANEOUS.											
			Schools and colleges.	Contributions.	Libraries, museums, menageries, etc.	Total.	For general purposes.	Interest on loans.		Discount.	Actual cost of works done for private individuals.	Other items (to be specified in detail in as many columns as may be necessary).						Total.	Total.
								Interest due on account of previous year.	Interest due on account of current year.			Printing charges.	Law charges.	Provident Fund.	Miscellaneous.	Burning ghat charges.	Election charges.		
			38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	47(a)	47(b)	47(c)	47(d)	47(e)	48	49
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Chittagong	93	Chittagong ...	13,539	3,915	240	17,694	...	...	2,119	..	524	11	876	909	3,197	...	...	4,993	7,566
	94	Cox's Bazar ...	...	541	24	565	...	...	...	..	...	85	...	...	191	...	...	276	276
		Total ...	13,539	4,456	264	18,259	...	...	2,119	...	524	96	876	909	3,318	...	...	5,199	7,842
Tippera	95	Comilla ...	744	60	12	816	...	...		...	...	100	254	57	166	...	...	577	577
	96	Brahmanbaria...	...	3880	...	650	...	...	...	...	...	151	74	...	649	...	...	874	874
	97	Chandpur ...	...	1,381	...	1,381	...	...	559	...	...	192	398	68	170	...	...	828	1,388
		Total ...	744	2,091	12	2,847	...	...	559	...	...	443	726	125	985	...	...	2,277	2,836
Noakhali...	98	'Noakhali' ...	390	...	50	440	...	...	...	...	...	158	35	42	100	...	...	333	333
		Divisional Total ...	14,673	6,547	326	21,549	...	...	2,678	...	524	695	1,637	1,074	4,403	...	...	7,809	11,011
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																			
Rajshahi	99	Rampur Boalia ...	936	334	120	1,389	...	...	...	...	...	298	1,009	131	406	...	...	1,837	1,837
	100	Nator	180	960	60	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	229	464	47	388	...	...	1,088	1,088
		Total ..	1,115	1,294	185	2,589	...	...	...	...	...	527	1,456	178	794	...	...	2,925	2,925
Dinajpur	101	Dinajpur ...	6,432	662	25	7,119	110	..	...	..	772	391	21	214	569	400	5	1,600	2,372
Jalpaiguri	102	Jalpaiguri ...	1,046	...	..	1,046	...	...	381	..	...	234	48	105	400	...	...	787	1,168
Rangpur ...	103	Rangpur ...	...	1,770	382	2,152	1,480	...	...	...	...	451	125	141	375	119	18	1,229	1,229
Bogra ...	104	Bogra	3,608	867	110	4,485	...	...	...	...	94	321	126	90	411	...	...	948	1,046
	105	Sherpur ...	428	107	..	535	...	...	46	...	...	174	80	29	545	...	...	778	824
		Total ...	3,936	974	110	5,020	...	...	46	...	98	495	156	119	956	...	...	1,726	1,870
Pabna ...	106	Pabna	164	1,398	120	1,682	...	...	...	...	...	555	244	82	677	...	...	1,559	1,559
	107	Sirajganj ...	...	958	...	958	...	...	141	...	...	268	593	77	909	...	...	1,847	1,988
		Total ...	164	2,356	120	2,640	...	...	141	...	...	823	837	160	1,586	...	...	3,406	3,547
Malda ...	108	English Bazar ...	...	480	...	480	...	...	45	...	6	...	...	...	588	...	...	588	639
	109	Old Malda ...	...	435	...	435	...	...	...	...	39	145	...	...	125	...	...	270	309
	110	Nawabganj ...	...	341	...	341	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	42	...	...	42	42
		Total ...	...	1,256	...	1,256	...	..	45	.	45	145	...	...	755	...	...	900	990
Darjeeling	111	Darjeeling ...	2,944	...	100	3,044	1,235	...	32,226	...	8,007	3,452	4,253	1,189	4,187	...	...	13,181	53,414
	112	Kurseong ...	345	885	8	1,238	...	...	943	...	34	146	70	138	471	127	...	952	1,929
		Total ...	3,289	885	108	4,282	1,235	...	33,169	...	8,041	3,598	4,323	1,327	4,658	127	...	14,133	55,343
		Divisional Total ...	15,963	9,197	925	26,104	2,795	...	33,782	...	8,956	6,664	7,066	2,344	10,063	646	23	26,706	69,444
GRAND TOTAL			1,13,963	1,05,391	4,612	21,956	11,454	1,109	1,82,511	...	26,860	44,070	34,969	16,016	88,709	646	23	1 83,706	2,93,886
GRAND TOTAL FOR 1914-15 ...			86,774	1,18,821	3,498	2,08,753	5,389	112	1,71,672	...	40,807	40,801	33,601	14,852	1,53,847	...	...	2,43,101	4,55,692

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Total expenditure.	EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT.									BALANCE.			
	Investments.			Advances.									
	In securities (other than for sinking funds).	In Savings Bank.	Payments to sinking funds.	Repayments of loans.	Permanent.	Other.	Deposits.	Total.	Total disbursements.	Deposits.	Actual balance.	Total.	Grand total.
50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63
Rs.				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
3,39,624	...	...	...	...	...	22,880	2,086	24,966	3,64,590	3,345	50,752	54,097	4,18,687
8,301	...	...	...	...	50	427	...	477	8,778	...	1,858	1,858	10,636
3,47,925	...	..	...	...	50	23,307	2,086	25,443	3,73,368	3,345	52 610	55 955	4,29,323
32,269	...	...	...	...	...	1,331	1,575	2,906	35,175	622	2,700	3,322	38,498
19,592	...	...	...	...	...	915	...	915	20,507	...	4,583	4,583	25,090
43,253	...	...	..	545	50	5,895	1,317	7,807	51,060	...	23,199	23,199	74,259
95,114	...	...	...	545	50	8,141	2,892	11,628	1,06,742	622	30,482	31,105	1,37,847
17,141	...	...	...	...	30	275	701	1,026	18,167	2,275	1,196	3,471	21,638
4,60,180	...	...	...	545	150	31,723	5,679	38,097	4,98,277	6,242	84,286	90,531	5,88,808
51,954	...	...	...	...	...	3,900	...	3,900	54,854	...	1,796	1,796	56,650
17,981	...	...	...	...	...	692	28	720	18,681	...	16,444	16,444	37,125
69,915	...	...	...	...	...	3,592	28	3,620	73,535	...	20,240	20,240	93,775
60,414	...	...	...	...	...	4,399	886	5,285	65,699	1,468	7,711	9,179	74,878
28,976	...	...	...	790	...	300	843	1,433	30,409	1 324	18,317	19,641	50,050
51,975	...	...	...	...	25	275	1,602	1,902	53 877	229	2,328	2.557	56 434
35,412	...	...	...	...	...	193	140	333	35,745	4,449	5,056	9,505	45,250
9,815	...	...	...	447	...	130	1	678	10,393	...	1,505	1.505	11,898
45,227	...	...	...	447	...	323	141	911	46,138	4,449	6,561	11,010	57,148
38,372	...	...	...	...	...	967	155	1,122	39,494	...	1,839	1,839	41,333
26,350	...	...	...	225	...	315	2,806	3 346	29,696	147	957	1,104	30,800
64,722	...	...	...	225	...	1,282	2,961	4,468	69,190	147	2,796	2.943	72,133
23,723	...	...	...	261	...	1,597	...	1,860	25,583	...	4,139	4,139	29,722
4,515	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,515	...	2,334	2,334	6,849
11,326	...	...	...	...	...	699	195	894	12,220	1,585	12,085	14 670	26,890
39,564	...	...	...	261	...	2,296	195	2,754	42,318	1,585	19,559	21,143	63,461
2,88,198	...	...	...	44,429	...	20,154	7,721	72,304	3,60,502	4,573	98,210	1 02,783	4,63,285
39,608	...	...	...	1,044	...	8,017	3,739	11,790	51,398	...	9,563	9.563	60,959
3,27,804	...	...	...	45,473	...	28,171	13,460	84,094	4,11,396	4,573	1,07,773	1,12,346	5,24,744
6,88,897	...	...	...	47,198	25	37,638	19,606	1,04,467	7,93,064	13,775	1,85,284	1,99,059	9,92,123
87,97,859	900	1,69,414	1,100	2,36,129	1,730	2,44,322	1,83,673	8,37,777	66,35,636	1,99,998	14,59,014	16,59,012	82,94,648
87,52,757	4,713	7,29,915	1,100	2,13,456	1,510	2,66,631	2,48,662	14,65,976	72,18,133	1,61,886	19,85,823	21,46,709	93,64,841

RESOLUTION REVIEWING THE REPORTS ON THE WORKING OF DISTRICT BOARDS IN BENGAL DURING 1915-16.

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The Reports from the Commissioners of Divisions on the Working of District Boards in Bengal during the year 1915-16.

District Boards.—The number of meetings fell from 400 to 367. The meetings of the District Board of Khulna were suspended from April to August 1915, owing to an injunction issued by the Civil Court in connection with an election dispute. In Mymensingh three meetings failed for want of a quorum.

2. **Local Boards.**—There was no change in the number of Local Boards. The five Local Boards in the Mymensingh district were reconstituted, the result being to increase the number of members from 64 to 71. Altogether 951 meetings were held, of which 35 failed for want of a quorum, as against 54 during the preceding year. Fourteen Local Boards failed to meet once a month.

3. **Elections.**—General elections of District Board members were held in Birbhum, Jessore, Mymensingh, Tippera, Noakhali, Rajshahi, Rangpur and Pabna. The Local Board of Chandpur failed to elect two members for the District Board of Tippera within the prescribed time, and they consequently had to be appointed by the Commissioner. Elections also failed owing to the non-attendance of the required number of voters in two thanas in Birbhum, and in the same number of thanas in Pabna, but elsewhere proved successful. There is a noticeable increase of keenness to serve on Local Boards, because members have been given the privilege of voting for the Provincial Legislative Council, and only one Local Board election proved a failure.

4. **Powers of District and Local Boards.**—There was no change in the powers of District and Local Boards under the law or statutory rules. The Local Boards act as agents of the District Board and have restricted powers entirely different from those originally proposed by the Government of Bengal before the enactment of the Local Self-Government Act and those now suggested for Circle Boards by the District Administration Committee. They are hampered by the absence of adequate powers to manage local affairs, and the restriction of their authority does not conduce to vitality and growth in local self-government. They merely administer such funds as may be placed at their disposal by the District Boards for roads of minor importance, village sanitation and water-supply and are in charge of pounds and ferries. During the year under review the Local Boards in the Presidency Division were entrusted with the distribution of Government grants for primary education; and in Pabna the management of dâk and inspection bungalows and the maintenance of some District Board roads were made over to the Local Boards.

5. **Union Committees—(*a*) Constitution.**—The number of Union Committees was only 66 in 1913-14 and 76 in 1914-15, but 84 were established or sanctioned in the year under review, thus more than doubling their number. Many were sanctioned too late in the year to come into active existence before its close; and the actual number dealt with in the divisional reports is 90, of which 73 were in West Bengal and 17 in East Bengal, as against 65 and 11, respectively, during the previous year. All the new Union Committees are conterminous with one or more chaukidari unions and

their area averages 10 square miles. Sanction was given to the introduction of the elective system in 53 new Unions. With a few exceptions, such as the Union Committee of Chuadanga, which failed to meet at all, and that of Laksam, which met only once, there was an adequate number of meetings.

(*b*) **Income.**—The total income of Union Committees (excluding the opening balances) increased from Rs. 98,672 to Rs. 1,11,968, the total expenditure from Rs. 90,970 to Rs. 1,07,711 and the closing balances from Rs. 28,056 to Rs. 32,313. The bulk of their income consisted of contributions from the District Board, but there was an increase of Rs. 2,358 in receipts from pounds and of Rs. 5,912 from taxation. The Union Committees in Nadia suffered from the unwillingness of the District Board to make adequate grants, the contribution to each being less than one-fourth of what other Boards in the Division give to Union Committees. The number of Committees which have introduced self-taxation rose from 25 to 36, and the percentage of income derived from this source to the total income increased from 18·6 to 21·5. Rs. 15,184, or more than half the total receipts from taxation, was raised in the Burdwan Division, Rs. 10,021 being accounted for by the three Committees of Bolpur, Dubrajpur and Rampur Hât in Birbhum. Only two of 23 Committees in Hooghly, Murshidabad and Jessore have so far not resorted to self-taxation.

(*c*) **Balances.**—Fourteen Unions disposed of the whole of their funds. The Rampur Hât Union spent over Rs. 6,000 out of Rs. 7,838, the Dubrajpur Union over Rs. 4,000, three Unions over Rs. 3,000 each and three other Unions over Rs. 2,000 each. The Unions of the 24-Parganas did much to justify the large contributions made to them by the Board, their expenditure being almost equal to these grants. On the other hand, the Unions in Burdwan, Midnapore, Murshidabad and Noakhali retained closing balances approximating to half the total expenditure. Excluding Unions which were established too late in the year to come into active operation, only seven Unions, as against ten last year, retained a closing balance in excess of expenditure. Some Union Committees continue to meet often and discuss much, but spend little: the Union Committee of Mirzapur in Murshidabad, for instance, met fourteen times, but spent less than half its income.

(*d*) **Expenditure.**—Expenditure on water-supply was almost doubled, while expenditure on roads and sanitation, as in the previous year, approximated to one-half and one-third, respectively, of the total expenditure. The Union Committees of Dubrajpur and Bolpur in Birbhum and of Pandua in Hooghly are reported to have taken a practical interest in local sanitation, water-supply and village conservancy. The Dubrajpur Union continued to deal effectively with encroachment on village roads and the Bagerhat Union in Khulna carried out a scheme for the drainage of the bazar. The Narail Union in Jessore is accumulating funds for the drainage of the town of Narail. Conservancy work is carried on by the Unions of Feni in Noakhali and Akkhaura in Tippera. A scheme of taxation for sanitary improvements has been sanctioned for the Union last named, and a conservancy system is to be introduced in the Lakhipur Union in Tippera. Expenditure on dispensaries was confined to the Union of Rampur Hât and to several Unions in the 24-Parganas. All the Union Committees in the district of Jessore received allotments from the Imperial grants for primary education, but no other Committee except the Committee of Aurangabad in Murshidabad spent anything on education.

(*e*) **General remarks.**—The reports give varied accounts of the utility of Union Committees. Some are efficient and successful, others do little good. In some districts they show great reluctance to impose local self-taxation for the supply of sanitary needs, and even those which have power to do so find excuses for not exercising their power. The following remarks of the District Magistrate of Murshidabad on the subject are of special interest as illustrating the present attitude of Union Committees and as showing that the prospects are encouraging:—"Local taxation is of course unpopular, but at the same time experience has shown that when the villagers see improvements effected as the result of taxation raised and spent locally, their objections die away and taxation is tolerated if not welcomed. If Union Committees are given

a fairly free hand, are not harassed with intricate account rules, returns and all the accompaniments of an up-to-date administration, but are gently guided and advised and helped to surmount difficulties, there is every justification for hoping that in time they will take more and more interest in their work, exercise their powers more widely and more fearlessly, and in time become very valuable units in the administration."

6. **Financial Results.**—The stability of the income of District Boards and a further increase of spending power are noticeable features of the year's working. The opening balance, including deposits to the credit of the Boards, was Rs. 43,30,158, and the closing balance was Rs. 33,49,533. The total receipts (excluding opening balance) increased from Rs. 1,00,47,964 to Rs. 1,06,91,743, and the total expenditure chargeable to income from Rs. 97,28,951 to Rs. 1,04,72,066. The receipts and expenditure for the last two years under the main heads are shown below :—

RECEIPTS.					EXPENDITURE.				
Heads.	1914-15.		1915-16.		Heads.	1914-15.		1915-16.	
	Income.	Percentage of total income.	Income.	Percentage of total income.		Expenditure.	Percentage of total expenditure.	Expenditure.	Percentage of total expenditure.
	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
Land Revenue ...	883	·003	788	·006	Refunds and Drawbacks	1,978	·02	35,578	·3
Provincial Rates ...	58,88,305	58·6	63,42,833	59·3	Land Revenue ...	27	.0002	27	·0002
Interest	18,455	·18	35,203	·32	Administration ...	2,49,434	2·3	2,70,913	2·5
Law and Justice ...	4,184	·04	2,103	·01	Local Rates	18	...	...	...
Police	3,69,408	3·7	3,63,745	3·4	Law and Justice ...	3,180	·03	3,769	·03
Education	12,58,939	12·5	10,02,881	9·4	Police	22,104	·2	22,743	·19
Medical	89,580	·89	98,406	·92	Ports and Pilotage	6,785	·06	9,704	·08
Minor Departments ...	8,801	·09	5,851	·05	Education	24,95,478	23·03	24,30,129	27·3
Stationery	412	·004	367	·003	Medical	6,92,357	6·4	8,04,026	6·8
Miscellaneous ...	1,75,086	1·7	5,41,625	5·06	Minor Departments	82,819	·8	1,00,367	·86
Railways	69,651	·7	73,655	·6	Superannuation ...	53,045	·49	60,894	·58
Irrigation	26,764	·3	8,000	·07	Stationery	31,706	·29	32,019	·27
Civil Works	12,74,162	12·7	12,41,704	11·6	Miscellaneous ...	24,425	·23	33,886	·28
Loans	...	...	25,000	·2	Famine Relief ...	387	·003	2,94,148	2·6
Deposits, etc.	8,63,843	8·6	9,42,492	8·8	Railways	3,400	·03	...	...
					Minor Works ...	14,629	·13	1,252	·01
					Civil Works ...	60,38,991	57·7	63,71,107	54·5
					Interests, etc. ...	8,208	·08	11,281	·09
					Repayment of Loans	19,728	·18	16,653	·14
					Deposits	10,88,850	10·05	11,83,650	10·14
Total ...	1,00,47,964	...	1,06,91,743	...	Total ...	1,05,37,529	...	1,16,72,369	...

7. **Provincial Rates (Rs. 63,42,833).**—An increase of Rs. 4,54,528 is returned under this head, the net receipts in the Presidency, Rajshahi and Dacca Divisions having risen by 1·3 lakh, 1·5 lakh and 1·7 lakh respectively, owing to revaluation and collection of arrears. The local distress which occurred in some districts had a very slight effect on the receipts, the decrease in Bankura, for instance, being only Rs. 12,716 on a total of over one lakh. The general position of the Boards, as shown by these figures, is one of prosperity and expanding resources.

8. **Receipts under the Cattle-Trespass Act (Rs. 3,50,407).**—There was a decrease of Rs. 8,903 following on a decrease of Rs. 6,072 in 1914-15. The reduction of receipts is attributed in the Tippera district to local scarcity and in the Dacca district to absence of competition among the pound-keepers, who belong to the cultivating classes, and who had experienced a bad season in 1914-15 owing to the fall in the price of jute. It is disappointing to find that some Local Boards are failing to make the most of their management of pounds. The Contai Local Board realised only 19 per cent. of its demand and there were large arrears of unrealized rents in some districts, *e.g.*, Rs. 10,273 in Faridpur and Rs. 5,628 in Bakarganj, where the Bhola Local Board was responsible for arrear collections amounting to Rs. 4,586.

9. **Education (Rs. 10,02,881).**—A reduction of the receipts by Rs. 2,56,048 is due to a decrease in Government grants and is common to all districts.

10. **Medical (Rs. 98,406).**—Private contributions decreased from Rs. 49,800 to Rs. 43,321 and Government contributions increased from Rs. 31,782 to Rs. 45,926, the net result being an increase of Rs. 8,826. A grant of Rs. 25,000 was given by Government to the Birbhum District Board for

anti-malarial work, and the Bakarganj District Board received a grant of Rs. 3,500 towards the cost of free vaccination in the Sadar subdivision. Babu Durga Das Basu made a gift to the District Board of the 24-Parganas of a building for use as a Charitable Dispensary with a promise to meet the cost of furnishing it. Six gifts are mentioned of sums of Rs. 3,000 and Rs. 2,000 for the construction of dispensary buildings in the 24-Parganas, Khulna and Tippera.

11. **Railways (Rs. 73,655).**—The income derived by the District Boards of Hooghly, Howrah and the 24-Parganas from their share in the profits of light railways rose by Rs. 4,004. The increase was confined to the two latter Boards, and is due to the profits from the Howrah-Amta and Barasat-Basirhat light railways.

12. **Ferries (Rs. 4,31,177).**—The receipts from ferries were practically the same as last year and show no signs of having been affected by the local scarcity which occurred in some districts; they were stationary in Bankura and increased by over Rs. 2,000 in Tippera. Want of business-like methods in giving out leases appears to have been responsible for losses in two cases. The District Board of Khulna was compelled to write off a large amount of arrears as irrecoverable through neglect to take agreements from the lessees, and the District Board of Pabna failed to realise dues amounting to Rs. 2,000 from an up-countryman who took a lease at a high rent in the name of another man.

13. **Grants from Government (Rs. 20,22,459).**—Notwithstanding financial stringency, there was an increase of Rs. 44,143 as the result of special grants made by Government to enable the District Boards of Tippera and Bankura to carry on relief works. The former received a grant of Rs. 85,000 and the latter Rs. 3,09,982. The grant of special subventions was facilitated by the fact that a sum of Rs. 1,35,212, on account of undistributed arrears of the annual augmentation grant, became available during the year. This windfall was distributed, in accordance with the most urgent needs, among the District Boards of Bankura (Rs. 82,666), Tippera (Rs. 27,546) and Birbhum (Rs. 25,000). These subventions were entirely adventitious, and it is not the intention of Government to deviate ordinarily from the principle of rateable distribution of the augmentation grant.

14. **Loans (Rs. 25,000).**—A sum of Rs. 25,000 was received by the Burdwan District Board as the first instalment of a loan of Rs. 50,000 granted by Government for the improvement of roads in the Asansol subdivision.

15. **Expenditure—Utilization of the Public Works Cess.**—Three years have elapsed since the resources of the District Boards were augmented by approximately 30 lakhs owing to the transfer of the Public Works Cess, and it is now possible to review the manner in which they have exercised their discretion in its expenditure. Orders were not issued definitely hypothecating the whole or any part of the Public Works Cess to particular objects; but the District Boards were informed in February 1914 of the desirability of devoting a substantial portion for sanitation, the improvement of the water-supply and anti-malarial measures; while in September 1915, they were advised to utilize large sums for the excavation of tanks in rural areas. The following comparative table shows the average income and expenditure under different heads during the three years preceding and immediately following the surrender of the cess as well as during the year under review :—

INCOME.				EXPENDITURE.			
Head.	Average, 1910-13.	Average, 1913-16.	1915-16.	Head.	Average, 1910-13.	Average, 1913-16.	1915-16.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Provincial Rates	29,18,81[illegible]	60,26 274	63,42,833	Administration	2,08,389	2,30,601	2,70,913
Education	5,41,667	12,81,404	10,02,881	Education	14,77,232	23,58,070	24,20,129
Medical	65,144	89,066	98,406	Medical	3,64,003	6,76,123	8,04,026
Civil Works	13,94,612	12,46,612	13,41,704	Civil Works	35,88,5[illegible]	56,91,913	63,71,107

It will be seen that during the latter triennium the average annual expenditure on education increased by nearly 9 lakhs, on medical relief

(including special anti-malarial measures) by over 3 lakhs and on civil works (including water-supply and drainage, which frequently is of a sanitary nature) by a little over 21 lakhs. In the case of education it is difficult to say how far the increase is due to appropriation from the public works cess, as the District Boards had large Imperial grants, which they were unable to spend in full in previous years, and the balance of which they have gradually drawn upon.

The average annual amount spent on water-supply during the three years preceding the transfer of the cess was Rs. 2,50,933, and in the last two years has been Rs. 5,84,565, representing an increase of 3½ lakhs a year. During the year under review all but three Boards spent on water-supply at least double the average annual amount spent in the three years ending in 1913. The District Boards of Chittagong and Tipara have increased their expenditure by over 1,000 per cent., the District Board of Bogra by over 900 per cent., the District Boards of Noakhali and Burdwan by over 600 per cent., and the District Board of Rangpur by over 500 per cent., while seven other Boards have more than trebled their expenditure. On the other hand, the expenditure of the District Board of Hooghly exceeded the average expenditure for the three years previous to the transfer of the public works cess by less than one per cent.; the District Board of Mymensingh spent less than in any of those three years; and the District Board of Bakarganj spent only Rs. 8,941 in 1915-16 and Rs. 23,187 in 1914-15, as against an annual average of Rs. 59,800 during the former period. Moreover, a considerable increase in expenditure on water-supply does not always imply that it amounts to an adequate proportion of the public works cess. The expenditure, for instance, of the District Board of Midnapore, which has increased by 175 per cent., amounted in the year under review to only 6 per cent. of the receipts from the public works cess, while that of the District Boards of Dinajpur and Jalpaiguri, though it has been respectively doubled and trebled, represents only 9·7 and 10·6 per cent. of their receipts from the public works cess.

Taking the figures for the Province as a whole, 23·3 per cent. of the public works cess was spent on water-supply, during the year under review, and the Governor in Council recognizes that there has been a considerable advance in providing good drinking water in rural areas. Fuller use should however, in his opinion, be made of the large resources now at the disposal of District Boards. It may sometimes be difficult to spend large amounts with advantage because programmes and detailed schemes may not have been prepared and the necessary organization is not ready; but these difficulties should not exist in districts where a water survey has been carried out, and Commissioners of Divisions will be directed to scrutinize the budget estimates carefully and satisfy themselves that adequate provision has been made for expenditure on water-supply.

16. **Administration (Rs. 2,70,912)**.—Expenditure on administration increased by Rs. 21,478 owing to revision of the scale of pay of establishment, periodical increments of salary, grain compensation allowances, and the larger amounts paid as travelling allowance to members of District and Local Boards for attending meetings. No District Board appears to have found it possible to economise when effecting a revision of establishment, and there has consequently been a further increase of recurring charges. The percentage of expenditure on administration to the total expenditure chargeable to current income varied from 1·1 in Chittagong to 3·7 in Jessore, as against a minimum of 1·6 and maximum of 3·6 per cent. last year.

17. **Education (Rs. 24,20,129)**.—The total sum spent on primary schools was Rs. 18,27,750, or double the allotments made for this purpose from Imperial grants. It is not clear from the returns how the balance of educational expenditure, amounting approximately to six lakhs, was distributed. The maintenance of middle schools cost Rs. 88,006, and of training and special schools Rs. 60,100, inspection Rs. 48,000, and scholarships Rs. 40,700; while miscellaneous charges amounted to Rs. 1,35,000. The balance of about two lakhs appears to have been spent largely in grants-in-aid to middle English schools. The Governor in Council considers it necessary to re-affirm the established principle that until full provision has been made for primary

education in a district, no part of the district fund should be diverted to the support of education of a higher kind, since this is beyond the needs of the majority of the tax-payers and may well be paid for by those who desire it and can afford it.

The total number of upper and lower primary schools maintained and aided by District Boards was 32,194. Of these 29,377 were aided and 2,817 were maintained by the Boards, 25,706 being boys' schools and 6,488 girls' schools. Middle vernacular schools continue to lose popularity compared with middle English schools. There was sustained progress in the education of Muhammadans except in the Chittagong Division. The District Boards of Burdwan and Midnapore allowed *maktabs* 50 per cent. in excess of the grants made to ordinary primary schools. A rapid increase is reported from all Divisions in the number of girls attending primary schools aided or maintained by the Boards.

18. **Special and Technical Schools.**—In the resolution recorded last year it was remarked that the technical schools under the District Boards of Bengal had not been altogether a success. No progress can be detected during the year under review except that a weaving school was established at Pabna and the Burdwan technical school, which seemed hardly likely to survive, obtained affiliation to the Sub-Overseer standard for a further five years. The want of a genuine wi lespread demand for technical education in the interior of the Presidency is illustrated by the artizan class of the school last mentioned, which attracted only three students each enjoying a scholarship. The results were little better in the artizan class of the Rajshahi industrial school, which has been in existence for several years : there were only eight boys in the class, of whom all but two had scholarships. The latter school, which had proposed to close the Sub-Overseer class, gave it another trial as the number of students was on the increase. The result was that seven out of 11 students were sent up for the examination and only two passed. The Elliott Artizan School under the management of the District Board of Tippera passed eight out of 14 students at the Sub-Overseer examination at the disproportionate cost of Rs. 11,253.

The District Boards are taking advantage of the power recently given them to grant special and technical scholarships outside the district. The District Boards of the Presidency Division alone gave 28 scholarships tenable at a wide range of institutions, such as the Veterinary College at Belgachia, the Engineering College at Sibpur, the School of Art at Calcutta, the Weaving Institute at Serampore, the Blind School and the Deaf and Dumb School at Calcutta. Similar scholarships were granted by other District Boards.

19. **Medical (Rs. 8,04,026).**—The Governor in Council is pleased to observe that District Boards realize their duties in providing medical relief and that their expenditure on this account increased by over a lakh, mainly in West Bengal. The number of dispensaries maintained by them rose from 160 to 182, while the number aided by them (213) was the same as in the previous year. In this as well as in the preceding year useful work was done in the Rajshahi district by deputing a peripatetic doctor during the fever season to treat the crowds of villagers who attended settlement camps in an area where no medical facilities were available. The experiment proved a success owing to the doctor working under the supervision of an Assistant Settlement Officer and receiving assistance from the Settlement Department. The Governor in Council invites the attention of District Boards in which settlement is in progress to the results of this interesting experiment. In some districts of Eastern Bengal *hât* or village market dispensaries were maintained, the doctors visiting neighbouring *hâts* and giving medical aid to the people attending them.

The Birbhum District Board made a special effort to cope with an epidemic of malarial fever with the help of a Government grant of Rs. 25,000, and opened twelve dispensaries, each in charge of a Sub-Assistant Surgeon. An experiment was made with free vaccination in the Sadar subdivision of Bakarganj at the joint expense of Government and the District Board, and over 60,000 persons were vaccinated in five months at a total cost of Rs. 4,324. In the 24-Parganas also the District Board appointed a special

staff to carry on free vaccination with satisfactory results. The Bankura District Board employed 24 paid vaccinators to work free of charge among patients suffering from small-pox, which broke out in epidemic form in some areas suffering from scarcity. Supernumerary and temporary doctors were as usual entertained by District Boards to deal with outbreaks of epidemic diseases. Contributions were made to the Pasteur Institute both at Kasauli and Shillong. The District Board of Bakarganj has sensibly decided to transfer its contribution from the Pasteur Institute at Kasauli to that at Shillong, as recourse will naturally be had to the latter institution on its completion.

20. **Sanitation (Rs. 1,63,982).**—The returns show an increased outlay amounting to Rs. 44,098 on sanitation, but the increase is more apparent than real, as the total includes an additional expenditure of Rs. 30,000 by the Burdwan District Board on water-supply. Expenditure under this head covers a quantity of miscellaneous sanitary work of a minor character, mostly carried out by Local Boards or Union Committees, such as jungle-clearing, cleaning of tanks, filling up of ditches, construction of small drains and sanitary arrangements at *melas* and fairs. The funds of District Boards, which have to provide for the expanding needs of roads, water-supply, hospitals, veterinary relief, etc., are generally insufficient for large sanitary schemes, while they have no adequate organization for sanitary work of any importance. Even so, it is difficult to understand the apathy of a District Board like that of Jessore, which gave special attention to roads and primary schools, but, in spite of the notorious unhealthiness of the district, almost neglected sanitation.

Not much progress has been made in the appointment of Sanitary Inspectors, and the functions of this officer are still somewhat ill-defined. The majority were engaged in inspecting the sanitary condition of villages and advising on their sanitary improvement. The Chairman of the Burdwan District Board reports that the utility of the Sanitary Inspector is very doubtful, as no one listens to his instructions; and it is to be feared that this criticism holds good of Sanitary Inspectors elsewhere, the District Board not having legal powers, such as are enjoyed by municipalities, to enforce sanitary measures. On the other hand the Sanitary Inspectors are reported to have worked well in the Rajshahi Division. In Jessore useful work was done during epidemics and at *melas*. In Mymensingh the Inspector visited village markets and bazars, and several prosecutions of vendors of unhealthy and adulterated food resulted. The District Board of Dinajpur employed an Inspector for each of the three subdivisions. In Midnapore two out of four Sanitary Inspectors were solely engaged in the treatment of cholera, while a third was placed in charge of a dispensary and a fourth resigned: no appointments were made in the place of the latter two officers.

21. **Veterinary Charges (Rs. 70,401.)**—The strengthening of the veterinary staff by several Boards, and the expansion of veterinary work, resulted in an increased expenditure of Rs. 15,335. Several Boards have now worked up to the standard of maintaining one veterinary assistant for each subdivision, and in some districts, for instance Mymensingh and Rangpur, it has been exceeded. A veterinary dispensary was constructed by the Bakarganj District Board at a cost of over Rs. 20,000. In Jessore, though the income from pounds is the second largest in the Presidency Division, the expenditure on veterinary aid was considerably less than in any of the other districts of the Division.

22. **Civil Works (Rs. 63,71,107).**—The total expenditure under this head, which includes the sums spent on water-supply and drainage, increased by Rs. 3,32,116. Expenditure on buildings hardly varied, but the outlay on communications rose by approximately 3 lakhs viz., "Original works" from Rs. 20,38,005 to Rs. 21,24,577 and "Repairs" from Rs. 23,58,006 to Rs. 25,76,474. The proportion of expenditure on communications in each Division did not differ materially from that of the previous year. There was an increase of Rs. 1,97,508 in expenditure on original works of communication by the District Board of the 24-Parganas. The mileage of metalled, unmetalled and village roads in charge of the District Boards at the end of

the year was 1,947, 13,405 and 15,768, respectively, showing an increase of 67, 181 and 702 miles.

The percentage of lapses to allotments, which decreased during the previous year from 19·94 to 13·4, fell during the year under review to 7·6. The rapid reduction of this percentage appears to be the result of the increase of spending capacity on the part of District Boards which has been effected by an adjustment of their working arrangements to the recent increase in their income. The District Boards of Midnapore and Nadia allowed 30 per cent. and 20 per cent., respectively, of their allotments to lapse, and six other Boards had lapses of over 10 per cent. Four Boards spent the whole of their allotments. Expenditure by the District Board of Tippera exceeded allotments by 4·4 per cent. as the result of heavy expenditure on repairs which had been necessitated by damage from floods.

23. **Water-supply (Rs. 5,72,551).**—The returns show a decrease of Rs. 24,029 under this head, the net result of a decrease of Rs. 50,151 on original works, and an increase of Rs. 26,122 on repairs. On the other hand, Rs. 1,02,052 were spent in Bankura on the construction of tanks and reservoirs (*bandhs*), which were debited to Famine Relief, while, as stated above, an additional outlay of Rs. 30,000 in water-supply in Burdwan was entered under the head Sanitation. Including these sums, the expenditure on water-supply amounted to 7 lakhs. Excluding the expenditure in Bankura, however, which was incurred out of a special grant given by Government, the total ordinary expenditure must be regarded as having been practically stationary as compared with the previous year. In view of the fact that in September 1915 Government impressed on all District Boards the desirability of spending large sums of money from the Public Works Cess on the excavation of tanks in rural areas, this result must be regarded as disappointing.

There was an increase of expenditure amounting to 1¾ lakh in 1913-14 and 2¼ lakhs in 1914-15, but in this year, in spite of the instructions above referred to, a decrease is recorded in every Division except the Presidency Division, and no district, except Bankura, did much more for water-supply than during the previous year, while several did less. The decrease was Rs. 14,246 in Bakarganj, Rs. 19,221 in Dacca, over Rs. 10,000 in Midnapore, and over Rs. 5,000 in Bogra, Jessore and Howrah. The District Board of Bakarganj was able to begin only two new tanks during the year, and the explanation given of the reduced expenditure, viz., that it was difficult to procure free grants of sites, does not account for a falling off in charges for repairs from Rs. 6,455 to Rs. 383. The difficulties reported elsewhere were in Midnapore and Pabna the failure of local contributions, in Murshidabad the reluctance of proprietors, who are neither willing nor able to re-excavate tanks themselves, to make them over as reserved tanks after re-excavation by the Boards, although proprietary and fishing rights are secured to them. In Noakhali, on the other hand, where the public are ready to make over their tanks to be reserved by the Board, funds are said not to permit of any but selected tanks being taken up each year. The Governor in Council has under consideration the terms of the agreements which should be taken by Boards for the excavation of private tanks. A water survey was completed in Faridpur, and slow progress was made by the District Board of Jessore in completing water-supply registers and maps. The District Board of Mymensingh has in contemplation a scheme for showing the sources and nature of the water-supply in each village by colours and symbols on the 16″ Settlement maps.

24. **Drainage (Rs. 42,289).**—These charges represent petty drainage works similar to many of the works accounted for under the head of Sanitation. One-third of the total expenditure was incurred by the District Board of Bakarganj on the drainage of the Salta Bil, which was taken up at a total estimated cost of Rs. 41,861.

25. **Arboriculture (Rs. 33,658).**—Roadside tree-planting is being carried out on a systematic scale by the District Boards of Bankura and Hooghly. The Jessore District Board initiated the experiment of having roadsides planted under a contract system of payment of Rs. 20 for each tree planted and thriving after three years. The District Boards of Dacca and Bakarganj again spent nothing under this head, and the expenditure in several other

districts was small. The Governor in Council desires to impress on the District Boards the desirability of making adequate provision for roadside avenues and steadily working up to systematic programmes.

26. **Railways.**—In the 24-Parganas the construction of the Kalighat-Falta Railway was taken up during the year by Messrs. McLeod and Co. The Barasat-Basirhat Railway Company obtained sanction for a branch line, about 4 miles long, from the Kholapota or Arbelia station to Baduria. Sanction was also obtained by Messrs. McLeod and Co. for the survey of a line from Magrahat to Jainagar and from Jainagar to Kulpi and Khari in the same district. In Jessore the management of the Jessore-Jhenida Railway, which had been working at a loss, was taken over by Messrs. McLeod and Co., and a dispute as to payment by the Board of the guarantee and subsidy to the Railway Company for the previous period has been referred to arbitration. In the Burdwan Division the Burdwan-Katwa Light Railway has been completed and is open for traffic, and the Ahmadpur-Katwa Light Railway and Bankura-Damodar River Light Railway are under construction. In Bakarganj proposals for a railway from Bhola to Lalmohun fell through, mainly because the Board considered it to be too risky to give a guarantee of Rs. 66,000 per annum demanded by Messrs. Martin and Co.

27. **Famine Relief (Rs. 2,94,148).**—During the year 1915 there was a general scarcity in Bankura, and local scarcity in parts of Mymensingh and Tippera. Expenditure on famine relief by the District Board of Bankura amounted to Rs. 2,58,885, of which Rs. 67,851 was on account of gratuitous relief and Rs. 1,90,231 on account of test and relief works. Test works were opened in this district at the end of August 1915 and village doles were distributed by the end of October. The operations were continued through the agency of the District Board till the end of the financial year. A large number of *bandhs* or reservoirs have been constructed, which will irrigate a large tract and will, it is hoped, prove effectual in preventing the recurrence of famine conditions.

28. **Closing Balances (Rs. 33,49,532).**—The actual closing balance decreased by over 9 lakhs, viz., from Rs. 31,17,843 to Rs. 21,88,169. The District Board of the 24-Parganas still retains the largest closing balance (Rs. 2,85,000), after deducting 2 lakhs which represent Government grants given for a drainage project which it has not yet been possible to institute. Something however has been done by the Board to reduce its balance, while the District Boards of Burdwan, Midnapore and Mymensingh have reduced closing balances of over three lakhs to Rs. 2,58,600, Rs. 2,58,900 and Rs. 2,14,200, respectively. There is no other District Board with a closing balance of over one lakh. The large balances still retained by the Boards above mentioned and by others, such as Hooghly, Murshidabad, Chittagong, Dacca, Jalpaiguri and Pabna, are not adequately explained.

29. The services of the following gentlemen have been mentioned as of special value to the districts in which they held office, and the Governor in Council desires to thank them and all others who, as members of District Boards, Local Boards and Union Committees, have co-operated during the year in the work of local self-government and in promoting the welfare of their districts :—

VICE-CHAIRMEN OF DISTRICT BOARDS.

Burdwan.

Babu Banwari Lal Hati, Burdwan.
Lala Mritunjoy Lal, Birbhum.
Babu Bama Charan Ray, Bankura.
„ Shital Prosad Ghose, Midnapore.
„ Kshirode Krishna Biswas, Hooghly.
„ Ashutosh Bose, Howrah.

Presidency.

Rai Biswambhar Ray Bahadur, Nadia.
Babu Kulada Prasad Ray, Murshidabad.
„ Bijay Krishna Mitter, Jessore.
Rai Amrita Lal Raha Bahadur, Khulna.

Dacca.

Babu Sarat Chandra Chakrabarti, Dacca.
Khan Bahadur Maulvi Mahammad Ismail, Mymensingh.
Babu Purna Chandra Maitra, Faridpur.
Khan Bahadur Hemayetuddin Ahmed, Bakarganj.

Chittagong.

Rai Prasanna Kumar Roy Bahadur, Chittagong.
Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Jabbar, Tippera.
„ Abdul Raschid Khan, Noakhali.

Rajshahi.

Maulvi Emaduddin Ahmed, Rajshahi.
Babu Jogendra Chandra Chakravarti, Dinajpur.
Rai Kalipada Banerjee Bahadur, Jalpaiguri.
„ Mritunjoy Roy Bahadur, Rangpur.
Babu Jogesh Chandra Roy Chaudhury, Rangpur.
Khan Bahadur Maulvi Wasim Uddin, Pabna.
„ Saheb Maulvi Kader Baksh, Malda.

DISTRICT ENGINEERS.

Babu Suresh Chandra Chatterjee, Bankura.
Mr. S. N. Ghose, Hooghly.
Babu J. N. Ganguli, Howrah.
Mr. H. O'Brien, Bakarganj

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORM NO. I(a).

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Serial No.	NAME OF BOARD.	Act under which constituted.	Area in square miles.	Population within the area.	PARTICULARS ABOUT CHAIRMAN.				NUMBER OF MEMBERS.								Total number of meetings held including those specified in columns 19 and 20.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which proved abortive for want of a quorum.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which were adjourned.	Average percentage of officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of non-officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of all members present at each meeting.
					Elected non-official.	Elected official.	Nominated non-official.	Nominated official.	Ex-officio.	Nominated.	Elected.	Total.	Officials.	Non-officials.	Europeans.	Indians.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
BURDWAN DIVISION.																						
1	Burdwan	Act III (B. C.) of 1885.	2,669	1,444,185	...	...	...	1	5	7	7	19	6	13	5	16	15	...	...	83·3	66·6	71·9
2	Birbhum		1,781	926,342	...	...	...	1	4	4	8	16	4	12	...	16	16	...	...	84·7	76·8	78·6
3	Bankura		2,671	1,081,464	...	...	...	1	5	4	8	17	5	12	4	13	14	...	...	70·7	53·0	59·6
4	Midnapore ...		5,114	2,732,388	...	...	...	1	7	6	13	26	8	17	4	21	15	...	...	80·00	57·33	60·00
5	Hooghly		1,159	988,615	...	...	...	1	7	7	13	27	7	20	4	23	12	...	...	57·1	61·6	60·5
6	Howrah		496·8	719,084	...	...	...	1	3	4	6	13	4	9	2	11	14	...	...	80·36	70·63	73·62
	Total ...		13,800·8	7,847,978	...	...	...	6	31	32	54	117	34	83	17	100	88	...	...	...	...	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																						
7	24-Parganas ...	Act III (B. C.) of 1885.	4,721	1,738,350	...	...	...	1	7	6	12	25	7	18	3	22	16	...	...	89·4	82	84
8	Nadia		2,784	1,521,923	...	...	...	1	7	6	12	25	7	18	3	22	15	...	...	93·28	61·83	70·64
9	Murshidabad ...		2,119	1,288,791	...	...	...	1	6	5	10	21	7	14	4	17	18	...	...	68·5	62·8	64·7
10	Jessore		2,914	1,737,066	...	...	...	1	6	7	13	26	7	18	2	23	17	...	...	79·83	54	61·17
11	Khulna		2,057	1,337,615	...	...	...	1	5	7	5	17	5	12	1	16	13	...	...	93·9	74 3	80
	Total ...		14,595	7,623,750	...	...	...	5	31	31	51	113	33	80	13	100	79	...	...	...	...	...
DACCA DIVISION.																						
12	Dacca	Act III (B.C.) of 1885.	2,771·0	2,823,975	...	...	...	1	7	9	13	29	8	21	5	24	13	...	...	58·62	60·05	59·65
13	Mymensingh ...		6,278·3	4,404,383	...	...	...	1	5	8	12	25	7	18	4	21	15	3	...	59	30	44·5
14	Faridpur ...		2,625·8	2,089,710	...	...	...	1	6	7	12	25	7	18	2	23	15	...	...	80	71	73
15	Bakarganj ...		3,620·7	2,280,293	...	...	...	1	7	6	12	25	7	18	4	21	16	...	...	70·5	51·7	57·0
	Total ...		15,295·8	11,598,331	...	...	...	4	25	30	49	104	29	75	15	89	59	3	...	67·2	55·4	58·1
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.																						
16	Chittagong ...	Act III (B.C.) of 1885.	2,487	1,475,289	...	...	...	1	6	13	...	19	6	13	5	14	13	...	...	66·7	57·7	63·15
17	Tippera ...		2,485·8	2,379,434	...	...	...	1	5	7	7	19	6	13	4	15	16	...	...	62·5	66·8	65·5
18	Noakhali ...		1,642	1,295,081	...	...	...	1	3	4	6	13	4	9	1	12	15	...	...	88·5	75·5	79·5
	Total ...		6,614·8	5,142,804	...	...	...	3	14	24	13	51	16	35	10	41	34	...	...	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																						
19	Rajshahi ...	Act III (B. C.) of 1885.	2,611	1,448,930	...	...	...	1	5	7	11	23	7	16	3	20	18	...	...	89·7	71·9	77·3
20	Dinajpur ...		3,940	1,671,738	...	...	...	1	7	7	8	22	7	15	2	20	13	...	...	73·8	47·2	55·4
21	Jalpaiguri ...		2,915	891,191	...	...	...	1	6	9	2	17	6	11	9	8	14	...	...	85·71	61·89	70·17
22	Rangpur		3,470	2,368,901	...	...	...	1	6	5	10	21	6	15	1	20	15	...	...	81	59	65·38
23	Bogra		1,247	970,366	...	...	...	1	5	11	...	16	6	10	1	15	18	...	1	93·3	60·6	67·0
24	Pabna		1,837	1,344,535	...	...	...	1	4	4	8	16	4	12	1	15	17	...	...	69·1	63·7	65·0
25	Malda		1,892	934,131	...	...	...	1	4	9	...	13	5	8	2	11	13	...	...	72·3	60·6	65·1
	Total ...		18,012	9,709,792	...	...	...	7	37	52	39	128	41	87	19	109	107	...	1	...	...	...
	Grand total for 1915-16.		67,488·4	43,022,655	...	...	...	25	138	169	206	513	163	360	74	439	367	3	1	...	...	...
	Total for 1914-15 ...		67,980·1	43,022,655	...	...	...	...	134	166	213	513	151	362	65	438	400	9		...	...	...

FORM NO. I (*b*).

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Serial No.	LOCAL BOARDS.	Act under which constituted.	Area in square miles.	Population within the area.	PARTICULARS ABOUT CHAIRMAN.				NUMBER OF MEMBERS.								Total number of meetings held including those specified in columns 19 and 20.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which proved abortive for want of a quorum.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which were adjourned.	Average percentage of officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of non-officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of all members present at each meeting.
					Elected non-official.	Elected official.	Nominated non-official.	Nominated official.	*Ex-officio.*	Nominated.	Elected.	Total.	Officials.	Non-officials.	Europeans.	Indians.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	BURDWAN DIVISION.																					
	Burdwan.																					
1	Sadar	Act III (B. C.) of 1885.	1,238	637,180	1	...	...	...	1	4	10	15	1	14	...	15	13	...	...	15·3	73·0	68·2
2	Asansol		664	351,166	...	1	...	...	...	3	6	9	1	8	3	4	17	...	...	100·0	64·7	68·4
3	Katwa		354	240,217	...	1	...	...	1	2	6	9	1	8	...	9	12	...	...	91·6	79·16	80·5
4	Kalna		413	216,622	1	...	...	...	1	2	6	9	1	8	...	9	13	...	...	30·76	53·84	51·28
	Total ...		2,669	1,444,185	2	2	...	...	3	11	28	42	4	38	5	37	55	...	...	...	...	...
	Birbhum.																					
5	Sadar		1,106	535,341	1	...	...	...	...	6	5	11	1	10	...	11	16	1	1	43·7	38·1	38·7
6	Rampurhat		645	391,001	...	...	...	1	...	3	6	9	1	8	...	9	12	...	...	33·3	72·9	68·5
	Total ...		1,751	926,342	1	...	...	1	...	9	11	20	2	18	...	20	28	1	1	...	...	...
	Bankura.																					
7	Sadar		1,917	723,511	1	...	...	...	...	7	5	12	...	12	...	12	13	...	...	...	58·9	58·9
8	Vishnupur		694	357,953	1	...	...	...	...	9	1	10	...	10	...	10	10	...	...	...	52·0	52·0
	Total ...		2,611	1,081,464	2	...	...	...	...	16	6	22	...	22	...	22	23	...	...	...	...	...
	Midnapore.																					
9	Sadar		3,367	1,267,329	1	...	...	...	1	8	15	24	3	21	2	22	13	...	...	54·0	50·81	51·29
10	Tamluk		348	593,454	...	...	1	...	...	16	2	18	1	17	...	18	12	...	...	67·0	63·23	63·44
11	Contai		849	618,223	...	...	...	1	4	3	14	21	4	17	2	19	13	1	...	40·5	46·18	45·05
12	Ghatal		650	259,282	...	...	...	1	1	7	7	15	1	14	...	15	9	...	...	66·6	76·9	76·3
	Total ...		5,114	2,738,288	1	...	1	2	6	24	38	78	9	69	4	74	47	1	...	...	...	...
	Hooghly.																					
13	Sadar		429	277,018	...	1	...	...	1	4	10	15	1	14	...	15	13	...	...	98·0	74·0	75·0
14	Serampore		329	352,886	...	1	...	...	1	4	10	15	1	14	1	14	10	...	...	70·0	60·7	61·3
15	Arambagh		401	308,711	...	1	...	...	1	8	...	9	1	8	...	9	13	...	...	80·0	72·3	73·3
	Total ...		1,159	938,615	...	3	...	...	3	16	20	39	3	36	1	38	36	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah.																					
16	Sadar		162	267,807	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	13	1	...	...	55·5	55·5
17	Uluberia		334·8	451,277	...	1	...	...	...	5	10	15	1	14	...	15	11	...	...	90·0	63·57	65·35
	Total ...		496·8	719,084	1	1	...	...	...	8	16	24	1	23	...	24	24	1	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total ...		15,800·8	7,847,978	7	6	1	3	12	94	119	225	19	206	10	215	215	3	1	...	...	...
	PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																					
	24-Parganas.																					
18	Sadar	Act III (B. C.) of 1885.	1,117	513,933	1	...	...	...	1	4	11	16	2	14	...	16	15	...	...	80	79·4	67
19	Diamond Harbour ...		1,381	515,725	1	...	...	...	1	3	8	12	1	11	1	11	12	...	...	33·3	87·8	83·3
20	Barasat		377	278,031	...	...	...	1	1	3	6	10	1	9	...	10	13	...	...	69·2	82·7	81·5
21	Basirhat		1,899	892,363	1	...	...	...	...	4	5	9	...	9	...	9	11	...	...	...	75·7	75·7
22	Barrackpore		147	37,498	...	1	...	...	1	1	5	7	1	6	1	6	14	...	...	100	81·	83·7
	Total ...		4,721	1,738,350	3	1	...	1	4	15	35	54	5	49	2	52	65	...	...	...	...	...
	Nadia.																					
23	Sadar		660	382,659	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	1	11	13	...	...	...	79·41	79·41
24	Chuadanga		437	242,032	...	...	...	1	1	2	6	9	1	8	...	9	12	...	..	75	84·3	83·3
25	Kushtia		501	447,021	...	...	...	1	1	3	8	12	1	11	1	11	12	...	...	100	50	54·16
26	Meherpore		639	328,609	...	...	...	1	1	2	6	9	1	8	...	9	12	...	...	91·6	68·75	71·3
27	Ranaghat		407	176,614	...	...	...	1	2	1	6	9	2	7	..	9	14	...	...	69·23	70·39	70·63
	Total ...		2,744	1,521,935	1	...	...	4	5	12	34	51	5	46	3	49	63	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad.																					
28	Sadar		992	571,455	1	...	..	...	...	7	14	21	1	20	3	18	13	...	1	70	69	67·5
29	Kandi		630	338,682	...	1	...	...	1	4	9	14	1	13	...	14	10	...	...	100	58·9	61·4
30	Jangipur		507	378,654	...	1	...	...	1	3	9	13	1	12	1	12	16	...	...	100	66·7	67·7
	Total ...		2,119	1,288,791	1	2	...	...	2	14	32	48	3	45	4	44	38	...	1	...	...	...

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Serial No.	Local Boards.	Act under which constituted.	Area in square miles.	Population within the area.	Particulars about Chairman.				Number of Members.								Total number of meetings held including those specified in columns 19 and 20.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which proved abortive for want of a quorum.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which were adjourned.	Average percentage of officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of non-officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of all members present at each meeting.
					Elected non-official.	Elected official.	Nominated non-official.	Nominated official.	Ex-officio.	Nominated.	Elected.	Total.	Officials.	Non-officials.	Europeans.	Indians.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
PRESIDENCY DIVISION—*concluded.*																						
Jessore.																						
31	Sadar	Act III (B. C.) of 1885.	741	4,58,394	1	...	...	...	...	7	8	15	...	15	...	15	8	...	...	...	67	67
32	Bangaon		646	3,02,773	1	...	...	...	...	6	6	12	...	12	...	12	14	...	...	...	74·4	74·4
33	Narail		487	3,60,809	1	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	...	9	...	9	9	...	...	...	54·3	54·3
34	Magura		425	2,55,948	1	...	...	...	...	5	4	9	1	8	...	9	12	...	1	...	64	64
35	Jhenidah		615	3,54,442	1	..	...	...	...	9	3	12	...	12	...	12	6	...	...	...	66·6	66·6
	Total ...		2,914	1,737,066	5	...	...	...	...	30	27	57	1	56	...	57	49	...	1	...	...	...
Khulna.																						
36	Sadar		644	428,240	1	...	...	...	...	4	8	12	...	12	...	12	13	1	1	...	50·6	50·6
37	Bagerhat		679	378,141	...	1	...	...	1	3	8	12	1	11	...	12	13	...	...	100	75·5	69·2
38	Satkhira		734	531,295	...	1	...	...	1	4	10	15	1	14	...	15	13	...	...	84·6	58·7	60·5
	Total ...		2,057	1,337,676	1	2	...	..	2	11	26	39	2	37	...	39	39	1	1	...	...	...
	Divisional Total ...		14,565	7,623,760	11	5	...	5	13	82	104	249	10	233	8	241	254	1	3	...	...	...
DACCA DIVISION.																						
Dacca.																						
39	Sadar	Act III (B. C.) of 1885.	1,259·5	905,068	1	...	...	...	1	7	4	12	1	11	...	12	19	3	2	52·6	34·0	36·4
40	Narainganj		636·5	751,648	...	...	...	1	1	3	6	10	1	9	1	9	16	...	...	81·0	64·5	66·2
41	Munshiganj		386·0	692,407	...	...	...	1	1	9	6	16	1	15	1	15	12	...	...	90·6	66·4	74·1
42	Manikganj		489·0	474,812	...	1	...	...	2	1	6	9	2	7	...	9	16	...	...	62·5	57·1	58·8
	Total ...		2,771·0	2,823,975	1	1	...	2	5	20	22	47	5	42	2	45	63	3	2	71·7	55·8	58·7
Mymensingh.																						
43	Sadar		1,845·5	1,158,022	1	...	...	...	2	3	11	16	2	14	...	16	16	2	...	25	57·1	51·5
44	Tangail		1,053·0	1,033,410	...	...	...	1	3	2	10	15	3	12	2	13	18	2	...	28	45·5	41·0
45	Kishoreganj		975·0	793,860	1	...	...	...	2	3	10	15	4	11	1	14	18	1	...	40·27	58·08	53·3
46	Jamalpur		1,257·8	776,606	...	...	...	1	2	3	8	13	2	11	1	12	13		...	83·3	50·8	58·1
47	Netrakona		1,137·0	541,555	1	...	...	...	2	3	8	13	3	9	...	12	20	...	...	71·11	55·0	67·0
	Total ...		6,278·3	4,401,353	3	...	...	2	11	13	47	71	14	57	4	67	79	5	...	48·5	53·3	54·1
Faridpur.																						
48	Sadar		678·1	533,368	1	...	...	...	...	5	7	12	...	12	...	12	16	...	...	...	61·4	61·4
49	Madaripur		910·4	797,130	1	...	...	...	...	7	5	12	...	12	...	12	14	2	...	...	45·1	45·1
50	Gopalganj		562·6	480,349	...	1	...	...	1	3	8	12	1	11	1	11	12	...	...	91·6	53·7	62·1
51	Goalundo		474·7	298,963	1	...	...	...	...	4	5	9	...	9	...	9	21	4	...	...	39·1	39·1
	Total ...		2,625·8	2,089,710	3	1	...	...	1	19	25	45	1	44	1	44	63	6	...	22·9	49·8	51·2
Bakarganj.																						
52	Sadar		1,100·2	954,779	1	...	...	...	...	6	12	18	1	17	1	17	14	...	...	28·5	47·8	46·8
53	Perojpur		681·0	538,422	...	...	...	1	1	5	10	16	3	13	...	16	15	...	1	37·7	53·3	50·4
54	Patuakhali		1,227·5	568,755	...	...	...	1	1	9	...	10	2	8	...	10	15	...	..	50·0	60·8	58·6
55	Bhola		612·0	318,337	...	...	...	1	3	7	...	10	4	6	...	10	10	...	...	43·3	44·2	44·0
	Total ...		3,620·7	2,380,293	1	...	...	3	5	27	22	54	10	44	1	53	54	...	1	39·9	51·5	49·9
	Divisional total ...		15,295·8	11,698,331	8	2	...	7	22	79	116	217	30	187	9	209	259	14	3	45·7	52·6	53·6
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.																						
Tippera.																						
56	Comilla	Act III (B.C.) of 1885.	1,137·5	1,076,358	1	...	...	...	...	12	...	13	1	11	...	12	10	...	...	60	53·63	54·16
57	Brahmanbaria		763·5	734,988	...	1	...	...	2	7	...	9	4	5	1	8	11	...	...	59·09	54·54	56·56
58	Chandpur		584·8	561,088	...	1	...	...	3	3	...	6	3	3	...	6	12	...	...	60·38	56·25	59·33
	Total ...		2,485·8	2,372,434	1	2	...	...	5	22	...	27	8	19	1	26	33	...	...	...	...	...
Noakhali.																						
59	Sadar		1,299	954,896	...	1	...	...	1	10	...	11	3	8	...	11	18	...	...	57·4	68·7	63·6
60	Feni		343	340,185	...	1	...	...	1	8	...	9	2	7	...	9	14	...	...	82·1	79·5	80·1
	Total ...		1,642	1,295,081	...	2	...	...	2	18	...	20	5	15	...	20	32	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total ...		4,127	3,667,515	1	4	...	...	7	40	...	47	13	34	1	46	65	...	...	...	...	...

FORM No. 1(*b*).—concluded.

Statement showing the constitution of Local Boards in Bengal during the year 1915-16—concluded.

Serial No.	LOCAL BOARDS.	Act under which constituted.	Area in square miles.	Population within the area.	PARTICULARS ABOUT CHAIRMAN.				NUMBER OF MEMBERS.								Total number of meetings held including those specified in columns 19 and 20.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which proved abortive for want of a quorum.	Number of meetings out of the total in column 18 which were adjourned.	Average percentage of officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of non-officials present at each meeting.	Average percentage of all members present at each meeting.
					Elected non-official.	Elected official.	Nominated non-official.	Nominated official.	*Ex-officio.*	Nominated.	Elected.	Total.	Officials.	Non-Officials.	Europeans.	Indians.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																					
	Rajshahi.																					
61	Bosalia	Act III (B.C.) 1883.	889·5	540,818	...	...	...	1	1	4	10	15	4	11	1	14	13	...	...	41·7	58·3	53·9
62	Nator		861·5	390,707	...	...	...	1	2	3	8	13	2	11	1	12	10	...	...	35	65·6	59·2
63	Naogaon		660	517,405	...	...	...	1	2	3	8	13	2	11	1	12	14	...	...	78·5	53·2	57·1
	Total ...		2,611	1,448,930	...	...	...	3	5	10	26	41	8	33	3	38	36	...	...	51·7	58·3	56·7
	Dinajpur.																					
64	Thakurgaon		1,171	545,566	...	...	1	...	2	8	...	10	2	8	...	10	11	...	...	72·5	47·75	52·7
65	Balurghat		1,177	447,343	...	...	1	...	1	8	...	9	1	8	...	9	15	3	...	93·3	60·0	37·03
	Total ...		2,348	992,909	...	...	2	...	3	16	...	19	3	16	...	19	26	3	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri.																					
66	Alipur Duar		1,051	402,701	...	...	...	1	2	4	...	6	2	4	5	1	15	4	4	59·05	31·62	40·91
	Rangpur.																					
67	Sadar		1,132	666,698	1	...	...	...	1	11	...	12	1	11	...	12	13	...	...	33	58·82	55·33
68	Gaibandah		762	620,823	...	...	...	1	1	6	...	7	1	6	1	6	12	...	...	100·	44·5	52·45
69	Kurigram		927	589,520	...	...	...	1	1	6	...	7	1	6	...	7	14	...	...	86·	63·17	66·57
70	Nilphamari		649	491,860	...	...	...	1	1	6	...	7	1	6	...	7	13	1	1	85	50·	55
	Total ...		3,470	2,368,901	1	...	...	3	4	29	...	33	4	29	1	32	52	1	1	73·5	54·1	57·46
	Pabna.																					
71	Pabna		891	579,992	...	...	1	...	...	8	4	12	1	11	...	12	12	2	...	87·5	41·21	43·7
72	Serajgunj		946	804,543	...	1	...	...	...	4	8	12	1	11	1	11	15	2	2	58·3	48·07	49·4
	Total ...		1,837	1,384,535	...	1	1	...	...	12	12	24	2	22	1	23	27	4	2	72·9	44·6	46·3
	Divisional Total ...		11,317	6,297,976	1	1	3	7	14	71	38	123	19	104	10	113	156	12	7	...	...	...
	GRAND TOTAL 1915-16		59,105·6	37,235,850	28	18	4	22	68	366	427	861	97	764	37	824	961	35	14	...	...	...
	Total for 1914-15 ...		58,748·1	37,235,550	...	...	...	...	63	384	407	854	97	757	37	817	943	54		...	...	...

FORM

Statement showing the income of District Boards in the

Serial No.	District Boards.	Closing balance of last year.	I.—LAND REVENUE.			VI.—LOCAL RATES.				XII.—INTEREST.				XVIA.—LAW AND JUSTICE.
			Revenue due to canals.	Other land revenue receipts.	Total.	Local rate.	Village service fund.	Other receipts from local rates.	Total.	For education purposes.	For medical purposes.	For other purposes.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	BURDWAN DIVISION.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Burdwan	3,88,311	...	...	...	5,17,905	...	...	5,17,905	...	...	1,648	1,648	.....
2	Birbhum	97,755	...	...	...	1,64,010	...	...	1,64,010	...	...	...	...	100
3	Bankura	42,832	...	...	...	1,02,040	...	...	1,02,040	...	...	562	562	.....
4	Midnapore	3,41,523	...	..	...	3,96,103	1,748	46	3,97,897	...	...	1,933	1,933	33
5	Hooghly	99,616	...	...	...	2,07,597	...	...	2,07,597	...	...	1,441	1,441	490
6	Howrah	67,237	...	..	...	95,206	...	...	95,206	...	3,465	691	4,156	.....
	Divisional Total ...	10,32,274	...	...	...	14,82,861	1,748	46	14,84,655	...	3,465	6,278	9,740	623
	PRESIDENCY DIVISION.													
7	24-Parganas	6,32,711(a)	...	...	...	4,75,067	...	37	4,75,104	...	...	3,221	3,221	54
8	Nadia	1,67,810	...	...	...	2,05,900	494	...	2,06,394	...	...	4,426(b)	4,426	149
9	Murshidabad	1,28,948	...	...	...	1,83,304	...	...	1,83,304	...	...	554	554	15
10	Jessore	1,16,075	...	...	...	2,17,243	3,951	...	2,21,194	...	157	841	998	663
11	Khulna	91,030	...	788	788	2,19,275	...	1,673	2,20,948	...	9	836	845	330
	Divisional Total ...	11,36,574	...	788	788	13,00,789	4,445	1,710	13,06,944	...	166	9,878	10,044	1,211
	DACCA DIVISION.													
12	Dacca	1,59,731	...	...	...	2,42,995	...	...	2,42,995	...	75	1,04	1,124	...
13	Mymensingh	4,76,444	...	...	...	5,46,461	...	...	5,46,461	525	...	305	830	...
14	Faridpur	42,013	...	...	...	2,25,548	...	...	2,25,548	...	...	1,579	1,579	...
15	Bakarganj	10,048	...	...	...	4,35,013	...	...	4,35,013	...	...	4,127	4,127	...
	Divisional Total ...	6,88,236	...	...	...	14,50,017	...	...	14,50,017	525	75	7,060	7,660	...
	CHITTAGONG DIVISION.													
16	Chittagong	2,15,688	...	...	...	2,25,963	...	...	2,25,963	...	...	2,516	2,516	...
17	Tippera	2,37,620	...	...	...	2,56,107	...	215	2,56,322	...	...	2,039	2,039	...
18	Noakhali	1,57,855	...	...	...	2,18,079	...	...	2,18,079	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total ...	6,11,163	...	...	...	7,00,149	...	215	7,00,364	...	...	4,555	4,555	...
	RAJSHAHI DIVISION.													
19	Rajshahi	1,41,391	...	...	...	2,02,983	...	...	2,02,983	...	...	323	323	...
20	Dinajpur	1,24,328	...	...	...	2,31,445	...	...	2,31,445	...	...	3	3	...
21	Jalpaiguri	1,37,197	...	...	...	2,06,707	...	...	2,06,707	...	...	133	133	...
22	Rangpur	1,80,891	...	...	...	3,50,426	...	...	3,50,426	...	...	1,331	1,331	...
23	Bogra	30,709	...	...	...	1,32,493	...	...	1,32,493	...	...	151	151	105
24	Pabna	1,74,889	...	...	...	1,63,942	...	...	1,63,942	...	...	1,151	1,151	...
25	Malda	82,016	...	...	...	1,12,858	...	...	1,12,858	...	...	112	112	74
	Divisional Total ...	8,61,911	...	...	...	14,00,853	...	...	14,00,853	...	...	3,204	3,204	269
	GRAND TOTAL FOR 1915-16 ...	43,30,158	...	788	788	63,34,669	6,193	1,971	63,42,833	525	3,706	30,973	35,203	2,103
	TOTAL FOR 1914-15 ...	51,19,881	...	383	383	58,42,384	3,829	2,092	58,88,305	2,359	2,023	13,174	18,456	4,184

(a) Revised figures.
(b) Includes Rs. 2,734 for Edward VII Memorial Fund and Rs. 1,551 for P. W. purposes on arrear revenues.

No. 11.

Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916.

XVII.—POLICE.			XIX.—EDUCATION.											
			SCHOOL FEES.					CONTRIBUTIONS.			MISCELLANEOUS.			
Receipts under Cattle Trespass Act.	Other items.	Total.	Training and special schools.	High schools.	Middle schools.	Primary schools.	Total.	From Government.	Other contributions.	Total.	Sale-proceeds of books.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Total.
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
10,260	44	10,304	557	...	4,118	.	4,675	21,132	3,030	24,162	...	385	385	29,222
11,421	22	11,443	...	...	2,283	...	2,283	19,379	1,000	20,379	...	32	32	22,687
2,479	463	2,942	..	...	2,266	...	2,266	19,360	69	19,429	...	129	129	21,824
7,439	...	7,439	46	...	4,679	...	4,725	68,852	9,667	78,499	...	811	811	84,035
7,805	138	7,938	...	...	874	...	874	17,124	121	17,245	...	57	57	18,176
3,302	35	3,337	...	...	1,282	...	1,282	15,337	157	15,494	...	45	45	16,821
42,706	697	43,403	603	...	15,502	...	16,105	1,61,157	14,044	1,75,201	...	1,459	1,459	1,92,785
6,262	2,112	8,374	...	...	841	...	841	25,668	746	26,414	...	847	37	27,292
33,453	2,041	35,494	...	...	289	...	289	25,130	462	25,592	...	74	74	25,955
13,062	78	13,140	...	...	...	...	...	21,060	100	21,160	..	9	9	21,169
18,429	1,714	20,143	...	...	...	...	...	25,896	406	26,302	...	65	65	26,367
3,908	373	4,281	...	...	...	...	...	22,320	...	22,320	...	857	857	23,177
75,112	6,320	81,432	...	...	1,130	...	1,130	1,39,074	1,714	1,21,788	...	1,042	1,042	1,23,960
8,272	...	8,272	...	...	...	...	...	55,360	240	55,600	...	759	759	56,359
41,542	...	41,542	...	...	1,943	112	2,055	86,224	953	87,177	...	1,667	1,667	90,899
7,526	140	7,666	...	...	1,930	...	1,930	52,678	525	53,203	...	344	344	55,477
9,047	...	9,047	...	...	...	...	...	70,060	400	70,460	...	237	237	70,697
66,387	140	66,527	...	...	3,873	112	3,985	2,64,322	2,119	2,66,440	...	3,007	3,007	2,73,432
3,594	...	3,594	...	...	1,383	..	1,383	39,997	...	39,997	...	324	324	41,708
2,715	284	3,099	373	...	1,227	...	1,600	58,343	10	58,353	...	3,043	3,043	62,996
8,162	578	8,740	...	...	3,457	...	3,457	21,368	...	21,368	...	290	290	25,115
14,471	962	15,433	373	...	6,069	...	6,442	1,19,708	10	1,19,718	...	3,657	3,657	1,29,817
19,883	42	19,925	1,179	...	539	296	2,014	45,408	1,183	46,591	...	2,632	2,632	51,237
35,704	409	36,113	...	...	3,322	...	3,322	34,739	3,171	37,910	...	13	13	41,245
34,231	1,066	35,317	...	...	1,139	...	1,139	31,208	1,200	32,408	...	61	61	33,608
18,859	185	19,044	...	...	2,371	...	2,371	57,032	928	57,960	...	36	36	60,367
8,819	372	9,191	...	...	4,753	...	4,753	34,801	84	34,885	...	384	384	10,002
15,081	182	15,263	2,351	...	270	...	2,621	32,770	87	32,857	...	2,209	2,209	37,087
19,154	2,943	22,097	...	...	2,705	...	2,705	15,785	67	15,852	...	204	204	18,761
1,51,731	5,219	1,56,950	3,530	...	15,099	296	18,925	2,51,743	6,720	2,58,463	..	5,519	5,519	2,82,907
3,50,407	13,338	3,63,745	4,506	...	41,673	408	46,587	9,17,004	24,606	9,51,610	...	14,684	14,684	10,02,881
3,09,310	10,098	3,19,408	3,987	...	4,018	533	43,538	11,75,361	19,548	11,94,917	11	18,463	18,474	12,58,929

FORM

Statement showing the income of District Boards in the

Serial number.	District Boards.	XX.—MEDICAL.										XXI.—SCIENTIFIC AND OTHER						
		Hospital and dispensary receipts.	Medicines sold by civil surgeons.	Income from—Endowments.	Contributions. From Government.	Contributions. Other contributions.	Contributions. Total.	Miscellaneous. Sanitary fees and fines.	Miscellaneous. Other receipts.	Miscellaneous. Total.	Total.	Botanical and other garden public receipts.	Veterinary receipts.	Receipts on account of experimental cultivation.	Public exhibitions and fairs. Horse fairs.	Public exhibitions and fairs. Cattle fairs.	Public exhibitions and fairs. Other exhibitions or fairs.	Public exhibitions and fairs. Total.
		31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47
	Burdwan Division.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Burdwan	...	...	371	...	1,045	1,045	...	502	502	1,918	...	55	...	...	...	...	...
2	Birbhum	...	...	700	31,000	534	31,534	...	363	363	32,597	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Bankura	...	...	...	559	560	1,159	...	23	23	1,182	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore	...	...	...	1,200	607	1,807	...	18	18	1,825	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly	...	...	1,506	...	1,807	1,807	1,110	...	1,110	4,423	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Howrah	...	...	...	...	517	517	...	97	97	614	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total	...	...	2,577	32,792	5,070	37,869	1,110	1,003	2,113	42,559	...	55	...	...	...	...	...
	Presidency Division.																	
7	24-Parganas	...	...	...	1,880	5,686	7,566	...	30	30	7,596	...	18	...	...	...	1,841	1,841
8	Nadia	...	...	...	...	8,191	8,191	...	5	5	8,196	...	12	...	...	...	...	...
9	Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Jessore	...	...	145	17	290	1,837	1,627	...	22	22	1,811	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Khulna	...	...	443	800	2,336	3,136	...	...	...	3,578	...	18	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total	...	145	...	439	2,970	17,580	20,530	...	57	57	21,181	...	48	...	...	...	1,841	1,841
	Dacca Division.																	
12	Dacca	...	...	...	150	4,187	14,050	18,237	...	808	808	19,195	...	...	...	...	...	1,651	1,651
13	Mymensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,796	2,796	2,796	...	708	...	...	...	...	...
14	Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Bakarganj	...	...	...	...	5,250	...	5,250	...	38	38	5,288	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total	...	...	...	150	9,437	14,050	23,487	...	3,642	3,642	27,279	...	708	...	...	...	1,651	1,651
	Chittagong Division.																	
16	Chittagong	...	...	...	...	720	1,500	2,220	...	...	...	2,220	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	3,000	3,000	...	...	...	3,000	...	132	...	...	...	...	...
18	Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total	...	...	...	...	720	4,500	5,220	...	...	...	5,220	...	132	...	...	...	...	...
	Rajshahi Division.																	
19	Rajshahi	...	...	...	...	...	754	754	...	16	16	770	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	75	75	...	...	...	75	...	295	...	...	...	...	...
21	Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	300	300	...	...	...	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	522	522	...	...	...	522	...	...	160	...	...	...	...
23	Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	...	...
24	Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	500	500	...	...	...	500	...	29	...	...	...	...	...
25	Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total	...	...	...	...	2,151	2,151	...	16	16	2,167	...	347	160	...	...	...	...	...
	Grand total for 1915-16	...	145	...	3,166	45,926	43,321	89,347	1,110	4,718	5,828	98,406	...	2,290	160	...	...	3,492	3,492
	Total for 1914-15	...	177	...	2,277	31,782	49,800	8,15,824	959	3,585	4,544	89,580	...	982	...	...	...	4,505	4,505

No. II.

Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916—continued.

MINOR DEPARTMENTS.				XXII.—RECEIPTS IN AID OF SUPERANNUATION AND COMPASSIONATE ALLOWANCE.	XXIII.—STATIONERY AND PRINTING.	XXV.—MISCELLANEOUS.								XXVI.—RAILWAYS.		
Miscellaneous.	Contribution from Government.	Other contributions.	Total.	Contribution for pensions or gratuities.	Press receipts.	Sale of old stores and materials.	Sale of escheated) buildings and lands.	Rent of escheated) buildings and lands.	Total.	CONTRIBUTIONS. From Government.	CONTRIBUTIONS. Other contributions.	Other miscellaneous receipts.	Total.	Gross receipts.	*Deduct*—Working expenses.	Net receipts.
48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	31	...	86	...	45	...	...	...	...	40,296	...	932	41,228	...	...	...
1	31	...	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,264	10,264	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,09,982	300	819	3,11,101	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,755	4,755	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	368	...	...	368	28,661	...	3,179	32,208	...	...	6,713
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,515	1,515	...	...	54,648
1	62	...	118	...	45	368	...	...	368	3,78,939	300	21,464	4,01,071	...	...	61,361
...	...	...	1,859	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	24	...	...	12,294
...	...	...	12	...	...	298	...	...	298	17,081	...	439	17,818	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	576	576	...	...	...	576	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	831	...	831	...	...	...
...	20	120	158	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	454	454	...	...	...
...	20	120	2,029	...	...	298	...	576	874	17,081	831	917	19,703	...	...	12,294
...	...	...	1,651	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,618	2,618	...	...	...
...	...	...	706	...	322	14	...	...	14	...	...	401	415	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	575	575	...	...	312	787	...	...	...
14	...	109	123	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	939	939	...	...	...
14	...	109	2,482	...	322	14	...	575	589	...	...	4,170	4,759	...	...	...
...	...	120	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	841	841	...	...	...
...	...	...	132	...	...	...	...	...	...	85,357	119	423	85,899	...	...	...
10	...	225	235	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,469	1,469	...	...	...
10	...	345	487	...	...	...	...	...	...	85,357	119	2,733	88,208	...	...	...
...	...	102	102	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	16	...	...	...
...	...	...	293	...	...	...	...	512	512	19,984	...	2,929	23,425	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	784	784	...	...	...
...	...	...	160	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,506	1,506	...	...	...
...	...	...	23	...	...	9	...	188	197	...	...	444	641	...	...	...
...	...	...	29	...	...	10	...	...	10	...	...	667	677	...	...	...
126	...	...	126	...	...	94	...	...	94	...	...	741	835	...	...	...
126	...	102	733	...	...	113	...	700	813	19,984	...	7,087	27,884	...	...	...
151	82	676	5,851	...	367	793	...	1,851	2,644	5,01,361	1,250	36,370	5,41,625	...	...	73,655
94	2,562	657	8,801	...	412	817	367	961	2,135	1,26,189	755	46,007	1,75,086	...	...	69,651

FORM

Statement showing the income of District Boards in the

XXXI.—CIVIL.

Serial No.	District Boards.	XXX.—IRRIGATION MINOR WORKS AND NAVIGATION.	In charge of Civil Officers.										
		Local canal receipts.	Tolls on ferries and roads.	Rent of buildings and lands [other than naval (escheated)].	Sale of buildings and other property [other than naval (escheated)].	Sale of stores and materials.	Staging bungalow fees.	Naval (net) fees.	Sale proceeds of trees, grass, etc.	Miscellaneous.	Contributions from Government.	Other contributions.	Total.
		65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76
	BURDWAN DIVISION.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Burdwan	...	9,781	713	...	44	1,305	...	247	1,455	7,380	10,571	31,896
2	Birbhum	...	1,112	203	...	...	226	...	378	1,070	10,018	330	14,437
3	Bankura	...	8,135	498	121	13	31	...	139	66	13,000	...	16,016
4	Midnapore	...	10,585	1,574	90	375	179	...	31	1,709	35,022	1,233	50,817
5	Hooghly	...	9,740	848	...	...	34	...	834	...	864	10,316	22,528
6	Howrah	...	10,664	32	...	25	8	...	35	2,439	10,930	5,267	29,400
	Divisional total ...	...	44,017	3,868	214	457	1,983	...	1,674	6,758	78,104	27,817	1,64,892
	PRESIDENCY DIVISION.												
7	24-Parganas	108	43,800	1,287	...	17	179	...	880	1,976	37,728	40,895	1,26,762
8	Nadia	...	11,510	2,145	...	109	410	...	615	521	578	6,856	22,737
9	Murshidabad	...	13,835	...	...	...	76	...	1,141	2,771	19,079	1,275	37,977
10	Jessore	...	9,495	186	...	602	345	...	198	864	15,035	2,899	30,052
11	Khulna	...	14,499	132	...	...	387	...	99	307	24,829	11,268	51,021
	Divisional total ...	108	93,439	3,750	...	719	1,397	...	2,931	6,439	97,249	63,193	2,69,049
	DACCA DIVISION.												
12	Dacca	...	28,490	1,454	...	265	76	...	...	26,301	26,051	6,822	89,462
13	Mymensingh	...	78,220	829	...	25	334	...	171	4,923	36,980	3,848	1,44,630
14	Faridpur	...	5,994	154	...	...	76	...	...	786	20,276	4,289	31,575
15	Bakarganj	...	6,539	915	...	...	550	...	...	1,391	36,755	2,714	69,264
	Divisional total ...	...	1,17,243	3,352	...	290	1,036	...	171	32,001	1,60,065	19,173	3,33,931
	CHITTAGONG DIVISION.												
16	Chittagong	7,982	15,184	912	...	...	9	...	117	4,248	36,986	24,387	81,725
17	Tippera	...	16,423	40	32	20	213	...	185	1,109	26,652	2,893	46,317
18	Noakhali	...	10,023	240	...	...	54	...	11	1,648	26,983	4,369	43,228
	Divisional total ...	7,982	40,580	1,192	32	20	276	...	263	7,005	90,601	31,299	1,71,270
	RAJSHAHI DIVISION.												
19	Rajshahi	...	12,847	227	...	81	392	...	62	186	21,500	3,278	38,373
20	Dinajpur	...	7,575	...	...	170	150	...	...	241	1,004	2,960	12,100
21	Jalpaiguri	...	25,372	408	...	171	610	...	345	26	31,608	250	58,790
22	Rangpur	...	52,084	811	...	588	486	...	260	588	34,121	3,441	92,329
23	Bogra	...	2,189	285	180	...	250	...	64	262	14,303	1,074	18,628
24	Pabna	...	10,386	229	90	13	382	...	...	686	17,417	2,160	31,365
25	Malda	...	25,518	6	...	...	82	...	1,563	511	12,312	10,975	51,017
	Divisional total ...	...	1,35,898	1,976	270	993	2,202	...	2,414	2,503	1,32,065	24,143	3,02,562
	GRAND TOTAL FOR 1915-16 ...	8,090	4,31,177	14,128	516	2,479	6 994	..	7,453	55,305	5,58,086	1.65.556	12,41,704
	TOAL FOR 1914-15 ...	26,764	4,20,062	11,186	171	3,828	6,737	...	4,599	25,498	6,42,414	1.50,737	12,74,162

No. II.

Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916—concluded.

WORKS.		Total income, excluding opening balance.	DEBT.			Total receipts, excluding opening balance.	Total receipts, including opening balance.	Incidence of taxation per head of population.	Incidence of income (excluding balances) per head of population.
In charge of Public Works officers.	Total.		Loans.	Deposits and advances.	Total.				
77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	As. P.	As. P.
...	31,696	6,34,052	25,000	32,696	57,696	6,91,748	10,75,059	5 9	7 0
...	14,437	2,55,570	...	13,430	13,430	2,69,000	3,66,755	2 9	4 4
...	16,016	4,55,667	...	5,060	5,060	4,60,727	5,03,559	1 6	6 8
...	50,817	5,48,734	...	63,144	63,144	6,10,878	9,52,401	2 4	3 3
...	23,596	3,01,512	...	42,566	42,566	3,44,078	4,43,694	3 6	5 3
...	29,400	2,05,697	...	27,230	27,230	2,32,927	3,00,164	2 1	4 7
...	1,64,892	24,01,232	25,000	1,83,126	2,08,126	26,09,358	36,41,632	3 0	4 10
...	1,26,762	6,62,688	...	75,173	75,173	7,37,861	13,70,572	4 5	6 9
...	32,737	3,21,181	...	29,514	29,514	3,50,695	5,18,505	2 3	3 4
...	37,977	2,56,735	...	22,542	22,542	2,79,277	4,08,225	2 3	3 1
...	30,052	3,02,058	...	22,436	22,436	3,24,495	4,40,570	2 0	2 9
...	51,521	3,06,080	...	50,158	50,158	3,56,238	4,47,288	2 7	3 8
...	2,69,049	18,48,742	...	1,99,823	1,99,823	20,48,566	31,85,140	2 8	4 3
...	89,462	4,21,676	...	29,181	29,181	4,50,857	6,10 588	1 4	1 3
...	1,44,680	8,28,603	...	1,35,580	1,35,580	9,64,183	14,40,627	1 11	3 0
...	31,575	3,22,632	...	14,460	14,460	3,37,092	3,79,105	1 9	2 6
...	68,264	5 93,498	...	75,991	75,991	6 69 489	6 79,837	2 11	4 0
...	3,33,981	21,66,409	...	2,55,212	2,55,212	24 21,621	31,09,857	1 11	2 11
...	81,725	3,66,667	...	68,498	68,498	4,35,165	6,50,853	2 5	3 11
...	46,317	4,59,803	...	13,890	13,890	4,73,693	7,11,313	1 9	3 0
...	43,228	2,96,866	...	40,489	40,489	3,37,355	4,95,210	2 8	3 8
...	1,71,270	11,23,336	...	1,22,877	1,22,877	12,46,213	18,57,376	2 2	3 6
...	88,373	2,13,729	...	15,843	15,843	2,29,572	4,70,963	2 3	3 6
...	19,100	2,44,701	...	30,166	30,166	2,74,867	4,99,695	2 3	3 4
...	58,790	2,35,639	...	29,907	29,907	3,65,546	5,02,743	2 9	3 0
...	92,859	5,25,684	...	54,474	54,474	5,80,158	7,81,039	2 4	3 7
...	18,638	2,01,324	...	15,219	15,219	2,16,543	2,37,252	2 2	3 4
...	31,325	2,50,574	...	13,633	13,633	2,64,207	4,38,096	1 11	3 0
...	51,017	2,05,880	...	29,212	29,212	2,35,092	3,17,108	1 10	3 5
...	3,02,562	21,77,531	...	1,98,454	1,83,454	23,65,985	32,27,896	2 4	3 7
...	13,41,704	97,17,251	25,000	9,49,492	9,74,492	1,06,91,743	1,50,21,901	2 5	3 8
...	12,74,162	91,84,121	...	8,63,843	8,63,843	1,00,47,964	1,51,67,845	2 3	3 6

FORM

Statement showing the expenditure of District Boards

Serial number.	District Boards.	Owing balance of last year.	Total income during the year.	1.—REFUNDS AND DRAWBACKS.			2.—LAND REVENUE.	3.—LOCAL RATES.	12.—INTEREST.				13.—ADMINISTRATION.				19A.—LAW AND JUSTICE—COURTS OF LAW.
									Interest on Loans.				General Establishments of Local Funds.				
				Local rate refunds.	Other revenue refunds.	Total.			On account of last year.	On account of current year.	Other items.	Total.	Office establishment.	Office contingencies (including stationery locally purchased).	Payment of establishments for offices of Accounts, Control and Audit.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
BURDWAN DIVISION.																	
1	Burdwan ...	3,83,311	6,91,748	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,256	5,044	...	15,350	...
2	Birbhum ...	97,755	2,69,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,895	1,809	895	7,599	...
3	Bankura ...	42,832	4,60,727	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,048	2,804	...	5,252	...
4	Midnapore ...	3,41,523	6,10,878	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,769	5,098	...	15,867	...
5	Hooghly ...	99,616	3,44,078	13,807	...	13,807	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,606	6,006	...	11,612	...
6	Howrah ...	67,357	2,32,937	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,524	2,047	...	7,571	...
	Divisional Total	10,32,374	26,09,368	13,807	...	13,807	...	...	...	...	...	...	39,098	22,858	895	63,251	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																	
7	24-Parganas ...	6,32,711	7,37,861	...	...	...	...	...	..	2,171	..	2,171	8,354	6,223	...	14,577	...
8	Nadia	1,67,810	3,50,695	16,757	...	16,757	...	...	..	...	...	...	6,484	5,569	...	12,003	...
9	Murshidabad ...	1,28,048	2,79,277	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,641	...	1,641	3,611	5,990	...	9,601	...
10	Jessore	1,16,078	3,24,495	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,878	...	1,878	7,846	5,747	...	13,593	...
11	Khulna	91,080	3,36,238	...	10	10	27	...	...	...	...	...	6,288	4,782	...	11,070	...
	Divisional Total	11,36,574	20,48,566	16,757	10	16,767	27	...	...	5,690	...	5,690	32,583	28,311	...	60,844	...
DACCA DIVISION.																	
12	Dacca	1,59,731	4,50,857	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,919	5,895	...	12,814	585
13	Mymensingh ...	4,76,444	9,64,188	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,863	6,791	...	20,654	178
14	Faridpur	49,013	3,37,092	5,000	...	5,000	...	...	...	...	..	...	6,241	4,980	...	11,221	227
15	Bakarganj ...	10,048	6,69,489	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	12,351	2,938	...	15,289	325
	Divisional Total	6,85,236	24,21,621	5,000	...	5,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	41,374	18,604	...	59,978	1,315
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.																	
16	Chittagong ...	2,15,688	4,35,165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,839	1,661	...	6,500	64
17	Tippera ...	2,37,620	4,73,693	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,429	1,574	...	9,003	747
18	Noakhali ...	1,57,855	3,37,355	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,463	2,059	...	9,552	.....
	Divisional Total	6,11,163	12,46,213	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	19,731	5,324	...	25,055	811
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																	
19	Rajshahi ...	1,41,391	3,29,572	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,880	1,708	...	12,588	47
20	Dinajpur ...	1,24,898	3,74,867	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,063	...	4,063	4,304	2,294	...	6,598	344
21	Jalpaiguri ...	1,37,197	3,65,846	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,484	2,292	...	7,776	...
22	Rangpur ...	1,80,881	5,80,158	4	...	4	...	...	...	1,528	...	1,528	10,685	6,499	...	17,184	192
23	Bogra ...	20,700	2,18,643	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,550	889	...	4,439	132
24	Pabna ...	1,74,849	2,64,207	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,475	1,532	...	7,997	112
25	Malda ...	87,016	2,35,002	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,815	1,407	...	5,225	816
	Divisional Total	8,61,911	23,65,985	4	...	4	...	...	...	5,591	...	5,591	45,176	16,808	...	61,784	1,643
	GRAND TOTAL FOR 1915-16 ...	43,30,158	1,06,91,743	35,568	10	35,578	27	...	...	11,281	...	11,281	1,78,812	91,205	895	2,70,912	3,769
	TOTAL FOR 1914-15	51,10,881	1,00,47,964	1,978	...	1,978	27	18	...	8,208	...	8,208	1,53,044	86,390	...	2,49,434	3,180

No. III.

in the Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916.

20.—POLICE.					21.—PORTS AND PILOTAGE.	22.—EDUCATION.													
CATTLE-POUND CHARGES.								MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT.											
Establishments.	Contingencies.	Refunds of cattle-pound collections.	Other charges.	Total.	Subsidies to steam boat companies.	Grants to Universities.	Inspection.	Training and special schools.	High schools.	Middle schools.	Primary schools.	Total.	Grants-in-aid.	Scholarships.	Miscellaneous.	Contributions to Government.	Other contributions.	Endowments.	Total.
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
914	154	...	...	1,068	.....	...	3,867	3,910	...	7,581	456	11,947	66,832	1,462	111	...	...	...	1,06,919
527	175	...	242	944	.....	...	2,315	...	...	2,840	3,045	5,905	36,948	1,186	657	...	..	...	49,011
...	170	...	...	170	.....	...	2,433	...	...	7,304	40,475	47,679	4,916	1 742	3,748	...	...	...	56,518
1,000	141	...	...	1,150	.....	...	...	2,807	...	6,623	8,472	19,902	1,35,178	2,815	56,378	...	...	...	2,04 371
...	225	...	...	225	.....	...	3,742	...	...	1,847	4,080	5,927	43,986	2.210	126	...	...	...	55,991
1,108	83	...	...	1,191	.....	...	1,840	...	...	1,446	3,450	4,896	49,034	1,252	34	...	...	...	57,088
3,558	948	...	242	4,748	.....	...	13,897	6,717	...	29,841	59,998	96,256	3,61,890	10,669	60,054	...	...	...	5,38,768
360	62	...	...	442	1,620	...	6,494	...	...	2,155	3,573	5,728	74,150	2,482	10,146	...	60	...	99,660
...	419	13	...	432	...	...	588	...	...	1,298	6,074	7,372	52,748	1,662	2,965	...	...	90	72,350
778	408	...	...	1,186	...	...	1,877	...	...	...	...	...	43,084	1,037	827	...	...	...	46,845
9	560	14	...	583	...	...	2,401	...	...	...	4,023	4,023	59,255	1,288	13,515	...	...	9	80,495
...	200	57	...	257	...	..	897	2,928	...	...	2,074	5,003	57,775	1,421	917	...	...	71	65,783
1,147	1,669	84	...	2,900	1,620	...	11,927	2,928	...	3,413	15,744	23,085	2,87,011	7,910	35,370	...	60	170	3,64,533
132	109	...	...	241	...	...	1,037	...	...	...	32,459	32,459	86,227	2,370	328	...	...	325	1,22,746
710	3,411	...	...	4,121	...	...	...	15,354	...	7,699	69,839	92,882	1,05,089	2,997	420	...	...	4,389	2,05,777
395	881	...	...	1,276	...	...	2,675	...	...	3,550	45,692	49,279	52,572	1,537	506	...	...	680	1,07,919
...	582	...	...	582	900	...	8,390	...	...	...	35,486	35,486	78,079	1,758	951	1,823	...	...	1,28,487
1,237	4,983	...	...	6,220	900	...	12,102	15,354	...	11,279	1,83,466	2,10,099	3,21,967	8,662	2,205	1,823	...	5,384	5,62,222
...	84	...	...	84	...	...	2,495	1,823	...	2,712	414	4,651	69,841	1,975	9,663	...	...	325	88,130
1,293	53	79	...	1,425	2,184	...	2,723	10,670	...	1,980	26,308	30,048	82,060	2,589	5,354	...	...	...	1,31,774
558	504	...	...	1,062	...	...	1,626	...	...	5,320	18,811	24,131	59,999	1,579	14 245	..	...	...	1,01,600
1,851	641	79	...	2,571	2,184	...	6,744	12,195	...	10,012	45,533	57,830	2,11,900	5,443	29,262	...	...	325	3,21,504
657	175	25	...	857	...	...	...	6,242	...	2,356	59,190	67,788	28,034	1,761	366	...	...	...	97,950
587	638	44	...	1,269	...	...	...	...	...	7,300	13,175	20,475	80,030	671	119	...	...	...	1,01,295
...	1,057	27	...	1,084	...	...	779	...	...	3,004	37,981	40,985	30,710	674	362	...	...	...	73,490
...	167	28	...	195	...	...	...	...	...	6,940	10,908	17,848	1,40 542	1,494	269	...	...	...	1,60,153
900	306	...	...	996	...	...	1,190	...	...	7,538	17,996	25,534	35,911	846	636	...	...	170	64,087
838	417	...	...	1,255	5,000	...	...	16,723	...	980	51,227	68,930	8,013	999	363	...	...	...	78,305
103	519	11	15	648	...	...	1,106	...	...	5,843	18,015	23,858	27,230	1,573	421	...	...	3,816	57,804
2,785	3,369	135	15	6,304	5,000	...	3,075	22,965	...	31,761	2,08,472	2,65,198	3,50,470	8,019	2,536	...	...	3,786	6,33,084
10,578	11,610	298	257	22,743	9,704	...	47,745	60,159	...	88,006	5,13,303	6,61,468	15,23,238	40,703	1,35,447	1,823	60	9,645	21,20,129
10,302	11,334	271	97	22,104	6,785	...	45,778	45,677	...	72,882	6,92,164	8,29,943	13,70,911	39,174	1,88,661	5,711	60	6,240	24,93,478

FORM

Statement showing the expenditure of District Boards in the Bengal

Serial number.	District Boards.	24.—MEDICAL.												26.—SCIENTIFIC AND				
		General Medical establishment.	Hospital and dispensaries.	Sanitation and Vaccination.			Medical schools and colleges.	Lunatic asylums.	Plague charges.	Contribution to Government.	Other contributions.	Refunds	Total.	Experimental cultivation.	Public Exhibition and Fairs.			
				Vaccination establishment and charges.	Sanitation charges.	Total.									Horse fairs.	Cattle fairs.	Other exhibitions or fairs.	Total.
		39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
BURDWAN DIVISION.																		
1	Burdwan ...	...	46,406	...	59,796	59,796	...	...	...	...	...	2,630	1,08,832	...	...	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	3,582	13,600	82	8,056	8,138	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,320	...	...	250	28	278
3	Bankura ...	249	9,911	892	1,846	2,738	...	...	...	...	708	...	13,606	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	...	22,931	274	10,492	10,766	121	...	...	...	3,060	...	36,898	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	2,844	21,687	56	4,368	4,424	133	...	...	...	...	...	29,088	...	...	...	...	...
6	Howrah	...	16,214	800	3,400	4,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,414	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total	6,675	1,29,749	2,104	87,958	90,062	254	...	...	...	3,788	2,630	2,33,158	...	...	250	28	278
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.																		
7	24-Parganas ...	...	21,322	7,186	10,291	17,477	...	...	...	...	500	...	39,299	...	...	...	4,002	4,002
8	Nadia	3,304	19,015	...	16,554	16,554	...	...	...	...	...	...	38,873	...	...	...	400	400
9	Murshidabad ...	59	14,023	...	3,497	3,497	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,579	...	...	...	...	...
10	Jessore	1,002	18,567	...	3,782	3,782	...	...	...	...	773	136	24,260	...	...	...	...	...
11	Khulna	3,028	23,935	...	1,949	1,949	70	...	...	...	...	360	29,342	100	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total	7,393	96,862	7,186	36,073	43,259	70	...	...	...	1,273	496	1,49,353	100	...	...	4,402	4,402
DACCA DIVISION.																		
12	Dacca	3,796	47,986	...	814	814	...	...	...	...	...	...	51,596	...	...	...	1,049	1,049
13	Mymensingh ...	4,843	65,965	...	3,450	3,450	915	...	...	...	...	...	74,673	498	...	...	145	145
14	Faridpur ...	...	16,270	...	365	365	...	...	...	3,347	...	...	19,982	...	...	...	...	...
15	Bakarganj ...	...	43,806	3,221	6,832	10,053	...	...	...	...	...	...	53,861	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total	7,139	1,74,029	3,221	11,461	14,682	915	...	...	3,347	...	...	2,00,112	498	...	...	1,194	1,194
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.																		
16	Chittagong ...	1,880	29,554	...	410	410	170	...	...	...	...	...	31,714	...	...	...	...	...
17	Tippera ...	2,791	20,153	...	982	982	330	...	...	...	497	...	24,753	...	...	...	...	...
18	Noakhali ...	3,515	14,990	...	1,824	1,824	100	...	...	...	...	...	20,429	...	...	...	100	100
	Divisional Total	7,886	64,697	...	3,216	3,216	600	...	...	...	497	...	76,896	...	...	...	100	100
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																		
19	Rajshahi ...	360	13,936	...	8,503	8,503	243	...	...	...	...	...	23,042	...	...	...	292	292
20	Dinajpur ...	...	13,801	...	4,416	4,416	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,317	...	...	...	...	...
21	Jalpaiguri ...	...	10,085	...	4,270	4,270	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,381	...	...	...	...	...
22	Rangpur ...	16,794	22,084	...	3,226	3,226	180	...	...	...	...	26	42,284	...	...	...	...	...
23	Bogra ...	96	12,678	340	1,932	2,272	120	...	...	...	348	...	15,514	...	...	...	...	...
24	Pabna ...	1,180	6,449	...	1,126	1,126	...	...	4,225	...	...	...	12,980	...	...	...	...	...
25	Malda ...	...	16,526	...	1,801	1,801	760	...	...	...	...	...	19,089	...	...	...	...	...
	Divisional Total	18,430	94,561	340	25,274	25,614	1,303	...	4,225	...	348	26	1,44,607	...	...	...	292	292
	GRAND TOTAL FOR 1915-16.	47,523	5,59,898	12,851	1,63,982	1,76,833	3,142	...	4,225	3,347	5,906	3,152	8,04,026	598	...	250	6,016	6,266
	TOTAL FOR 1914-15	49,971	4,97,698	893	1,19,884	1,20,777	2,055	...	11	...	20,709	1,136	6,92,357	...	...	250	6,810	7,060

No. III.

Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916—continued.

OTHER MINOR DEPARTMENTS.							29.—SUPERANNUATION ALLOWANCES AND PENSIONS.					30.—STATIONERY AND PRINTING.					32.—MISCELLANEOUS.							
Veterinary charges.	Bull and stallion charges.	Botanical and other public gardens.	Provincial statistics.	Contributions to Government.	Other contributions.	Total.	Pensions.	Gratuities.	Contributions to Government.	Other contributions, including payments to Service Funds and Provident Funds.	Total.	Stationery purchased from central stores.	Other stationery.	Printing.	Lithography.	Total.	Donations for charitable purposes.	Rewards for the destruction of dogs, wild animals and snakes.	Other petty establishment and charges.	Miscellaneous and unforeseen charges.	Miscellaneous refunds.	Contributions to Government.	Other contributions.	Total.
56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
4,049	...	...	...	...	...	4,049	1,586	...	...	1,662	3,248	...	...	1,249	...	1,249	...	...	585	1,073	5	...	...	1,663
1,320	675	...	...	...	...	1,973	360	...	...	473	833	...	...	1,751	...	1,751	...	...	...	...	5,760	...	...	5,760
2,597	...	...	...	...	101	2,698	800	...	...	701	1,501	...	...	162	...	162	...	...	...	1,225	...	...	...	1,225
1,123	304	...	...	1,872	138	3,437	1,956	...	299	1,005	3,260	...	1,335	1,874	...	3,209	...	...	...	928	100	...	...	1,028
2,155	...	...	...	1,872	200	4,227	...	...	...	874	874	...	...	2,230	...	2,230	...	...	...	1,039	85	...	...	1,124
1,040	...	...	...	...	143[c]	1,183	...	...	...	788	788	...	...	1,194	...	1,194	...	...	300	620	...	...	...	920
12,284	979	...	...	3,744	582	17,867	4,702	...	299	5,503	10,504	...	1,335	8,460	...	9,795	...	...	885	4,885	5,950	...	...	11,720
3,417	...	...	...	...	...	7,417	941	...	...	1,813	2,754	...	...	2,080	...	2,080	...	...	...	231	55	...	...	286
2,347	...	...	...	...	..	2,747	2,097	...	...	838	2,935	...	...	699	...	699	...	...	...	238	500	...	...	738
1,743	...	...	...	...	...	1,743	1,830	...	...	442	2,272	...	...	909	...	909	...	...	...	395	...	...	...	395
1,158	...	...	...	1,248	...	2,406	690	...	792	...	1,482	...	...	1,541	...	1,541	..	...	306	132	160	...	...	598
3,250	145	...	...	1,872	...	5,267	237	...	...	901	1,138	...	...	1,012	...	1,012	...	...	...	1,133	...	...	...	1,133
11,915	145	...	...	3,120	...	19,682	5,795	...	792	3,994	10,581	...	...	6,241	...	6,241	...	...	306	2,129	715	...	...	3,150
1,491	...	...	...	1,939	...	4,479	4,195	...	...	1,242	5,437	...	...	1,514	...	1,514	...	...	...	32	8	...	...	40
7,854	1,569	...	...	...	...	9,866	2,209	...	...	1,888	4,097	...	...	2,401	23	2,424	...	...	...	1,005	...	...	...	1,005
3,069	...	...	...	...	...	3,069	...	...	...	712	712	...	...	528	...	528	...	...	...	866	...	...	...	866
4,077	642	...	...	2,232	...	7,051	1,545	...	...	2,347	3,892	...	...	1,220	...	1,220	...	...	...	1,307	1	...	...	1,308
16,291	2,211	...	...	4,171	...	24,465	7,949	...	...	6,189	14,138	...	...	5,663	23	5,686	...	...	...	3,210	9	...	...	3,119
2,382	...	...	...	1,788	...	4,170	1,637	...	...	780	2,417	...	...	392	...	392	...	...	...	181	...	...	...	481
1,981	...	...	...	2,074	...	4,055	1,697	240	387	937	3,261	...	...	319	...	319	10	...	156	10,596	873	...	...	11,636
1,770	...	...	...	1,248	...	3,127	3,175	74	...	678	3,927	...	...	401	...	401	...	17	...	160	...	...	...	167
6,143	...	...	...	5,110	...	11,352	6,529	314	387	2,395	9,625	...	...	1,112	...	1,112	10	17	156	11,226	873	...	...	12,384
6,808	...	...	...	1,794	...	8,294	...	...	...	834	834	...	...	1,354	...	1,354	...	48	...	1,000	...	...	...	1,048
1,525	..	...	...	...	...	1,525	...	...	...	1,025	1,025	...	697	711	...	1,408	...	...	...	49	923	...	...	972
3,211	...	...	...	...	...	3,211	1,440	...	...	735	2,175	...	...	1,196	...	1,196	...	...	...	121	...	...	...	121
5,176	650	...	...	...	...	5,826	6,282	...	...	1,703	7,985	...	...	2,063	96	2,158	...	...	...	524	...	...	...	524
1,496	...	...	...	...	...	1,496	395	...	...	745	1,140	...	...	874	...	874	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,697	716	...	...	...	...	3,413	1,019	...	...	538	1,557	...	...	1,467	61	1,528	...	...	...	508	10	...	...	518
3,456	...	...	...	...	...	3,456	890	474	...	...	1,364	...	...	667	...	667	...	77	...	353	...	...	...	430
25,769	1,366	...	...	1,794	...	27,221	9,996	474	...	5,580	16,050	...	697	8,331	157	9,185	...	125	...	2,555	933	...	...	3,613
70,401	4,701	...	...	15,039	682	100,587	34,971	788	1,478	23,661	60,898	...	2,032	29,807	180	32,019	10	143	1,349	23,905	8,430	...	...	33,886
55,066	4,885	...	...	15,691	117	82,819	33,311	250	849	18,635	53,045	...	2,796	27,802	108	31,706	58	34	950	18,990	3,953	...	440	24,425

FORM

Statement showing the expenditure of District Boards in the

Serial number.	District Boards.	83.—FAMINE RELIEF.				RAILWAYS.					43.—MINOR WORKS AND NAVIGATION.	45.—CIVIL WORKS—							
												BUILDINGS.		COMMUNICATIONS.		WATER-SUPPLY AND WATER-WORKS.		DRAINAGE WORKS.	
		Charitable relief.	Public Works.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Interest on loans borrowed for railway purposes.	Repayment of loan borrowed for railway purposes and chargeable to Railway Revenue Accounts.	Construction of railways charged to Revenue.	Miscellaneous railway expenditure.	Total.	Local canal charges.	Original works.	Repairs.	Original works.	Repairs.	Original works.	Repairs.	Original works.	Repairs.
		81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
BURDWAN DIVISION.																			
1	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,245	515	1,65,341	2,08,257	...	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,156	1,925	31,295	60,691	16,139	1,944	...	...
3	Bankura ...	67,851	1,90,231	803	2,58,885	...	...	...	...	...	...	720	359	14,468	48,789	6,194	891	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	424	697	55,256	2,00,451	11,996	1,835	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23,508	1,233	27,627	1,16,935	15,835	1,008	...	...
6	Howrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,996	1,785	52,153	74,583	8,267	1,028	...	...
	Divisional Total	67,851	1,90,231	803	2,58,885	...	...	...	...		...	50 051	6,514	3,46,143	7,09,706	58,431	6,706	...	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION																			
7	24-Parganas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,119	14,999	1,717	2,54,745	2,11,014	31,281	5,230	2,544	805
8	Nadia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,686	527	35,849	1,26,356	28,851	1,011	...	...
9	Murshidabad ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22,554	355	36 657	81,990	15,862	1,123	...	771
10	Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,262	2,891	74,763	96,428	21,464	772	...	134
11	Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47,818	5,277	62,935	94,197	24,781	1,170	3,308	592
	Divisional Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,119	94,918	10,467	4,64,949	6,09,994	1,21,939	9,306	5,852	2,302
DACCA DIVISION.																			
12	Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,326	841	40,804	90,562	46,183	4,867	...	...
13	Mymensingh ...	...	16,615	108	16,723	...	...	...	...	...	...	551	1,645	2,57,224	2,38,717	25,589	7,614	161	...
14	Faridpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,991	134	54,988	41,477	30,289	4,486	...	...
15	Bakarganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,275	1,402	1,37,061	1,24,368	8,606	333	14,714	...
	Divisional Total	...	16,615	108	16,723	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,143	4,022	4,90,077	4,95,024	1,10,689	17,270	14,875	...
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.																			
16	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,907	1,10,380	1,45,443	...	63,145*	...	...
17	Tippera ...	...	18,474	2	18,476	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,077	1,336	37,760	1,03,869	32,058	760	9,499	1
18	Noakhali ...	64	...	...	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,289	1,024	93,296	55,515	22,244	12,073	3,603	1,064
	Divisional Total	64	18,474	2	18,540	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,366	5,267	2,41,436	3,04,827	54,302	75,978	13,102	1,065
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.																			
19	Rajshahi ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	6,655	839	30,731	1,07,168	22,048	507	...	1,157
20	Dinajpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,421	1,289	1,16,615	76,311	10,400	920	...	...
21	Jalpaiguri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,466	878	1,44,935	62,080	11,516	...	...	...
22	Rangpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	10,069	1,508	1,41,333	77,731	17,749	1,955	1,938	839
23	Bogra ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 535	1,067	14,852	41,404	22,114	82	...	...
24	Pabna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,266	528	67,516	59,443	9,190	118	...	...
25	Malda ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	133	1,679	870	65,990	32,786	11,925	316	1,159	...
	Divisional Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	133	54,090	6,979	5,81,972	4,56,923	1,04,982	3,998	3,097	1,996
	GRAND TOTAL FOR 1915-16 ...	67,915	2,25,320	913	2,94,148	...	...	...	...	...	1,252	2,46,568	33,249	21,24,577	25,76,474	4,60,393	1,12,258	36,926	5,363
	TOTAL FOR 1914-15	367	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,400	3,400	14,629	2,49,286	27,967	20,38,005	23,88,006	5,10,444	86,136	46,099	5,883

No. III.

Bengal Presidency during the year ending 31st March 1916—concluded.

PUBLIC WORKS.										DEBT.				BALANCE.		
Other works of improvement.	Establishment and contingencies appertaining to Public Works.	Tools and plants.	Staging Bungalows and Serai [rest house] establishments and charges.	Arboriculture charges.	Miscellaneous.	Contributions to Government.	Other contributions.	Total.	Total expenditure chargeable to current income.	Railway construction met from borrowed funds.	Repayment of loans.	Deposits and advances.	Total.	Total disbursements.	Deposits.	Actual Balance.	Total.
99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	41,371	10,479	14,633	1,616	...	...	...	4,48,457	**6,90,835**	...	...	83,124	83,124	7,73,959	42,434	2,58,666	3,01,100
...	12,442	2,452	1,645	1,400	...	...	...	1,42,004	**2,34,585**	...	...	57,198	57,198	2,91,783	24,670	50,302	74,972
...	11,447	27	987	1,846	...	...	...	85,726	**4,34,745**	...	...	53,530	53,530	4,88,275	6,784	8,500	15,284
...	34,819	496	...	4,859	20	...	...	3,10,853	**5,79,973**	...	...	49,925	49,925	6,29,898	61,547	2,58,956	3,22,503
...	21,970	1,814	...	745	...	...	375	2,11,050	**3,30,228**	...	...	23,875	23,875	3,54,103	18,073	71,518	89,591
...	12,511	103	987	407	...	...	...	1,58,420	**2,48,737**	...	...	25,619	25,619	2,74,356	1,845	23,963	25,808
...	1,34,560	15,371	17,852	10,873	20	...	375	13,86,602	**25,19,103**	...	...	2,93,271	2,93,271	28,12,374	1,57,303	6,71,955	8,29,258
...	22,364	16,436	1,141	815	2,978	...	...	5,65,969	**7,36,796**	...	2,215	28,558	30,773	7,67,569	1,17,990	4,85,013	6,03,003
...	23,365	2,081	119	2,243	...	...	...	2,24,087	**3,71,621**	...	...	49,825	49,825	4,21,446	62,731	34,328	97,059
...	17,015	2,419	1,424	336	...	...	...	1,80,215	**2,62,366**	...	2,307	34,751	37,058	2,99,444	28,505	80,276	1,08,781
196	26,011	1,763	750	193	...	...	..	2,31,426	**3,58,262**	...	2,881	20,180	23,061	3,81,323	44,354	14,893	59,247
19	19,830	999	1,515	2,100	1,404	...	200	2,65,435	**3,80,574**	...	...	43,159	43,159	4,23,733	18,040	8,495	26,535
215	1,08,275	23,697	4,949	5,687	4,382	...	200	14,67,132	**21,09,639**	...	7,403	1,76,473	1,83,876	22,93,515	3,68,620	6,23,005	9,91,625
532	23,502	296	10,030	...	...	...	...	2,30,944	**4,20,396**	...	...	60,748	60,748	4,81,144	49,961	79,483	1,29,444
...	50,701	3,833	2,353	4,021	452	...	...	5,92,830	**9 32 345**	...	...	1,11,611	1,11,611	10,43,959	1,82,421	2,14,247	3,96,668
...	18,715	1,088	876	187	22	...	...	1,55,193	**2,05,286**	...	...	30,719	30,719	2,36,005	5,207	37,493	42,100
...	39,544	2,573	...	...	...	...	...	3,48,778	**5 59 593**	...	...	86,123	86,123	6,45,716	1,375	32,546	33,921
532	1,32,463	7,789	13,259	4,208	474	...	...	13,17,745	**22 17,622**	...	...	2,89,201	2,89,201	25,06,824	2,38,964	3,64,169	6,03,033
...	30,152	1,113	1,634	894	...	...	...	3,55,656	**4,89,650**	...	...	32,411	32,411	5,22,061	50,157	78,635	1,28,792
194	20,644	9,176	1,608	678	49	...	...	2,26,630	**4,44,272**	...	...	1,64,075	1,64,075	6,08,347	70,934	32,032	1,02,966
...	16,670	493	...	883	...	...	...	2,18,194	**3,58,483**	...	...	32,253	32,253	3,90,736	71,321	33,153	1,04,474
194	67,466	10,782	3,232	2,455	49	...	...	8,10,481	**12,92,405**	...	...	2,28,739	2,28,739	15,21,144	1,92,412	1,43,820	3,36,232
...	25,914	932	6,869	556	12	...	...	2,03,438	**3,49,419**	...	...	36,836	36,836	3,88,255	23,329	59,386	82,708
...	25,396	3,178	...	821	198	...	...	3,36,549	**3,72,265**	..	3,295	39,983	43,278	4,17,543	29,803	53,650	83,453
...	23,752	5,678	2,467	705	2,350	...	...	2,68,826	**3,72,260**	...	...	3,248	3,248	3,75,508	32,549	94,686	1,27,235
2,302	34,712	6,174	5,763	5,065	1,295	...	...	3,08,533	**5,43,536**	...	3,965	31,233	35,198	5,78,734	1,52,463	39,853	1,92,315
...	11,972	2,504	1,114	...	163	...	...	97,807	**1,86,485**	...	...	14,060	14,060	2,00,545	2,569	34,136	36,707
...	16,362	1,430	...	2,036	257	...	...	1,76,046	**2,88,711**	...	...	25,057	25,057	3,13,768	42,711	82,617	1,25,328
...	12,470	428	...	3,252	113	...	...	1,30,988	**2,20,620**	...	...	43,549	43,549	2,64,169	21,049	31,690	52,739
2,302	1,52,478	20,324	16,313	10,435	4,388	...	...	14,19,177	**23,33,296**	...	9,260	1,96,966	2,05,216	25,38,512	3,04,164	3,85,220	6,89,384
3,173	5,95,243	73,933	55,305	33,655	9,313	...	575	63,71,107	**1,04,72,066**	...	16,683	11 83,650	12,00,303	1,16,72,369	11,61,363	21,88,189	33,49,532
10,148	5,43,007	74,344	57,976	38,728	4,862	...	450	60,38,991	**97,28,951**	...	19,728	10,88,850	11,08,578	1,08,37,529	13,12,473	31,17,843	43,30,316

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT ON FOREST ADMINISTRATION IN THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL FOR 1915-16.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

FORESTS.

CALCUTTA, THE 18TH DECEMBER 1916.

RESOLUTION—No. 10091For.

READ—

The Annual Progress Report on Forest Administration in the Presidency of Bengal for the year ending 30th June 1916.

Read also—

The corresponding Report of the previous year and the Government Resolution thereon.

MR. C. E. MURIEL was in charge of the Bengal Forest Circle till the 7th January 1916, when he went on combined leave. He was succeeded by Sir Henry Farrington, Bart., who held charge of the circle during the remaining part of the year. Mr. Muriel was on tour for 55 days and Sir Henry Farrington for 141 days. All the divisional offices were inspected during the year.

2. **Changes in area and in administration.**—There was a small change in the actual areas of the reserved forests under the Forest Department due to the inclusion of 348 acres on account of the Buxa Chiko and Buxa Poro extensions in the Buxa Forest Division. Areas aggregating 258 acres of reserved forests in the Darjeeling, Tista, Kurseong, Jalpaiguri and Buxa Divisions were transferred to the charge of the Public Works Department, the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway and the Eastern Bengal Railway without being disforested.

3. **Reservation and demarcation.**—The settlement work in connection with the Buxa Hill Reserve was completed during the year, and the area has been declared as reserved forest since the close of the year. The proposed extensions of the Titi and Daina Reserved Forests in Jalpaiguri are still under the consideration of Government.

The Governor in Council notes with satisfaction the progress made in completing the demarcation work in all the forest divisions and desires that this important work should be expedited in the remaining areas of the Chittagong and Chittagong Hill Tracts.

4. **Working plans.**—No new working-plans were sanctioned during the year, but revised working plans for the Jalpaiguri and Buxa Forest Divisions are being prepared in accordance with the suggestions made by the Inspector-General of Forests during his tour of inspection last year. In accordance with the decision to adopt a policy of artificial regeneration in land cleared for the purpose Government have accepted the proposal of the Conservator of Forests that about 300 acres of experimental sowings of *sal* and 50 acres of other species should be put out yearly. The deviations from the sanctioned working plans have been sufficiently explained by the Conservator in his report.

5. **Communications and buildings.**—Eight miles of cart-road, 16 miles of bridle-path and 5 miles of foot-path were constructed during the year. The total expenditure on communications amounted to Rs. 25,500 against Rs. 38,987 in the previous year.

The total expenditure on new buildings and repairs amounted to Rs. 28,949 against Rs. 62,643 in the previous year.

6. **Protection.**—There was an increase in the total number of forest offences reported during the year, the number being 2,351 against 1,835 in the previous year. This increase and the result that 94 per cent. of the cases disposed of during the year ended in conviction was satisfactory, and showed that greater vigilance was being exercised by the patrols.

The area in which fire protection was attempted during the year comprised 370,498 acres. and the percentage of successful protection was 98·5. The cost per square mile was Rs. 10-8-5 as compared with Rs. 8-15-10 in 1914-15. The increased cost is ascribed to the prolonged drought which necessitated a more expensive fire staff. The area burnt over amounted to 5,468 acres against 6,143 acres in the previous year In 9 out of 22 cases the causes of the fires could not be ascertained.

In the reserved forests the area open to grazing was 663 square miles against 686 in the previous year. There was no change in the area open to grazing in the protected and unclassed forests. The number of cattle impounded during the year was 4,778 against 2,707 in the previous year, and 3,005, the average for the last three years. The chief increase was in the Buxa and Jalpaiguri Divisions and was due to better work done by the subordinate staff and to the continuance of the disc system which rendered detection easier. The most extensive damage resulting from grazing is reported to have occurred in the hills and the river-bed forests of the Duars and Terai. The Governor in Council is glad to notice that this subject is engaging the attention of the Conservator of Forests.

Investigations into the life-history of the root-fungus discovered by the Forest Zoologist are being carried on in the Kurseong, Jalpaiguri and Buxa Forest Divisions. Although the fungus has been found in all parts of the plains *sal* forest of the Kurseong Division, it has not yet been definitely recognized in any hill forests. The records of these investigations are being maintained. The Forest Botanist and the Imperial Mycologist visited the Buxa forests and the latter identified the fungus as *Polyporus Shoreæ* a new species. The Imperial Mycologist began a second series of inoculation experiments as the first series had given negative results. Owing to the deputation of the Forest Zoologist to Mesopotamia the results of his investigations into the life-history of the insects affecting *sundri* are not ready for publication. The Governor in Council is fully alive to the desirability of appointing a whole-time Sylviculturist for this Presidency, but this measure is necessarily deferred on financial grounds. Pending the creation of such an appointment it has been decided to place one of the officers of the department on special deputation on this work in the Sundarbans.

7. **Exploitation.**—Minor forest produce continued to be disposed of generally under permits at fixed rates. The lease granted to Messrs. Shaw Wallace and Co,, Calcutta, for the collection of nettle fibre from the reserved forests of the Darjeeling district was cancelled during the year, as the Company found it impossible to prepare fibre at a profit. Messrs. Burn and Co. also expressed their inability to start work in connection with the concessions granted to them for the extraction of timber and bamboos from the forests in the Darjeeling and Jalpaiguri districts till after the end of the war. Negotiations will be resumed as soon as Messrs. Burn and Co. are ready to proceed.

A scheme for exploiting cane on a four-year rotation has been drawn up for the Buxa forests, and has been put into operation.

The last season's khedda operations conducted under agreement by Babu Kamala Kanta Bhattacharji in the Tista Division resulted in the capture of 39 elephants. In Chittagong Osi Meah and Ahmed Meah captured, respectively. 10 and 9 elephants.

8. **General.**—The number of persons reported to have been killed by tigers in the Sundarbans was 60 against 79 in the previous year, and the number of tigers killed during the year was 35.

The scheme mentioned in last year's Resolution for the enlargement of the Kurseong Forest School so as to provide for the training of Rangers in Bengal and Assam is under preparation, but it is not expected to come into operation till after the end of the war.

9. **Financial results.**—During the year under review the total revenue fell from Rs. 11,99,702 in 1914-15 to Rs. 11,74,795, and the expenditure decreased from Rs. 6,72,004 to Rs. 5,90,843. The surplus amounted to Rs. 5,83,952 against Rs. 5,27,698 in the preceding year. There was a large decrease in the revenue of the Sundarbans Division due to the depression in trade which resulted in less sales. This more than counterbalanced the higher receipts which were obtained in Darjeeling, Kurseong, Jalpaiguri and Buxa Divisions. The total revenue and the surplus during the year correspond almost exactly with the average figures for the five years from 1904-05 to 1908-09, while the surplus is less by 4 lakhs than that of 1913-14 and by 2⅓ lakhs than that of the quinquennial period 1909-10 to 1913-14 : thus the financial effect of the war has been to set back the advance made in the five years before its outbreak.

10. Mr. Muriel held the post of Conservator of Forests for a period of nearly five years beginning in November 1910. The Governor in Council desires to place on record his high appreciation of Mr. Muriel's careful administration of the department. He has read Sir Henry Farrington's report with interest and, in particular, the account of his tours, which shows that he has lost no time in investigating the important problems which are pending. He notices with pleasure the commendatory remarks on the work of other officers contained in Chapter IV of the Report.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be published in the Gazette and that a copy, with a copy of the report, be submitted to the Government of India.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF WARDS', ATTACHED AND TRUST ESTATES IN THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL FOR THE YEAR 1915-16.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

CALCUTTA, THE 18TH DECEMBER 1916.

RESOLUTION—No. 10098.

READ—

The Report of the Board of Revenue on the Administration of Wards', Attached and Trust Estates in the Presidency of Bengal for the year 1915-16.

THE period covered by the report has been changed from the revenue year ending on the 30th June to the Bengali year ending on 31st Chait of 1322 (corresponding with 13th April 1916), as it was found that practical advantages would be derived from the adoption of the Bengali year according to which estate accounts are generally kept in Bengal.

2. **Number of estates under management.**—Four new estates were taken charge of, the number of estates under the management of the Court of Wards at the close of the year being 57.

3. **Payment of revenue and cesses.**—The total amount of revenue and cesses, due from the estates under management, including arrears, was over 14 lakhs, of which over 13 lakhs or 92·1 per cent. was paid, against 88·0 per cent. in the previous year. The heaviest balances, due from the Tagore estate in the 24-Parganas and the estate of Apurba Kumari Debi in the district of Bakarganj, are attributed to bad collection and want of funds, respectively.

4. **Rent and cesses due to superior landlords.**—There was a slight increase in the percentage of payment of rent and cesses due to superior landlords, 79·6 per cent. of the amount due being paid against 78·3 in the preceding year. The balance of Rs. 1,28,985 out of a total demand of Rs. 6,32,629 is ascribed to delay in the adjustment of accounts of the superior landlords, their refusal to accept payment of the wards' share of the dues separately from other sharers jointly liable, accumulation of petty dues for a number of years allowed by superior landlords, and disputes regarding title and interest of the superior landlords.

5. **Collection of rent and cesses.**—The total collections rose to 94·5 per cent. of the current demand, against 84·7 in the previous year. The standard of 100 per cent. was exceeded in the Burdwan, Presidency and Rajshahi Divisions, the highest percentage (114·2) being in the Burdwan Division and the lowest (68·0) in the Chittagong Division. This low percentage is attributed to the low price of jute and to damage to crops by floods in certain areas and, in particular, in the Tippera portion of the Kasimbazar estate, where severe distress prevailed, necessitating the expenditure of Rs. 60,000 by the estate on gratuitous relief and relief-works among its tenants. The outstanding balances due to all estates aggregate nearly 60 lakhs, or 145·8 per cent. on the current demand, against 135·6 per cent. in the preceding year. The balances increased in the Presidency, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions and decreased in the Burdwan and Rajshahi Divisions. They include a large amount of fictitious items which are being gradually written off.

There was an increase of 90 in the number of civil suits and of 2,056 in the number of certificates filed during the year for the recovery of rent and cesses due to wards' estates. Out of 4,292 civil suits for disposal, 3,736 were disposed of, but less than one-sixth of the decretal amount was realised. The Governor in Council regrets to notice this and desires that steps be taken for the speedy recovery of the heavy balance. The number of certificates disposed of was more than half the number for disposal, 54·7 per cent. of the total claim being realised against 54·4 in the previous year.

6. **Debts of estates.**—The total liabilities of the estates under the control of the Court of Wards during the year amounted to over 86½ lakhs, of which over 3½ lakhs were paid off. Nearly 77 lakhs are still due from eight heavily encumbered estates. The foreclosure suit instituted by the mortgagees of the Tagore estate has been decreed, and the decree is likely to be executed within the current year. The major portion of the debt of nearly 19 lakhs due by the Bhawal estate represents claims of one proprietor on another or on the joint estate, the undisputed claims being a little over 2½ lakhs only. A special officer has been appointed to ascertain the exact liabilities of the estate and of each of the three shares.

7. **Cost of management and expenditure on improvements.**—The cost of management was 12·6 per cent. of the current demand against 12·4 in the preceding year. The standard of 10 per cent. was exceeded in all the divisions except the Presidency Division. In order to reduce the high cost of management in the Tippera portion of the Kasimbazar estate a revised scheme of mufassal tahsil establishment has been introduced as an experimental measure, and the question of a further reduction of cost is under consideration. The total expenditure on improvements, schools and dispensaries amounted to Rs. 1,89,062, or 4·5 per cent. of the current rent and cess demand. It is satisfactory to note that the Board has issued, in consultation with the Director of Agriculture, revised instructions with a view to more effective co-operation between the Department of Agriculture and the officers of the Court of Wards in carrying out agricultural improvements in wards' estates, and has impressed on the officers that the improvement of agriculture needs attention in embarrassed as well as in solvent estates.

8. **Education of Wards.**—The education of wards received due attention, and the results were generally satisfactory. In accordance with the scheme for giving minors under the Court of Wards some training in survey and settlement work, one ward and a son of another ward attended the training camp during the field season of 1915-16.

9. The thanks of the Governor in Council are due to the Board for its efficient administration of the estates under the Court of Wards. Miss Cornelia Sorabji, the Lady Assistant to the Court of Wards, continued to do useful work in giving the ladies of the zenanas of wards' estates the benefit of her advice on general matters and particularly with regard to the health, comfort and education of these ladies and of minor wards. The good work of the managers commended in the report will be noted.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT ON THE WORKING OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES IN BENGAL FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE 1916.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

AGRICULTURE.

CALCUTTA, THE 18TH DECEMBER 1916.

RESOLUTION—No. 10087Agri.

READ—

The Report on the Working of Co-operative Societies in Bengal for the year ending the 30th June 1916.

THE report is an interesting record of the steady progress made during the year by the co-operative movement in Bengal. The character of the year was by no means uniformly favourable, considerable damage being caused by floods to the jute and winter rice crops in many of the districts of Eastern Bengal. In Bankura district, where famine prevailed, the co-operative movement has not as yet made any progress : the occasion did not therefore afford an opportunity for testing the ability of co-operation in Bengal to withstand famine conditions. In Tippera district, where there are 3 central banks and 228 agricultural societies, the low price obtained for jute in 1914-15 had brought about a want of ready money among the labouring and cultivating classes, and high floods in June, July and August 1915 destroyed the crops on the ground and, with them, the visible security on which loans might have been raised : the local money-lenders were alarmed, and owing to non-realization of their advances of the previous year, were themselves short of money. These conditions induced widespread distress in an area in which the soil is very fertile and in which there was at no time a shortness of food supplies It is in this district that the Governor in Council looks for evidence of the capacity of the co-operative movement to meet those adverse conditions which form a real test of its strength. It is true that the operations of the societies in the district affected a very limited number of the people concerned, and that the restoration of credit was due in a large measure to the loans issued by Government under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, but the assistance rendered by co-operative societies was in itself substantial and affords clear proof of the benefits which the members of societies derived from the improvement of their credit by combination. At the beginning of the year under review the overdue loans of members of the agricultural societies amounted, on account of the low price of jute in 1914-15, to Rs. 91,000. The central banks were able, however, to raise Rs. 1,37,000 in 1915-16 in loans and deposits from individuals, as compared with Rs. 97,000 so raised in 1914-15, and in spite of the unfavourable conditions prevailing they were ready to give loans to their affiliated societies and to suspend repayments where this was necessary. At the end of the year the loans overdue from members amounted to Rs. 1,03,000. The confidence of the public and the benefit of the members in a time of stress have been demonstrated : whether this confidence was deserved and whether the benefit will be received again in similar conditions depends on the ability of the societies to recover their dues now that better times have come. and the Governor in Council awaits with much interest the results of the current year on which depends the firm establishment of co-operation in this district.

2. During the year the number of societies of all kinds in Bengal rose from 1,992 to 2,243, the number of members from 107,116 to 121,833, and the working capital from Rs. 1,09,51,050 to Rs. 1,24,48,573. These figures show a decrease in the rate of progress as measured by numbers compared with that of the past four years. An agricultural year of somewhat unfavourable character following on the year in which the outbreak of the war had

bad effects on the cultivators of jute was not a period in which rapid extension was desirable, and the Registrar was well advised in confining his attention mainly to the improvement of existing societies. With the improved conditions now prevailing the Governor in Council hopes that it will be found possible to devote more attention to the seven districts mentioned in the report in which little progress has yet been made. In Howrah, Rajshahi, Jalpaiguri and Malda there are signs of progress the development of which will be watched with interest. In Bankura the restoration of normal conditions by a bumper crop following on a period of famine affords an opportunity for making a beginning, and the efforts of the Weavers' Relief Committee in that district have given an example of the benefits which result from combined action. The backwardness of Hooghly is peculiar in view of the comparative advance of this district in the development of the panchayati system, and it is hoped that voluntary organizers will be forthcoming. There is no area in the Presidency in which the benefits of co-operation are likely to give better results than in the Chittagong Hill Tracts : the country is backward and the people are improvident in a marked degree : at present adverse agricultural conditions make the time unfavourable for a campaign in co-operation, but the Governor in Council can see no prospect of any lasting improvement in the people of this area except by the development of habits of thrift, and he desires that, as soon as conditions permit, an earnest endeavour shall be made to extend the co-operative movement.

3. The scheme for the inauguration of a provincial bank in this Presidency was again considered during the year in the light of the remarks made by the Committee on Co-operation, but it was decided to keep it in abeyance for the present. Though it is satisfactory to note that the difficulties which were found in financing central banks in the earlier stages of the movement have disappeared, and that the majority of them have no difficulty in raising sufficient capital locally, the need for a provincial bank remains, and the subject will be taken up again when financial conditions improve.

4. Two new central banks were established during the year, but as one of the old ones was excluded from the category, the net addition to this class was only one, the total number being now 39. The working capital of these banks rose from Rs. 40,88,000 to Rs. 46,00,000, the deposits from Rs. 33,69,000 to Rs. 37,61,000, and the reserve funds from Rs. 75,072 to Rs. 1,11,901. During the year under review the percentage of collections on loans outstanding at the end of the year *plus* loans given out during the year was 15·33 compared with 6·62 in the previous year, and the amount of interest collected was Rs. 4,27,331 against Rs. 2,63,777 of the previous year. The collections show a decided improvement and are satisfactory in view of the abnormal conditions of the year. The resources of the central banks have been sufficient and their dealings during the year have been satisfactory, though they are reported to have erred sometimes on the side of over-caution. The proportion of the paid-up share capital and reserve fund to the total liabilities of the central banks has increased from 13 per cent. in 1914-15 to 19 per cent. in 1915-16 : in this respect there has been an improvement in the position of the Pabna Central Bank, whose proportion has risen from 4·7 to 9·2 per cent.

5. The net addition to agricultural societies during the year was 210, and the combined working capital of these societies rose from Rs. 52,74,969 to Rs. 56,93,521, and the deposits by members increased by Rs. 16,000. The amount of loans issued to members was Rs. 16,86,000 as against Rs. 15,73,000 in the previous year, and Rs. 14,11,991 was recovered as against Rs. 7,73,900. The percentage of overdue loan at the end of the year was 26 as against 28 per cent. at the end of the previous year. The amount of overdue loans is still excessive, but there has been an appreciable improvement, and the good harvests which are now being reaped should result in a substantial reduction of this percentage. The Registrar reports that an advance has been made in the education of the people in the principles of true co-operation and in the removal of defects. He has still to fight hard against defects which are difficult to eradicate, such as the tendency on the part of the

members of committees to appropriate the bulk of the loans. The Governor in Council trusts that the Registrar will not relax his efforts to remove these evils. The account of the Kholar Irrigation Society in Midnapore district is of much interest in the possibilities which it suggests of combined action by cultivators for the irrigation and the drainage of their fields : the problems involved are frequently such as admit of no solution except by co-operation of an advanced type, and the Governor in Council will watch with keen interest the progress of this society and of others which attempt to perform similar functions.

6. The number of non-agricultural societies increased from 91 to 125, the notable advance being in the societies of weavers which rose from 5 to 17. The members of weaving societies being generally illiterate have difficulty in selling their produce in the best markets, and arrangements for sales are receiving the attention of the department. The Dacca Co-operative Dairy Society was originally a production society ; it now collects milk from the owners of cattle and distributes it, and though its position as a dairy society has not yet been fully established, it is doing better than it did in its original form. The Lakhikole Sugar Manufacturing Society made a profit of Rs. 1,000. The Fishermen's Societies are still in the experimental stage : one of the principal objects in view is the lease of fisheries to societies of fishermen instead of to middlemen, and when this has been arranged the societies are confronted with the difficulty of disposing of the catch otherwise than through the middleman who used to absorb all the profits.

7. The report mentions several instances in which the Co-operative Department has assisted the Department of Agriculture. In Dacca, Mymensingh and Kalimpong co-operative societies supplied their members with improved seed and manure : the Department of Agriculture looks to that of co-operative societies for assistance in a scheme for the distribution and reproduction of *indrasail* paddy seed on a large scale, and the Governor in Council attaches much importance to the development of this scheme.

8. No suit has yet been brought by a central society against any of its affiliated societies, but agricultural and non-agricultural societies brought several suits during the year. The Registrar reports that decrees are obtained easily, but owing to the legal uncertainty about the transferability of holdings execution of decrees is difficult. The Registrar complains of the difficulties of liquidation in the absence of special legislation for the enforcement of the liquidator's orders : the Governor in Council has not, however, yet been convinced that the application of the certificate procedure is required.

9. The accounts of almost all the societies were audited during the year. The staff maintained by central banks for inspection and supervision in accordance with the recommendation of the Committee on Co-operation is reported to be adequate. The Governor in Council is aware that with the steady advance of the Co-operative Department it has become difficult for the Registrar to cope with the work of supervision and audit without the aid of additional staff, and that expansion will not be practicable without more supervision. The number of inspectors has been increased from 10 to 17, but it has been decided to be necessary to give further relief to the supervising staff by the appointment of auditors to be paid by contributions from societies : the details of the scheme are under consideration.

10. The Governor in Council acknowledges with thanks the assistance rendered by officials and non-officials to whose efforts the steady progress of the co-operative movement in Bengal is greatly due. He also has much pleasure in again recording his appreciation of the efficient administration of the department by Rai Jamini Mohan Mitra Bahadur.

By order of the Governor in Council,

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Final Report of the *Bhadoi* Crops of Bengal, 1916-17.

Note.—On the average of the five years ending 1914-15, the area under autumn rice in Bengal represents some 6·6 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.

Character of the season.—In the early part of the season the rainfall was insufficient for ploughing and for the preparation of fields for the autumn crops. Sowings therefore progressed slowly until the second week of April when general rain improved the situation. This, however, was followed by dry whether in May, the early sown crops suffering much in consequence. The rainfall in the month of June enabled further sowings to be made in the Western districts and greatly improved the standing crops in the Eastern Bengal districts. The heavy rain in July in the Northern districts did considerably damage to the crops especially on the lower-lying lands. In the Eastern districts, however the rainfall was not heavy, but the sudden rise of the rivers caused some damage in some places. Good rainfall in August considerably improved the standing crops. A cyclonic storm with heavy rain in the third week of September caused considerable damage in some localities in the Western districts. Bankura, however, luckily escaped, and there a good crop has been harvested. On the whole, the season may be regarded as having been "fair" only.

Acreage.—The total area sown this year with the different *bhadoi* crops is reported to be 5,878,800 acres against 6,375,900 acres in the corresponding forecast of last last year. Of this, the area under autumn rice is reported to be 5,048,200 acres against 5,435,700 last year. The decrease in area since the preliminary forecast is due mainly to the revision of the Noakhali figures on the basis of the settlement records.

Outturn.—From Appendix I attached to the report it will be seen that only Bankura reports a bumper crop, *i.e.*, 121 per cent. Rangpur reports about a normal crop, *i.e.*, 99 per cent. Khulna, Burdwan, Birbhum, Dinajpur, Darjeeling, Bogra, Faridpur, Chittagong and Noakhali report a crop from 81 to 91 per cent. Twelve districts report from 63 to 77 per cent., while four districts (namely, Nadia, Murshidabad, Howrah and Malda) report from 50 to 58 per cent. The decrease in percentage outturns as compared with the normal may be attributed to drought in the early part of the season and to the effects of the cyclone and floods later on.

According to the estimates of the District Officers, the outturn of the different *bhadoi* crops for the province as a whole works out at 74 per cent. of the normal against 82 per cent. reported in the corresponding forecast of last year.

Taking 74 per cent. as the outturn of autumn (*aus*) rice for this year, the gross outturn for the province, on the basis of a normal yield of 10 maunds of clean grain per acre, is estimated at 27,445,700 cwts. against 33,146,700 cwts. reported in the corresponding forecast of last year.

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The 13th December, 1916.

APPENDIX I.

Final Report on the Bhadoi *Crops of Bengal, 1916-17.*

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	73,400	66,600	59,000	100	75	Middle of September, normal.	The increase in area as compared with the preliminary forecast in the case of *bhadoi* paddy was due to the fact that 600 acres were sown with the crop in the Barrackpore subdivision after the submission of the preliminary forecast, while the decrease in the case of pulses was due to revision of the area given in that forecast. The weather was not favourable. The cyclone in the last week of September damaged the crops to a certain extent. The outturn is below the normal owing to deficiency of rain during the period of growth and to the damage when the crops were ripe.
	Indian corn (maize) ...	.....	200	100	117	75		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,600	3,400	1,900	75	58		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,200	4,300	3,700	67	50		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,600	1,900	2,000	83	92		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	100	1,200	1,200	83	58		
	Total ...	84,000	76,600	67,900	97	73		
Nadia ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	491,100	481,800	475,300	75	50	Beginning of August, normal.	The cyclonic storm with heavy rain in the third week of September caused some damage to the crop when ready for reaping. Damage is reported to have been caused especially in thana Santipur in Ranaghat subdivision. Hence the outturn is much below the normal.
	Mandua, marua or ragi.	100	100	.....	67	.....		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	800	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	5,000	4,700	4,300	67	58		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		900	700	42	33		
	Indigo	1,000	1,600	2,200	117	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,400	3,100	3,100	83	67		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,900	2,600	2,300	67	58		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,800	1,800	2,800	67	58		
	Mulberry	(50)	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	8,900	7,000	7,100	67	50		
	Total ...	523,900	503,200	497,800	75	50		
Murshidabad.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	229,700	186,000	171,200	92	58	August to September, normal.	The increase in area under paddy, cereals and fodder crops as compared with the preliminary forecast was due to later sowings. The damage caused by drought at sowing time and subsequently by flood was about 40 per cent.
	Jowar	100	100	100	100	75		
	Bajra	500	300	300	100	83		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	500	600	600	92	67		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,000	1,100	1,000	92	75		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	4,000	4,400	83	50		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	1,100	900	83	75		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables including root-crops.	2,000	1,300	1,100	83	58	July to September, normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,000	2,700	2,600	83	67		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,500	2,000	2,000	100	67		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	400	400	400	75	58	August to September.	
	Mulberry	4,000	3,100	3,100	83	83		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	30,000	14,300	13,900	75	42		
	Total ...	271,300	217,000	201,600	90	58		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Jessore ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	407,300	361,800	359,500	90	75	July and August, normal.	Except for the flood in September the weather was favourable since publication of the preliminary forecast. The damage caused by flood to aus paddy is estimated at 25 per cent. and to other crops at 25 per cent. Want of sufficient rain at sowing time and subsequently early flood caused the outturn to fall below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ... / Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	12,200	12,400	12,200	85	60		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	12,200	10,600	10,600	85	60		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,200	100	.....	82	.....		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	12,100	2,000	1,700	85	75		
	Total ...	445,000	386,900	384,000	90	74		
Khulna ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	17,000	17,400	17,000	110	77	Beginning of August.	Since the submission of the preliminary forecast, weather conditions were unfavourable owing to heavy rain and to flood in September. The damage caused is estimated at about 20 per cent.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	200	100	100	100	77	Middle of September.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	600	600	600	100	85		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	14,800	14,200	14,100	100	85	August.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	300	200	200	100	92	1st week of September. The dates were normal.	
	Total ...	33,700	32,500	32,000	105	81		
Burdwan ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	113,800	92,500	92	83	September, normal	The weather was favourable in Kalna. In Sadar the weather was distinctly unfavourable at the start, but became propitious since the first week of August. In other subdivisions conditions were unfavourable on the whole. The damage caused by excessive rainfall and flood is estimated at about 20 per cent.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	3,000	3,000	3,000	92	100		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,000	800	700	67	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,200	900	900	92	67		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,000	2,800	2,800	83	58		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	1,700	1,700	75	75		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	200	200	200	67	50	Middle of September to middle of October.	
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	6,000	4,200	4,800	100	83		
	Mulberry	100	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	4,000	3,300	3,300	75	83		
	Total ...	160,200	130,500	109,900	91	81		
Birbhum ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	144,100	111,600	133,100	75	92	Beginning of October, normal.	The weather conditions were favourable on the whole. The outturn is below the normal owing to deficient rainfall at the beginning of the season.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,900	1,900	1,900	100	83		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,400	1,000	1,200	100	67		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	10,000	10,000	10,000	100	83		
	Mulberry	1,000	(50)	(50)	67	67		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	2,800	2,800	2,800	100	83		
	Total ...	161,200	127,300	149,000	78	91		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bankura ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	31,900	3,400	5,600	33	117	By the middle of September—normal.	The increase both in area and outturn is due to favourable weather conditions.
	Bajra	900	900	700	83	117		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	1,100	800	800	83	117		
	Indian corn (maize)	8,400	3,100	3,200	100	133		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ..	2,000	600	1,500	25	117		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	600	1,500	25	133		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	800	2,000	25	117		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	700	4,300	4,400	100	117		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	800	200	700	25	133		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	1,200	1,800	1,900	67	117		
	Total ...	40,900	16,500	22,300	73	121		
Midnapore	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	73,000	72,900	72,900	70	66	September—Normal	The weather conditions were unfavourable on the whole owing to excessive rainfall which caused damage to the extent of about 33 per cent.
	Bajra	3,900	3,500	3,400				
	Mandua, marua or ragi	6,700	5,700	6,200				
	Indian corn (maize) ...	11,000	9,600	6,300				
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	3,000	3,100				
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	10,500	10,500	9,000				
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,500	6,500	6,000				
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	8,000	7,300	7,800				
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,800	1,100	1,100				
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	1,000	1,000	1,000				
	Mulberry	400	100	100				
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	15,000	6,500	7,200				
	Total ...	142,300	127,900	123,100	70	66		
Hooghly ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	45,500	29,000	24,000	71	65	September—Normal	The weather conditions were not favourable. Some damage was caused to the crops by drought in the early part of the season.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	300	300	200	75	66	October—Normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	600	200	200	55	46	September—normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		200	100	83	50		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,100	4,000	4,000	83	68		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	700	400	62	67		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	100	100	100	67	50		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	100	100	Nil	83	Nil		
	Mulberry	100	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	500	100	Nil	67	Nil		
	Total ...	51,900	34,600	29,900	73	65		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Howrah ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	18,500	11,300	9,100	67	54	Middle of October, late.	Since publication of the preliminary forecast, about 15 per cent. of the crops was damaged by storm as well as by flood of the river Damodar. The outturn is much below the normal owing to unfavourable weather condition during the period of growth, and subsequently to the cyclone and flood in Singty and Amta thanas when the crops were ripe.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	300	200	200	67	50	Beginning of November, late.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,300	1,100	1,000	67	50	End of October, normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	17,200	5,400	5,700	67	57	Middle of October, late.	
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	2,700	1,400	1,400	67	50	Middle of October, normal.	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,500	200	100	67	58		
	Total ...	41,500	19,600	17,500	67	54		
Rajshahi ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	300,000	309,300	289,700	95	75	Middle of August to middle of September, normal.	The decrease in area this year is due mainly to increased cultivation of jute. Weather conditions were not favourable. Some damage was reported from the Naogaon Subdivision owing to drought in May and to flood in June and July.
	Jowar	100	200	200	70	75		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	200	200	200	75	70		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,100	1,100	1,300	75	70		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	5,800	5,900	6,000	60	70		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	1,900	1,900	75	65		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including Root-crops.	2,200	3,500	3,500	85	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	1,500	2,900	3,000	75	70		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	4,500	4,800	4,800	75	65		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	500	400	400	100	75		
	Mulberry	1,000	700	700	75	75		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	600	900	900	80	75		
	Total ...	319,500	331,800	312,600	94	75		
Dinajpur ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	130,700	138,900	140,000	78	84	By the middle of August, normal.	The weather conditions were not favourable. Damage was done to the crops on low land by excessive rainfall.
	Jowar	1,200	800	800	75	62		
	Bajra	100	100	100	100	100		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	1,000	900	1,000	67	74		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,600	200	200	50	50		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	900	600	400	96	64		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,700	1,900	1,800	69	69		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	100	700	600	100	50		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	300	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Total ...	137,600	144,100	144,900	78	84		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Jalpaiguri	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	196,000	193,200	178,000	98	77	Middle of August	The decrease in area was due to unfavourable weather at sowing time.
	Mandua, marua or ragi	300	200	200	100	80	Middle of October	Heavy rain and high wind at the time of shooting caused some damage to the crops.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	4,000	3,200	2,900	99	83	Middle of August	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,100	1,000	1,000	76	76	November.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,300	1,800	1,800	87	77		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	15,500	13,700	13,300	74	71		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	9,300	7,000	5,900	84	75		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	5,000	5,000	5,000	77	77	Middle of October The dates were normal.	
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	100	100	100	70	70		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,000	2,000	2,000	77	77		
	Total ...	236,600	227,200	210,300	95	77		
Darjeeling	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	7,200	3,800	3,800	77	85	October, normal ...	Weather conditions were fair. The outturn has fallen below the normal owing to a drought in the Kalimpong subdivision.
	Mandua, marua or ragi	5,300	3,700	3,700	77	77	August, normal	
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	40,300	48,600	48,600	69	69	August to October, normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,200	700	700	62	69		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		1,700	1,700	62	69		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	400	600	600	82	92		
	Other *bhadoi* food crops	5,200	4,700	4,700	62	69		
	Other *bhadoi* non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,900	2,100	2,100	92	100		
	Total ...	63,500	65,900	65,900	70	84		
Rangpur ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	282,500	324,500	328,000	100	100	Middle of July	The weather conditions continued to be favourable since the submission of the preliminary forecast.
	Jowar	200	300	300	100	100		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	100	100	100	100	90		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	20,000	3,300	5,100	100	50	Beginning of October.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	10,000	3,500	5,000	100	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	18,000	400	300	90	100	First week of July The dates were normal.	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	...	(50)	(50)	50	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	30,000	30,000	25,000	90	100		
	Total ...	360,800	356,100	361,800	99	99		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated Outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bogra ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	100,000	105,000	93	85	Beginning of August, normal.	The weather was not quite favourable. Damage to some extent was caused by flood. The fall in outturn is due to want of timely rain at first and subsequently to excessive rainfall and flood.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,500	2,500	2,500	75	70		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	2,000	2,000	75	70		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	2,000	2,000	2,000	75	70		
	Mulberry	100	100	100	75	75		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	200	200	200	75	70		
	Total ...	146,800	106,800	111,800	94	85		
Pabna ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	180,000	180,000	105	75	Middle of July, late	There was no improvement in the weather conditions since the submission of the preliminary forecast. The damage by drought and by the sudden rise of the river during the second week of July in some localities is estimated at 50 per cent. Hence the outturn is below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ... / Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	6,000	6,500	6,500	90	70		
	Other *bhadoi* food crops	30,000	30 000	30,000	90	70		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	3,500	3,500	3,500	90	70		
	Total ...	181,500	220,000	220,000	103	74		
Malda ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	260 000	263,000	255,000	125	50	End of July ...	Since the submission of the preliminary forecast the weather was not favourable on account of incessant and heavy rain. The crops were much damaged by the early flood. The outturn of all the crops except Mulberry is much below the normal owing to excessive rain.
	Jowar	800	1,300	1,300	90	50	Middle of August	
	Bajra	1,600	1,300	1,300	90	50		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	24,800	20,000	17,000	100	50	August.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	800	800	800	100	50		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	700	700	700	100	50		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	17,000	18,000	18,000	100	50	End of July. The dates were normal.	
	Mulberry	23,000	13,800	13,800	100	100		
	Total ...	328,700	318,900	307,900	120	52		
Dacca ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	288,700	270,500	263,600	59	68	Middle of August, normal.	The decrease in area as compared with the preliminary forecast is due to certain areas being abandoned or wholly damaged by drought. Insufficient rainfall greatly hampered the growth of the crops in their early stages, and high flood and stormy weather towards the end damaged the crops. About three-fourths of the crops on low land in Manikganj subdivision were washed away by the sudden rise of water.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,200	1,400	.....	Nil	.....		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	300	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	5 000	5 100	3,900	79	70		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	28,500	27,500	26 500	83	74		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	3,700	2,800	1,900	Nil	90		
	Total ...	277,400	307,300	295,800	59	69		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Mymensingh	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	390,600	466,500	466,500	43	74	End of June, normal.	The weather conditions remained favourable. But the sudden rise of rivers is reported to have caused damage in the Tangail and Kishorganj subdivisions.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	5,500	5,500	5,500	50	73		
	Other *bhadoi* food crops	43,000	43,000	43,000	72	70		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	64,000	64,000	64,000	50	75		
	Total ...	503,100	579,000	579,000	46	74		
Faridpur ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	233,500	246,800	239,100	85	90	Middle of July, normal.	The decrease in area is attributed to increased cultivation of jute. The weather was not good at sowing time owing to deficiency of rain but was subsequently favourable.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	25,300	24,400	22,900	70	80		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	500	500	500	61	80		Damage to the extent of about 12 per cent. was caused by the sudden rise of water and untimely rain.
	Total ...	259,300	271,700	262,500	84	88		
Bakarganj	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	136,000	400,000	300,000	100	75	By the middle of July.	Since the submission of the preliminary forecast, the weather was favourable to a certain extent but damage was caused by insects and flood.
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,000	500	500	80	80	First week of September.	
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	140,000	144,000	144,000	80	80	Middle of September.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	1,400	1,500	1,500	80	80	The dates were normal.	
	Total ...	278,400	546,000	446,000	95	73		
Chittagong	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	202,000	205,700	206,400	75	90	Middle of August to middle of September, normal.	Since the submission of the preliminary forecast, the weather was favourable.
	Indian-corn (maize)	200	200	200	80	80		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	300	200	200	80	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,400	2,500	2,500	90	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,800	1,600	1,600	90	90		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, maruа and maize.	5,800	4,000	4,000	100	100		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	300	300	300	100	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	100	100	100	100	100		
	Total ...	213,900	214,600	215,300	76	90		
Tippera ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	320,000	320,000	315,000	60	65	End of July, normal.	The weather was not favourable. There was a long continued drought at sowing time. The outturn is below the normal owing to unfavourable weather.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,100	800	700	50	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,000	900	1,000	50	80		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	7,300	5,000	5,100	75	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,000	800	900	59	60		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, maruа and maize.	9,000	9,000	9,000	60	60		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	7,000	5,100	5,000	60	70		
	Total ...	346,400	341,600	336,700	60	65		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Noakhali ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	204,000*	395,000	210,000*	100	50	July, normal ...	The figures for normal area as well as those for this year's area have been revised on the basis of settlement records. The outturn of *bhadoi* paddy was below normal owing to want of sufficient rain in the early part of the season and to the damage done by insect pests in the Feni subdivision.
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		2,700	Nil	80	.....		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,000*	31,000	1,000*	80	100		
	Bhadoi fodder crops, other than *jowar*, *bajra*, *marua* and maize.	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	100		
	Other *bhadoi* non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	(21)	61,600	100*	90	100		
	Total ...	207,000	490,300	213,100*	96	90		
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	188,000*	159,000	148,000	62	64		The character of weather was moderate. Some damage was caused to the crops on low land by flood. Hence the outturn is below the normal.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	2,100	2,200	1,900	50	46		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	4,000	3,800	3,000	60	65		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	7,000	7,100	7,400	40	50		
	Total ...	201,100	172,100	160,300	61	63		
Total Bengal.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	5,031,500*	5,435,700	5,048,200	83	74		
	Jowar	2,400	2,700	2,700	85	62		
	Bajra	6,900	6,100	5,800	78	70		
	Mandua, marua or ragi.	14,200	11,300	11,700	75	73		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	100,200	95,600	87,900	70	80		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	111,600*	82,300	70,000	74	65		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Indigo	1,000	1,600	2,200	117	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	302,600*	313,100	279,600	82	76		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	191,300	161,600	159,600	69	70		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, *bajra*, *marua* and maize.	107,600*	98,300	100,400	57	74		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	9,200	6,700	7,700	91	84		
	Mulberry	29,700	17,800	17,800	96	96		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	139,400*	142,700	76,200	80	76		
	Total ...	6,037,600*	6,375,900	5,878,800	82	74		

* Revised.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of the estimated Acreage and Outturn of the Autumn Rice, 1916.

Province.	Area (in acres).				Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), area in		Yield (in cwts).				Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), yield in		
	Of current year's crop (1916).	Of previous year's crop (1915).	Average of preceding		Column 3.	Column 4.	Estimated yield of current year, *i.e.*, of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, *i.e.*, of area in column 3.	Average of preceding		Column 8.	Column 9.	
			Five years.	Ten years.					Five years.	Ten years.		Five years.	Ten years.
1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9		10	11	
Bengal ...	5,048,200	5,435,700	5,088,700	4,976,900	-7·1	-0·8	+1·4	27,445,700	33,146,700	29,958,700	27,609,600	-17·2	-8·4	-0·6

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

SECOND FORECAST OF THE WINTER RICE CROP OF BENGAL, 1916-17.

(Note.—On the average of the five years ending 1914-15, the area under winter rice in Bengal represents some 19·6 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.)

Character of the Season.—In the months of February and March the rainfall was inadequate for the preparation of the land for this crop. The rainfall in April, however, was sufficient and facilitated the sowings of the broadcast paddy. In May the rainfall was defective and consequently the broadcasted variety suffered to some extent. In June, general rain fell throughout the Province and transplanting commenced at the usual time. The progress of field operations, however, was retarded in some of the western districts by insufficiency of rain in July, while on the other hand, excessive rainfall and floods in the northern districts caused some damage to the crop on low lands. The rainfall in August greatly improved the condition of the crop. The cyclonic storm in September and the heavy rainfall thereafter in the western districts, and the sudden rise in the rivers of the eastern districts during the same period, have greatly reduced the outturn of the crop on low lands. On high lands, however, a bumper crop is expected. On the whole the season has been favourable.

Acreage.—According to the estimates furnished by the District Officers, the total acreage for the Province is 15,668,400 acres against 15,705,000 and 15,105,100 acres reported respectively in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year. The increase in area is chiefly due to comparatively favourable weather during the transplanting period.

Outturn.—From the summary of the district returns appended, it will be seen that Bankura alone reports a bumper crop, viz., 133 per cent. Five districts (viz., Malda, Birbhum, Bogra, Jalpaiguri and Dinajpur) report more than a normal crop, six districts report a normal crop and thirteen districts a crop from 80 to 95 per cent. The remaining two districts, viz., Hooghly and the Chittagong Hill Tracts, report crops as low as 51 and 35 per cent. respectively.

According to the above estimates the provincial outturn works out to 94 per cent. as compared with 96 and 97 per cent. respectively reported in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

Taking 12 maunds as the normal yield of clean grain per acre, the gross outturn for the Province is estimated at 129,849,500 cwts. against 127,843,800 and 129;176,300 cwts. reported in the corresponding and final forecasts respectively of last year.

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The 16th December 1916.

Second Forecast of Winter Rice Crop of 1916-17.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	Estimated area under winter rice.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of acre.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).	Last year.	This year.		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas ...	899,700	789,300	829,700	117	103	Middle of November ...	The increase in area as compared with that of the preliminary forecast is due to the fact that transplantation continued in the Barrackpore subdivision after the submission of that forecast. The weather has been favourable on the whole. Slight damage has been done to the crop in the Basirhat subdivision by insect-pests, and in the Barrackpore and Diamond Harbour subdivisions by excessive rainfall during October and November.
Nadia	136,800	123,900	117,400	67	93	Not yet begun ...	The decrease in area as compared with last year is attributed to unfavourable weather at sowing time. Subsequently weather conditions improved; but the cyclonic storm in September and heavy rain thereafter caused some damage.
Murshidabad ...	345,600	322,300	306,500	75	88	Ditto	The decrease in area as compared with last year is due to insufficient rainfall at sowing time. The increase in area as compared with the first forecast is due to the fact that more lands in the Kandi subdivision were transplanted owing to good rainfall after its submission. The weather has been favourable. Want of rain in the early part of the season retarded the growth of the crop; but subsequent rain has improved the condition. Unfavourable weather condition at the beginning of the season and untimely rains and storms in September have caused the outturn to fall below the normal.
Jessore	568,100	483,900	455,800	92	92	November. Normal ...	Since the submission of the first forecast the weather was favourable except in the latter part of September when cyclone and flood caused some damage to the crop.
Khulna	748,300	749,300	747,600	123	92	Beginning of November. Normal.	The decrease in area this year is due to deficient rainfall at sowing time. The weather has been somewhat unfavourable.
Burdwan	874,800	520,000	580,000	67	83	Not yet commenced ...	The increase in area as compared with the estimate in the first forecast is due to the fact that some lands were transplanted after its submission. Some damage was done to the crop by heavy rainfall and floods in parts of the lowlying areas of the Sadar, Katwa and Asansole subdivisions. The heavy rain accompanied by high winds in November also caused some damage to the standing crops in the Sadar and Asansole subdivisions.
Birbhum	604,600	573,000	595,000	83	108	Beginning of December 1916. Not yet commenced. Normal.	The increase in area as compared with that of last year is due to favourable rainfall. The rainfall in November accompanied by high winds has laid to the ground the paddy plants over large areas and thus partially damaged the crop. The outturn is expected to be above the normal except in the areas affected by the floods, where the crops have been either wholly or partially destroyed.
Bankura ...	510 600	171,000	510,600	42	133	Not yet commenced ...	The increase in area and outturn as compared with that of last year is due to timely rainfall and favourable weather throughout the period of growth of the crop.
Midnapore ...	1,579,400	1,556,000	1,640,000	100	86	Ditto ...	The weather was at first favourable; but heavy rain at the end of September caused floods in the Ghatal subdivision, completely destroying the rice crop on some 20 square miles and partially damaging it on a larger area. Subsequent heavy rain in October over practically the whole district and the storm of the 10th November, the centre of which apparently was over Midnapore, did a great deal of damage by breaking down and twisting the rice stalks so that the ears are in danger of rotting in the standing water. It is difficult to estimate at present the damage done by the storm. If the weather continues to be favourable, the crop may recover.
Hooghly ...	276,700	237,900	200,900	82	51	November. Date is normal.	About 34 per cent. of the crop has been damaged by heavy flood in the Arambagh subdivision. The crop also suffered owing to want of rain at the period of growth. Hence the outturn is much below the normal.
Howrah	125,300	111,700	112,700	108	90	Not commenced ...	The increase in area as compared with that of the first forecast is due to further transplantation. The weather has not been very favourable. The decrease in outturn is due to flood, cyclone, as well as untimely rainfall in October.
Rajshahi	697,000	565,900	568,300	90	80	Not yet commenced. Will commence from first week of December.	The weather has not been favourable. Some damage has been done to the crop by drought and flood.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER WINTER RICE		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF ACRE.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).	Last year.	This year.		
	Acres	Acres.	Acres				
Dinajpur	1,120,300	1,044,900	1,060,800	105	102	Harvesting not yet commenced.	The increase in area as compared with that of the first forecast is due to favourable weather and further transplantations. The outturn is expected to exceed the normal, though slight damage was done to the crops on low lands.
Jalpaiguri	551,300	516,400	502,000	102	103	Not yet commenced ...	Since the submission of the first forecast more land has been transplanted. The weather has been favourable.
Darjeeling ...	66,200	38,200	38,200	93	100	October. Normal ...	The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crop. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Rangpur	822,300	800,900	800,000	104	100	Middle of November. Normal.	Since the submission of the preliminary forecast more lands were transplanted with this crop. The weather has been favourable.
Bogra	303,000	303,000	303,000	105	105	Harvesting not yet commenced.	The weather was favourable except in the month of October, when there was rain with high winds which has caused some damage; nevertheless the outturn is expected to be above normal on the whole. Slight damage was caused to broadcast paddy by flood in some of the thanas.
Pabna	566,000	500,000	500,000	100	85	Harvesting commenced. Normal.	Want of rain for three months after sowing and the sudden rise of the river in July have greatly damaged the crop. The rain in September and October has somewhat improved prospects.
Malda	300,000	300,000	316,000	100	115	Not commenced yet. It will be commenced by the end of this month and this date is normal.	The increase in area as compared with that of the first forecast is due to further transplantations. The weather has been favourable. Excessive rain in October caused some slight damage.
Dacca	633,100	592,600	623,600	78	95	2nd week of November. Normal.	The weather proved favourable to transplanted variety, but some damage was done to the broadcasted paddy by flood after the submission of the first forecast. Hence the outturn is expected to fall somewhat below the normal.
Mymensingh ...	1,126,700	972,700	969,700	90	92	Not yet commenced ...	The decrease in areas as compared with that of last year is due to increase in area under jute. The weather has been generally favourable. The sudden rise of water in the Jumna has caused some damage to the crop.
Faridpur	770,100	768,100	769,000	100	100	Middle of November. Normal.	The weather has been favourable for the growth of the crop. Slight damage has been caused by the rise of water.
Bakarganj ...	1,300,000	1,310,000	1,259,000	120	90	Not yet commenced ...	The increase in area is due to favourable weather. Flood in the latter part of September caused some damage to the crops in the low lands. Some damage was also done by insect-pests.
Chittagong ...	418,400	416,100	426,100	100	100	End of November ...	The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crop. There was some damage in places by floods which may be made good by a bumper crop elsewhere.
Tippera ...	724,800	788,000	798,000	60	90	Middle of November ...	The increase in area sown this year is due to decreased cultivation of jute on account of an unstable market. The weather has been favourable. But the breaches in the river Gumti and the flood of Sylhet in the north partly destroyed and retarded the growth of the transplanted paddy. Hence the outturn is expected to be below normal.
Noakhali	610,000	637,000	600,000	100	100	November. Normal ...	The estimated normal area as well as this year's area have been revised according to the figures recorded in the district settlement records. Fifty square miles in the Feni subdivision were destroyed by floods. But the crops elsewhere are above normal.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	47,500	48,000	41,500	60	35	Not yet commenced ...	The weather has been very unfavourable. The crop has been greatly damaged in Chakwa and Mong circles by heavy flood in September. Hence the outturn is expected to fall much below the normal.
Total Bengal ...	15,622,500	15,105,100	15,068,400	97	94		

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of estimated Acreage and Outturn of the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1916-17.

Province.	Area (in acres).							Yield (in cwts.).						
	Of current year's crop (1916-17).	Of previous year's crop (1915-16).	Average of preceding		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (−), area in			Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+), or is less than (−), yield in		
					Column 3.	Column 4.						Column 8.	Column 9.	
1	2	3	4		5	6		7	8	9		10	11	
			Five years.	*Ten years.*		*Five years.*	*Ten years.*			*Five years.*	*Ten years.*		*Five years.*	*Ten years.*
Bengal ...	18,668,400	18,103,100	18,018,600	18,086,900	+4	+4	+4	129,849,800	129,176,300	128,740,800	133,581,200	+0·5	+0·9	−2

APPENDIX III.

Statement showing the Rainfall in September and October 1916.

District.	September.		October.	
	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.
1	2	3	4	5
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
24-Parganas	10·31	12·84	4·70	14·55
Nadia	8·80	11·24	3·95	9·38
Murshidabad... ...	9·35	11·40	3·51	9·15
Jessore	8·76	11·89	4·35	12·13
Khulna	10·86	12·69	5·30	13·49
Burdwan	8·44	13·92	3·03	8·82
Birbhum	9·85	10·99	3·18	11·61
Bankura	8·63	11·92	2·73	11·22
Midnapore	9·58	12·13	3·99	12·49
Hooghly	8·98	11·21	3·82	8·73
Howrah	8·76	11·53	3·51	15·74
Rajshahi	8·74	14·66	3·38	11·42
Dinajpur	11·85	12·33	3·10	7·23
Jalpaiguri	21·05	21·85	5·53	7·44
Darjeeling	18·47	28·78	4·27	9·22
Rangpur	13·40	15·31	4·49	7·27
Bogra	11·23	10·17	4·24	13·35
Pabna	9·40	12·04	4·75	14·54
Malda	9·09	17·47	2·71	9·19
Dacca	9·63	13·26	4·44	13·53
Mymensingh... ...	13·04	11·81	5·07	12·74
Faridpur	8·62	9·99	4·39	14 59
Bakarganj	11·97	13·31	6·21	16·28
Chittagong	13·06	14·33	7·09	8·91
Tippera	10·03	14·98	4·87	14·49
Noakhali	15·43	21·23	7·92	12·95
Chittagong Hill Tracts ...	13·03	17·44	6·45	19·54

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 18th December 1916.

Summary.—There was no rain during the week under review. Sowing of spring crops is nearing completion; prospects are generally fair. Harvesting of sugarcane has commenced in some of the western districts. Reaping of winter paddy is proceeding; the outturn is estimated at 94 per cent. of the normal. Fodder is scarce in parts of Dacca and Tippera. Cattle-disease is reported from five districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 27 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week,

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	8	$8\frac{9}{16}$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops continue. Harvesting of sugarcane has commenced. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Rangoon and Singapur rice continues to be imported into Basirhat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	$8\frac{1}{8}$	$8\frac{1}{8}$	
	Barrackpore	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	7	
	Barasat ...	Nil	8	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is still going on in some places. Cutting of sugarcane has commenced. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. Rinderpest is reported from thana Alamdanga.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	8	8	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7	7	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	$6\frac{3}{4}$	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	10	$9\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. The prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	9	9	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	$9\frac{1}{2}$	9	
	Kandi ...	Nil	10	10	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. *Rabi* crops are still being sown in the Narail subdivision.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	8	8	
	Magura ...	Nil	8	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Narail ...	Nil	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	$8\frac{7}{8}$	$8\frac{27}{64}$	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of winter pady is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	$6\frac{1}{2}$	6	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{4}$	7	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8½	8	Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of potatoes and other *rabi* crops are going on. Standing crops are doing well. Condition of sugarcane is fair. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	10	9	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8½	8	
	Kalna ...	Nil	8	7¾	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	11	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. A sum of Rs. 3,347 has been given as agricultural loans.
	Rampurhat	Nil	10½	10½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	11	10½	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is good. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	10	10	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice and sugarcane has commenced. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	9½	8⅜	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Contai ...	0·02	9	9½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	6½	7½	
	Arambagh ..	Nil	7	6½	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues and that of sugarcane has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8¾	(*n*)	
	Nator ...	Nil	7	6¾	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Ghoraghat police-station.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	8½	8½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	$10\frac{7}{16}$	$10\frac{7}{16}$	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of tobacco and sowing of mustard are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	7½	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·01	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is in progress. *Marua* and cardamom are being harvested. Transplanting of tobacco is in progress.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	8¾	7¾	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	9¾	9¾	Weather seasonable. Reaping of winter rice continues. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	7¾	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is nearing completion. Sowing of *rabi* crops is finished. Condition of standing crops is fairly good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	(*n*)	7½	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	9	8¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. *Rabi* crops are doing well. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅝	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress. State and prospects of standing crops are favourable. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	8½ 8½†	8¼ 8½†	Weather cold and bright and is favourable to the harvesting of winter rice and to the ploughing of fields for spring crops. Outturn of winter rice is estimated at 95 per cent. Spring crops are doing well. Fodder is dear at Nawabganj. Water is available. No cattle-disease. Price of rice is falling Import of Bakarganj rice is reported from some places.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Narayanganj	Nil	8¾ 8⅜†	8⅜ 8⅜†	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	8	8	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	7¼	6⅞	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice are in progress; prospects are good. Lands are being prepared for summer rice. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	8	6¼	
	Tangail ...	Nil	7⅜	7⅛	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	7¼	6⅝	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	6⅞	6¾	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seer, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8¾	8	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	8½	8	
	Gopalganj‡	Nil	9	9	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient. Prospects of winter rice are fair.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	8½	7	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	8	8	
25	Chittagong	Nil	8	8½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Outturn is expected to be fairly good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	9	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good excepting in flooded areas. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Fodder is sufficient except in thana Kotwali. Cattle-disease is reported from Matlab and Brahmanbaria.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8½	8¼	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	9	9	
27	Noakhali ..	Nil	9	10⅛	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ..	Nil	10⅛	10$\frac{5}{16}$	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Nil	7½	7	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy are not yet over. Prospects and outturn of standing crops are poor. Rangoon rice is being imported. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati. Fodder and water are sufficient.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

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Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

Calcutta, *the 19th December 1916.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 16th December 1916.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund: From—	To—	Retail price per seer. From—	To—
1. Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5 8 0	5 12 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ medium ...	6 0 0	6 2 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	5 0 0	5 8 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
„ medium ...	5 10 0	5 15 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	5 0 0	5 12 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ medium ...	5 14 0	6 4 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	4 7 0	6 0 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	3 10 0	5 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
(vi) Kajla	3 8 0	4 10 0	0 2 0	0 2 1½
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4 13 0	5 6 0	.....	.....
„ Gangajali ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ Jamali ...	4 12 0	5 4 0	.....	.....
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) .	3 12 0	4 4 0	0 1 9	0 2 3
4. „ dal	4 8 0	5 4 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5 8 0	6 12 0	0 2 3	0 4 0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5 4 0	.....	0 2 3	0 3 6
6. Arhar „	3 12 0	6 0 0	0 2 0	0 2 9
7. Masur „ (split) ...	5 8 0	6 8 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ „ (khanri) ...	6 0 0	7 4 0	0 2 9	0 4 0
8. Kalai „	4 8 0	6 4 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
9. Salt	3 3 0	3 4 0	0 1 6	0 1 9
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	13 7 0	13 9 0	0 5 6	0 7 0
11. Gur (Bheli)	5 8 0	6 8 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
„ (Bhursut) ...	6 8 0	9 0 0	0 3 0	0 5 0
12. Milk	9 0 0	10 0 0	0 3 0	0 4 0
13. Mustard oil	14 12 0	16 0 0	0 6 0	0 9 0
14. Flour (country) ...	6 6 0	7 4 0	0 2 6	0 3 6
15. Ata No. 3	5 0 0	.....	0 2 3	0 3 3
„ „ 2½	5 8 0	.....		
„ „ B	7 4 0	7 6 0		
16. Suji	6 10 0	7 12 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.).	61 0 0	62 0 0	1 8 0	1 12 0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.).	59 0 0	60 0 0	1 6 0	1 8 0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.).	56 0 0	57 0 0	1 4 0	1 6 0
18. Maize	2 4 0	2 12 0	.....	.....
19. Potato	6 2 0	8 0 0	0 2 6	0 4 0
20. Patal	.....	.....	0 4 0	0 6 0
21. Brinjal	3 0 0	4 4 0	0 1 9	0 4 0
22. Onion	5 0 0	6 8 0	0 1 6	0 3 0
23. Fish, Rahu	25 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 12 0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 10 0
25. Beef (2nd & 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 3 6	0 5 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices recorded daily at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutan Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mullik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1916.*

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division	District	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas ...	Saugor Island	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	3·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Diamond Harbour.(a)																				
		Budge-Budge	0·17	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·42	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Canning Town	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	0·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipore (Obsy.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	0·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barrackpore(a)																				
		Dum-Dum ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barasat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	0·95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Basirhat(a) ...																				
	Nadia	Ranaghat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Krishnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	1·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chuadanga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	5·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Meherpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia(a) ...																				
		Haringhata ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad ...	Kandi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	5·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Berhampore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalbagh ...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jangipur ...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Akriganj ...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Patkabari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumkal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliyaganj(a)																				
	Jessore	Narail ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jhenida ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Magura(a) ...																				
		Bangaon(a) ...																				
	Khulna ...	Satkhira ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·17	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagerhat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nakipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumuria(a) ...																				
		Rampal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	0·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kairora ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Paikgachha ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mollahat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Moreiganj(a) ...																				
		Tala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·25	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BURDWAN.	Burdwan	Kalna(a) ...																				
		Burdwan ...	...	0·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	4·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Katwa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Asansol ...	0·59	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raniganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	5·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mangalkot(a)																				
		Rayna(a) ...																				
		Monteswar(a)																				
	Birbhum	Suri(a) ...																				
		Hetampur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampur Hat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Murari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Labpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bankura ...	Bankura ...	0·10	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·67	1·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Vishnupur(a)																				
		Mallara ...	0·14	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	1·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khatra ...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	2·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Indas ...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	3·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kotulpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·35	4·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ouda(a) ...																				
		Gangajalghati	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	1·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raipur ...	0·80	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·75	2·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sonamukhi(a)																				
		Taldangra(a)																				
		Surenga(a) ...																				
	Midnapore ...	Indpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·87	1·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Contai ...	0·01	...	0·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tamluk ...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·65	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore ...	0·13	0·24	0·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·23	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ghatal(a) ...																				
		Kukrahati ...	1·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·98	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amlagora(a) ...																				
		Panskura ...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·07	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dantan ...	0·46	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandrakona(a)																				
		Pachet(a) ...																				
		Bhagwanpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·35	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kultikri ...	1·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gopibalhavpore(a)																				
		Silda ...	0·70	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	2·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandri(a) ...																				
		Goaltore(a) ...																				
		Salboni(a) ..																				
		Naraingarh ...	1·37	0·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·06	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramnagar(a) ...																				
		Mohanpur(a) ..																				
		Heria ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·93	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jenua (Khejuri)	0·05	...	2·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nandigram ...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·80	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Moyna(a) ...																				
		Pingla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narajole ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·78	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1916.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st Oct. up to 30th Nov. 1916.	Average rainfall from 1st Oct. up to 30th Nov.	Station.	District.	Division.
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											1·1		0·74			5·59	Diamond Harbour.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·7	1·73	0·44	1·42	16·70	4·30	Budge-Budge.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·2	0·93	1·14	0·43		5·91	Canning Town.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·9	1·07	0·56	0·76	15·89	4·47	Alipore (Obsy.)		
											0·9		0·69			4·44	Barrackpore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	1·40	0·59	1·40	11·03	4·92	Dum-Dum.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·9	0·55	0·53	0·30	10·31	4·84	Barasat.		
											0·9		0·54			5·07	Basirhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·7	1·09	0·69	0·96	8·37	4 14	Ranaghat ...	Nadia	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	1·95	1·03	1·80	13·03	4·96	Krishnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	5·35	0·86	5·44	15·45	5·16	Chuadanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	3·50	0·52	3·50	12·63	4 35	Meherpur.		
											0·9		0·73			4·96	Kushtia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·13	(a)	0·13	3·58	(a)	Haringhata.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	5·72	0·58	5·70	11·72	4·11	Kandi ...	Murshidabad ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	2·41	0·52	2·41	11·56	4 07	Berhampore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·6	2·28	0·62	2·10	12·81	4·79	Lalbagh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	2·52	0·36	2·52	9·13	4·24	Azimganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·5	1·40	0·39	1·10	14·26	3·64	Jangipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·5	0·90	0 39	0·70	8·61	4·32	Lalgola.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	1·61	0·45	1·77	10·68	3·65	Akriganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·8	2·93	0·63	2·93		3·17	Patkabari.		
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											0·2		0·05			3·89	Kallyanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0 9	0·16	0·80	0·16	11·90	4 90	Narali ...	Jessore ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	0·34	1·12	0·43	14·58	5·03	Jessore.		
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											0·9		0 82			4·76	Magura.		
											0·8		0 55			5·02	Bangaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	0·37	0 67	0·17	12·65	5·84	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·3	0·39	0·88	0·39	13·71	5·91	Bagerhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	0·76	0·67	0·60		5·24	Khulna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·68	Nil	17·78	8·00	Kaliganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	1·65	0·92	1·65	13·58	6·15	Nakipur.		
											0·6		0·52			4·81	Dumuria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	1·10	1·09	0·67	13·89	6 16	Rampal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	0·68	0·27	0·68	13·27	4·98	Kaliros.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	1·61	0·69	1·61	18·08	6·69	Paikgachha.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	0·06	1·02	0·06	10·92	6·89	Mollahat.		
											1·1		1·18			6·93	Morelganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·8	1·45	0·54	1·35	16·37	5·56	Tala.		
											0·7		0·77			4·41	Kalna ...	Burdwan	
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	4·95	0·54	4·95	16·14	4·38	Katwa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·6	1·28	0·46	0·60	11·15	2 77	Asansol.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·7	5·70	0·46	5·52	19·94	2·93	Mankar.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Mangalkot.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Royna.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Monteswar.		
											0·7		0·39			3·73	Suri	Birbhum	
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	1·40	0 35	1·40	1 1·60	3·19	Murari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·3	2·70	0 29	2 70	11·53	3 95	Labpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·0	2·70	0 51	1·86	15 51	3·94	Bankura ...	Bankura	
											0·6		0 45			3·79	Vishnupur.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0 9	2·93	0·59	2·18	13·35	3·80	Khatra.		
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											0·7		0 53			3·05	Onda.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0 9	4·80	0·52	2·10	18·12	3·86	Raipur.		
											0·7		0·55			3·38	Sonamukhi.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Taldangra.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Surenga.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·8	2·75	0·34	2·66	17·87	4·59	Tamluk.		
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											0·7		3 54			3·62	Ghatal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	3·56	0·75	1·98	20·25	4·58	Kukrahati.		
											0·7		0·52			3·20	Amingurali.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·7	4·94	0·76	3·97	15·57	4·02	Panskura.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·6	5·96	0·55	5·80	17·50	4·02	Dantan.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Chandrakona.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Pachet.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	3·29	(a)	3·25	18·93	(a)	Bhaswanpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(a)	3·50	(a)	4·50	15·80	(a)	Kultikri.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Gopibalhavpore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	(a)	3·72	(a)	3·00	9·94	(a)	Silda.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Chandil.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Goaltore.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Salbani.		
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											(a)		(a)			(a)	Ramnagar.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Mohanpur.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(a)	5·49	(a)	3·40	22·05	(a)	Jenka (Khejari).		
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											(a)		(a)			(a)	Moyna.		
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(a) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Burdwan—contd.	Hooghly	Serampore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hooghly (a)	...																			
		Arambagh	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·20	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohesraka (a)																				
		Uluberia	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·74	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amta (a)	...																			
Rajshahi	Rajshahi	Boalia	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	2·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Natore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·26	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nangachi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bilmaria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Maude	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·80	1·00	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahadebpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tanor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dinajpur	Nilphur (a)																				
		Nawabganj (a)																				
		Gangarampur (a)																				
		Chiramon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raiganj (a)																				
		Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Balurghat (a)																				
		Thakurgaon (a)																				
		Setabganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj (a)																				
		Atwari (a)																				
		Birganj (a)																				
		Parbatipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipur Duars	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Falakata (a)																				
		Debiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...
		Bhagatpur (Nagrakatta)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Buxa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·42	...	0·10
		Kalchini	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kumargram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·04
	Darjeeling	Siliguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalimpong (a)																				
		Mongpoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurseong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pedong (a)	...																			
	Rangpur	Dhawanigunj (Gaibandha)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·37	1·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurigaon (a)	...																			
		Gobindganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagdogra (Nilphamari)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ulipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sundergunj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saidpur (a)	...																			
	Bogra	Sherpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nowkhilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·08	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Paughbibi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	0·25	...	...	0·40	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khetlal (a)	...																			
	Pabna	Shahzadpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sirajganj	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·38	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Malda	Malda	0·25											0·23								
		Ubanchal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gazol	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sibganj (a)	...																			
		Gomastapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dacca	Munshiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·39	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj (a)																				
		Narayanganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narsingdi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manikganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	0·20	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joydebpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·47	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kapasia (a)	...																			
	Mymensingh	Kishorganj	...																			
		Atia (Tangail)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·69	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sariabari	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·35	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mymensingh	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	4·57	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jamalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·56	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Netrakona	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	2·68	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Phulpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Durgapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sherpur (Town)	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	2·25	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dewanganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·07	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nalitabari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	0·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1916—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st Oct. up to 30th Nov. 1916.	Average rainfall from 1st Oct. up to 30th Nov.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·8	0·80	0·59	0·40	7·86	4·79	Serampore ...	Hooghly ...	BURDWAN —*contd.*
											0·6		0·62			4·38	Hooghly		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·7	2·08	0·45	2·30	13·33	3·94	Arambagh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·35	0·49	0·35		4·47	Howrah ...	Howrah	
											0·9		0·54			4·13	Mohesreka.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·9	1·23	0·55	0·74	16·97	3·74	Ulubaria.		
											0·6		0·44			3·72	Amta.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	2·09	0·45	2·01	16·47	3·59	Boalia ...	Rajshahi ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	4·29	2·43	4·25	13·66	4·19	Nator.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	3·47	0·48	2·47	16·82	4·04	Naugaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	5·50	0·55	5·50	13·50	3·76	Bilmaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·5	3·00	0·26	1·80	16·01	3·20	Manda.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	0·58	0·24	0·58	13·70	4·03	Mahadebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	1·47	0·01	1·47	17·26	3·26	Tanor.		
											0·5		0·34			3··9	Nithpur ...	Dinajpur ...	
											0·5		0·14			3·77	Nawabganj.		
											0·3		0·12			3·01	Gangarampur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	0·24	0·19	0·24	10·08	2·93	Churamon.		
											0·4		0·11			3·13	Raiganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	0·28	0·12	0·24	12·93	3·20	Dinajpur.		
											0·4		0·19			3·53	Balurghat.		
											0·1		0·04			3·38	Thakurgaon		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·10	Nil	7·10	2·50	Setabganj.		
											0·1		0·04			2·34	Ramganj.		
											0		0·01			3·75	Atwari.		
											0·3		0·09			2·88	Birgani.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	0·50	0·15	0·50	5·74	2·50	Parbatipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·10	Nil	9·38	4·51	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri ...	RAJSHAHI
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·20	Nil	10·12	3·97	Alipur Duars.		
											0·5		0·20			3·52	Falakata.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	0·05	0·07	0·05	2·64	3·38	Debiganj.		
...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·5	0·04	0·55	0·04	8·86	9·11	Bhagatpur (Nagrakatta).		
0·22	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	3	1·2	0·86	0·77	0·42	7·27	10·88	Buxa.		
0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	2	1·1	0·89	0·32	0·42	9·24	5·81	Kalchini.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	0·09	(a)	0·05	9·06	(a)	Kumargram.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·38	Nil	13·40	5·74	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling ...	
0·01	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	0·01	0·01	Nil	0·8	0·05	0·29	0·01	6·89	4·78	Darjeeling.		
											0·3		0·37			3·39	Kalimpong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·13	Nil	6·54	4·04	Mongpoo.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·0	Nil	0·31	Nil	10·13	5·50	Kurseong.		
											1·1		0·48			4·06	Pedong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·4	1·70	0·24	1·33		5·54	Bhawanigan) (Gaibandha).	Rangpur ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·2	0·22	0·11	0·21	5·92	4·30	Rangpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	0·52	0·31	0·52	5·34	4·30	Pirganj.		
											0·3		0·15			4·94	Kurigaon		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·42	Nil	13·95	5·20	Gobindganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·1	0·20	0·06	0·20	7·61	3·70	Bagdogra (Nilphamari).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·3	0·95	0·17	0·80	7·40	3·51	Ulipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·3	0·64	0·17	0·80	8·75	5·71	Sundarganj.		
											0·4		0·13			2·99	Saidpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	2·48	0·54	2·48		4·71	Sherpur ...	Bogra ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·50	Nil	12·44	5·00	Nowkhilla		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	3·09	0·65	3·08	17·35	4·87	Bogra.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0·4	1·43	0·17	0·43		4·22	Panchbibi.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Khetlal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(a)	0·60	(a)	0·33	10·03	(a)	Shahzadpur ...	Pabna ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	0·99	0·56	0·99	14·97	5·38	Pabna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	4·24	0·50	4·23	18·33	5·19	Sirajganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	2·42	(a)	2·42	17·52	(a)	Sara.		
										2	0·5	0·48	0·24	0·25	10·10	4·09	Malda ...	Malda ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·3	0·25	0·16	0·24	6·91	2·64	Chanchal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·3	0·28	0·16	0·28	7·03	2·61	Gazol.		
										1	0·5		0·39			3·32	Sibganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·3	0·57	0·17	0·57	13·64	4·57	Gomastapur.		
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·1	0·90	0·10	0·90	11·73	2·68	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·3	0·46	1·03	0·31	25·16	6·16	Munshiganj ...	Dacca ...	DACCA.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	0·76	0·81	0·39	19·87	5·15	Dacca.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	0·59	0·96	0·49	14·63	5·54	Narayanganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(a)	0·84	(a)	0·43	13·12	(a)	Narsingdi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·0	0·82	0·93	0·30	10·86	4·79	Manikganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	0·95	0·96	0·48	13·36	5·25	Joydebpur.		
											a)		(a)			(a)	Kapasia.		
											1·1		0·72			5·27	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·8	0·35	0·19	0·89	10·81	4·73	Atia (Tangail)		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(a)	3·50	(a)	2·35	18·97	(a)	Satishabari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	4·39	0·73	4·37	20·98	5·93	Mymensingh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·5	2·01	0·43	1·56	10·93	5·35	Jamalpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	2·79	0·51	2·68	14·82	7·04	Netrakona.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0	Nil	0	Nil	17·10	4·27	Phulpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	10·35	0·53	10·35	29·43	6·64	Durgapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0·7	3·45	0·69	2·25	13·83	5·60	Sherpur(Town		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	2·10	0·56	2·07	19·31	5·25	Dewanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·6	4·52	0·47	3·75	15·23	5·27	Naltabari.		

(a) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Dacca—contd.	Faridpur	Kadarpur	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Faridpur	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·33	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari (Goalundo).	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haridaspur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Talirhat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhanga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pangsa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Baliakandi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhusna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·55		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palong	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali	...	..	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·11	1·65	1·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
		Barguna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·40	1·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirozpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	2·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barisal	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·36	1·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gaurnadi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	1·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhola	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·23	2·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daulatkhan	0·30	0·15	0·30	0·15	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·21	1·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Danphal	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar	0·22	3·99	3·09	0·02	0·03	0·12	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chittagong	0·23	...	0·03	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·76	0·02	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kutubdia	...	0·02	0·50	0·04	1·79	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Satkania	0·06	0·05	0·10	0·05	0·07	...	...	...	0·02	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kodala (a)	...																			
		Mirsarai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tippera	Comilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·36	...	..	...	...	...		...	...	...
		Brahmanbaria (a).																				
		Ramchandrapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daudkandi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	1·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kasba (a)	...																			
		Laksam	0·16	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 60	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...
	Noakhali	Noakhali	0·18	...	0·05	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·54	0·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Feni	0·80	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	1·86	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
		Hatiya	0·37	...	0·09	0·64	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·94	1·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lakhipur (a)																				
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati	0·63	...	...	0·50	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·06	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sandaban	...	0·03	...	0·44	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	0·25	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barkal	0·60	0·01	...	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·05	0·04	...	..	...	0·01	...	...	...	...
		Lama	0·09	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	0·15	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramgarh (a)																				
		Mahalchari	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tippera	Agartala	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·65	...	...	1·29	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cooch Behar.	Cooch Behar	Dinhata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Cooch Behar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mekliganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mathabhanga (a)																				
		Fulbari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(n) Not
(a) Return not

CALCUTTA,
The 15th December 1916.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1916—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days,	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st Oct. up to 30th Nov. 1916.	Average rainfall from 1st Oct. up to 30th Nov.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·9	1·06	0·79	0·75		5·22	Madaripur ...	Faridpur ...	DACCA—*contd.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·3	0·38	1·23	0·38	12·23	5·78	Faridpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	0·24	0·91	0·24	17·98	5·11	Rajbari (Goalundo).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(*a*)	0·55	(*a*)	0·40	12·41	(*a*)	Haridaspur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(*a*)	0·64	(*a*)	0·37	10·42	(*a*)	Taki hat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(*a*)	0·95	(*a*)	0·55	10·34	(*a*)	Bhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(*a*)	0·19	(*a*)	0·19	13·70	(*a*)	Paugsa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(*a*)	0·18	(*a*)	0·04	17·14	(*a*)	Baliakandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(*a*)	0·95	(*a*)	0·35	16·60	(*a*)	Bhusna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(*a*)	0·78	(*a*)	0·78	18·19	(*a*)	Palong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·3	3·48	1·38	1·70	22·03	5·89	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0	2·09	0	1·62	24·59	6·08	Barguna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·4	3·11	1·12	2·01	15·24	6·43	Perojpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·5	1·85	1·30	1·43	14·96	7·23	Barisal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·4	2·50	1·06	1·85	15·07	5·40	Gaurnadi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·3	2·76	1·26	2·40	26·87	7·76	Bhola.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1·4	5·01	1·28	1·72	16·26	8·17	Damakhan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·3	0·97	1·16	0·47	15·01	8·57	Barisal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2·2	7·61	2·34	3·99	14·45	10·60	Cox's Bazar ..	Chittagong ...	CHITTAGONG.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·7	1·32	1·62	0·76	13·69	8·04	Chittagong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·9	2·38	2·29	1·79	13·36	9·52	Kutubdia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·0	0·77	1·76	0·22	10·63	8·41	Satkania.		
											2·1		1·93			8·46	Kotbala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	·8	Nil	1·81	Nil	2·40	9·90	Mirsarai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·27	1·16	0·19	31·25	7·19	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·2	0·29	0·89	0·36	20·03	6·40	Chandpur.		
											1·2		0·76			5·38	Brahmanbaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·99	1·27	0·90	13·93	5·90	Ramchandrapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·1	0·43	1·81	0·43	14·98	6·70	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·0	2·07	0·91	1·05	16·66	4·69	Daudkandi.		
											1·3		1·18			5·20	Kasba.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·2	0·93	1·00	0·60	13·88	6·24	Lalgasa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·5	1·63	1·85	0·76	11·98	9·81	Noakhali ...	Noakhali ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·9	3·06	2·15	1·36	15·77	9·04	Feni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1·7	3·76	1·83	1·10	13·69	10·96	Hatiahpur.		
											1·1		1·07			6·96	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·5	0·82	1·87	0·45	16·04	8·74	Chhagalnaia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·9	4·12	2·38	1·43	17·93	11·51	Hatiya.		
											1·0		1·26			10·86	Laxhipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2·1	1·70	1·68	0·62	12·90	8·06	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·8	1·19	1·82	0·44	13·76	8·74	Bandarban.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·0	1·25	1·49	0·60	24·71	7·03	Barkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	(*a*)	0·88	(*a*)	0·45	10·19	(*a*)	Lama.		
											(*a*)		(*a*)			(*a*)	Ramgarh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	(*a*)	0·72	(*a*)	0·40		(*a*)	Mahalcheri.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·4	1·49	1·12	1·39	10·48	6·02	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	0·26	0·15	0·26	7·49	5·22	Dhubri ...	Cooch Behar ...	COOCH BEHAR.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	0·03	0·06	0·03	6·46	6·11	Cooch Behar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·05	Nil	3·88	4·36	Mekhliganj.		
											0·3		0·12			5·46	Mathabhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·3	0·11	0·11	0·11	6·19	5·14	Futbari.		

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CALCUTTA TRADE FLUCTUATIONS.

THE following tables are intended to show the trade of the Calcutta Block* in certain selected articles during the months of April to September 1916 by all routes, *i.e.*, by rail, river, canal, road and sea. The statistics have been compiled from returns furnished by the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, Railway Audit Offices, Steamer Companies, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the District Magistrates of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, and the Assistant Engineer, Calcutta Canals.

* Calcutta block consists of the town of Calcutta with Howrah and Kidderpore Docks.

General Summary.

Imports.—The imports of rice including paddy into Calcutta by rail, river, canal, road and sea (coastwise) during April to September 1916, amounted to 7,853,540 maunds as against 13,312,046 maunds in the corresponding period of the preceding year—a decline of 41 per cent. There was a slight increase in the imports of coal and coke (55,137,867 maunds as against 55,043,542 maunds last year). The arrivals of Indian cotton piece-goods showed considerable improvement, the total value amounted to Rs. 2,07,65,625 as against Rs. 77,37,960 in 1915. The quantity of indigo imported during the six months ending September 1916, rose by 153 per cent. (2,005 maunds as against 794 maunds last year) owing to larger supply having been received from Bihar and Orissa. Imports of raw jute amounted to 1,844,185 bales—a fall of 34 per cent., while the importations of gunny-bags showed a large increase, 212 million bags against 163 millions in the preceding year. The total imports of oilseeds rose by 41 per cent. (5,144,096 maunds against 3,653,079 maunds), and those of sugar by 6 per cent. (337,878 maunds against 308.338 maunds). There was a decrease in the imports of tea from (1,742,854 maunds in 1915 to 1,427,594 maunds in 1916).

Exports.—The despatches of cotton piece-goods, Foreign, from Calcutta by all routes increased by 8 per cent. (Rs. 10,41,04,146 as against Rs. 9.63,06.764 last year). The exports of gunny-bags including the exports by sea to foreign countries, increased from 634 million bags to 705 million bags. Shipments of gunny-bags to foreign countries other than the United Kingdom increased by about 10 million bags in the period under review, and those to the United Kingdom by 56 million bags. The quantity of kerosine oil despatched from Calcutta and Budge Budge by internal routes and by sea (coastwise) decreased slightly from 3,518,534 maunds to 3,510.041 maunds.

TABLE I

Trade of Calcutta in certain selected articles for the six months of April to September 1916, compared with the corresponding months of 1915.

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL, AND SEA (COASTWISE) (a)		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE)	
		April to Sept. 1916	April to Sept. 1915	April to Sept. 1916	April to Sept. 1915
Food-grains—					
Rice	Mds	7,052,878	11,296,528	957,616	1,140,522
Paddy	,,	1,281,059	2,224,839	21	7,160
Total (in rice) (b)	,,	7,853,540	13,312,046	957,629	1,144,997
Wheat	,,	2,781,700	4,471,334	90,708	436,941
Wheat flour	,,	135,791	150,747	143,057	250,870
Gram and pulse	,,	2,687,957	2,710,000	414,866	829,432
Other food-grains	,,	319,223	401,939	58,553	86,342
Total food-grains	,,	13,778,211	21,046,075	1,664,813	2,750,282
Coal and coke	,,	55,137,867	55,043,54	18,849,640	24,679,029
Cotton, raw	Bales	74,163	96,365	44,414	55,427
,, twist and yarn, Indian (c)	Mds	184,250	187,598	8,410	24,315
,, piece-goods, Indian (c)	Rs	2,07,65,625	77,37,960	35,814	45,716
Indigo	Mds	2,005	794	6,211	2,191
Jute, raw	Bales	1,844,185	2,775,684	750,085	1,106,689
,, gunny-bags	No	312,385,178	162,686,572	(c)656,366,444	(c)590,042,366
Lac	Mds	277,493	300,154	294,815	272,949
Oilseeds—Linseed	,,	2,515,231	1,834,925	1,940,455	1,607,814
,, —Rape and mustard	,,	2,628,845	1,618,154	3,304	1,979
Silk, raw	,,	2,350	2,071	3,179	1,969
Sugar—Refined	,,	93,660	89,119	12,268	13,294
,, —Unrefined	,,	244,218	219,219	7,828	6,333
Tea (Indian)	,,	1,427,594	1,742,854	1,221,475	1,259,435
Tobacco, unmanufactured	,,	521,873	358,117	253,944	139,717
manufactured	,,	40,198	41,879	3,260	4,506

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE) (c)		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL, AND SEA (COASTWISE)	
		April to Sept. 1916	April to Sept. 1915	April to Sept. 1916	April to Sept. 1915
Cotton twist and yarn—Foreign	Mds	54,460	71,163	100,380	139,640
,, ,, —Indian	,,	14,873	18,424	196,952	201,232
Cotton piece-goods—Foreign	Rs	11,60,71,952	10,58,99,370	10,41,04,146	9,63,06,764
,, ,, —Indian	,,	55,873	2,45,763	1,00,47,036	76,18,809
Kerosene oil (d)	Mds	3,036,005	2,770,276	3,510,041	3,518,534
Salt	,,	5,690,168	6,961,841	4,898,609	5,204,626
Gunny bags	No	.....	.....	48,356,203	43,859,240

(a) The imports by sea are imports from other Indian ports only exclusive of foreign imports.
(b) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(c) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(d) Including figures of Budge-Budge trade.
(e) The imports by sea include imports from other Indian ports together with imports from foreign countries

TABLE

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail,

Whence imported	Food-grains								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian(b) (c)
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
	Rice	Paddy (a)	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
Burdwan	13,039	94,173	71,897	277	962	9,653	137	82,926	25,437,565	7	4	384
Birbhum	33,763	3,880	36,188	.....	116	3,688	12	40,004	.....	10	.....	.....
Bankura	19	.....	19	1	81	13	5	118	.....	68	15	25,716
Midnapur	328,711	24,128	343,788	80	20	2,716	... ...	346,604	2,005	113	17	12,562
Hooghly	326,384	97,261	387,672	14	347	24,377	443	412,853	43,171	338	30,049	4,78,106
24-Parganas	902,886	90,495	939,165	200	209	3,949	4,047	987,850	19,298	468	43,006	1,80,580
Nadia	2,299	499	2,611	1,040	339	426,088	7,408	447,486	.....	604	100	36,681
Murshidabad	30,015	3,841	31,603	3,193	16	77,503	294	112,609	.....	28	5	206
Jessore	1,428	3,630	3,697	301	.....	68,506	365	72,869	.....	791	5	87
Khulna	3,817	78,459	52,864	.....	.....	1,404	135	54,383	.....	223	10	434
Rajshahi	2,721	281	2,897	26	.....	1,728	.....	4,651	.....	.....	.....	674
Dinajpur	353	106,133	68,886	.....	.....	.....	.....	68,886	.....	2	.....	290
Jalpaiguri	2	3,668	2,307	.....	853	100	.....	3,260	.....	.....	.....	2,271
Darjeeling	4	4,040	2,529	.....	313	.....	2	2,844	.....	.....	.....	367
Rangpur	293	2,917	2,115	.....	4	107	.....	2,226	.....	788	2	893
Bogra	2,645	125,066	80,824	.....	77	1,266	.....	82,167	.....	5	15	1,073
Pabna	401	.....	401	542	4	5,174	44	6,165	.....	3	29	1,770
Malda	1,384	.....	1,384	21	.....	2,520	21	3,946	.....	.....	8	599
Cooch Behar	6	.....	6	.....	.....	2,483	.....	2,489	... ...	...	.....	83
Dacca	8,322	2	8,323	.....	.....	4,704	.....	13,027	.....	6,236	92	1,089
Mymensingh	460	.....	460	.....	.....	4,813	.....	5,273	.....	257	12	796
Faridpur	634	.....	634	3,982	79	27,645	4,560	36,873	... ...	1,060	43	413
Backergunj	143,831	1	143,832	.....	40	1,672	.....	145,544	.....	73	46	782
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	140	1	141	.....	.....	5	.....	146	.....	30	68	43
Noakhali	4	...	4	.....	.....	13	.....	17	.....	2	6	79
Chittagong	2	.....	2	... ...	40	25	.....	67	.....	5,276	...	1,915
Chittagong Port ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,819
Total of Bengal ...	1,804,262	637,310	2,202,519	9,657	3,498	680,151	17,463	2,913,288	25,502,039	16,367	73,523	7,80,014
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
Bihar and Orissa ...	241,397	41,831	267,541	198,994	3,635	318,003	115,856	904,029	29,635,828	893	193	25,535
Assam	121	3,863	2,535	.....	27	266	531	3,359	.....	469	71	14,312
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,833	1,338	2,669	1,306,169	51,734	1,313,223	93,881	2,966,676	.....	3,856	1,689	3,33,485
Punjab	6,007	.....	6,007	111,901	76,093	42,318	1,885	238,204	.....	9	28	13,216
Sind and British Baluchistan.	31	.....	31	9	.....	66	.....	106	.....	.....	13	6,410
Central Provinces and Berar.	17,241	77,857	65,777	924,229	... ...	238,187	2,857	1,231,050	.....	33,185	14,555	11,44,699
Bombay	1,854	.....	1,854	273	15	2,142	313	4,600	.....	5,431	86,586	1,75,66,006
Madras	247,432	8,140	252,520	144	649	17,981	292	270,846	.....	13,800	2,136	6,03,065
Burma	4,732,897	511,020	5,052,084	259	3	4,308	96,553	5,153,207	.....	873	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India.	... ...	.....	.....	30,057	72	55,876	587	86,592	.....	13	757	1,69,087
Nizam's Territory ...	3	.....	3	5	.....	16,071	.....	16,079	.....	295	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	5,770	99,876
Port Blair	.....	.....	.....	.....	67	.....	.....	67	.....	.....	.....	.....
1916	7,052,878	1,281,052	7,853,540	2,781,700	135,792	2,687,967	319,223	13,778,211	55,137,867	74,163	184,350	2,07,65,625
GRAND TOTAL 1915	11,296,528	3,224,829	13,312,046	4,471,334	150,747	2 710,009	401,930	21,046,075	56,043,542	98,365	187,598	77,37,960
1914	9,906,314	1,536,688	10,868,744	3,400,309	80,190	2,587,384	262,442	16,197,109	74,878,681	81,423	139,221	87,89,490

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise)
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter

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Road, River, Canal and Sea (Coastwise) in the six months of April to September 1916.

Indigo	JUTE: Raw(d)	JUTE: Gunny-bags(e)	Lac	OILSEEDS: Linseed	OILSEEDS: Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	SUGAR: Refined	SUGAR: Unrefined	Tea, Indian	TOBACCO: Unmanufactured	TOBACCO: Manufactured	Whence imported
Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
.....	1,384	144,306	1,356	2,569	6,085	13	20	6,386	.....	2,661	280	Burdwan
.....	739	24,805	1,407	1,927	925	2	.....	17	.....	179	11	Birbhum
.....	.....	15,390	161	123	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68	431	Bankura
.....	673	125,577	8	4,906	637	36	.....	17,117	.....	14	.....	Midnapur
.....	10,019	74,168,496	19	3,504	808	7	38	39,237	.....	20,107	8,614	Hooghly
.....	68,728	135,967,166	.....	272	1,580	221	5,960	65,302	.....	2,411	4,963	24-Parganas
5	36,018	84,094	.....	34,468	437	937	2	13,717	.....	8,233	.....	Nadia
.....	13,924	20,582	3,519	18,068	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	12	Murshidabad
.....	12,320	41,717	.....	7,064	1,947	.....	1	68,382	.....	2,079	29	Jessore
.....	24,422	41,779	.....	378	180	14	.....	7,590	.....	126	26	Khulna
.....	58,772	2,419	.....	4,156	494	.....	.....	.....	.....	99	.....	Rajshahi
.....	23,773	208,403	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	396	4	Dinajpur
.....	39,194	50,225	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	257,062	55,917	6	Jalpaiguri
.....	1,445	46,699	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	122,890	636	.....	Darjeeling
.....	244,591	129,355	.....	140	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,871	164,109	12	Rangpur
.....	88,136	8,651	.....	237	.....	.....	.....	2	190	517	1	Bogra
1	164,459	16,751	19	1,498	362	313	.....	.....	.....	111	.....	Pabna
.....	10,879	27,183	.....	4,320	10	.....	.....	5	.....	175	.....	Malda
.....	26,075	533	.....	.....	255	.....	.....	.....	.....	57,080	.....	Cooch Behar
.....	306,010	46,027	18	2,385	.....	.....	107	43	.....	14	46	Dacca
.....	188,112	51,472	434	828	163	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	Mymensingh
.....	267,422	39,520	.....	6,516	1,625	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Faridpur
.....	17,927	19,350	.....	1,518	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	Bakarganj
.....	29,811	195,775	.....	131	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	77	.....	Tippera (including Hill Tippera)
.....	1,848	49,038	.....	3,991	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	.....	Noakhali
.....	64	47,797	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,802	.....	2	Chittagong
.....	149	214,471	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	.....	.....	Chittagong Port
6	1,626,393	211,752,041	6,934	99,009	14,809	1,543	6,149	218,810	398,793	314,330	14,426	Total of Bengal
												OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
942	170,433	383,938	161,984	1,735,960	81,995	26	2,075	17,490	1,533	118,976	22,804	Bihar and Orissa
.....	47,179	140,527	12,339	47,326	40,798	450	42	.....	1,036,389	199	46	Assam
269	.....	56,334	68,621	603,389	2,399,030	4	1,721	6,606	704	1,641	181	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	.....	1,025	3	.....	4,014	320	.....	27	62	32	17	Punjab
.....	.....	779	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	.....	19	4	25	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	180	13,653	2,094	17,840	39,866	.....	66	748	24	7	311	Central Provinces and Berar
78	.....	4,141	.....	.....	1,128	7	1,801	8	45	11,947	32	Bombay
710	.....	13,326	107	539	16,433	.....	62,873	528	12	56,122	467	Madras
.....	.....	7,100	15,349	.....	.....	.....	18,905	.....	26	18,189	1,877	Burma
.....	.....	492	9,172	11,188	70,980	.....	.....	1	8	.....	9	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	1,640	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	... ..	Nizam's Territory
.....	.....	123	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	525	.....	Mysore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Port Blair
2,005	1,844,185(f)	212,385,178	277,493	2,515,361	2,638,845	2,350	93,660	241,218	1,427,594	521,872	40,198	1916
794	2,775,664	162,636,572	300,154	1,834,925	1,818,154	2,071	89,119	219,219	1,742,856	388,117	41,879	1915 GRAND TOTAL
483	1,209,635	117,411,571	283,119	4,769,216	3,051,622	2,568	57,398	193,396	1,425,710	405,184	47,948	1914

(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta Block which are 1,498,399 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 29,892 bales
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag
(f) Of this, 1,154,001 bales came by rail, 634,373 bales by river, 33,369 bales by road, and 22,542 bales by sea

TABLE III

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. II were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the six months of April to September 1916

Routes		Food-grains: Rice	Paddy (a)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b)(c)	Indigo
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	66,094	174,699	1,914,786	131,500	1,748,835	192,673	38,509,823	6,918	2,669	5,75,845	1,241
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	362,156	313,013	37,726	2,657	423,646	12,260	4,302,564	1,103	63,062	91,40,880	-
	A.-B. Railway...	2	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	186	2	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway...	513,335	123,063	825,295	986	221,702	2,106	12,270,765	41,990	70,429	1,04,47,448	319
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways	784	114	.....	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	4	42,771	.....
,, river steamer		70,208	452	374	99	20,613	3,330	.....	14,182	303	29,496	.....
,, boat		772,687	124,091	3,280	450	264,561	8,299	3,177	2,921	30,701	2,48,000	.....
,, road		512,280	34,063	.....	.....	2,702	4,007	51,538	325	17,080	2,81,235	.....
,, sea		4,755,465	511,074	259	74	5,879	96,558	.....	8,538	.....	.....	439
Total ...	1916 ...	7,052,878	1,281,059	2,781,700	135,791	2,687,957	319,252	55,137,867	74,163	184,250	2,07,65,625	2,006
	1915 ...	11,396,528	3,294,829	4,471 334	150,747	2,710,009	401,939	55,043,542	98,365	187,598	77,37,960	794
	1914 ...	9,906,314	1,536,688	2,400,309	80,190	2,587,384	362,482	74,878,681	81,482	139,221	87,39,490	493

Routes		Jute: Raw(d)	Gunny bags(e)	Lac	Oilseeds: Linseed	Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	Sugar: Refined	Unrefined	Tea Indian	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Manufactured
		Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	64,850	842,837	188,038	2,330,725	2,475,042	1,174	2,773	23,884	885	78,013	10,318
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	1,078,970	2,296,738	17,292	53,520	53,506	683	.....	45,952	388,158	348,359	806
	A.-B. Railway...	.....	19,147	162	.....	156	13	10	.....	159,500	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway...	10,135	184,951	100,395	29,097	49,382	11	7,224	255	1,533	49,519	1,006
	D. S. Railway...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	171,922	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways	46	44,463	.....	122	.....	.....	.....	28	.....	.....	26
,, river steamer		550,531	477,615	6,327	53,119	38,695	462	1,237	2,305	705,529	4,319	12,720
,, boat		83,743	206,466,027	.....	39,442	10,584	.....	58	98,829	.....	23,007	176
,, road		33,369	2,039,910	.....	208	1,580	.....	5,380	78,997	.....	5,313	13,375
,, sea		23,542	13,550	935,349	.....	.....	7	76,278	.....	92	18,442	2,071
Total ...	1916 ...	1,844,185	212,385,178	277,493	2,515,251	2,638,845	2,350	93,660	244,218	1,427,594	531,872	40,198
	1915 ...	2,775,664	161,636,572	800,154	1,834,925	1,818,154	2,071	89,119	219,219	1,749,854	358,117	41,879
	1914 ...	1,309,655	117,411,571	285,119	4,769,216	2,051,622	2,568	57,398	193,396	1,435,710	405,134	47,948

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Excludes import into the mills outside the Calcutta block, which are 1,498,399 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 29,592 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

TABLE IV

Imports of certain Articles into the Port of Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coast wise) in the six months of April to September 1916.

	Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece-goods		Kerosene oil	Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		
From Foreign Countries—	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom	37,730	.....	11,04,29,817	.....	.....	1,548,252
Other countries	15,514	.....	54 25,322	.....	949,725	4,071,623
Total ...	53,244	.....	11,58,54,839	.....	949,725	5,619,875
Coastwise—						
From British ports in—						
Bombay	.....	8,975	5,291	45,109	.....	12,717
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	72,072	.....	.....	.....
Madras	.....	5,874	.....	.....	.....	57,576
Burma	20	24	1,39,750	10,264	2,086,280	.....
Pondichery	1,196	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	1,216	14,873	2,17,113	55,373	2,086,280	70,293
Grand Total ... 1916 ...	54,460	14,873	11,60,71,952	55,373	3,036,005	5,690,168
Grand Total ... 1915 ...	71,163	18,434	10,58,99,370	2,45,763	2,770,276	6,961,844
Grand Total ... 1914 ...	85,351	48,455	11,32,19,109	16,66,295	3,031,344	5,784,117

TABLE V

Exports of Principal Articles from the port of Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign Countries) in the six months of April to September 1916.

	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian	Cotton piece-goods, Indian
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	192	.....	192	.....	38	30	.....	260	98,372	1	486	550
Bihar and Orissa	766	.....	766	.....	64	354	.....	1,184	31,932	.....	946	.....
Bombay ...	12,755	.....	12,755	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 755	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras ...	998	.....	998	.....	1,630	5,789	.....	8,417	1,330,295	.....	.....	.....
Burma	17,599	.....	17,599	59,513	108,076	207,239	15,141	407,568	6,677,311	945	37,550	5,46,842
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,992	.....	.....	1,992	37,567	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	32,310	.....	32,310	59,513	111,860	213,412	15,141	432,176	8,175,377	946	38,982	5,47,392
To Foreign countries—												
United Kingdom	93,407	20	93,419	1,940	.....	33,720	38,978	168,057	.....	8,721	483	.....
Other countries	831,899	1	831,900	29,255	31,257	167,734	4,434	1,064,580	10,674,263	34,747	7,927	35,814
Total ...	925,306	21	925,319	31,195	31,257	201,454	43,412	1,232,637	10,674,263	43,468	8,410	35,814
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	957,616	21	957,629	90,708	143,057	414,866	58,553	1,664,813	18,849,640	44,414	47,392	5,83,206
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	1,140,532	7,160	1,144,997	438,941	250,570	829,452	86,342	2,750,282	24,679,029	55,427	60,142	6,14,756
GRAND TOTAL 1914 ...	2,820,898	1,609	2,821,903	81,293	242,620	756,065	73,145	4,007,026	35,095,592	47,615	49,179	3,57,693

	Indigo	JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		Silk, raw	SUGAR		Tea (Indian)	TOBACCO	
		Raw	Gunny-bags*		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs.	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	...	.....	.....	.....	1	143	... ...	1,513	9	6	281	19
Bihar and Orissa	...	.....	4,400	.....	.....	.....	.....	48	.....	.....	503	119
Bombay ...	...	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	189	.....	20
Madras ...	...	5	935,575	.....	.....	554	.....	.....	.....	1,436	.....	568
Burma ...	...	59	11,767,112	28	72	1,177	2	5,599	7,786	6,996	92,554	1,386
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondichery ...	...	.....	30,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	...	.....	38,025	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Total ...	...	64	13,775,412	28	73	1,874	2	7,160	7,795	8,627	93,338	2,135
To Foreign countries—												
United Kingdom	3,775	356,520	182,367,625	51,102	1,692,634	.....	893	.....	.....	948,028	48,514	482
Other countries	2,536	393,501	473,998,814	213,685	247,748	1,430	2.284	5,108	33	264,820	112,092	643
Total ...	6,311	750,021	656,366,444	294,787	1,940,382	1,430	3,177	5,108	33	1,212,848	160,606	1,125
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	6,311	750,085	669,141,856	294,815	1,940,455	3,304	3,179	12,268	7,828	1,221,475	253,944	3,260
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	2,191	1,108,689	609,670,511	272,949	1,607,814	1,979	1,969	13,294	6,333	1,359,439	139,717	4,515
GRAND TOTAL 1914 ...	1,996	636,516	428,372,046	270,023	4,434,160	165,862	1,807	21,699	14,898	1,091,093	91,861	12,145

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

TABLE VI

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the six months of April to September 1916.

Whither exported	Cotton twist & yarn		Cotton piece-goods*		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta Block	From Budge-Budge	
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	403	6,525	18,77,078	69,252	372,441	25,145	74,706	108,336
Birbhum	244	6,002	13,11,873	48,918	67,486	316	23,166	73,592
Bankura	437	3,382	3,06,613	3,731	3,403	23	475	25,256
Midnapur	4,101	8,195	12,81,722	2,40,025	105,452	1,159	37,401	198,182
Hooghly	3,950	328	6,58,057	3,07,126	1,169,534	41,840	67,526	134,313
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	523,464	.....
24-Parganas	2,242	4,061	8,19,921	3,73,896	697,240	68,081	105,907	121,858
Nadia	2,282	11,945	26,37,890	1,74,477	253,652	5,917	56,333	172,068
Murshidabad	336	3,983	16,00,458	18,032	86,525	306	58,614	150,817
Jessore	1,664	4,471	13,35,299	1,13,932	52,562	23,028	27,165	126,906
Khulna	1,925	1,390	10,12,306	1,56,500	20,748	26,567	41,801	89,131
Rajshahi	241	670	10,77,675	2,32,129	33,189	4,002	15,720	58,472
Dinajpur	68	955	13,37,081	1,49,005	110,825	71	31,450	89,632
Jalpaiguri	205	1,552	13,08,175	1,00,744	115,128	645	45,776	83,929
Darjeeling	..	1,822	13,59,651	79,905	23,042	349	21,583	50,615
Rangpur	511	1,121	34,87,315	2,33,344	147,960	341	67,901	226,324
Bogra	36	1,312	20,07,218	2,35,716	125,337	25	49,775	101,071
Pabna	3,965	2,117	14,19,785	3,57,825	56,810	582	133,925	178,094
Malda	1,133	2,803	10,53,815	92,333	34,858	190	4,989	38,674
Cooch Behar	6	254	6,94,418	40,308	48,544	291	14,569	39,629
Dacca	16,993	2,185	44,24,557	2,08,078	59,301	811	130,166	301,284
Mymensingh	3,688	2,395	11,84,023	13,93,567	28,782	2,795	84,025	240,013
Faridpur	5,689	1,876	13,55,100	2,02,786	77,982	25,744	37,119	148,128
Bakarganj	10,703	1,191	11,90,189	4,72,344	196,082	6,044	76,576	110,283
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	7,286	4,858	20,19,909	1,38,012	70,909	222	3,166	127,861
Noakhali	3,601	2,409	6,70,456	87,415	22,021	47	25,000	185
Chittagong	2,725	446	1,87,356	56,482	19,644	516	901	6,318
Chittagong Port	1,805	3,278	6,90,254	1,29,811	19,721	.....	.....	585
Total of Bengal	74,940	81,605	3,30,28,187	56,35,787	3,856,385	233,416	1,700,177	3,000,166
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES								
Bihar and Orissa	6,724	45,704	2,70,08,561	12,78,663	3,942,245	8,503	704,209	1,490,565
Assam	10,702	6,198	59,42,408	10,09,530	302,703	10,016	34,438	373,413
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,538	964	2,03,95,499	6,47,997	3,695,986	2,653	686,327*	6,922
Punjab	3,190	1,693	73,46,314	7,62,447	2,209,490	40	71,869	3
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	1,11,748	120	1,918,759	.....	603	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	223	84	8,86,960	32,215	1,934,544	1,442	28,624	819
Bombay	390	21	12,90,609	84,897	13,196,478	.....	.....	416
Madras	1,486	2,744	11,61,923	17,372	4,611,635	523	2,946	16
Burma	917	37,550	8,83,262	5,46,642	11,767,113	.....	27	26,935
Rajputana and Central India	238	42	7,30,963	21,040	452,435	516	26,600	.....
Kashmir State	1	.....	3,495	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....
Nizam's Territory	31	4	2 85,902	9,576	161,540	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	... ..	.. ...	12,545	.....	238,866	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey	.....	.....	.....	.....	38,025	.....	.....	.....
Pondicherry	.....	.....	.....	.....	40,000	.....	.....	.....
Port Blair	.....	488	12,710	560	.....	.....	110	354
GRAND TOTAL 1916	100,380	196,952	10,41,04,146	1,00,47,036	48,356,203	257,111	3,252,930	4,898,609
GRAND TOTAL 1915	139,640	201,332	9,63,06,764	76,18,809	43,859,240	315,412	3,203,122	5,204,626
GRAND TOTAL 1914	123,779	209,995	9,44,06,195	82,88,357	41,240,746	325,395	3,283,716	5,368,030

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

TABLE VII

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. VI were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the six months of April to September 1916.

Routes	Cotton twist and yarn		Cotton piece-goods*		Gunny-bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta Block	From Budge-Budge	
	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail: E. I. Railway	3,830	42,321	2,92,38,039	20,38,875	5,103,844	33,110	742,951	734,536
By rail: E. B. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	4,166	41,067	2,30,25,273	20,24,111	1,336,272	6,061	1,045,489	1,413,181
By rail: A.-B. Railway	2,772	10,978	26,93,326	2,48,378	32,390	1,882	1,975	48,538
By rail: B.-N. Railway	4,119	42,930	31,57,344	2,86,352	1,749,388	5,806	18,677	429,044
By rail: B. and N.-W. Railway	338	5,160	1,63,74,816	4,02,166	2,190,712	1,080	458,284	312,189
By rail: O. and R. Railway	442	22	33,86,145	39,107	913,612	1,092	277,554	341
By rail: Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways.	1,367	.....	2,66,945	.....	32,714	2,973	.....	13,114
By rail: Minor Railways	3,774	138	56,71,617	1,58,809	21,759,397	1,422	102,286	16,864
,, river Steamer	70,572	13,567	1,69,60,765	34,84,958	935,048	13,366	411,700	1,142,153
,, boat	4,667	2,938	6,44,580	2,45,400	120,854	103,440	187,829	830,288
,, road	2,772	571	7,84,480	5,71,794	1,414,862	88,219	6,988	87,063
,, sea	1,662	38,982	9,00,796	5,47,392	13,775,412	.....	9,897	79,81
Total 1916	100,380	196,952	10,41,04,146	1,00,47,036	48,356,203	257,111	3,252,930	4,898,609
Total 1915	139,640	201,332	9,63,06,764	76,18,809	43,859,240	315,412	3,203,122	5,204,626
Total 1914	123,779	209,995	9,44,06,195	82,88,357	41,240,746	325,395	3,283,716	5,368,030

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA,
The 12th December 1916.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 16th December 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
10th Dec. 1916	7 A.M.	9·2	9·2	9·8	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
11th ,, ,,	7 ,,	9·1	9·1	9·7	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a
12th ,, ,,	7 ,,	9·1	9·1	9·5	pucca pillar between the passenger
13th ,, ,,	7 ,,	9·0	9·0	9·4	ghât and Chandpore ghât.
14th ,, ,,	7 ,,	8·9	8·9	9·2	Its reduced level is 22·41.
15th ,, ,,	7 ,,	8·8	8·8	9·1	
16th ,, ,,	7 ,,	8·6	8·6	8·8	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest ,, ...	3·4 on 10th February 1915.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest ,, ...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto ,, ...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto ,, ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto ,, ...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	Lowest ,, ...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1904.

FARIDPUR,
The 16th December 1916.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 16th December 1916.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 43·00.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
10th Dec. 1916	8 A.M.	3·80	46·80	47·40	R. L. of gauge-post is 43·00.
11th ,, ,,	8 ,,	3·70	46·70	47 30	B. M. on College step-69·74.
12th ,, ,,	8 ,,	3 60	46·60	47·20	
13th ,, ,,	8 ,,	3·50	46·50	47·00	
14th ,, ,,	8 ,,	3·40	46 40	47·00	
15th ,, ,,	8 ,,	3·30	46 30	46 90	
16th ,, ,,	8 ,,	3·10	46 10	46 80	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest ,, ...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record ...	Highest ,, ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	Lowest ,, ...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	Ditto ,, ...	39 28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 16th December 1916.

H. DUTT,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Division.*

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 9th December 1916.

Date.	Time when recorded.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height of water above mean sea-level.	Height above zero of gauge on the same date last year.	Remarks.
3rd Dec. 1916	At low tide.	55·2	Not connected with mean sea-level.	53·0	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
4th „ „	Ditto	55·0		53·4	
5th „ „	Ditto	54·7		53·8	
6th „ „	Ditto	54·5		54·0	
7th „ „	Ditto	54·3		54·4	
8th „ „	Ditto	54·2		54·4	
9th „ „	Ditto	54·0		54·2	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th Sept.	1909	...	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	...	69·86	Ditto.
1st „	1911	...	68·46	Ditto.
31st „	1912	...	67·16	Ditto.
26th „	1914	...	66·7	Ditto.
31st „	1915	...	69·7	Ditto.
18th „	1916	...	68·1	Ditto.
23rd Feb.	1907	...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	...	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	...	51·06	Ditto.
6th „	1914	...	50·6	Ditto.
22nd Feb.	1915	...	50·3	Ditto.
15th „	1916	...	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 11th December 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 9th December 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 9th December 1916.			Week ending Saturday, the 11th December 1915.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	433	37,950	614	680	39,849	585
Jute	227	99,246*	1,235	267	99,357†	1,430
Firewood	30	14,650	214	61	54,175	820
Other articles	728	149,226	1,915	692	145,829	1,992
Total ...	1,418	301,072	3,978	1,700	339,210	4,827
Empty boats and rafts ...	403	...	1,049	581	...	1,274
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,821	301,072	5,027	2,281	339,210	6,101

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 107,762½
† Ditto ditto 107,575

CALCUTTA,
The 12th December 1916.

A. N. MITRA,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Vital Statistics of the Districts, excluding Towns

Divisions.	Number.	Districts excluding Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered.			Deaths							
									Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per annum per 1,000 of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	718,380	725,805	1,444,185	3,912	31·98	26	54	·44	33	·26	...	...	2,697	22·04
	2	Birbhum	458,931	467,411	926,342	2,435	31·03	30	11	·14	7	·08	...	...	1,907	24·30
	3	Bankura	534,150	547,314	1,081,464	2,916	31·85	5	50	·54	4	·04	...	...	2,409	26·29
	4	Midnapore ...	1,367,300	1,371,001	2,738,301	7,734	33·34	229	403	1·73	17	·07	...	...	4,991	21·51
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	465,970	472,645	938,615	2,716	34·16	6	97	1·22	6	·07	...	...	1,748	21·98
	6	Howrah	369,595	372,124	741,719	2,483	39·04	24	85	1·35	2	·03	...	...	616	9 80
Total of Division for month ...			3,914,326	3,956,300	7,870,626	22,196	33·25	350	700	1·05	68	·10	...	...	14,368	21·55
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						17,196	25·72	290	758	1·13	122	·18	...	...	14,237	21·29
Presidency	7	24-Parganas ...	970,850	914,740	1,885,590	4,556	28·52	51	11	·06	35	·21	...	...	2,216	13·87
	8	Nadia	765,499	756,429	1,521,928	4,786	37·12	113	33	·25	3	·02	...	...	3,062	23·90
	9	Murshidabad ...	635,385	653,506	1,288,791	5,174	47·39	212	45	·41	4	·03	...	...	2,800	25 65
	10	Jessore	889,399	847,767	1,737,066	4,310	29·29	206	150	1·01	8	·05	...	...	3,061	20·80
	11	Khulna	693,187	644,392	1,337,579	4,746	41·89	270	46	·40	3	·02	...	...	2,371	20 04
Total of Division for month ...			3,954,120	3,816,834	7,770,954	23,572	35·81	942	285	·43	53	·08	...	...	13,430	20 40
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						19,390	29·37	976	579	·87	88	·13	...	...	17,904	27·12
Rajshahi	12	Rajshahi	787,640	711,290	1,448,930	5 003	40·76	446	1	·008	4	·03	...	...	3,867	31·50
	13	Dinajpur	880,298	791,620	1,671,918	5,109	36·07	242	17	·12	1	·007	...	...	4,224	29·82
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	483,681	408,214	890,895	3,375	44·72	252	5	·06	4	·05	...	...	2,395	31·73
	15	Darjeeling ...	127,357	113,634	240,971	819	39·93	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	633	31·01
	16	Rangpur ...	1,244,208	1,124,693	2,368,901	7,895	39·35	707	42	·20	6	·02	...	...	5,674	28·27
	17	Bogra	496,020	475,346	970,366	2,566	31·22	159	11	·13	10	·12	...	...	1,467	17·84
	18	Pabna	700,299	684,286	1,384,585	4,887	41·67	272	88	·70	1	·008	...	...	2,218	18·91
	19	Malda	477,714	485,051	962,765	4,437	54·41	124	22	·26	...	...	...	...	2,524	30 95
Total of Division for month ...			5,145,127	4,794,154	9,939,281	34,089	40·49	2,349	181	·21	26	·03	...	...	23,002	27·32
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						25,700	30·44	1,749	4,836	5·72	48	·05	...	...	24,550	29·08
Dacca	20	Dacca	1,395,861	1,428,114	2,823,975	12,157	50·82	791	19	·07	5	·02	...	...	3,247	13 57
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,270,509	2,133,844	4,404,353	13,962	37·42	751	140	·37	35	·09	...	...	5,178	13·88
	22	Faridpur ...	1,056,393	1,033,317	2,089,710	9,434	53·30	434	61	·34	3	·01	...	...	3,075	17·37
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,912,860	1,187,732	3,100,592	8,208	40·71	423	5	·02	...	...	...	...	3,661	18·15
Total of Division for month ...			5,935,623	5,783,006	11,698,331	43,762	44·16	2,399	225	·22	43	·04	...	...	15,161	15·29
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						33,794	33·00	1,800	5,308	5·34	65	·06	...	...	17,706	17·81
Chittagong	24	Chittagong ...	701,960	773,329	1,475,289	5,345	42·77	434	19	·15	8	·06	...	...	2,792	22·34
	25	Noakhali ...	641,332	653,549	1,295,081	5,346	48·73	404	24	·21	...	...	...	...	1,611	14·68
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,163,792	2,372,434	6,411	31·90	525	17	·08	1	·004	...	...	2,180	10·74
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.														Not under
Total of Division for month ...			2,552,134	2,590,680	5,142,804	17,102	39·26	1,363	60	·13	9	·02	...	...	6,583	15·06
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						14,015	32·08	1,092	907	2·07	25	·05	...	...	5,912	13·53
Total of month for Bengal ...			21,501,330	20,920,976	42,421,996	143,598	39 15	7,303	1,451	·40	199	·05	...	...	72,524	20·18
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						109,097	30 27	5,907	12,388	3·43	344	·09	...	...	80 311	22·29
Increase + or Decrease − ...						+34,596	+8·88	+1,396	−10,937	−3·03	−145	−·04	...	...	−7,787	−2·11

REMARKS.—(1) The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons.
(2) This year being a leap year the monthly ratios for this month have been calculated by multiplying the number of births and

CALCUTTA,

The 15th December 1916.

of Bengal, for the month of October 1916.

REGISTERED.

Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injuries including Suicide		Other causes.		Total all causes.				Total of corresponding month of previous year.				No.	Districts.
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.		
45	·36	14	·11	75	·61	564	4·61	1,810	1,671	3,481	28·45	1,783	1,783	3,566	28·90	1	Burdwan.
8	·10	...	...	51	·65	187	2·38	1,134	1,038	2,171	27·66	1,416	1,343	2,758	35·05	2	Birbhum.
41	·44	6	·06	39	·42	483	5·26	1,559	1,472	3,031	33·08	1,090	941	2,031	22·11	3	Bankura.
157	·67	20	·08	124	·53	1,116	4·80	3,551	3,276	6,827	29·43	3,446	3,265	6,711	28·85	4	Midnapore.
136	1·71	30	·49	85	1·06	464	5·83	1,322	1,252	2,575	32·38	1,206	1,263	2,469	30·97	5	Hooghly and Serampore.
286	4·55	37	·58	55	·87	472	7·51	840	713	1,553	24·72	733	649	1,379	21·77	6	Howrah.
673	1·00	116	·17	429	·64	3,384	4·92	10,216	9,422	19,638	29·45						
522	·78	118	·17	291	·43	2,839	4·24	9,843	9,344	18,887	28·25						
40	·25	26	·16	122	·76	571	3·57	1,821	1,400	3,021	18·91	1,903	1,772	3,675	22·94	7	24-Parganas.
9	·06	4	·03	86	·66	591	4·58	2,095	1,713	3,808	29·54	2,346	2,410	4,756	36·75	8	Nadia.
12	·10	3	·02	101	·92	621	5·68	1,795	1,791	3,586	32·85	2,513	2,589	5,102	46·61	9	Murshidabad
7	·04	17	·11	113	·76	505	3·43	2,096	1,884	3,980	26·23	2,635	2,584	5,219	35·37	10	Jessore.
86	·31	4	·03	98	·86	1,011	8·92	1,870	1,799	3,469	30·61	1,732	1,747	3,479	30·62	11	Khulna.
104	·15	54	·08	519	·78	3,299	5·01	9,207	8,537	17,744	26·95						
121	·16	59	·08	459	·69	3,033	4·59	11,129	11,102	22,231	33·68						
3	·02	8	·06	81	·66	552	4·49	2,198	2,318	4,516	36·79	2,004	2,079	4,083	33·17	12	Rajshahi.
32	·22	3	·02	49	·34	181	1·27	2,410	2,097	4,507	31·82	2,443	2,381	4,814	33·90	13	Dinajpur.
127	1·68	20	·26	18	·23	189	2·50	1,498	1,300	2,798	36·54	1,361	1,189	2,550	33·70	14	Jalpaiguri.
48	2·35	16	·88	7	·34	158	7·64	464	408	862	42·23	323	318	641	31·32	15	Darjeeling.
5	·02	2	·009	29	·14	283	1·41	3,123	2,919	6,041	30·10	3,353	3,320	6,683	32·71	16	Rangpur.
5	·06	2	·03	44	·53	172	2·09	862	860	1,722	20·83	1,564	1,561	3,125	37·91	17	Bogra.
4	·03	3	·02	48	·39	206	1·74	1,417	1,143	2,560	21·83	3,157	2,926	6,083	51·73	18	Pabna.
1	·01	...	...	51	·62	447	5·48	1,577	1,468	3,045	37·34	1,984	1,938	3,922	47·96	19	Malda.
225	·26	57	·06	325	·38	2,185	2·59	13,488	12,513	26,001	30·88						
264	·31	28	·03	378	·44	1,699	2·01	16,189	15,612	31,801	37·67						
243	1·01	23	·09	70	·29	1,449	6·05	2,741	2,315	5,056	21·13	3,363	3,065	6,428	26·80	20	Dacca.
73	·19	41	·10	103	·27	1,439	3·85	3,830	3,179	7,009	18·78	6,877	6,322	13,199	34·28	21	Mymensingh.
92	·51	6	·03	74	·41	985	5·45	2,242	2,034	4,276	24·15	3,009	2,732	5,741	32·34	22	Faridpur.
44	·21	8	·03	162	·80	1,945	9·15	2,874	2,861	5,735	26·39	2,225	2,097	4,322	27·37	23	Bakarganj.
462	·45	78	·07	409	·41	5,698	5·75	11,687	10,379	22,066	22·26						
666	·67	51	·05	395	·39	5,139	5·16	15,174	14,146	29,320	29·51						
13	·10	2	·01	125	1·00	102	·81	1,584	1,527	3,061	24·49	1,155	1,243	2,398	19·13	24	Chittagong.
4	·03	1	·009	124	1·13	486	4·42	1,180	1,099	2,319	20·50	960	961	1,960	17·72	25	Noakhali.
62	·30	9	·04	128	·63	697	3·46	1,645	1,429	3,074	15·29	2,179	2,080	4,259	21·13	26	Tippera.
registration.																27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
79	·18	18	·02	377	·86	1,284	2·94	4,329	4,055	8,384	19·24						
149	·34	3	·006	372	·85	1,239	2·83	4,303	4,304	8,607	19·70						
1,588	·42	317	·08	2,089	·57	15,750	4·38	48,927	44,906	93,833	26·11						
1,713	·47	359	·07	1,893	·52	13,939	3·86	56,438	54,408	110,846	30·76	56,438	54,408	110,846	30·76		
+179	−·05	+58	+·01	+196	+·05	+1,811	+·52	− 7,511	− 9,502	−17,013	−4·65						

Taken as a whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual. deaths by 366 days.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District.	Number.	Town.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911. Male	Female.	Total.	Births registered. Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Deaths. Cholera. Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan ...	20,527	15,394	35,921	19	6·24	...	1	·32	...	...	...	...	12	3·94
	2	Kalna ...	4,531	4,092	8,608	7	9·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·37
	3	Katwa ...	3,459	3,445	6,904	6	10·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	10·26
	4	Dainhat ...	2,534	2,808	5,342	5	11·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	13·26
	5	Raniganj ...	8,417	7,080	15,497	20	15·23	...	1	·76	...	...	...	...	16	12·19
	6	Asansol ...	12,486	9,433	21,919	39	21·00	...	1	·53	...	...	...	...	8	4·30
Birbhum ...	7	Suri ...	4,907	4,224	9,131	5	6·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5·17
Bankura	8	Bankura ...	12,156	11,297	23,453	27	13·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	8·55
	9	Vishnupur ...	10,025	10,453	20,478	49	28·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5·76
	10	Sonamukhi ...	3,254	7,021	13,275	18	16·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	8·00
Midnapore	11	Midnapore ...	17,577	15,163	33,740	45	17·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	5·40
	12	Ghatal ...	6,216	5,848	12,064	20	19·57	...	3	2·93	...	...	...	...	19	18·59
	13	Khatar ...	4,714	4,125	8,839	16	21·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	10·68
	14	Chandrakona ...	4,084	4,087	8,121	9	13·08	1	15	21·80	...	...	...	...	10	14·53
	15	Ramjibanpur ...	4,284	4,257	8,481	15	20·88	...	1	1·39	...	...	...	...	6	8·35
	16	Khirpai ...	2,294	2,311	4,605	4	10·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	12·81
	17	Tamluk ...	4,355	3,695	8,050	10	14·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4·39
Hooghly	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.	15,217	13,099	28,316	80	32·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	13·06
	19	Bansberia ...	3,443	2,666	6,108	3	5·79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	9·66
	20	Arambagh ...	4,061	3,987	8,048	9	13·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	7·33
	21	Serampore ...	19,639	13,439	33,078	65	23·94	2	6	2·20	...	...	...	...	7	2·57
	22	Rishra-Konnagore	10,734	6,792	17,516	30	20·22	1	2	1·34	...	...	...	...	6	5·39
	23	Uttarpara ...	4,412	2,961	7,373	9	14·41	1	1	1·60	...	...	...	...	3	4·80
	24	Kotrung ...	4,103	3,471	8,574	11	19·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	12·57
	25	Baidyabati ...	11,793	8,724	20,516	64	36·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	7·48
	26	Bhadreswar ...	15,862	8,491	24,353	20	9·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5·81
Howrah	27	Howrah ...	114,839	64,560	179,399	493	32·44	27	5	·32	1	·06	...	...	97	6·38
	28	Bally ...	14,217	8,177	22,394	50	26·36	...	2	1·05	...	...	...	...	9	4·74
24-Parganas	29	Cossipore-Chitpur	30,793	17,385	48,178	138	31·36	6	5	1·22	...	...	...	...	29	7·10
	30	Manicktala ...	31,735	22,032	53,767	81	17·78	9	3	·65	...	...	...	...	31	6·80
	31	South Suburban ...	17,643	13,850	31,493	80	29·95	5	1	·37	...	...	...	...	26	9·73
	32	Tollygauj ...	11,183	7,250	18,433	23	20·49	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3·84
	33	Garden Reach ...	27,685	17,630	45,295	75	19·54	8	3	·78	1	·26	...	...	22	5·73
	34	Budge-Budge ...	11,539	6,453	17,992	18	11·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	5·25
	35	Baranagar ...	14,992	10,913	25,905	46	21·88	2	1	·45	...	...	...	...	20	9·11
	36	Kamarhati ...	11,248	6,773	18,016	23	15·07	...	1	·65	...	...	...	...	6	3·93
	37	Rajpur ...	5,762	5,845	11,607	33	33·56	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	18·30
	38	Baruipur ...	3,907	2,468	6,375	9	16·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·40
	39	Jaynagar ...	4,631	4,614	9,245	17	21·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	18·32
	40	North Dum-Dum ...	5,151	3,714	8,865	9	11·98	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	11·98
	41	South Dum-Dum ...	7,760	5,114	12,874	14	12·83	1	...	...	1	·91	...	...	9	8·25
	42	South Barrackpore	2,998	2,043	5,031	11	25·81	...	1	2·34	...	...	...	...	8	18·77
	43	Barrackpore ...	11,357	6,944	18,301	10	6·45	...	1	·64	...	...	...	...	5	3·22
	44	Panihati ...	6,339	4,779	11,118	23	24·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5·30
	45	North Barrackpore	9,780	6,340	16,120	26	19·04	...	1	·73	...	...	...	...	5	3·66
	46	Titaghar	31,335	13,946	45,171	31	8·19	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	11·23
	47	Garulia	7,876	3,704	11,580	7	7·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·03
	48	Naihati	11,685	6,634	18,319	22	14·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4·53
	49	Halisahar	8,371	5,052	13,423	21	18·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	13·19
	50	Bhatpara	34,739	15,675	50,414	62	14·51	...	2	·46	...	...	...	...	12	2·81
	51	Barasat	4,731	4,059	8,790	13	16·11	...	1	1·34	...	...	...	...	9	12·08
	52	Gobardanga ...	2,533	2,537	5,070	5	11·64	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	13·97
	53	Bastirhat	9,517	8,814	18,331	36	23·18	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	10·94
	54	Baduria	7,058	6,622	13,680	6	5·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	7·76
	55	Taki	2,627	2,575	5,202	8	18·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	15·88
Calcutta	56	Calcutta	607,674	288,393	896,067	1,936	25·37	127	21	·27	...	...	...	...	277	3·64
Nadia	57	Krishnagar ...	11,767	11,708	23,475	31	10·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4·02
	58	Nadia or Nabadwip	5,821	6,659	12,480	18	17·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10·40
	59	Ranaghat	5,210	4,640	9,850	9	10·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	10·78
	60	Birnagar	1,301	1,353	2,654	11	48·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	13·34
	61	Santipur	12,186	14,317	26,703	61	26·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	18·
	62	Chakdaha	2,469	2,462	4,931	8	14·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·39
	63	Kushtia	3,556	2,539	6,095	6	11·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·74
	64	Kumarkhali ...	1,781	1,988	3,769	6	18·79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	15·66
	65	Meherpur	2,990	2,971	5,961	4	7·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·96
Murshidabad	66	Berhampore ...	14,302	11,841	26,143	29	13·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	8·12
	67	Murshidabad ...	6,269	6,410	12,679	34	31·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	13·97
	68	Azimganj	6,735	5,602	12,337	13	11·49	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10·53
	69	Kandi	6,212	6,426	12,638	40	37·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5·60
	70	Jangipur	5,492	5,916	11,408	39	30·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	12·41
	71	Dhulian ...	4,016	4,382	8,398	38	54·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	27·03
Jessore	72	Jessore ...	5,404	3,507	8,911	6	7·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3·97
	73	Kotchandpur ...	4,284	3,792	8,076	11	16·08	...	3	4·38	...	...	...	...	8	11·69
	74	Maheshpur ...	2,105	2,106	4,211	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	16·82
Khulna	75	Khulna ...	7,983	5,013	12,996	11	9·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	7·26
	76	Satkhira ...	5,802	5,100	10,902	5	5·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7·58
	77	Debhatta ...	2,807	2,682	5,389	10	22·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	15·62
Rajshahi	78	Rampur-Boalia ...	13,067	10,349	23,406	34	17·15	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3·02
	79	Nator ...	4,509	3,742	8,251	10	14·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	8·58
Dinajpur ...	80	Dinajpur ...	9,648	6,297	15,945	14	10·36	...	1	·74	...	...	...	...	5	3·70
Jalpaiguri ...	81	Jalpaiguri ...	7,547	4,218	11,765	19	19·08	2	1	1·00	...	...	...	...	4	4·01
Darjeeling	82	Darjeeling ...	11,631	7,374	19,005	11	6·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4·96
	83	Kurseong ...	3,126	2,448	5,574	8	16·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	25·41
Rangpur ...	84	Rangpur ...	10,509	5,920	16,429	11	7·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4·31

the month of October 1916.

REGISTERED.

DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.				Town.
								Number.				Number.				
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	
7	2·30	3	·98	7	2·30	11	3·61	25	16	41	13·47	39	21	60	19·66	Burdwan,
2	2·74	...	...	...	...	2	2·74	1	4	5	6·86	5	4	9	12·31	Kalna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	6	10·26	6	2	8	13·64	Katwa.
1	4·42	...	...	1	2·21	...	...	4	5	9	19·89	3	9	12	26·44	Dainhat.
2	1·52	...	...	2	1·52	1	·76	11	11	22	16·76	9	8	17	12·91	Raniganj.
1	·53	...	...	...	...	6	3·23	9	7	16	8·61	3	1	4	2·14	Asansol.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	4	5·17	1	4	5	6·43	Suri.
7	3·52	...	...	2	1·00	1	·50	15	12	27	13·59	19	12	31	15·56	Bankura.
8	1·72	...	...	1	·57	5	2·88	12	7	19	10·95	9	14	23	13·22	Vishnupur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3	9	8·00	11	10	21	16 62	Sonamukhi.
10	3·60	1	·36	...	...	5	1·80	15	16	31	11·17	11	22	33	11·86	Midnapore.
6	5·87	2	1·95	4	3·91	...	...	14	20	34	33·27	13	15	28	27·32	Ghatal.
5	4·00	...	...	...	...	4	3·34	10	5	15	20·03	6	18	24	31·96	Kharar.
1	1·45	1	1·45	...	...	1	1·45	14	14	28	40·70	17	7	24	34·79	Chandrakona.
1	1·39	...	...	...	...	3	4·17	5	6	11	15·31	14	26	40	55·53	Ramjibanpur.
1	2·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	6	15·38	6	5	11	28·12	Khirpai.
1	1·46	2	2·93	...	...	1	1·46	4	3	7	10·26	11	4	15	21·93	Tamluk.
7	2·85	2	·81	1	·40	13	5·30	25	30	55	22·45	36	36	72	29 31	Hooghly and Chinsura.
...	...	...	...	1	1·93	...	...	3	3	6	11·59	4	2	6	11·56	Rausberia.
5	7·33	1	1·46	1	1·46	4	5·86	7	9	16	23·47	9	11	20	29·25	Arambagh.
6	2·20	4	1·47	2	·73	25	9·20	24	26	50	18·40	Data not available.				Serampore.
7	4·71	2	1·34	...	...	4	2·69	9	14	23	15 50					Rishra-Konnagore.
4	6·40	...	...	2	3·20	7	11·20	8	9	17	27·22	6	5	11	17·56	Uttarpara.
1	1·79	...	...	1	1·79	2	3·59	6	5	11	19·75	7	6	13	23·28	Kotrung.
2	1·15	1	·57	2	1·15	9	5 17	10	17	27	15·53	22	31	53	30·41	Baidyabati.
2	·96	...	...	...	...	4	1·93	10	8	18	8·72	15	21	36	17 40	Bhadreswar.
62	4·08	44	2 89	9	·59	148	9·60	185	179	364	23·95	197	164	361	23·69	Howrah.
9	4·74	4	2·10	1	·52	11	5·79	19	17	36	18·97	23	15	38	19·97	Bally.
17	4·16	15	3·67	3	·73	38	9·31	68	49	107	26·22	63	59	122	29·31	Cossipore-Chitpur.
16	3·51	27	5·92	2	·43	47	10 32	62	64	126	27·66	74	61	135	29 56	Manicktala
8	1·87	3	·74	1	·37	9	3·36	18	26	44	16·47	35	48	83	30 99	South Suburban.
3	1·28	3	1·28	1	·64	...	...	3	8	11	7·04	13	13	26	15·96	Tollygauj.
16	4·16	4	1·62	...	...	18	4·68	39	28	67	17·46	44	29	73	18 94	Garden Reach.
5	3·28	1	·65	...	...	3	1·96	13	4	17	11·16	5	2	7	4·58	Budge-Budge.
11	5·01	3	1·36	...	...	23	10·48	35	23	58	26·44	67	49	116	52·74	Baranagar.
6	3·93	...	...	...	...	5	3·27	11	7	18	11·79	15	14	29	18 95	Kamarhati.
9	2·03	3	3·05	2	2·03	15	5·08	15	15	30	30 51	13	19	31	31·44	Bajpur.
...	...	1	1·85	2	3·70	...	...	4	3	7	12 96	9	3	12	22·16	Baraipur.
...	...	2	3·55	...	...	...	...	8	6	14	17·87	7	6	13	16 55	Jayanagar.
5	6·65	...	...	...	...	4	5·32	7	11	18	23·97	5	11	16	21·25	North Dum-Dum.
3	2·75	1	·91	...	...	4	3·66	9	9	18	16 50	13	15	28	25·60	South Dum-Dum.
1	2·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	10	23·46	Data not available.				South Barrackpore.
1	1·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	8	5·16					Barrackpore.
2	2·12	5	5·30	...	...	5	5·30	10	7	17	18·05	11	10	21	22·23	Panihati.
7	5 12	2	1·46	1	·73	...	...	11	5	16	11·71	13	20	33	32·79	North Barrackpore.
1	·26	...	...	...	...	5	1·30	34	15	49	11·80	34	34	68	15·11	Titaghar.
3	...	...	...	3	3·08	...	...	1	4	5	5·09	5	8	13	13·21	Garulia.
3	1·94	...	...	...	...	3	1·94	6	7	13	8·41	8	8	16	10·34	Naihati.
1	·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	6	16	14·07	7	8	15	13·15	Halisahar.
7	1·63	5	1·17	1	·23	7	1·63	90	14	34	7·96	23	24	47	10·97	Bhatpara
2	2·68	...	...	1	1·34	...	...	7	6	13	17 46	4	9	13	16 07	Baraset.
...	...	1	2·32	...	...	...	...	4	3	7	16·30	4	10	14	32·51	Gobardanga.
2	1 28	1	·64	1	·64	3	1·93	14	10	24	15·45	11	10	21	13·46	Hasirhat.
1	·86	2	1·72	...	...	2	1·72	8	6	14	12·08	6	5	11	9·46	Baduria.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	7	15·85	9	10	19	43·00	Taki.
191	2·51	381	5·02	41	·54	896	11·80	994	813	1,807	23·80	1,078	800	1,878	24·67	Calcutta.
1	·50	...	...	...	...	3	1·50	6	6	12	6 03	17	20	37	18 55	Krishnagar.
8	4·73	3	2·83	...	...	5	4·73	10	14	24	22 70	11	18	29	27·35	Nadia or Nabadwip.
2	2·39	2	2·39	...	...	2	2·39	8	7	15	17·91	15	10	25	29·88	Ranaghat.
1	4·44	...	...	...	...	2	8·88	3	3	6	26·69	3	3	6	26 61	Birnagar.
3	·88	3	2·21	...	...	4	1·16	24	21	45	19 89	27	35	62	27·33	Santipur.
1	2·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	4 78	6	5	11	26 26	Chakdaha.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	4	7·74	3	3	6	7·72	Krishnia.
...	...	1	3·13	1	3·13	1	3·13	5	3	8	25·06	4	1	5	15·61	Kumarkhali.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·95	3	1	5	5·94	1	3	4	7·90	Meherpur.
1	·46	...	...	...	...	7	3·16	13	13	26	11·74	16	10	26	11·70	Berhampur.
1	·93	...	...	...	...	3	2·79	8	11	19	17·70	22	23	45	41·82	Murshidabad.
...	...	2	1·91	1	·95	6	5·74	11	9	20	19·15	11	13	23	21·96	Azimganj.
5	2·80	1	·93	2	1·86	7	6·53	7	12	19	17·74	13	13	26	24·22	Kandi.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·06	8	6	14	14 48	15	11	26	26·83	Jangipur
...	...	...	...	1	1·42	...	...	6	14	20	28·45	3	6	9	12·77	Dhulian.
1	1·32	...	...	...	...	1	1·32	3	3	6	6·62	9	8	17	22·46	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·46	9	3	12	17·54	9	19	28	40·82	Kotchandpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	6	16·82	3	3	6	11·16	Meherpur.
1	1·81	...	...	...	...	1	·90	4	7	11	9·99	14	17	31	28·03	Khulna.
1	1·08	...	...	...	...	1	1·08	5	4	9	9 74	7	5	12	12 96	Satkhira.
1	2·23	...	...	...	...	2	4·46	4	6	10	22·32	5	4	9	20·03	Debhata.
1	·50	...	...	...	...	3	1·51	3	7	10	5 04	23	10	33	16 09	Rampur-Boalia.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·86	4	4	8	11·44	11	5	16	22·83	Nator.
...	...	1	·74	...	...	1	·74	4	4	8	5·92	10	11	21	15·50	Dinajpur.
8	5·02	6	6·02	...	...	13	13·04	18	14	32	32·11	28	13	41	41·03	Jalpaiguri.
...	...	7	4·34	...	...	4	2·48	10	9	19	11·80	10	13	23	13·62	Darjeeling.
...	...	2	4·23	...	...	1	2·11	7	8	15	31·77	4	3	7	14·78	Kurseong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·15	5	4	9	6·46	8	4	12	8 60	Rangpur.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District	Number	Town.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	BIRTHS REGISTERED. Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	DEATHS. CHOLERA. Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	SMALL-POX. Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	PLAGUE. Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	FEVER. Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
BOGRA	85	Bogra	5,289	3,824	9,113	18	*23·31*	...	3	*3·88*	...	...	...	...	7	*9·06*
	86	Sherpur	2,317	1,871	4,088	6	*17·32*	...	1	*2·88*	...	...	...	...	5	*14·44*
PABNA	87	Pabna	10,558	9,316	19,874	18	*11·02*	...	3	*1·83*	...	...	...	...	3	*1·83*
	88	Sirajganj	13,236	11,541	24,777	8	*3·80*	...	3	*3·80*	...	...	...	...	4	*1·90*
MALDA	89	English Bazar ...	7,597	6,625	14,222	27	*22·25*	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	*6·59*
	90	Malda	2,014	1,736	3,750	13	*37·78*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	*6·29*
	91	Nawabganj ...	11,122	12,200	23,322	30	*15·18*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	*3·54*
DACCA	92	Dacca	63,091	45,460	108,551	303	*32·95*	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	83	*8·91*
	93	Narayanganj ...	18,738	9,138	27,876	76	*32·16*	2	3	*1·27*	...	...	...	...	9	*3·81*
MYMENSINGH ...	94	Mymensingh ...	13,462	6,391	19,853	15	*8·92*	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	13	*7·73*
	95	Muktagachha ...	3,933	2,622	6,555	30	*36·02*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	*7·20*
	96	Netrakona ...	8,018	5,722	13,740	17	*14·60*	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	*5·15*
	97	Jamalpur ...	11,728	9,381	21,109	35	*19·57*	4	...	...	4	*2·23*	...	...	19	*10·62*
	98	Sherpur ...	3,516	7,075	10,591	54	*40·89*	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	*2·27*
	99	Kishorganj ...	9,508	6,518	16,026	24	*15·71*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	*4·58*
	100	Bajitpur ...	5,447	5,396	10,838	21	*23·88*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	*3·26*
	101	Tangail ...	8,493	7,869	16,362	32	*23·09*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	*4·32*
FARIDPUR	102	Faridpur ...	8,017	5,114	13,131	24	*21·57*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	*2·69*
	103	Madaripur ...	10,549	8,524	19,073	67	*41·47*	5	6	*3·71*	...	...	...	...	16	*9·90*
BAKARGANJ ...	104	Barisal	15,488	6,985	22,473	8	*4·20*	...	2	*1·05*	...	...	...	...	6	*3·14*
	105	Jhalakati	4,872	1,107	5,979	3	*5·92*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	*7·89*
	106	Nalchiti	1,454	499	1,953	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	*18·12*
	107	Pirojpur	6,533	5,473	11,996	13	*6·82*	...	1	*·98*	...	...	...	...	2	*1·96*
	108	Patuakhali ...	3,938	2,379	6,317	10	*18·99*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	*3·79*
CHITTAGONG ...	109	Chittagong ...	16,779	9,987	26,766	37	*15·18*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	*7·38*
	110	Cox's Bazar ...	2,102	2,270	4,372	9	*24·27*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	*5·39*
NOAKHALI	111	Sudharam	4,366	2,643	7,009	11	*18·52*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	*6·73*
TIPPERA	112	Comilla	13,706	8,986	22,692	19	*9·85*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	*·52*
	113	Brahmanbaria ...	11,671	10,624	22,295	60	*31·77*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	*5·82*
	114	Chandpur	9,062	3,655	12,717	24	*22·28*	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	*4·64*
Total of month ...			1,781,610	1,125,741	2,907,351	5,396	*21·91*	236	111	*·45*	7	*·02*	...	...	1,489	*6·04*
Total of corresponding month of previous year ...						4,686	*18·97*	272	435	*1·76*	13	*·05*	...	...	1,881	*7·61*
Increase + or decrease − ...						+710	*+2·94*	−36	−324	*−1·31*	−6	*−·03*	...	...	−392	*−1·57*

REMARKS.

1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Taken as a whole the table possesses
2. This year being a leap year the monthly ratios for this month have been calculated by multiplying the number of births and deaths by 366 days.

CALCUTTA,

The 15th December 1916.

the month of October 1916—concld.

REGISTERED

DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES, INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR					TOWN.
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Male.	Number Female.	Number Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Number. Female.	Number. Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	
2	2·59	1	1·29	...	...	...	...	9	4	13	16·84	7	6	13	16·79	85	Bogra.
...	...	3	8·66	...	...	...	...	7	2	9	25·99	5	5	10	28·80	86	Sherpur
1	·61	...	...	1	·61	4	2·45	6	6	12	7·35	11	6	17	10·38	87	Pabna.
3	1·42	...	...	...	...	2	·95	8	9	17	8·10	24	11	35	16·63	88	Sirajganj.
1	·82	2	1·64	...	...	5	4·12	11	5	16	13·18	21	16	37	30·41	89	Hooghly Bazar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	9·44	3	2	5	15·74	7	5	12	37·67	90	Malda.
...	...	...	...	1	·50	...	...	4	4	8	4·04	14	7	21	10·60	91	Nawabganj.
15	1·63	5	·54	5	·54	82	8·91	91	98	189	20·63	169	153	322	34·92	92	Dacca.
4	1·69	1	·44	...	...	27	11·43	23	21	44	18·63	31	18	49	20·69	93	Narayanganj.
1	·59	1	·59	...	...	14	8·32	14	15	29	17·24	15	5	20	11·86	94	Mymensingh.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·20	3	5	8	14·40	4	4	8	14·36	95	Muktagachha
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·71	5	3	8	6·87	4	7	11	9·42	96	Netrakona.
4	2·23	1	·55	...	...	5	2·79	15	18	33	18·45	26	19	45	25·10	97	Jamalpur.
1	·75	3	2·27	1	·75	20	15·14	11	17	28	21·20	18	13	31	23·41	98	Sherpur.
4	2·61	1	·65	...	...	1	·65	6	7	13	8·51	12	8	20	13·06	99	Kishorganj.
...	...	2	2·17	...	...	2	2·17	6	1	7	7·62	14	13	27	29·34	100	Bajitpur.
...	...	1	·72	...	...	4	2·88	5	6	11	7·93	33	33	66	47·49	101	Tangail.
1	·89	...	...	1	·89	2	1·79	3	4	7	6·29	35	23	58	52·00	102	Faridpur.
2	1·23	1	·61	1	·61	13	8·04	19	20	39	24·14	11	13	24	14·81	103	Madaripur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7	8	4·20	8	10	18	9·43	104	Barisal.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	7·89	3	3	6	9·84	105	Jhalakati.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	18·12	...	2	2	12·05	106	Nalchiti.
2	1·96	1	·98	...	...	3	2·95	5	4	9	8·85	3	1	4	3·92	107	Pirojpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·59	4	2	6	11·39	3	...	3	3·78	108	Patuakhali.
6	2·05	1	·41	2	·82	6	2·46	16	16	32	13·13	18	17	35	14·32	109	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	5·39	2	1	3	8·06	110	Cox's Bazar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·68	2	3	5	8·42	3	2	5	8·39	111	Sudharam.
1	·52	...	...	...	...	4	2·08	1	5	6	3·12	4	4	8	4·15	112	Comilla.
3	1·58	4	2·11	...	...	11	5·82	14	15	29	15·35	21	20	41	21·66	113	Brahmanbaria.
2	1·85	...	...	...	...	3	2·78	8	2	10	9·28	9	3	12	11·11	114	Chandpur.
543	2·20	586	2·37	113	·45	1,640	6·66	2,373	2,117	4,489	18·23						
708	2·86	596	2·41	110	·44	1,708	6 91	2,969	2,482	5,451	22·07	2,969	2,482	5,451	22·07		
−165	−·66	−10	−·04	+3	+·01	−68	−·25	−597	−365	−962	−3·85						

a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPART

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the October 1916, and the highest reading of each gauge over

Date.	River Ganges.											
	Mirzapur. Zero of gauge 206·22 ft.		Benares. Zero of gauge 196·80 ft.		Buxar. Zero of gauge 189·05 ft.		Dinapore. Zero of gauge 134·23 ft.		Monghyr. Zero of gauge 101·83 ft. (a)	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad 86.	From Allahabad 134.	From Mirzapur 48.	From Benares 90.		From Benares 177.	From Buxar 87.	From Benares 267.	From Dinapore 110.
	Highest gauge reading.	2nd September 1916. 265·97.	2nd September 1916. 244·80.		3rd and 4th September 1916. 202·80.		8th September 1901. 169·73.		8th September 1901. 129·60.	
	Lowest gauge reading.	20th June 1897. 187·20.	1st May 1877. 182·80.		10th to 14th May 1914. 160·80.		29th April 1913. 135·13.		29th April to 6th May 1914. 96·00.(a)	
		Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
†	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1st		33·50	238·72	23·00	219·80	23·00	192·05	26·00	160·23	19·67	121·50
2nd		33·67	238·89	23·75	219·55	22·17	191·22	25·80	159·53	18·97	120·80
3rd		33·83	240·05	23·50	220·30	22·00	191·05	24·90	159·13	18·27	120·10
4th		35·00	241·22	24·67	221·47	22·67	191·72	24·80	158·73	17·87	119·70
5th		35·33	241·55	25·17	221·97	23·25	192·30	24·70	158·93	17·47	119·30
6th		35·67	241·89	25·75	222·55	24·33	193·38	25·60	159·83	17·57	119·40
7th		35·25	241·47	25·50	222·30	24·17	193·22	26·40	160·63	18·47	120·30
8th		34·58	240·80	24·92	221·72	24·08	193·13	26·10	160·33	18·67	120·50
9th		33·92	240·14	24·17	220·97	23·67	192·72	25·60	160·83	18·47	120·30
10th		33·58	239·80	23·83	220·63	23·42	192·47	25·90	161·13	18·97	120·80
11th		33·58	239·80	23·83	220·63	23·33	192·38	25·90	160·13	18·67	120·50
12th		33·25	239·47	23·58	220·38	23·17	192·22	25·60	159·83	17·97	119·80
13th		33·67	239·89	23·00	219·80	22·83	191·88	25·20	159·43	17·67	119·50
14th		31·83	238·05	22·33	219·13	22·50	191·55	24·80	158·73	17·27	119·10
15th		30·67	236·89	21·33	218·13	21·50	190·55	24·00	158·23	16·67	118·50
16th		29·42	235·64	20·25	217·05	20·75	189·80	23·50	157·73	16·17	118·00
17th		28·33	234·55	19·17	215·97	20·00	189·05	23·00	158·13	15·67	117·50
18th		27·33	233·55	18·17	214·97	19·58	188·63	22·30	156·43	15·17	117·00
19th		26·50	232·72	17·17	213·97	19·00	188·05	21·40	155·63	14·67	116·50
20th		26·67	231·89	16·42	213·22	18·00	187·05	20·70	154·93	14·27	116·10
21st		24·92	231·14	15·75	212·55	17·50	186·55	20·00	154·23	Gauge	stolen.
22nd		24·25	230·47	15·17	211·97	17·25	186·30	19·70	153·93	,,	,,
23rd		23·67	229·89	14·50	211·30	16·75	185·80	19·10	153·33	,,	,,
24th		23·17	229·39	13·00	209·80	16·17	185·22	18·70	152·93	12·17	114·00
25th		22·67	228·89	13·00	209·80	15·33	184·38	18·70	152·93	11·67	113·50
26th		22·25	228·47	13·00	209·80	14·50	183·55	18·30	152·53	11·47	113·30
27th		21·92	228·14	13·00	209·80	14·00	183·05	17·80	152·03	11·27	113·10
28th		21·67	227·89	12·75	209·55	13·42	182·47	17·30	151·53	10·97	112·80
29th		21·42	227·64	12·50	209·30	13·33	182·38	17·00	151·23	10·67	112·50
30th		21·08	227·30	12·25	209·05	13·50	182·55	17·00	151·23	10·37	112·20
31st		20·83	227·05	11·83	208·63	13·25	182·30	16·70	150·93	10·27	112·10

* New gauge fixed at Rajmahal from 1st June 1910 in place of the gauge at Sahebganj. The zero of gauge at Rajmahal is 56·46 feet zero is again 56·46 feet above M. S. L.

† To compare the reduced levels shown in these monthly printed statements before and after the 1st June 1903, 5·78 feet should be

(a) A temporary gauge has been fixed and the readings below zero are being observed from the 7th March 1913.

(b) From the 1st November 1915, the zero of gauge is 2·43 feet above M. S.-L. Previous to that the zero was at M. S.-L. dating back

(c) From the 25th January 1916, the zero of gauge at Berhampore is 30·93 feet above M. S.-L.

(d) From the 26th August 1916 a temporary wooden gauge with its zero at 54·00 ft. above M. S. L. has been erected at Rampur Boalia

The 19th December 1916.

MENT—BENGAL.

rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi, and Brahmaputra for the month of M. S.-L. as well as the lowest gauge reading since 1876.

						River Bhagirathi.		River Jalangi.		River Brahmaputra.	
Rajmahal.* Zero of gauge 56·46 ft.		Rampur-Boalia. Zero of gauge 54·00 ft. (d)		Goalundo. Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.†		Berhampore. Zero of gauge 30·93 ft. (c)		Serupganj† Zero of gauge is 2·43 ft. above mean sea-level.(b)		Gauhati. Zero of gauge 148·78 ft.	
From Benares 407.	From Monghyr 120.	From Benares 471.	From Rajmahal 64.	From Benares 591.	From Rampur-Boalia 120.						
15th August 1913. 88·46.		26th August 1879. 69·35.		28th August 1906 and 14th September 1915. 25·75.†		14th August 1890. 64·70.		25th September 1900.* 25·03.		24th August 1906. 181·11.	
2nd May 1910. 54·62.		23rd April 1886. 37·63.		8th March 1910. 2·25.		30th April 1897. 33·91.		28th March 1915. 2·13.		9th February 1888. 142·46.	
Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
24·50	80·96	6·50	62·50	22·10	22·10	22·21	54·30	26·35	28·98	15·60	164·26
23·80	80·26	7·80	61·80	22·30	22·30	22·61	53·60	26·30	28·73	15·50	164·26
22·90	79·36	7·30	61·30	21·90	21·90	22·01	53·00	26·00	28·43	15·00	163·76
23·50	78·96	6·80	60·80	21·60	21·60	21·51	52·50	25·75	28·18	14·80	163·36
22·90	78·86	6·60	60·80	21·40	21·40	21·31	52·30	25·68	28·11	14·30	163·06
21·90	78·36	6·30	60·30	21·00	21·00	21·91	52·90	26·53	28·96	14·20	162·96
21·50	77·96	6·00	60·00	20·80	20·80	22·11	53·10	27·10	29·53	14·40	163·16
22·40	78·86	6·40	60·40	20·70	20·70	22·21	53·20	27·30	29·73	16·00	164·76
22·50	78·96	6·50	60·50	20·60	20·60	22·01	53·00	27·20	29·63	20·30	169·06
22·80	79·26	6·60	60·60	20·80	20·80	21·81	52·80	26·91	29·34	22·70	171·46
22·80	79·26	6·90	60·90	21·00	21·00	21·51	52·50	26·50	28·93	22·90	171·66
22·50	78·96	6·80	60·80	21·10	21·10	21·11	52·10	26·01	28·44	21·70	170·46
22·05	78·51	6·60	60·60	21·20	21·20	20·51	51·50	25·47	27·90	20·00	168·76
21·60	78·06	6·00	60·00	21·20	21·20	19·71	50·70	24·79	27·22	18·40	167·16
21·20	77·66	5·60	59·60	21·00	21·00	18·91	49·90	24·00	26·43	17·00	165·76
20·75	77·21	5·20	59·20	20·70	20·70	18·11	49·10	23·14	25·57	16·00	164·76
20·25	76·71	4·70	58·70	20·40	20·40	17·21	48·20	22·05	24·48	14·80	163·56
19·70	76·16	4·30	58·30	20·00	20·00	16·81	47·80	20·88	23·31	14·00	162·76
19·30	75·76	3·80	57·80	19·70	19·70	15·71	46·70	19·55	21·98	13·70	162·46
18·90	75·36	3·40	57·40	19·30	19·30	14·91	45·90	18·33	20·65	13·30	162·06
18·30	74·76	2·90	56·90	18·90	18·90	14·11	45·10	16·82	19·15	13·20	161·96
17·70	74·16	2·30	56·30	18·50	18·50	13·31	44·70	15·62	18·05	13·00	161·76
17·40	73·86	2·00	56·00	18·10	18·10	13·01	44·00	14·70	17·13	12·90	160·96
17·30	73·76	1·80	55·80	18·00	18·00	12·61	43·60	14·00	16·43	12·10	160·86
17·00	73·46	6·60	55·60	17·75	17·75	12·31	43·30	14·19	16·62	11·90	160·66
16·80	73·06	6·30	55·30	17·58	17·58	12·11	43·10	14·11	16·54	11·70	160·46
16·40	72·86	6·00	55·00	17·33	17·33	11·71	42·70	13·93	16·36	11·60	160·36
16·20	72·66	5·80	54·80	17·17	17·17	11·51	42·50	13·60	16·03	11·30	160·06
15·80	72·26	5·60	54·60	17·00	17·00	11·31	42·30	14·68	17·11	11·00	159·76
15·50	71·96	5·40	54·40	16·75	16·75	11·01	42·00	14·82	17·25	11·80	160·36
15·25	71·71	5·20	54·20	16·67	16·67	10·91	41·90	14·62	17·05	11·80	160·56

above M. S.-L. up to 26th October 1915 and 60·00 feet above M. S.-L. from 27th October 1915, but from 10th February 1916 the deducted from the former or added to the latter (*vide* Bengal Government letter No. 1033T.—1., dated the 12th October 1909).

15th July 1897.

in place of the permanent gauge washed away. From 25th October 1916 the zero of gauge at Rampur Boalia is 49·00 feet above M. S.-L.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 2nd December 1916, on 1,628 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	625,080	3,32,290 0 0	3,712,190 0	3,66,290 0 0	26,350 0 0	7,24,930 0 0 (d)	100,566	(a) 64,861	165,439
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 398	(b) 212 0 0	1,666 0	225 0 0	(c) 12 0 0	(c) 441 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	5,527,310	26,13,140 0 0	22,364,340 0	25,51,360 0 0	1,81,730 0 0	53,46,230 0 0	797,855	527,834	1,325,689
Total for 9 weeks ...	6,152,390	29,45,430 0 0	25,076,430 0	29,17,650 0 0	2,08,080 0 0	70,71,160 0 0	898,443	592,695	1,491,128
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	617,632	3,36,885 0 0	3,424,253 0	3,09,451 0 0	31,701 0 0	6,68,037 0 0	102,313	55,976	158,189
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,639 miles)	(b) 391	(b) 207 0 0	1,479 0	189 0 0	16 0 0	404 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	5,700,068	26,80,899 0 0	23,609,845 0	24,10,159 0 0	1,78,007 0 0	52,68,565 0 0	926,176	534,297	1,463,475

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 7,004.
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 6,880.
(d) Increase is due to jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 2nd December 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	61,710	19,630 0 0	121,190 0	7,810 0 0	3,220 0 0	30,260 0 0	7,014	(b) 2,722	9,736
Per mile of railway per week	521	166 0 0	1,022 0	63 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 231 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	510,980	1,53,240 0 0	1,166,590 0	77,080 0 0	24,010 0 0	2,54,330 0 0	56,018	23,507	79,525
Total for 9 weeks ...	572,690	1,72,870 0 0	1,289,780 0	84,890 0 0	27,230 0 0	2,84,590 0 0	63,032	26,229	89,261
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	53,264	19,090 0 0	127,257 0	7,748 0 0	2,096 0 0	28,934 0 0	6,698	2,251	8,949
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	449	161 0 0	1,073 0	65 0 0	2 0 0	228 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	474,594	1,52,490 0 0	1,060,002 0	64,530 0 0	19,109 0 0	2,36,129 0 0	60,277	21,025	81,302

(a) Excluding Ramdoorutaul ferry earnings, Rs. 3,000.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 690.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 2nd December 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,700	2,220 0 0	41,290 0	2 260 0 0	50 0 0	4,530 0 0	952	(a) 270	1,222
Per mile of railway per week	142	67 0 0	1,248 0	69 0 0	1 0 0	137 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	55,720	24,640 0 0	343,030 0	20,780 0 0	260 0 0	45,680 0 0	7,634	2,156	9,890
Total for 9 weeks ...	70,420	26,860 0 0	383,320 0	23,040 0 0	290 0 0	50,210 0 0	8,586	2,456	11,042
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,603	2,568 0 0	43,562 0	2,934 0 0	28 0 0	5,530 0 0	921	342	1,263
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	139	77 0 0	1,316 0	89 0 0	1 0 0	167 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	44,971	22,998 0 0	410,795 0	27,891 0 0	220 0 0	51,104 0 0	8,716	3,152	11,868

(a) Including ballast train-miles, *nil*.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 2nd December 1916, on 53·66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	19,300	5,470 0 0	726,850 0	7,880 0 0	40 0 0	13,090 0 0	1,701	(a) 1,632	3,333
Per mile of railway per week	360	102 0 0	2,364 0	141 0 0	1 0 0	244 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	151,020	42,300 0 0	1,278,100 0	71,520 0 0	290 0 0	1,14,110 0 0	13,534	12,895	26,429
Total for 9 weeks ...	170,320	47,770 0 0	1,404,950 0	79,100 0 0	330 0 0	1,27,200 0 0	15,235	14,527	29,762
Total for 22 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	377,451	106,226 0 0	3,792,867 0	1,69,000 0 0	794 0 0	2,78,020 0 0	29,674	31,334	71,008
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	16,909	5,085 0 0	216,479 0	11,390 0 0	33 0 0	16 498 0 0	3,066	1,331	3,397
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·66 miles)	315	95 0 0	4,034 0	212 0 0	.....	307 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	152,850	45,369 0 0	1,134,959 0	56,860 0 0	256 0 0	1,02,308 0 0	15,081	10,705	28,786
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	359,141	1,07,686 0 0	2,464,136 0	1,32,302 0 0	704 0 0	2,30,692 0 0	44,375	23,135	67,410

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 100. (b) Audited figures to end of September 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 2nd December 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	11,070	3,060 0 0	27,030 0	1,760 0 0	30 0 0	5,750 0 0	1,428	(a)700	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	220	78 0 0	538 0	35 0 0	1 0 0	114 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	86,350	28,510 0 0	362,130 0	26,230 0 0	130 0 0	54,870 0 0	11,424	5,840	17,264
Total for 9 weeks ...	97,420	32,470 0 0	389,160 0	27,990 0 0	160 0 0	60,620 0 0	12,852	6,540	19,392
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	408 0 0	11 0 0	419 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (22·37 miles)	.....	.....	.....	19 0 0	.....	19 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	987 0 0	83 0 0	1,070 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Ballast train miles, *nil*.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 2nd December 1916, on 2,527·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	668,362	8,20,000 0 0	84,76,890 0	15,11,645 0 0	14,700 0 0	21,46,345 0 0	177,057	296,418	473,475
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	245 4 11	.....	598 1 7	5 13 1	849 3 7	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year ...	5,331,354	46,71,208 0 0	69,899,824 0	1,16,36,185 0 0	1,09,300 0 0	1,64,16,693 0 0	1,427,558	2,590,686	4,018,244
Total from 1st October ...	5,999,716	52,91,208 0 0	77,376,714 0	1,31,47,830 0 0	1,24,000 0 0	1,85,63,038 0 0	1,604,615	2,887,104	4,491,719
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	670,917	6,44,187 0 0	8,736,632 0	14,56,635 0 0	51,063 0 0	21,51,875 0 0	187,058	296,789	483,847
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	254 15 1	.....	576 7 6	20 8 4	851 9 11	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	5,875,489	52,48,380 0 0	74,919,133 0	1,22,01,379 0 0	5,17,923 0 0	1,79,67,682 0 0	1,655,087	2,481,756	4,136,81

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1916-1 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,527·42	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	701,047	6,36,743	7,583,707	12,66,237	19,750	19,72,830	761	515,617	3 11 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	687,132	5,96,320	8,231,776	13,38,019	7,750	19,42,089	768	493,879	3 14 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 21st ,,	625,906	5,76,650	9,601,148	15,85,890	6,750	21,69,290	858	519,387	4 2 10
2,527·42	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	596,756	5,24,773	9,226,706	15,16,515	27,750	20,69,038	819	508,547	4 1 1
2,527·42	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	679,276	6,11,341	8,805,710	14,84,704	24,800	21,20,845	839	492,315	4 4 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	649,593	5,63,755	8,605,851	14,57,424	17,750	20,38,929	807	494,118	4 2 0
2,527·42	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	677,200	5,77,302	8,686,401	15,13,736	...	20,89,938	827	499,539	4 2 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	644,344	5,84,423	8,178,545	14,74,573	4,750	20,63,746	817	489,942	4 3 5
2,527·42	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	598,361	6,10,000	8,476,890	15,11,645	14,700	21,46,345	849	473,475	4 8 6
	Totals up to date ...	5,999,716	53,91,308	77,376,714	1,31,47,930	1,24 000	1,86,63,038	816	4,491,719	4 2 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,526·81	First 9 days of Oct. ...	836,025	7,48,935	11,866,943	18,88,027	60,843	26,97,810	821	591,965	4 8 1
2,526·81	Week ended 16th ,, ...	693,459	6,02,563	8,310,819	13,05,367	54,025	19,61,955	776	476,199	4 1 11
2,526·81	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	634,798	5,37,198	6,475,657	10,53,846	60,963	16,42,007	650	416,616	3 15 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	613,271	5,53,241	7,803,969	12,89,334	53,650	19,01,125	752	447,367	4 4 0
2,526·81	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	597,131	5,31,715	8,787,840	14,03,241	63,906	19,98,762	791	465,121	4 4 9
2,526·81	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	650,531	5,94,178	7,984,207	12,93,674	62,051	19,49,896	772	456,040	4 4 5
2,526·81	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	647,436	5,89,999	9,144,098	14,68,868	59,564	21,18,431	838	455,264	4 10 5
2,526·81	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	716,365	6,21,932	8,669,554	14,08,264	59,564	21,79,960	862	475,842	4 9 3
2,526·81	,, ,, 4th Dec. ...	670,917	6,44,187	8,736,632	14,56,625	51,063	21,51,875	852	483,847	4 7 2
	Totals up to date ...	6,060,003	54,13,243	77,476,149	1,26,27,146	5,30,533	1,85,70,921	791	4,468,861	4 5 7

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 2nd December 1916, on 231·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	42,242	33,802 0 0	524,327 0	41,765 0 0	300 0 0	75,867 0 0	11,896	9,050	20,946
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	145 12 11	.....	180 3 8	1 4 9	327 8 4	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	377,720	3,06,640 0 0	4,449,459 0	3,56,219 0 0	1,950 0 0	6,66,809 0 0	93,010	78,737	171,747
Total from 1st Oct. ...	496,962	3,42,442 0 0	4,973,786 0	3,97,984 0 0	2,250 0 0	7,42,676 0 0	104,906	87 787	192,693
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	43,430	33,538 0 0	411,277 0	26,944 0 0	260 0 0	60,742 0 0	13,046	8,574	20,620
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year.	.....	175 0 1	.....	140 9 7	1 5 8	316 15 4	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	387,693	3,24,282 0 0	3,784,458 0	2,76,173 0 0	2,332 0 0	6,02,787 0 0	107,691	72,191	179,872

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,588	35,121	469,795	30,985	250	66,359	346	19,568	3 6 3
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	45,784	36,962	567,651	37,740	250	74,952	391	21,885	3 6 4
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	42,208	35,288	483,413	41,980	250	77,518	405	21,140	3 10 8
191·64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	38,667	34,926	543,087	44,860	250	80,036	418	20,538	3 14 4
214·26	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	44,337	37,785	673,111	52,981	200	90,966	420	21,386	4 4 5
235·26	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	61,476	46,681	686,311	52,092	250	98,993	419	23,033	4 3 4
231·73	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	56,684	46,588	592,746	49,638	250	96,476	416	23,520	4 1 8
231·73	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	50,056	37,286	534,344	46,013	250	83,549	361	21,377	3 14 6
231·73	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	49,243	38,802	524,327	41,765	300	75,867	327	20,946	3 9 11
	Totals up to date ...	496,962	3,42,442	4,973,785	3,97,984	2,350	7,42,676	389	192,693	3 13 8

Abstract of progresive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	52,764	44,612	499,604	45,288	326	90,206	366	25,726	3 8 1
191·64	Week ended 16th ,, ...	39,193	37,533	370,660	33,515	251	71,299	372	19,903	3 9 4
191·64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	43,665	34,922	525,572	29,143	251	64,316	336	20,748	3 1 7
191·64	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	40,062	38,853	440,612	41,436	251	77,542	405	20,846	3 11 6
191·64	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	42,478	38,625	404,921	27,088	330	66,041	345	20,670	3 3 1
191·64	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	40,491	34,147	440,328	27,689	246	62,082	324	18,797	3 4 10
191·64	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	46,923	35,992	462,103	26,943	246	63,181	329	19,397	3 4 1
191·64	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	50,064	37,548	496,662	28,325	246	66,019	344	18,882	3 7 11
191·64	,, ,, 4th Dec. ...	43,430	33,538	411,277	26,944	260	60,742	317	20,620	2 15 2
	Totals up to date ...	399,062	3,32,720	3,843,441	3,86,241	2,417	6,21,378	349	185,588	3 5 7

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 2nd December 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	7,851	2,503 0 0	85,909 0	14,536 0 0	(a)382 0 0	17,421 0 0	531	(d)734	1,265
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	69 0 0	...	399 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 469 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 8 weeks of half-year.*	64,977	18,083 0 0	583,838 0	86,437 0 0	3,757 0 0	1,08,277 0 0	3,847	6,791	10,638
Total for 9 weeks ...	72,828	20,586 0 0	669,747 0	100,973 0 0	4,139 0 0	1,25,698 0 0	4,378	7,525	11,903
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	7,797	2,153 0 0	65,701 0	8,976 0 0	(b)608 0 0	11,729 0 0	389	(e)820	1,209
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	59 0 0	...	247 0 0	7 0 0	(c) 313 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	67,471	19,375 0 0	782,598 0	100,381 0 0	4,383 0 0	1,34,139 0 0	3,825	7,921	11,746

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 349.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs. 334
(c) Excludes ferry earnings
(d) Ballast train-miles, 100.
(e) Ditto, 1915, 29.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 2nd December 1916, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P			
Total traffic for the week...	16,420	6,319 0 0	129,393 0	21,753 0 0	28 0 0	28,100 0 0	1,901	(a) 3,465	5,366
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	54 0 0	.....	186 0 0	...	240 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 8 weeks of half-year *	144,217	47,477 0 0	868,587 0	131,405 0 0	2,212 0 0	181,094 0 0	14,876	26,588	41,464
Total for 9 weeks ...	160,637	53,796 0 0	997,980 0	153,158 0 0	2,240 0 0	209,194 0 0	16,777	30,053	46,830
Comparison									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	15,682	5,079 0 0	84,217 0	16,345 0 0	104 0 0	21,528 0 0	1,539	(b)3,274	4,813
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	43 0 0	.....	140 0 0	1 0 0	184 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	136,924	47,593 0 0	1,110,738 0	196,784 0 0	490 0 0	244,867 0 0	13,853	29,693	43,546

(a) Ballast train-miles, 708.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, 167.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 2nd December 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,418	10,318 0 0	27,535 0	11,806 0 0	127 0 0	21,751 0 0	2,669	3,429	6,098
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	202 0 0	.....	232 0 0	2 0 0	426 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of the half-year	46,474	1,22,464 0 0	2,51,123 0	1,11,091 0 0	1,161 0 0	2,35,236 0 0	23,664	23,654	47,318
Total traffic up to 2nd December 1916	52,892	1,33,302 0 0	2,78,658 0	1,22,897 0 0	1,288 0 0	2,56,987 0 0	26,333	27,083	53,416
(63 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	290 0 0	.....	267 0 0	3 0 0	560 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	3,720	7,986 0 0	29,124 0	13,142 0 0	75 0 0	21,203 0 0	1,636	3,549	5,175
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	157 0 0	.....	258 0 0	1 0 0	416 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	44,554	1,23,235 0 0	2,61,100 0	1,30,836 0 0	1,340 0 0	2,54,403 0 0	16,371	35,788	52,064
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	266 0 0	.....	285 0 0	3 0 0	554 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes :—Difference for the week...		+ 2,332		— 1,936	+ 52	+ 648			
Difference up to date ...		+ 10,077		— 8,441	+ 48	+ 2,584			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in foreign passengers, troops and parcels.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in rice, iron and potatoes.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 2nd December 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	1,307	1,136 0 0	8,204 0	1,332 0 0	2 0 0	2,471 0 0	206	574	780
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	38 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	82 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of the half year	5,282	4,915 0 0	42,360 0	8 540 0 0	25 0 0	13,480 0 0	1,177	2,047	3,224
Total traffic up to 2nd December 1916	6,589	6,051 0 0	50,564 0	9,873 0 0	27 0 0	15,951 0 0	1,383	2,621	4,004
(63 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	22 0 0	.....	37 0 0	.....	59 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	981	697 0 0	6,164 0	1,403 0 0	3 0 0	2,103 0 0	105	546	651
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	23 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	70 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	5,711	3,655 0 0	37,937 0	9,173 0 0	35 0 0	12,863 0 0	945	3,516	4,461
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	14 0 0	.....	34 0 0	.....	48 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes :- Difference for the week		+ 439		— 72	— 1	+ 366			
Difference up to date		+ 2,296		+ 700	— 8	+ 3,038			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local and foreign passengers and parcels.
The decrease during the week in Goods is trifling.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 2nd December 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,241	2,863 0 0	13,034 0	1,621 0 0	18 0 0	4,502 0 0	858	1,102	1,960
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	41 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	64 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of the half-year	61,964	20,995 0 0	152,341 0	12,815 0 0	138 0 0	33,948 0 0	7,746	6,584	14,330
Total traffic up to 2nd December 1916	70,205	23,858 0 0	170,365 0	14,436 0 0	156 0 0	38,450 0 0	8,604	7,986	16,590
(63 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	38 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	61 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,845	1,967 0 0	9,654 0	1,046 0 0	2 0 0	3,015 0 0	384	1,152	1,536
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	28 0 0	.....	15 0 0	.....	43 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	41,035	15,662 0 0	191,671 0	16,291 0 0	161 0 0	32,114 0 0	2,980	8,979	11,959
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	25 0 0	.....	26 0 0	.....	51 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week		+ 896		+ 575	+ 16	+ 1,487			
Difference up to date		+ 8,196		− 1,855	− 5	+ 6,336			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in jute and wool traffic.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 2nd December 1916, on 2,065 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,065 miles open ...	488,770	(a)2,03,030	1,312,080	(b)2,06,290	(c)26,820	4,36,140	64,136	(d)(f)51,999	116,135
Or per mile of railway ...	236·69	98·32	635·37	100·86	12·99	212·17			
For previous 8 weeks of official half-year ...	3,870,240	15,01,030	8,110,590	13,27,430	1,87,030	30,15,470	500,794	381,394	882,188
Total for 9 weeks ...	4,359,010	17,04,060	9,422,620	15,35,710	2,13,340	34,53,610	564,930	433,393	998,323
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,069 miles open	509,050	2,28,967	9,89,599	1,47,767	22,846	3,99,582	66,709	(e)45 658	112,367
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	246 04	110·67	478·30	71·42	11· 04	193·13	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	4,082,215	16,16,387	8,159,813	12,68,874	1,79,107	30,64,368	579,836	402,376	982,212
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		3·17		4·06	·23	3·77			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·43		3·24	20	3·66			

(a) General decrease chiefly under local passengers.
(b) General increase mainly under foreign outward.
(c) Increase chiefly under steam-boats.
(d) Includes 3,600 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 1,669 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Pure goods train miles increased.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 9404A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 9238A.—The 20th December 1916.*—His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to appoint Captain the Hon'ble C. D. Finch-Knightley, the Rifle Brigade, to be an Extra Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff with effect from the 17th December 1916.

Calcutta.

No. 9240A.—The 20th December 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bakarganj district.

Bakarganj.

No. 9270A.—The 21st December 1916.—Mr. Probodh Chandra De, I.C.S., is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Birbhum, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Birbhum.

This cancels the orders of the 11th December 1916, appointing Mr. H. C. Maitland, I.C.S., to act as District and Sessions Judge, Birbhum.

No. 9277A.—The 21st December 1916.—The services of Mr. V. Dawson, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tippera and Chittagong, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Justice with effect from the 1st January 1917.

Tippera and Chittagong.
Calcutta.

No. 9299A.—The 21st December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., on leave, to be Additional District Magistrate, Midnapore, for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Midnapore.

No. 9302A.—The 21st December 1916.—Mr. A. G. R. Henderson, I.C.S., Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district on being relieved of his present appointment as Additional District Magistrate of that district.

Midnapore.

No. 9310A.—The 21st December 1916.—Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Faridpur district.

Dacca.
Faridpur.

No. 9314A.—The 23rd December 1916.—Mr. Satyendranath Modak, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Dacca Division and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district.

Mymensingh.

No. 9392A.—The 26th December 1916.—Mr. G. P. Hogg, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, Tippera, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tippera and Chittagong.

Tippera and Chittagong.
Dacca.

This cancels the orders of the 12th December 1916, appointing Mr. Hogg to be Additional District Magistrate, Dacca.

No. 9397A.—The 26th December 1916.—Babu Indu Shekhar Mukharji, Probationary Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors. He will continue to be employed as Chaukidari Circle Officer, Lalbagh, Murshidabad, until further orders.

Murshidabad.

POLICE.—*No. 9244A.—The 20th December 1916.*—Mr. G. L. H. Stein, Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, Midnapore, and under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Midnapore.

No. 9246A.—The 20th December 1916.—Mr. D. L. Stewart, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police of that district.

Midnapore.

No. 9312A.—The 21st December 1916.—Babu Jitendra Nath Ray, B.A., is appointed to be a Probationary Deputy Superintendent of Police, and is posted to the Police Training College at Sardah, Rajshahi.

Rajshahi.

No. 9390A.—The 23rd December 1916.—Mr. C. A. Tegart, Superintendent of Police, on special duty in the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector-General of Police, to be in charge of that Branch during the absence, on leave, of Mr. F. N. Warden, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 9378A.—The 23rd December 1916.*—The following acting appointments are sanctioned in the first and second grades of District and Sessions Judges :—

First grade.

Mr. J. C. Twidell, I.C.S., from the 30th October 1916 up to the 25th November 1916, *vice* Mr. W. N. Delevingne, I.C.S., on leave.
„ M. Smither, I.C.S., from the 30th October 1916 up to the 12th November 1916, *vice* Mr. J. C. Twidell, I.C.S., on leave
„ A. H Cuming, I.C.S., from the 30th October 1916 up to the 5th November 1916, *vice* Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., on leave.

Second grade.

Mr. S. E. Stinton, I.C.S., with effect from the 29th November 1916 until further orders.
„ C. H. Moseley, I.C.S., from the 30th October 1916, *vice* Mr. J. C. Twidell, I.C.S., on leave, up to the 29th November 1916.
„ C. Tindall, I.C.S., from the 30th October 1916, *vice* Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., on leave, up to the 28th November 1916.
„ G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., from the 30th October 1916, *vice* Mr. A. H. Cuming, I.C.S., promoted, up to the 25th November 1916.
„ D. C. Patterson, I.C.S., with Messrs. Sarat Kumar Ghose and R. E. Jack, I.C.S., on leave, from the 30th October 1916, *vice* Mr. Satyendra Chandra Mallik, I.C.S., on leave, up to the 12th November 1916.
„ Mahim Chandra Ghosh, I.C.S., from the 30th October 1916, *vice* Mr. J. Cornes, I.C.S., on leave, up to the 5th November 1916.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 9265A.—The 21st December 1916.*—Babu Gyanendra Nath Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th December 1916.

No. 9275A.—The 21st December 1916.—In modification of the orders, dated the 11th September 1916 and 17th October 1916, Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for nine months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th September 1916 and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

No. 9308A.—The 21st December 1916.—Maulvi M. H. M. Furrokh, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is allowed leave, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 5th December 1916 to the 21st December 1916.

Howrah.

No. 9329.1.—The 23rd December 1916.—Mr. J. Vas, I.C.S., is allowed furlough for thirteen days, under article 3 8(*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 28th September 1916.

No. 9352A.—The 23rd December 1916.—In modification of the orders, dated the 18th September 1916 and 9th November 1916, Babu Srigopal Bhattacharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for one year and three months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1916, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

POLICE.—*No. 9267A.—The 21st December 1916.*—Mr. F. N. Warden, Temporary Deputy Inspector-General of Police, in charge of the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 9287A.—The 21st December 1916.—Maulvi Saiyid Ali Ahmad, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Hooghly, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-five days or the amount due on the date on which he availed himself of it, and leave on private affairs for the remaining period, under article 337 of the Regulations.

Hooghly.

No. 9323A.—The 23rd December 1916.—In modification of the orders of the 28th October 1916, Maulvi Masud-ul-Husain, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, is allowed combined leave for six months and twenty-four days, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations for two months and twenty-five days, with effect from the 17th October 1916 and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

APPORTIONMENT ORDER.

No. 10198.—The 19th December 1916.—Under section 114 of the Bengal Tenancy Act (Act VIII of 1885) the Governor in Council has determined that in thanas Naogaon, Panchupur, Mahadebpur and Manda, in the district of Rajshahi, where a record-of-rights has been prepared under Notification No. 2470L.R., dated the 6th September 1912, the landlords' and tenants' shares of the cost of survey and record-of-rights, including the estimated cost of maintaining boundary marks for a period of fifteen years, should be apportioned and recovered as specified below:—

Rajshahi.

(1) A rate of 14 annas and 4 pies shall be levied per acre, of which the raiyats and persons holding non-agricultural tenancies shall pay 4 annas and 8 pies per acre, and their landlords of all grades together 9 annas and 8 pies per acre.

(2) Landlords shall pay the raiyats' share for lands in their khas possession, and raiyats shall pay the full raiyati share for lands sublet as well as for those in their khas possession.

(3) As between the different grades of landlords, the landlords' share shall be apportioned thus:—

(*a*) Permanent tenure-holders, whose rent or rate of rent is fixed in perpetuity, shall pay the whole of the landlords' share.

(*b*) Other permanent tenure-holders and temporary tenure-holders, whose lease has over 15 years to run, shall pay three-fourths.

(*c*) Temporary tenure-holders, whose lease has fifteen years to run, shall pay $\frac{1}{15}$ths of the share they would pay in accordance with (*b*) above, if they were permanent tenure-holders, and so on proportionately according to the number of years of the lease to run. The remainder shall be paid by their landlords.

(*d*) Temporary tenure-holders, who do not hold on a lease or for a fixed term, shall pay half of the landlords' share. The other half shall be paid by their landlords.

EXPLANATION.—The calculation shall be made from the lowest grade of landlords immediately above the raiyat. The period for which the lease of the tenure or under-tenure is to run is to be reckoned in each case from the close of the agricultural year 1324 B.S.

(4) Rent-free holders, whether of the degree of raiyat or landlord, shall pay the whole of the landlords' share for their lands.

(5) Under-raiyats shall pay at the rate of 4 annas a tenancy.

(6) The following minimum charges shall be adopted:—

(*a*) the minimum charge shall be the charge for one acre;

(*b*) for broken areas over one acre there shall be no charge for the broken portion, if less than half an acre; but if the broken portion be half an acre or upwards it shall be taken as a full acre;

(*c*) broken parts of an anna shall be treated as an anna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 10303For.—The 21st December 1916.—The following is published for general information.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

INDIAN FOREST SERVICE.

Regulations as to the Appointment of Probationers, 1917.

1. *Appointments.*—In making appointments, the Secretary of State for India in Council will act with the advice of a Selection Committee.

2. *Applications for Appointment.*—Applications for appointment must be made on a printed form to be obtained from the Secretary, Revenue Department, India Office, Whitehall, London, S.W., and to be returned to him not later than **Monday, the 2nd July 1917.** Candidates must be prepared, if called upon, to attend at the India Office, at their own expense, for a personal interview with the Selection Committee within three weeks from that date.

3. *Age Limit.*—Candidates must, save as provided in Appendix I, be not less than 19 but under 22 years of age on the 1st January 1917.

4. *Nationality, etc.*—Every candidate must be a natural-born subject of His Majesty. He must be prepared to give an undertaking, if selected, that he will not marry before he reaches India. If he does so, he will forfeit his appointment. He must be of good physique, and must produce evidence of character to satisfy the Secretary of State for India in Council that he is suited for the Indian Forest Service.

5. *Qualifications.*—Candidates must have obtained a degree *with Honours* in some branch of Natural Science* in a University of England, Wales, or Ireland, or have passed the Final Bachelor of Science Examination in Pure Science in one of the Universities of Scotland.† A degree in Applied Science will not be considered as fulfilling these conditions. Candidates will be required to produce evidence that they have a fair knowledge of either German or French.

Note.—Applications for appointment will be accepted from candidates who on the 1st July 1917 have already sat at an examination for a degree as mentioned above, but have not learned the result of the examination.

6. Should there be more candidates considered to be qualified in every respect than vacancies to be filled, the Secretary of State reserves the right to require them to pass a competitive examination conducted by the Civil Service Commissioners, on the results of which their final selection would depend. Particulars of this examination, which would be held in August, will be found in Appendix II.

7. *Medical Examination.*—Selected candidates will be required to undergo a strict examination by a Medical Board at the India Office, at which particular stress will be laid on good vision and hearing, and to satisfy the Secretary of State for India that they are physically fit for service in the Indian Forest Department (*see* Appendix VII).

Candidates who do not satisfy the Secretary of State for India that they are physically fit for appointment to the Indian Forest Service will not be admitted to the competitive examination mentioned in Regulation 6.

8. *Period of Probation.*—Before appointment to the Indian Forest Department, a probationer will be required—

(i) to have obtained, either before selection as probationer or within the period of two years' probation, the degree or diploma in Forestry at one of the Universities named in the margin ;‡

‡ Oxford, Cambridge, or Edinburgh.

* A Moderatorship in Natural Science or in Experimental Science at the University of Dublin will be considered as fulfilling these conditions.

† Graduates in Forestry at the University of Edinburgh are regarded as satisfying the requirements of this paragraph if they pass the Final Examination of that University in some one branch of Natural Science embraced in the degree in Pure Science.

(*ii*) to have undergone a special course of instruction in Forestry, under the direction and supervision of the Director of Indian Forest Studies appointed by the Secretary of State for India in Council, in such British and Continental localities as may be selected for the purpose;

(*iii*) to have passed an examination in certain special subjects, namely, Systematic Botany of Indian trees, Indian Geology, Forest Law, Indian Working Plans, and, if required, an Indian vernacular language;

(*iv*) to have undergone a final competitive examination in Forestry (*see* Appendix III);

(*v*) to have satisfied the Secretary of State, in such manner as may be determined, of his ability to ride.

The period of probation will in ordinary cases be two years. The Director of Indian Forest Studies will instruct probationers in each case as to the order and manner in which they should fulfil these various requirements.

9. *Charges*.—The probationers will be required to defray all expenses of lodging, board, tuition, and excursions, while at the University, and on practical instruction in Great Britain and on the Continent, with the exception of fees payable to local forest officers in Great Britain and on the Continent.

10. *Allowances*.—The Secretary of State for India in Council will make payments to each probationer at the rate of 120*l*. annually, not exceeding a total of 240*l*. (besides the fees to local officers mentioned above). These payments will ordinarily be made on the following dates in each year:—

	£
On the 1st December	30
On the 1st March	30
On the 1st June	60

The cases of probationers whose probation does not extend over the full two years will be specially considered.

The grant of the allowances is subject to the following conditions:—

(*a*) that the progress of the probationer in his studies is satisfactory;

(*b*) that the probationer gives security to refund the payments in respect of this advance, as well as such payments, not exceeding 150*l*. in all, as may have been incurred by the Secretary of State on the probationer's behalf in respect of fees to local forest officers, in the event of his failing to qualify for an appointment in the Indian Forest Service, or not signing the articles of agreement as specified in paragraph 13, or failing to join the Indian Forest Service at the end of the period of probation.

11. *Conduct*.—Every probationer will be required to conduct himself during the period of probation in a manner satisfactory to the Secretary of State, and to give evidence of satisfactory progress in his studies in such a manner as may be required, failing which, or in the event of serious misconduct, he will be liable to have his name removed from the list of Probationers.

12. *Appointment and Seniority*.—Probationers who comply with the requirements of Regulation 8 within the sanctioned period of time, and also satisfy such other tests as may be prescribed, will be appointed Assistant Conservators in the Indian Forest Department, provided they are of sound constitution and free from physical defects which would render them unsuitable for employment in the Indian Forest Service. Their position in the provincial Forest Lists will be determined by the Secretary of State for India in Council on the report of the Director of Indian Forest Studies; but in making selections for the post of Conservator, officers joining the service in the same year are reckoned as equal in seniority unless the Secretary of State for India in Council shall for special reasons have directed otherwise in any particular case or cases.

Probationers will be allowed at the end of the period of probation to state their preference in respect to the Provinces to which they desire to be allotted; but the distribution will be made to the several Provinces according to the needs of the public service, at the discretion of the Secretary of State for India in Council. Officers are, however, at all times liable to be transferred from one Province to another at the pleasure of the Government of India.

13. *Articles of Agreement.*—A probationer is required, on qualifying for appointment as Assistant Conservator, to sign articles of agreement setting forth the terms and conditions of his appointment; he must embark for India when required to do so by the Secretary of State: Failure to embark at the stated time will, in the absence of satisfactory explanation, lead to forfeiture of appointment.

14. *Passage to India.*—Each probationer on appointment to the Indian Forest Service will be provided with a free first-class passage to India.

15. *Salary.*—An Assistant Conservator of Forests will draw pay at the rate of Rs. 380 a month (equivalent to 304*l.* a year, when the rupee is at 1*s.* 4*d.*) from the date of his reporting his arrival in India.

16. *Promotion, Leave, Pension, and Provident Fund.*—Promotion, leave, and pension will be governed by the Regulations laid down by the Government of India, and applicable to Forest officers, such regulations being subject to any modifications or alterations which may be made in them from time to time by the Government of India, and their interpretation in case of any doubt arising being left to that Government. A copy of the existing regulations can be seen on application at the India Office.

Certain information regarding appointments in the upper controlling staff of the Indian Forest Service, the pay of which has been recently improved, will be found in Appendix IV; a summary of information regarding Leave is contained in Appendix V; and regarding Pensions and the Provident Fund in Appendix VI.

INDIA OFFICE,

January 1917.

APPENDICES.

APPENDIX I.—DEDUCTIONS FROM AGE IN RESPECT OF MILITARY SERVICE.

1. Any person who has joined since the 4th August 1914, or may join during the present war, the Army or Navy or Royal Marines, or has rendered or may render during the same period actual military service in the Special Reserve or Territorial Force, Royal Naval Reserve or Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, may, if eligible in point of age under the Regulations as they now stand for admission to the competition held in 1915, 1916, or 1917 (but over age in 1916, 1917, or 1918 respectively), deduct from his actual age at the time of the competition held in 1916, 1917, or 1918, as the case may be :—

(*a*) The actual period of such service, if it has not exceeded three months.

(*b*) One year, if the actual period of service has exceeded three months. No candidate will be allowed to deduct more than one year from his actual age.

2. The same concession may also be granted to those who have been employed during the same period in connection with the armed forces of the Crown at home or abroad giving their whole time and under obligation to serve for the duration of the war or until their discharge, or for any period not terminable at their own option, provided that their employment be not on ordinary commercial terms, such as that of Assistant Paymasters, clerks, artisans, and the like.

3. The grant of the concession described in paragraph (2) will be at the discretion of the Secretary of State for India in Council, whose decision in each case will be final. Candidates who contemplate applying for an age deduction under (2) will do well to apply to the India Office for a ruling on their case.

4. Candidates to be eligible for the concessions in (1) or (2) must furnish an official certificate of the period and satisfactory character of their service, and if any doubt arise whether the service of any candidate is of the kind contemplated by this Notice, the Secretary of State for India in Council reserves the right to decide the case upon its merits.

APPENDIX II.—COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION.

In the event of the Civil Service Commissioners being requested by the Secretary of State for India in Council to hold an examination in any year of candidates nominated by him to compete for appointment as Probationers for the above Service, the following will be the subjects in which such candidates will be examined :—

	Maximum marks.		Maximum marks.
1. English Composition...	100	5. Physics ...	100
2. German *or* French ...	100	6. Geology ...	100
3. Elementary Chemistry	50	7. Botany ...	100
4. Higher Chemistry ...	100	8. Zoology ...	100

Not more than three of the subjects numbered 4 to 8 may be offered.

Candidates must pass to the satisfaction of the Civil Service Commissioners in the first three subjects.

In the subjects numbered 4 to 8, only marks showing real attainment will be counted towards the order of merit, so that a candidate who has a thorough knowledge of one or two of the optional subjects may obtain on that knowledge alone as many marks as a candidate who offers the maximum number of the optional subjects on a lower standard.

SYLLABUS.

Languages.—The examination in German and French will include translation, composition, and conversation.

Sciences.—The standard of the examination in Higher Chemistry, Physics, Geology, Botany, and Zoology will be that of the Honours Schools of the Universities.

The examination in Elementary Chemistry will consist of a written paper on the more elementary parts of Inorganic Chemistry, together with the outlines of Organic Chemistry.

APPENDIX III.—FINAL EXAMINATION

1. With a view to the allocation of the annual Currie Scholarship for Indian Forest Students (value about 35*l.*), and to facilitate the allotment of probationers to the several provinces in accordance with paragraph 12 of the Regulations as to appointments in the Indian Forest Service, probationers who have completed their prescribed course of training will be required to undergo a competitive final examination in Forestry.

2. A list of the probationers in order of merit will be prepared by adding together (*a*) the marks obtained at the final examination, and (*b*) the marks obtained during the course of practical training in forestry under the control of the Director of Indian Forest Studies. The maximum of marks obtainable under (*a*) will be the same as under (*b*).

3. The final examination will consist of an oral examination and three or more papers, as follows :—

(i) One or more papers in Silviculture, Forest Protection (including Forest Botany and Forest Entomology), and Forest Utilisation (including Forest Engineering).

(ii) One or more papers in Forest Management, Forest Mensuration, Forest Valuation, and Forest Administration.

(iii) A paper in General Forestry (Practical) dealing with the work done and with the forests visited during the course of practical training.

4. The final examination will be held at the beginning of October. Arrangements as to the date and place of examination will be made by the Director of Indian Forest Studies. Probationers will not be required to pay any fee for the examination.

APPENDIX IV.—LIST OF APPOINTMENTS OPEN TO MEMBERS OF THE IMPERIAL BRANCH OF THE INDIAN FOREST SERVICE.

NOTE.—*This list is liable to alteration at any time.*

	Appointment.	Salary.
		Rs.
(*a*)	1 Inspector-General of Forests ...	2,650 a month.
(*b*)	*1 Assistant Inspector-General of Forests	——
(*c*)	4 Chief Conservators (Bombay, United Provinces, Burma and Central Provinces).	2,150 ,,
(*d*)	23 Conservators, in three grades (including President, Forest Research Institute and College, and one temporary post of Conservator for Kumaun Circle, United Provinces.)	1,900 ,, / 1,700 ,, / 1,500 ,, respectively.
(*e*)	208 Deputy and Assistant Conservators ...	‡Rs. 380 a month, rising by annual increments of Rs. 40 a month to Rs. 700 a month; thereafter, by annual increments of Rs. 50 a month to Rs. 1,250 a month, in the twentieth year of service.
Total	237†	
These appointments are included in (*d*) and (*e*).	5 Foreign Service appointments...	
	§12 Officers employed at the Forest Research Institute and College, Dehra Dun.	

APPENDIX V.

[NOTE.—Appendices V and VI are intended merely to show the principal leave and pension rules in the Civil Service Regulations at present applicable to officers appointed to the Indian Forest Service by the Secretary of State from the United Kingdom, without going into minute details, and do not profess to deal with every case that may arise. The rules are subject to alteration, and any disputed question must be decided with reference to the authorised text of the Civil Service Regulations for the time being.]

LEAVE.

Long Leave.

1. Furlough and special leave with allowances (*see* paragraph 5) are admissible to an aggregate maximum amount of six years during an officer's service. The amount of furlough "earned" is one-fourth of an officer's active service, and the amount "due" is that amount less any enjoyed.

2. Furlough without medical certificate can, if due, be generally taken after eight years' active service, and again after intervals of not less than three years' continuous service. It is limited to two years at a time.

3. Furlough on medical certificate may be granted (*a*) to an officer who has rendered three years' continuous service, for not more than two years, but capable of extension up to three years; and (*b*) to an officer who has not rendered three years' continuous service, up to one year in any case, and up to such longer period, if any (but not exceeding two years in all), as the officer may have furlough "due" to him.

* The officer holding this appointment draws in addition to the pay of his grade a minimum local allowance of Rs. 200 a month.

† These appointments are allotted to the various provinces as follows:—Burma 66; Madras, 32; Bombay, 28; Central Provinces, 24; United Provinces, 31; Punjab, 12; Bengal, 11; Assam, 18; and Bihar and Orissa, 8; Andamans, 1; and 4 Imperial Instructors and 2 Assistants at Dehra Dun.

‡ Until he has passed the prescribed Departmental examinations, an Assistant Conservator is liable to stoppage of increments of pay. On passing the examinations he will resume drawing pay under the time-scale at the rate to which his length of service entitles him.

§ Of these officers, the President, Forest Research Institute and College, draws a local allowance of Rs. 200 a month in addition to his grade pay; nine of the remainder draw a local allowance of Rs. 150 a month, and two a local allowance of Rs. 100 a month, in addition to their grade pay. Of these 12 appointments, the four posts of Imperial Instructors have been sanctioned for five years from 1912, for the present.

NOTE.—Under the improved scale of salary shown above, no Exchange Compensation Allowance is granted.

The allowances admissible during furlough are :—

(1) During the first two years of furlough without medical certificate and during so much of furlough with medical certificate as may be "due"—half average salary, subject to certain maximum and minimum limits.

(2) After the expiration of the period for which the foregoing allowances are admissible—one quarter of average salary, subject to certain maximum and minimum limits.

5. Special Leave may be granted at any time for not more than six months, with intervals of six years' service ; allowances, calculated as during furlough, are given during the first six months only, whether taken in one or more instalments.

Short Leave.

6. Privilege Leave is a holiday which may be granted to the extent of one-eleventh part of the time that an officer has been on duty without interruption ; and it may be accumulated up to three months, earned by 33 months' duty. During privilege leave, the officer retains a lien on his appointment, and receives the salary which he would have received if on duty. An interval of not less than six months must elapse between two periods of absence on privilege leave.

Privilege leave may be prefixed to furlough, special leave, or extraordinary leave without allowances. The whole period of leave thus taken in combination is known as combined leave. Combined leave may not be granted for a period of less duration than six months, nor, except on medical certificate, may it be extended beyond two years.

7. Subsidiary Leave in India for a minimum of 10 days, usually with half average salary, is granted to an officer proceeding on or returning from leave out of India, or on retirement, to enable him to reach the port of embarkation or to rejoin his appointment. It is admissible only at the end and not at the beginning of combined leave.

8. Short Leave is also granted to enable officers to appear at examinations, &c.

9. Extraordinary Leave without allowances may be granted in case of necessity, and, except in certain specified cases, only when no other kind of leave is by rule admissible. It may be granted in continuation of other leave.

General Rules.

10. Leave of absence can never be claimed as of right, and is given or refused at the discretion of Government.

11. When leave allowances other than privilege leave pay are paid at the Home Treasury, or in a Colony where the standard of currency is gold, rupees are converted into sterling at the rate of exchange fixed for the time being for the adjustment of financial transactions between the Imperial and Indian Treasuries, unless any other rate has been exceptionally authorised. But for the present the rate of conversion is subject to a minimum of 1*s.* 6*d.* to the rupee. Privilege leave pay when issued from the Home Treasury (this is only admissible when privilege leave is combined with other leave) is converted at 1*s.* 4*d.* to the rupee.

APPENDIX VI.

(See Note under Appendix V.)

PENSIONS AND PROVIDENT FUND.

1. An officer of the Indian Forest Service is eligible for a pension on voluntary retirement after completing 20 years' qualifying service or attaining the age of 55 years. If at an earlier date he is compelled to retire from the service through ill-health, not occasioned by irregular or intemperate habits, he becomes eligible for an invalid pension or a gratuity according to the length of his service.

The amount of pension or gratuity is regulated as follows :—

After a service of less than 10 years, an invalid gratuity not exceeding one month's emoluments for each completed year of service.

After a service of not less than 10 years an invalid pension not exceeding the following amounts :—

Years of Completed Service.	Maximum Limit of Pension.
	Rs.
10	1,000 a year.
11	1,400 ,,
12	1,800 ,,
13	2,200 ,,
14	2,600 ,,
15 } 16 } 17 } 18 } 19 }	3,000 ,,

After a service of not less than 20 years, a retiring pension not exceeding the following amounts :—

Years of Completed Service.	Scale of Pension. Sixtieths of Average Emoluments.	Maximum Limit of Pension.
		Rs.
20 to 24	30	4,000 a year.
25 and above		5,000 ,,

Officers who have shown special energy and efficiency during an effective service of three years as Inspector-General of Forests or Conservator may, at the discretion of the Government of India, be allowed an additional pension of Rs. 1,000 a year, subject to the condition that the officer must not retire voluntarily before the completion of a total qualifying service of 28 years.

Subject to certain prescribed conditions, rupee pensions are now issued to pensioners residing in countries where the Indian rupee is not legal tender at the rate of exchange of 1*s*. 9*d*. the rupee.

2. A General Provident Fund has also been established on the following basis :—

(*a*) The contribution is compulsory up to 6¼ per cent. on salaries, with voluntary contributions of not more than a further 9¾ per cent. Subscriptions on leave of any kind are optional.

(*b*) Compound interest on such payments is annually credited by Government to each officer subscribing, the rate being at present 4 per cent. per annum.

(*c*) The sum which thus accumulates to the credit of an officer is his absolute property, subject to the rules of the Fund, and is handed over to him, unconditionally, on quitting the service ; or, in the event of his death before retirement, to his legal representatives or such other person or persons as, under and subject to the rules of the Fund for the time being in force, may be entitled thereto.

(*d*) Other forms of life insurance will, however, if they fulfil certain conditions, be accepted in lieu of the contributions in (*a*).

APPENDIX VII.

General Physical Requirements.

[*Note.*—These Regulations are published for the convenience of candidates and in order to enable them to ascertain the probability of their coming up to the required physical standard. But it must be clearly understood that the Secretary of State reserves to himself an absolute discretion to reject as unfit any candidate whom he may consider, after hearing the opinion of his medical advisers, to be physically disqualified for the public service ; and that his discretion is in no respect limited by these Regulations.]

1. A candidate must be in good mental and bodily health, and free from any physical defect likely to interfere with efficient performance of duty.

2. In the examination of candidates the Medical Board will apply the following table of correlation of age, height, and chest girth :—

Age.	Height without shoes.	Chest.	
		Girth when expanded.	Range of expansion.
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
19 to 20	62½ and under 65	35	2
	65 „ 68	35	2
	68 „ 70	35½	2
	70 „ 72	36	2
	72 and upwards	36½	2½
21 and upwards ...	62½ and under 65	35	2
	65 „ 68	35½	2
	68 „ 70	36	2
	70 „ 72	36½	2½
	72 and upwards	37	2½

3. *Measurement of Height.*—The candidate will be placed against the standard with his feet together, and the weight thrown on the heels, and not on the toes or outside of the feet. He will stand erect without rigidity, and with the heels, calves, buttocks, and shoulders touching the standard; the chin will be depressed to bring the vertex of the head level under the horizontal bar, and the height will be noted in parts of an inch to eighths. No fixed limit of height is imposed.

4. *Measurement of Chest.*—The candidate will be made to stand erect with his feet together, and to raise his hands above his head. The tape will be carefully adjusted round the chest, the posterior upper edge touching the inferior angles of the shoulder blades, and its anterior lower edge the upper part of the nipples. The arms will then be lowered to hang loosely by the side, and care will be taken that the shoulders are not thrown upwards or backwards so as to displace the tape. The candidate will then be directed to empty his chest of air as much as possible. This is best done by continuous whistling with the lips as long as sound can be produced. The tape is carefully gathered in during the process, and when the minimum measurement is reached it is recorded. The candidate will then be directed to inflate his chest to its utmost capacity. This maximum measurement will likewise be noted. The girth with the chest fully expanded and the range of expansion between the minimum and the maximum will then be recorded.

5. The hearing must be good.

6. The speech without impediment.

7. The teeth in good order, *i.e.*, decayed or broken teeth must be properly stopped or crowned, and deficient teeth replaced by artificial teeth where necessary for effective mastication.

8. The chest must be well formed, the lungs and heart sound.

9. Rupture, hydrocele, varicocele, varicose veins in a severe degree, or other condition likely to cause inefficiency will disqualify a candidate, unless such condition is cured by operation.

10. The limbs, feet, and toes must be well formed and developed, with free and perfect motion of all the joints.

11. A candidate must have no congenital malformation or defect likely to interfere with efficiency.

12. A candidate must not be the subject of chronic skin disease.

13. Evidence of previous acute or chronic disease pointing to an impaired constitution will disqualify.

14. Candidates may, if they wish it, undergo a preliminary examination as to their physical fitness by the Medical Board, which meets at the India Office every Tuesday, under the following conditions:—

(*a*) Applications must be addressed to the Under Secretary of State, India Office, Whitehall, London, accompanied by a fee of two guineas.

(*b*) Candidates must pay their travelling expenses.

(*c*) It must be understood that the opinion of the Medical Board, which will be communicated by the Board to the candidate at the end of the examination, is solely for the candidate's own information and is not an official finding. The Board if they consider a condidate unfit, will exercise their discretion as to informing him of the particular grounds on which their opinion is based. No further information can in any case be given as to the Medical Board's opinion which will be confined solely to the physical fitness of the candidate; and any question as to the eligibility of the candidate, if found physically fit, to be admitted to the particular Indian service which he desires to enter, should be addressed in writing to the Under Secretary of State.

(*d*) Candidates considered to be unfit by the Medical Board at this preliminary examination are not bound to accept its opinion, but may, *at their own risk*, continue their studies, with the knowledge that they will have to submit themselves for a final medical examination by the Medical Board prior to their appointment.

(*e*) As the preliminary examination by the Medical Board is held solely for the candidate's information, a candidate who is informed after such an examination that he is physically fit will have on that account no claim to be accepted as physically fit when he presents himself for the final medical examination, upon which alone his acceptance or rejection will depend. Candidates may be considered fit for the Service at the preliminary examination, but may be found at the final examination to be unfit, either on account of some physical defect which did not exist or passed undetected at the preliminary examination, or for other reasons.

REGULATIONS AS TO THE STANDARD OF VISION FOR THE INDIAN FOREST SERVICE.

1. If myopia in one or both eyes exists, a candidate may be passed, provided the ametropia does not exceed 2·5 D, and if with correcting glasses, not exceeding 2·5 D, the acuteness of vision in one eye equals $\frac{6}{6}$ and in the other $\frac{6}{6}$, there being normal range of accommodation with the glasses.

2. Myopic astigmatism does not disqualify a candidate for service, provided the lens or the combined spherical and cylindrical lenses required to correct the error of refraction do not exceed — 2·5 D; the acuteness of vision in one eye, when corrected, being equal to $\frac{6}{6}$, and in the other eye $\frac{6}{6}$, together with normal range of accommodation with the correcting glasses, there being no evidence of progressive disease in the choroid or retina.

3. A candidate, having total hypermetropia not exceeding 4 D is not disqualified, provided the sight in one eye (when under the influence of atropine) equals $\frac{6}{6}$, and in the other eye equals $\frac{6}{6}$ with + 4 D or any lower power.

4. Hypermetropic astigmatism does not disqualify a candidate for the service, provided the lens or combined lenses required to cover the error of refraction do not exceed 4 D, and that the sight of one eye equals $\frac{6}{6}$ and of the other $\frac{6}{6}$, with or without such lens or lenses.

5. A candidate having a defect of vision arising from nebula of the cornea is disqualified if the sight of one eye be less than $\frac{6}{12}$. In such a case the better eye must be emmetropic. Defects of vision arising from pathological or other changes in the deeper structures of either eye, which are not referred to in the above rules, may exclude a candidate for admission into the service.

6. Squint, or any morbid condition, subject to the risk of aggravation or recurrence, in either eye, may cause the rejection of a candidate. The existence of imperfection of colour sense will be noted on the candidate's papers.

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INDIAN FOREST SERVICE.

FORM TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT AS PROBATIONER, 1917.

No person will be considered as a Candidate from whom the Secretary, Revenue Department, India Office, Whitehall, London, S. W., shall not have received, on or before Monday, the **2nd July 1917** *at latest, an application on this form.*

If Candidates who fill up and return the Application Form do not receive an acknowledgment of it within four complete days, they should communicate with the Secretary, Revenue Department.

INDIA OFFICE,

October 1916.

1	Name in full.
2	Address. (*Any alteration to be notified to the Secretary, Revenue Department, India Office, Whitehall, London, S.W.*)
3	Date and place of Birth. (*In the event of the Candidate's selection, he will be required to produce a Birth Certificate or other satisfactory evidence of age.*)
4	Profession or occupation, and nationality, of Father.

5	The names of any near relatives who have been or are now, in the service of the Indian Government, and the appointments at present, or immediately before retirement or decease, held by them.
6	All Institutions where educated, with dates, distinguishing whether or not the Candidate was in residence at such Institutions. *From* *to* *at* *From* *to* *at* *From* *to* *at* *From* *to* *at*
7	Whether trained at the public expense in any Training College in England and Wales.

8	The Candidate should insert here full information with regard to his qualifications, under paragraph 5 of the Regulations.
9	Whether married or single (*see* paragraph 4 of Regulations).
10	Names and Addresses of three persons (of whom at least one should be connected with the Institution at which the Candidate has last studied) who will testify, if applied to, as to conduct and character during the last four years. (*References will not be accepted from persons who are related to or have no personal knowledge of the Candidate.*)
11	Whether the Candidate has previously applied, either in England or in India, for an appointment under the Government of India.

*Signature of Candidate*_____

*Date*_____

No. 10277.—The 21st December 1916.—The following draft of a notification containing proposed amendments to the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), is hereby published for general information, in accordance with the provisions of section 190 (*1*) of the said Act.

II. Any objection or suggestion which any person may desire to make with respect to the proposed amendments should be submitted to Government in the Revenue Department before the 28th January 1917, on which date the amendments will be taken into consideration.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*2*) of section 189 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), and in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*6*) of section 190 of that Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments be made in the rules published under Notification No. 11574L.R., dated the 7th December 1914, at pages 2205 to 2236 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem.

(1) In rule 26 (1) *for* the words "an acknowledgment obtained" *substitute* "the prescribed fee shall be paid for a special acknowledgment."

(2) *After* rule 26 (2) *add* "(3) If an acknowledgment for the registered notice cannot be obtained, the notice shall be served by being affixed in the office of the Collector for a period of one week and such notice shall thereupon be deemed to have been duly served."

No. 10338L.R.—The 26th December 1916.—Babu Sasi Bhushan Ghosh, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Midnapore with effect from the 4th December 1916.

Midnapore.

No. 10340L.R.—The 26th December 1916.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Sasi Bhushan Ghosh, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Midnapore, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Midnapore.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 10342L.R.—The 26th December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised within the external boundaries of Government estate Saugor Island, 3rd portion, tauzi No. 2968, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, jhil, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent and, if so entitled, under what authority.

No. 10327L.A.—The 22nd December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a road to the South Sitakund Reserve in thana Fatikchari, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5,000 yards in length and 100 yards in width is likely to be required within the lots 13 and 16.

Chittagong.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10297L.A.—The 21st December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a retired embankment in the 3rd mile of the Adjai right embankment in the villages of Khoerpota and Kherobari, pargana Senpahari, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 bighas, 2 cottahs and 1 chitak of standard measurement, equivalent to 3·67 acres, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

North—By the Government land.

East—By the land of Monohar Datta,

South—By the lands of Banamali Mandal and others, Satish Roy and others, Mati Ghosh and others, Ramgati Ghosh and others, Nogor Ghosh and others, Sriram Mandal and others and Ram Satya Ghosh and others.

West—By the land of Sriram Mandal,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Khoerpota and Kherobari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 10300L.A.—The 21st December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for approach road, stacking ground and foreshore near Nilgunj Station-yard of the Bhairab-Bazar-Gouripur section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway, in the village of Barkhapan, parganas Tappa Hazradi and Singhadarzibaju, in the district of Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land, altogether measuring, more or less, 0·46 of an acre, bounded on the—

PLOT A (0·16 ACRE).

Land to be acquired for approach road.

North—By *jote* lands of Kudrat, Kemu and Lalu,
East—By the land to be acquired for stacking ground (Plot B),
South—By *jote* lands of Kudrat, Khoda Newaz, Kemu and Lalu,
West—By the land to be acquired for mile 36 of the Bhairab Bazar-Gouripur Section,

PLOT B (0·11 ACRE).

Land to be acquired for stacking ground.

North—By *jote* land of Kemu,
East—By the District Board road,
South—By *jote* land of Kemu and *halat*,
West—By the land to be acquired for approach road (Plot A),

PLOT C (0·19 ACRE).

Land to be acquired for foreshore.

North and South—By *jote* land of Kemu.
East—By Dewan Sahib's khamar land,
West—By the District Board road.

are required within the aforesaid village of Barkhapan.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway, 1st Division.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Malda.

No. 10305L.A.—The 21st December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Old Malda Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for sinking a masonry well in the village of Nawabganj, pargana Kankjole, zilla Malda, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 cottah and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North and East—By the land of Kalachand Das,
South—By the Nawabganj Gali Road,
West—By the Municipal Road to Nawabganj Hât,

is required within the aforesaid village of Nawabganj.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Malda.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10308L.A.—The 21st December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dinajpur for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an Inspection Bungalow at Hemtabad, in the village of Hemtabad, pargana Mahasa, thana Hemtabad, district Dinajpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land altogether measuring, more or less, 2 bighas, 10 cottahs and ·02 chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Dinajpur.

PLOT NO. 1.

North—By Abdul Ajid's land,
East—By Ajatali Sarkar's land,
South—By District Board road No. 24,
West—By plot No. 2, *i.e.*, the land of Tafilan Bewa and Mafijuddin Sarkar,

PLOT NO. 2.

North—By the lands of Ajatali Sarkar and Abdul Ajid,
East—By plot No. 1, *i.e.*, the land of Anar Nasya,
South—By District Board road No. 24,
West—By the lands of Ajatali Sarkar, and the remaining portion of the land of Tafilan Bewa and Mafijuddin Sarkar,

are required within the aforesaid village of Hemtabad.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dinajpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10312L.A.—The 21st December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the retired embankment at Durgapur in the 185th mile of the 24-Parganas embankment, in the village of Durgapur, pargana Medanmolla, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 bighas, 17 cottahs and 11 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the Government embankment and lands of Tarak Nath Banarji, Hari Narain Ray Chaudhury, Kanak Jamadar and Ram Taran Ray,
East—By the Government embankment and lands of Tarak Nath Banarji, Hari Narain Ray Chaudhury, Khorshed Lashkar, Tamijaddi Sheikh,
South—By the lands of Tarak Nath Banarji, Hari Narain Ray Chaudhury, Madar Shaheb, Janabali Sheikh, Khorshed Lashkar, Tamijaddi Sheikh, Kanak Jamadar,
West—By the lands of Tarak Nath Banarji, Hari Narain Ray Chaudhury, Madar Shaheb, Kanak Jamadar and Government embankment,

is required within the aforesaid village of Durgapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10315L.A.—The 21st December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of the Lower Kumar at Char Mugaria, in the village of Kumerkhali, pargana Jalalpur, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 157 bighas and 3 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Faridpur.

North—By the lands of Dali Laddi and Arman,

East and South—By the Lower Kumar river,

West—By the *halot* and lands of Meser Molla, Hochanaddi Khondker, Ibrahim Khondker, Imanaddi Faraji, Khalil Napti, Madan Khondker, Oahed Ali, Chandai. *Halot*, lands of Chandai, Hochanaddi Khondker, Maijaddin Kazi, Ofajaddin Faraji, Alimaddi Kazi, Maijaddin Kazi, Alimaddin Kazi, Eslam Farazi, Chandai, Rahimaddi Haolader, Eslam, Dulai, Laskar, Serajaddin, Baban Molla, Aptaraddin, Ahammad, Meser Kazi, Muhammad Hanif, Otaraddin Hazi, Akhiladdin, Ledulla, *Halot*, lands of Afajaddin, Manulla, Baban Khan, Inaddin Haolader, Janmahammad Haolader, Alem Molla, Adeladdin, Kas Ir, Abdul, Tamijaddin, Lehajaddin, Mafijaddin, Imanaddin, Basiraddin, Adam, Nasiraddin Faraji and Adam,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kumerkhali.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Madaripur.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10318L.A.—The 21st December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bankura for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a bund in the village of Lachipur *ulias* Lakshmipur, pargana Raipur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 28 bighas, 5 cottahs and 4 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 9·34 acres, bounded on the—

Bankura.

North—By *ejmali* khas patit land of Nader Chand Mundle and others and jote land of Dharma and Godai Mahata,

East—By *ejmali* khas patit land of Nader Chand Mundle and others and jote land of Baijar Mazi.

South—By *ejmali* khas patit land of Nader Chand Mundle and others,

West—By *ejmali* khas patit land of Nader Chand Mundle and others, jote lands of Godai Mahata, Haladhar Mahata, Dubraj Mahata and Tara Chand Mahata and Radhai Kumar,

is required within the aforesaid village of Lachipur *alias* Lakshmipur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 10326L.A.—The 22nd December 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the retired embankment at Nabasan in 188th mile of the 24-Parganas embankment, in the village of Narainpur, pargana Medanmolla, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 20 bighas, 3 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North and East—By the old Nabasan retired embankment and lands of Tarak Nath Banerji, Gonesh Mondal, Naru Mallik, Madan Shapui and Ram Kristo Gayan,

South—By the lands of Tarak Nath Banerji, Madan Shapui, Mahesh Lashker, Gonesh Mondal and others,

West—By the lands of Tarak Nath Banerji, Madan Shapui, Mahesh Lashker, Gonesh Mondal and others.

is required within the aforesaid village of Narainpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 10278Regn.—The 21st December 1916.—Babu Rohini Kumar Some Sub-Registar, grade II, of Feni, in the district of Noakhali, was granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, with effect from the 24th November 1916.

Noakhali.

No. 10280Regn.—The 21st December 1916—Maulvi Abdul Hamid, Probationer of Comilla, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Feni, in the district of Noakhali, with effect from the 1st December 1916, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Rohini Kumar Som or until further orders.

Tippera.
Noakhali.

No. 10281Regn.—The 21st December 1916.—Maulvi Abdur Rahman, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Chatkhil, in the district of Noakhali, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and ten days, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

Noakhali.

No. 10284Regn.—The 21st December 1916.—Maulvi Habibur Rahman, Probationer of Noakhali, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Chatkhil in that district, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdur Rahman.

Noakhali.

No. 10346Regn.—The 26th December 1916.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Hasan, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, at present officiating as Sub-Registrar of Ratua in the district of Malda, is confirmed in that appointment.

Malda.

No. 10348Regn.—The 26th December 1916.—Maulvi In'amul Kabirul Qadiri, Sub-Registrar of Gobindaganj, in the district of Rangpur, was granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and eight days, with effect from the 15th November 1916.

Rangpur.

This cancels Notification No. 8862Regn., dated the 10th November 1916.

Bakarganj. *No. 10350Regn.—The 26th December 1916.*—Babu Nilratan Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Nalchiti, in the district of Bakarganj, was granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for seven days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 9893Regn., dated the 12th December 1916.

Malda. *No. 10352Regn.—The 26th December 1916.*—Maulvi Muhammad Munir-uddin, Probationer of Malda, was granted leave on medical certificate, under rule 1 to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fourteen days with effect from the 4th October 1916.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Dacca. *No. 10275Regn.—The 21st December 1916.*—In pursuance of section 5 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the police-station Joydebpur, which is now included in the jurisdiction of the Dacca Sadar Registration office, shall be taken away from Dacca and added to that of the Sub-Registry office at Kaliganj which shall have jurisdiction over police-stations Kaliganj, Sripur, Kapasia and Joydebpur.

2. In pursuance of sub-section (*1*) of section 7 of the said Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct the establishment, as an experimental measure for six months, of an office at Joydebpur, to be styled the office of the Joint Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj at Joydebpur which shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registry office at Kaliganj.

This notification shall take effect on and from the 2nd January 1917.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta. *No. 1697Edn.—The 21st December 1916.*—Babu Banabilas Ray, Professor, David Hare Training College, Calcutta, was on privilege leave for fifty-two days, viz., sixteen days under articles 272 and 274, and the remaining period under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th September 1916.

Calcutta. *No. 801San.—The 21st December 1916.*—It is hereby notified that the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Sir Kailas Chandra Basu Bahadur, KT., C.I.E., to be an additional member of the conference constituted under Resolution No. 703San., dated the 21st November 1916, to consider the sanitary organization of the Port of Calcutta, with special reference to the prevention of yellow fever.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2650S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1917 will consist of about 7,000 chests prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1914-15 and 1915-16, in the proportion marginally noted.

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

	Chests.
Supply from 1914-15	1,789
Ditto 1915-16	5,211
Total ...	7,000

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held, and the total quantity of opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory which will be brought forward for sale every month, are specified below. The Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so. In accordance with the Notification of the Government of India, No. 1077F.E., dated the 28th September 1916, the number of chests of Benares opium shown in the table below will be sold monthly from January to December 1917 :—

DATES			Chests manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.
			Uncertified.
On or about Wednesday, 3rd January	1917	...	583
On or about Tuesday, 6th February	,,	...	583
On or about Tuesday, 6th March	,,	...	583
On or about Wednesday, 4th April	,,	...	583
On or about Tuesday, 1st May	,,	...	583
On or about Wednesday, 6th June	,,	...	583
On or about Tuesday, 3rd July	,,	...	583
On or about Wednesday, 1st August	,,	...	583
On or about Tuesday, 4th September	,,	...	583
On or about Thursday, 4th October	,,	...	583
On or about Tuesday, 6th November	,,	...	583
On or about Tuesday, 4th December	,,	...	587
	Total	...	7,000

3. Government reserves to itself the right to alter the quantity of opium to be offered for sale in each month. No reduction in the quantities to be sold, however, will be made without three months' previous notice.

4. The following are the conditions of sale. Government reserves to itself the right of altering all or any of these conditions after giving three months' previous notice, and power is reserved to vary the upset price referred to in condition (ii) at any time without such previous notice :—

(i) The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

(ii) The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 2,500 per chest of uncertified opium and will be sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by clause (xiii) of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

(iii) The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of Government, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole

quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Government may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

(iv) Each lot shall contain five chests, excepting the last lot at each sale which will consist of three chests at the sales of January to November and two chests at the sale of December.

(v) A promissory note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such promissory notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as Government shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 2,800 per chest, Rs. 600 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 2,800 and upwards, but less than Rs. 3,200 per chest, Rs. 700 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 3,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 3,600 per chest, Rs. 800 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

(vi) The said promissory notes shall be absolutely payable in any event, and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or, whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

(vii) The promissary notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale, or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

(viii) No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause (v) on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted: Provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said promissory note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given, or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. (v) and No. (vi).

(ix) The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day after the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as Government shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

(x) Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

(xi) No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

(xii) The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a promissory note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

(xiii) With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs. 5 at a time until a bid is obtained; and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 2,500 specified in the second of these conditions.

(xiv) The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of opium not exceeding altogether ten lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said ten.

(xv) In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

5. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal :—

No. 1.—Certificate of the opium advertised for sale.

No. 2.—Report of the examination of such opium.

6. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Ghazipur Factory, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison, from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal.

7. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Government entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 22nd December 1916.*

No. 2655S.R.—The 26th December 1916.—The gentlemen named below are appointed to be Probationary Inspectors of Excise and Salt:—

Maulvi Kazi Barkat Ali, B.A.

Babu Dwijendra Nath Chatterjea, B.A.

Maulvi S. M. Tafazzul Hossain, B.A.

" Amir Hosain, B.A.

Babu Dinesh Chandra Sen Gupta, B.A.

Maulvi Abdus Sobhan, B.A.

Babu Kiron Chandra Bose, B.A.

" Santasil Baruya, B.A.

J. DONALD.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3378Medl.—The 20th December 1916.—Dr. E. E. Francis, Chief Medical Officer, Assam-Bengal Railway, Chittagong, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon (2nd class) of that district, in addition to his own duties until further orders, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th December 1916.

Chittagong.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3386Medl.—The 21st December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 28, sub-section (*1*), of the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912 (IV of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be visitors of the Insane Ward at Gobra, viz:—

1.	The Commissioner of Police, Calcutta ...	*Ex-officio.*
2.	The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas ...	
3.	The Police Surgeon, Calcutta	
4.	The Health Officer, Corporation of Calcutta ...	
5.	Deputy Commissioner of Police, Head-quarters Calcutta.	
6.	Lieutenant-Colonel B. H. Deare, I.M.S., ...	*Non-officials.*
7.	Rai Bahadur Sir Kailash Chandra Basu, KT., C.I.E.	
8.	The Hon'ble Mr. Abdur Rahim	
9.	Mr. Golam Hossain Kassim Ariff	
10.	The Hon'ble Mr. Bhupendra Nath Basu ...	
11.	Rai Bahadur Dr. Haridhan Datta ...	
12.	Rai Biswesswar Lal Halwasiya Bahadur ...	
13.	Dr. Satish Chandra Ghose	

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9405A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 9317A.—The 23rd December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Rai Sahib Krishna Chandra Ghatak the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the 6th January 1917,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Kanchrapara Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 9321A.—The 23rd December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Ramani Mohan Sen the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Murshidabad, for a period of three years from the 29th December 1916,

Murshidabad.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and,

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 9399A.—The 26th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Barendra Nath Mitra the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the 29th December 1916, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Alipore Bench in the said district.

POWERS.

No. 9240A.—The 20th December 1916.—Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Bakarganj district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Bakarganj.

No. 9314A.—The 23rd December 1916.—Mr. Satyendra Nath Modak, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Mymensingh district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Mymensingh.

No. 9375A.—The 23rd December 1916.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council hereby appoints Mr. L. S. Bingemann, I.C.S., Joint Magistrate, Chittagong, to be also a Special Magistrate for the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, for a term not exceeding six months, and confers upon him the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in regard to cases generally in those districts.

Chittagong. Tippera and Noakhali.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3835J.—The 21st December 1916.—Babu Bijay Gopal Chatarji, Munsif of Garhbeta, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Barada Prasad Ray, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 3838J.—The 21st December 1916.—Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at Garhbeta, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Bijay Gopal Chatarji, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

LEAVE.

No. 3847J.—The 22nd December 1916.—Babu Barada Prasad Ray, Subordinate Judge of Midnapore, is allowed leave for fourteen days, with effect from the 2nd January 1917, under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Midnapore.

POWERS.

No. 3850J.—The 22nd December 1916.—Babu Tribhubaneswar Ray, Munsif of Sudharam, in the district of Noakhali, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885).

Noakhali.

No. 3852J.—The 22nd December 1916.—Babu Jogendra Chandra De Biswas, Munsif of Iswarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885).

Mymensingh.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 9406A.

No. 9283A.—The 21st December 1916.—Babu Rebati Raman Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Chittagong Division and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Chittagong Divn.

No. 9297A.—The 21st December 1916.—Babu Satkari Lal De, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for two months, under rule 1 of article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave previously granted to him.

No. 9319A.—The 23rd December 1916.—Maulvi Israil Huq Chaudhuri, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Jalpaiguri, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 9325A.—The 23rd December 1916.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors:—

Babu Nalini Ranjan Bose, M.A.
„ Dinesh Chandra Sen Gupta, M.Sc.
„ Jatindra Mohan Chatarji, M.A.
„ Phani Lal Mukharji, M.A.
„ Surendra Nath Ray, M.Sc.
„ Harendra Narayan Bose, M.A.

Babus Dinesh Chandra Sen Gupta and Surendra Nath Ray are posted to the head-quarters station of the Tippera district, and Babus Phani Lal Mukharji and Harendra Narayan Bose are posted, respectively, to the head-quarters stations of the 24-Parganas and Murshidabad districts. They are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and are directed under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), to take down evidence in the English language.

The other officers will continue on Settlement training in Tippera until further orders.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 14778, dated Calcutta, the 19th December 1916.—The following Assistant Surgeons of the Bengal Establishment having passed the Professional Examination held on the 1st November 1916, their promotion to the next higher grades will take effect from the dates noted against their names:—

Present grade.	Names.	Where attached.	Grade to which promoted.	Date from which promoted.
2nd ...	Lal Mohan Ghosal ...	Demonstrator, Physiological Department, Medical College, Calcutta.	1st ...	30th April 1917.
2nd ...	Dhiraj Mohan Sen ...	Noakhali Dispensary ...	1st ...	10th May 1918.
2nd ...	Bepin Chandra Das Gupta ...	Rangpur	1st ...	26th August 1918.
3rd ...	Surendra Nath Ghosh, II ...	Netrakona Subdivision, Mymensingh.	2nd ...	1st March 1917.
3rd ...	Joges Nath Sen ...	Utterpara Dispensary, Hooghly	2nd ...	24th „ „
3rd ...	Indra Narayan Sen Gupta ...	Kandi Subdivision and Dispensary, Murshidabad.	2nd ...	1st July 1917.
3rd ...	Jogesh Chandra Mukharji ...	Special duty under Lt.-Col. Sir Leonard Rogers, KT., C.I.E., I.M.S.	2nd ...	16th October 1917.
3rd ...	Pashupati Basu ...	Arambagh Subdivision and Dispensary, Hooghly.	2nd ...	20th March 1918.
3rd ...	Satish Chandra Das ...	Emergency Officer, Medical College Hospital, Calcutta.	2nd ...	20th „ „
3rd ...	Khagendra Binod Sinha ...	Bhola Subdivision and Dispensary, Bakarganj.	2nd ...	1st October 1918.
3rd ...	Jogendra Nath Basu ...	Health Officer, Port of Chittagong.	2nd ...	12th April 1920.

No. 14779, dated Calcutta, the 19th December 1916.—The following Assistant Surgeons of the Bengal Establishment having passed the Professional Examination held on the 1st November 1916, are promoted to the next higher grades with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Present grade.	Names.	Where attached	Grade to which promoted.	Date from which promoted.
2nd ...	Sharat Chandra Datta ...	Comilla	1st ...	1st November 1916.
2nd ...	Manindra Nath Bhattacherji	Officiating Assistant Health Officer Port of Calcutta.	1st ...	Ditto.

No. 14780, dated Calcutta, the 19th December 1916.—The following Assistant Surgeons of the Bengal Establishment having passed the Professional Examination held on the 1st November 1915, their promotion to the next higher grades will take effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Present grade.	Names.	Where attached.	Grade to which promoted.	Date from which promoted.
3rd ...	Chandra Kumar Nandi ...	Satkhira Subdivision and Dispensary, Khulna.	2nd ...	1st March 1917.
3rd ...	Dhirendra Nath Sen ...	Krishnagar Dispensary ...	2nd ...	18th December 1918.

No. 14793, dated Calcutta, the 19th December 1916.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Keshab Chandra Sen Gupta, Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, is transferred from Godagari to Chitpore temporarily, with effect from the 3rd December 1916.

W. R. EDWARDS,

Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act), for the months of February and March 1917, until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly will hold his sittings as detailed below :—

February 1917.	March 1917.
Hooghly from 1st to 11th	Hooghly from 1st to 11th
Serampore „ 12th to 18th	Serampore „ 12th to 21st
Howrah „ 19th to 28th	Howrah „ 22nd to 31st

Sundays and holidays are excepted.

ASHUTOSH GHOSH, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

SERAMPORE, *the 19th December 1916.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

NOTIFICATION.

The following list of days to be observed in the year 1917 as close Holidays in the Subordinate Civil Courts has been prepared and is published by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the power vested in it by section 15 of Act XII of 1887.

Names of holidays.	English date	Bengali date.	Days of the week.	Number of days.	Remarks.
New Year's Day	January 1st	Pous (1323) 17th	Monday	1 day.	
Fatiha Duwazdaham (a)	,, 7th	,, ,, 23rd	Sunday	1 ,, ...	(a) If the moon be visible on the 25th of December, the Courts will be closed on the 6th of January.
Uttarayan, Pous or Makar Sankranti, or Magha Bihu (b).	,, 13th	,, ,, 29th	Saturday	1 ,, ...	(b) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Noakhali, Tippera, and Sylhet, and at Contai in the district of Midnapore, instead of Dasahara Ganga Snan; at Dubrajpur in the district of Birbhum, instead of Uita Rath; in the districts of Bakarganj and Assam Valley (except Dhubri), instead of Baruni Ganga Snan; in the district of Khulna, instead of the first day of the Kartick Puja; and in the district of Dacca, instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.
Sri Panchami	,, 27th and 28th ...	Magh ,, 14th and 15th ...	Saturday and Sunday	2 days.	
Shiva Ratri	February 20th and 21st ...	Falgun ,, 8th and 9th ...	Tuesday and Wednesday ...	2 ,,	
Doi Jatra and the day following	March 8th and 9th	,, ,, 24th and 25th ...	Thursday and Friday ...	2 ,,	
Baruni Ganga Snan (c)	,, 21st	Chaitra ,, 8th	Wednesday	1 day	(c) This holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Bakarganj, Dacca, Mymensingh, Noakhali, Tippera, and Assam Valley.
Two days previous to Sri Ram Navami (d) ...	,, 30th and 31st	,, ,, 17th and 18th ...	Friday and Saturday	2 days	(d) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Chittagong, instead of Uita Rath and the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja.
Ashtami or Brahmaputra Snan or Ashokashtami (e).	,, 30th	,, ,, 17th	Friday	1 day	(e) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Dacca and Mymensingh, and at Dhubri in the Assam Valley Districts, instead of Baruni Ganga Snan; and in Rangpur and Assam Valley (except Dhubri), instead of Uita Rath and the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja respectively.
Sri Ram Navami	April 1st	,, ,, 19th	Sunday	1 ,,	
Good Friday to Easter Monday	,, 6th to 9th	,, ,, 24th to 27th ...	Friday to Monday	4 days.	
Chaitra Sankranti	,, 13th	,, ,, 31st	Friday	1 day.	
Bengali New Year's Day (f)	,, 14th	Baisakh (1324) 1st	Saturday	1 ,, ...	(f) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, instead of Baruni Ganga Snan; in the districts of Bakarganj, Mymensingh, Chittagong and Assam Valley (except Dhubri), instead of Dasahara Ganga Snan; in the district of Dacca, instead of the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja; and in the districts of Jessore, Khulna and Sylhet, instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.
Tithi (day of demise) of Deb Damodar (g) ...	,, 23rd	,, ,, 10th	Monday	1 ,, ...	(g) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Goalpara), instead of the first day of the Jagadhatri Puja.
Sital o Jamai Sasthi (h)	May 27th	Jaistha ,, 13th	Sunday	1 ,, ...	(h) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Dacca, instead of Dasahara Ganga Snan.

Dasahara Ganga Snan (d)	,, 31st	,, ,, 17th	Thursday	1 ,,		(d) This holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Bakarganj, Dacca, Mymensingh Chittagong, Noakhali, Tippera, Sylhet and Assam Valley (except Dhubri); nor at Contai in the district of Midnapore.
Shab i-Barat (f)	June 5th	,, ,, 22nd	Tuesday	1 ,,		(f) If the moon be visible on the 23rd of May, the Courts will be closed on the 6th of June.
Ramkeli day (k)	,, 14th	,, ,, 31st	Thursday	1 ,,		(k) This holiday is to be observed at Malda in the district of Rajshahi, instead of the first day of the Kartick Puja.
Rath Jatra	,, 21st	Asar ,, 7th	Thursday	1 ,,		
Amboobachi (l)	,, 22nd	,, ,, 7th	Thursday	1 ,,		(l) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Dhubri), instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.
Ulta Rath (m)	,, 30th	,, ,, 16th	Saturday	1 ,,		(m) This holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Mymensingh, Chittagong, Noakhali, Rangpur, Sylhet, and Assam Valley; nor at Dubrajpur in the district of Birbhum. The 29th of June is to be observed as a holiday in the district of Tippera, instead of the 30th June.
King-Emperor's Birthday*						
The day after the eclipse of the moon	July 5th	,, ,, 21st	Thursday	1 ,,		
Id-ul-Fitr (n)	,, 21st and 22nd	Sraban ,, 5th and 6th	Saturday and Sunday	2 days		(n) If the moon be visible on the 21st of July, the Courts will be closed on the 22nd and 23rd of July.
Janmashtomi	August 9th and 10th	,, ,, 24th and 25th	Thursday and Friday	2 ,,		
Manas Puja (o)	,, 16th	,, ,, 31st	Thursday	1 day		(o) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Mymensingh, Noakhali and Sylhet, instead of Ulta Rath; and in the district of Chittagong, instead of the first day of the Jagadhatri Puja.
The day following the Manas Puja (p)	,, 17th	Bhadra ,, 1st	Friday	1 ,,		(p) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Sylhet, instead of the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja.
Tithi (Anniversary) of Sri Sankar Deb (q)	,, 20th	,, ,, 4th	Monday	1 ,,		(q) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts, instead of Ulta Rath.
Tithi (Anniversary) of Sri Madhab Deb (r)	September 6th	,, ,, 21st	Thursday	1 ,,		(r) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts, instead of the first day of the Kartick Puja.
Id-uz-Zoha (s)	,, 28th and 29th	Asdin ,, 12th and 13th	Friday and Saturday	2 days		(s) If the moon be visible on the 17th of September, the Courts will be closed on the 27th and 28th of September.
Dassera Vacation, including Mahalaya, Durga Puja, Muharram, Lakshmi and Kali Pujas and Bhratriditya.	October 15th to November 14th.	,, ,, 29th to Kartick 30th	Monday to Friday	32 ,,		
Kartick Puja (t)	November 16th and 17th	Kartick ,, 30th and Aughran 1st	Friday and Saturday	2 ,,		(t) This holiday is not to be observed in the district of Khulna. The second day of this holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Dacca, Jessore, Dinajpur, Sylhet and Assam Valley (except Dhubri); and first day is not to be observed at Malda in the district of Rajshahi, nor in the Assam Valley Districts.
Jagadhatri Puja (u)	,, 23rd and 24th	Aughran ,, 7th and 8th	Friday and Saturday	2 ,,		(u) This holiday is not to be observed in the district of Chittagong. The first day of this holiday is not to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Goalpara). The second day is not to be observed in the districts of Dacca, Sylhet and Assam Valley (except Dhubri).
Ras Purnima (v)	,, 28th	,, ,, 12th	Wednesday	1 day		(v) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Dinajpur, instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.
Akhiri Chahar Shamba	December 13th	,, ,, 26th	Wednesday	1 ,,		
Christmas holidays, including Fatiha Duwazdaham.	,, 24th to 31st	Pous ,, 9th to 16th	Monday to Monday	8 days.		

*The day which may be fixed for the celebration in India of the King-Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately in due course.

By order,
H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
The 18th December, 1916.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 18th December 1916.

No. 106P.—Babu Harendra Narayan Chakravarty, Second Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, in class V of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for thirty-nine days with effect from the 26th February 1917.

The 20th December 1916.

No. 107P.—The notification No. 99P., dated the 8th December 1916, appointing Miss Surabala Singh, Officiating Head Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School (class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service), to act as Additional Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Presidency Division, and in the Provincial Educational Service during the absence, on leave, of Miss Hriday Violet Mitter, is cancelled.

The 21st December 1916.

No. 108P.—Babu Nripendra Chandra Banerji, Professor, Rajshahi College (class VII of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Professor in the Presidency College, Calcutta, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra De, on deputation.

No. 109P.—Babu Ramapada Majumdar, Lecturer, Rajshahi College (class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Professor in the same College, *vice* Babu Nripendra Chandra Banerji, transferred. He is also appointed to act in the Provincial Educational Service, on the usual allowance admissible under the rules, in the vacancy consequent on the deputation of Babu Satish Chandra De.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3254M.—It is hereby notified for general information that on the result of the ensuing Matriculation Examination being known the 10 third grade junior scholarships allotted to the Rajshahi Division will be distributed as follows :—

Rajshahi	...	2	Rangpur	...	1
Dinajpur	...	1	Bogra	...	1
Jalpaiguri } Darjeeling }	...	2	Pabna	...	2
			Malda	...	1

Besides the above, one special third grade scholarship is open to competition among the students of all high English schools in the district of Rangpur.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th December 1916.*

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India (Department of Commerce and Industry) Notification No. 2968—82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India, and
ex-officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 20th October 1916.*

CUSTOM HOUSE NOTICE.

ON the 28th, 29th and 30th December 1916 the Custom House including the Treasury will be open for work as usual.

On the 23rd, 26th and 27th December 1916, the Treasury will be closed but the Office will be open for the despatch of urgent business from 11-30 A.M. to 1-30 P.M.

On the 25th December 1916 and on the 1st January 1917 the Custom House will be entirely closed, work on boardship being allowed only on payment of the special holiday fee of Rs. 100 for each day in addition to the ordinary fee.

C. W. E. COTTON,
Collector of Customs.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE,
The 6th December 1916.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. for the transaction of urgent business only on the 28th, 29th and 30th December 1916.

N. BHAR,
Collector of Stamp Revenue.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE,
The 19th December 1916.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5522J.—Babu Tamasha Ranjan Datta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 18th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5588J.—Babu Srimanta Das Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred temporarily to the Kishorganj subdivision of Mymensingh district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 20th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 64L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 19 (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint Munshi Abdus Sobhan to be a member of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Jessore, in the place of Maulvi Khondkar Tofeluddin, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 43 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1908, Mr. Charles F. Slane is appointed to be a member of the Union Committee of Akhaura within the jurisdiction of the Brahmanbaria Local Board, in the district of Tippera, *vice* Mr. A. Cameron, left on military duty.

A. R. BOSE, *Personal Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 21st December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, Babu Satish Chandra Roy and Maulvi Mahamed Asharaf Ali have been appointed by the District Board of Chittagong to be members of the Managing Committee of the Paroikora Dispensary, in the district of Chittagong, *vice* Babu Chandra Kumar Roy, deceased, and Maulvi Laloo Meah removed from office respectively.

A. R. BOSE, *Personal Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 21st December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 418J.Ct.—In Notification No. 165J.Ct., dated the 21st September 1916, published at page 1863, Part 1, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th October 1916, regarding the appointment of the members of the Committee for the management of Chhatnai Charitable Dispensary in the district of Rangpur, *for* "Munshi Mala Mahmed Pramanik" *read* "Munshi Nola Mahmud Pramanik". This cancels Notification No. 4132, dated the 7th December 1916, published at page 2212, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP BOGRA, *the 22nd December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers conferred under section 6, clause (*b*), of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, delegated to Commissioners of Divisions by the Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, the undersigned takes possession of the private ferry at Jafarganj over the river Gumti, known as Jafarganj ferry in thana Debidwar of the district of Tippera and declares the same to be a public ferry.

2. In exercise of the power conferred upon him by the Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, the undersigned also directs that the said ferry be managed by the District Board of Tippera, and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof be paid into the District Fund of Tippera with effect from the date of this Notification.

K. C. DE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 18th December 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the Rules for the Managing Committee of the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca, promulgated in Bengal Government, General Department, letter No. 404-T.-G., dated the 15th August 1916, the following ladies and gentlemen have been appointed as members of the Managing Committee of the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca:—

1. Commissioner, Dacca Division, *President* ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. Lady Principal, Eden High School for Girls, Dacca, *Secretary* ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. Second Mistress, Eden High School for Girls, Dacca ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. Principal, Dacca Training College ... } *Ex-officio.*
5. Mrs. M. Smither
6. Rai Kamala Nath Das Bahadur.
7. Mrs. Swarnalata Bose.
8. Mrs. I. H. Hukk.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 18th December 1916.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

Notice under section 47(3) of Bengal Act V of 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to Improvement Scheme No. VIIC (Maniktala Spur) originally notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 6th January 1915.

C. H. BOMPAS,
Chairman, Calcutta Improvement Trust.

The 18th December 1916.

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of December 1916, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th December 1916.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH DECEMBER 1916 INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	251,524	...	251,524	98,550	...	...	124,378
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	453,703	88,321	542,024	129,525	205,315	111,100	76,855
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	196,184	...	196,184	53,646	...	...	50,738
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	362,857	...	362,557	52,280	...	...	86 894
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Massawah salt ...	100,884	...	100,884	26,038	4,533	650	19,090
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	8,635	...	8,635	160*	...	...	14,642
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	48,172†	48,172	48,172	...
Tuticorin salt ...	...	...	...	1,021	...	1,021	..
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,373,787	88,321	1,462,108	409,392	258,020	160,943	372,597

* Includes 5 mds. 30 srs. Bombay Karkach salt on which duty was paid in Bombay.
† Duty on 48,172 mds. Madras salt was paid at Madras.

Written off during the half month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	5.20s
Abandoned and destroyed	4

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,
Assistant Collector for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 21st December 1916.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 16th December 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMPANIES.

Delhi, the 16th December 1916.

No. 12274-C. & E.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 151 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to add the following forms to the schedule attached to the Indian Companies Rules, 1914, published with Notification No. 1271-23-C., dated the 28th March 1914.

FORM XXIV.

STATUTORY REPORT.

The Indian Companies Act, 1913.

(See section 77.)

Filing fee_____ Rs. 3.

Statutory report of the_____ Company, Limited, to be certified[1] and filed pursuant to section 77 (5).

Presented for filing by_____

The Directors' report to the members as follows:—

1. The total number of shares allotted is__
2. Of the said shares

(*a*) the number allotted subject to payment therefor in cash is_____
(*b*) the number allotted as fully paid up is_____ the consideration for which they have been allotted is_____
(*c*) the number allotted as fully paid up otherwise than in cash to the extent of Rs._____ per share is_____ the consideration for which they have been so allotted is

[1] To be certified by not less than two directors or if the company has less than two directors, by the sole director and forwarded at least 10 days before the statutory meeting to every member and debenture-holder of the company and to be filed with the Registrar forthwith after it is so forwarded. Section 77, sub-sections (2), (3) and (5) and section 146.

3. The total amount of cash received by the company in respect of the shares issued subject to payment therefor in cash is _____(and on the shares issued partly for cash is _____); and the company has received no cash in respect of the said _____shares issued as fully paid up.

4. The receipts and payments of the company on capital account up to the day of last (*i.e.*, a date within 7 days of the date of the report) are as follows :—

	Particulars of receipts.	Particulars of payments.
From Shares Preference / Ordinary ...		
From Debentures		
From Debenture stock ...		
From other sources		

5. The following are the particulars as to the balance remaining in hand as on the said _____day of _____ :—

Cash in hand ...	...
Cash at the bank ...	...
Etc., etc. ...	...

6. The following is an account (or estimate) of the preliminary expenses of the company :—

7. Names, addresses and descriptions of the Directors, Auditors (if any), Managers (if any) and Secretary of the Company :

Directors.

Name.	Address.	Description.

Auditors.

Name.	Address	Description.

Managers.

Name.	Address.	Description.

Secretary.

Name.	Address.	Description.

8. Particulars of any contract the modification of which is to be submitted to the meeting for its approval together with the particulars of the modification or proposed modification :—

* * * * * * * * *

Dated the *day of* *19*

We hereby certify this report.

Two Directors.

We hereby certify that so much of the report as relates to the shares allotted by the company and to the cash received in respect of such shares and to the receipts and payments of the company or capital account is correct.

Date *Auditors.*

FORM XXV.

AGREEMENT TO TAKE QUALIFICATION SHARES IN PROPOSED COMPANY.

The Indian Companies Act, 1913

(See section 84.)

Filing fee ——— Rs. 3.

Contract by directors to take and pay for qualification shares in Limited, to be signed and filed pursuant to section 84 (1) (*ii*) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913.

Presented for filing by ———

We, the undersigned, having consented to act as directors of the ——— Limited, do each hereby agree to take from the said company and pay for the ——— shares of each, being the number of shares prescribed as the qualification for the office of director of the said company.

Signature	Address.	Description.

Dated

Witness to the above signatures ———

FORM XXVI.

COPY OF THE REGISTER OF DIRECTORS OR MANAGERS AND CHANGES THEREIN.

The Indian Companies Act, 1913.

(See section 87.)

Filing fee_____Rs. 3.

Copy of the Register of Directors or Managers of the _____ company and of any changes therein filed pursuant to section 87 (1).

Presented for filing by _____

Names.	Addresses.	Occupation.	Changes.*

Signature

Date

NOTE—1. A complete list of the existing directors or managers should always be given.

* 2. A note of the changes since the last list was filed should be made in this column *e.g.*, by entering against a new director's name the words "in place of _____" and against any former director's name the words "dead", "resigned" or as the case may be.

3. Notice of change should be given within 30 days from the date of occurrence.

CUSTOMS.

The 16th December 1916.

No. 280-C.-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended and in supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in the Commerce and Industry Department, No. 2473, dated the 1st April 1916, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to fix, with effect from the 1st January 1917, for the articles specified in column 2 of the schedule hereto annexed, the tariff values stated in column 4 of the said schedule.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco.			
	FISH.		Rs. A.	
1	FISH, SALTED, wet or dry	Indian maund of 82⅔ lbs. avoirdupois weight.	...	Such rate or rates of duty not exceeding twelve annas as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, from time to time prescribe.
2	FISHMAWS, including singally and sozille, and sharkfins.	...	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
3	FISH, excluding salted fish (see No. 1) ...	...	,,	7½ ,,
	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.			
4	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, all sorts, fresh, dried, salted or preserved—			
	Almonds without shell	cwt.	80 0	7½ per cent.
	,, in the shell	,,	22 0	7½ ,,
	,, (kágazi) { Persian	,,	75 0	7½ ,,
	,, (kágazi) { European	,,	45 0	7½ ,,
	Cashew or cajoo kernels	,,	25 0	7½ ,,
	Coconuts, Straits	thousand	75 0	7½ ,,
	,, other	,,	50 0	7½ ,,
	,, kernel (khopra)	cwt.	20 0	7½ ,,
	Currants	,,	38 0	7½ ,,
	Dates, dry, in bags	,,	7 12	7½ ,,
	,, wet ,, baskets and bundles ...	,,	5 8	7½ ,,
	,, ,, in pots, boxes, tins and crates ...	,,	9 0	7½ ,,
	Figs, Persian, dried	,,	18 0	7½ ,,
	Garlic	,,	8 0	7½ ,,
	Pistachio nuts	,,	60 0	7½ ,,
	Prunes, Bussora (álu-Bokhara)	...	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Raisins, black	...	,,	7½ ,,
	,, kishmish, Persian Gulf	...	,,	7½ ,,
	,, Munakka ,, ,, ...	cwt.	11 0	7½ ,,
	,, other sorts	...	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Walnuts, all descriptions	...	,,	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of fruits and vegetables, fresh, dried, salted or preserved.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	GRAIN, PULSE AND FLOUR.			
5	GRAIN AND PULSE, all sorts, including broken grain and pulse, but excluding flour (see No. 6).	...	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
6	FLOUR	...	,,	7½ ,,
	LIQUORS.			Rs. A. P.
7	ALE, Beer, and Porter	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.	...	0 4 6
8	CIDER and other fermented liquors	,,	...	0 4 6
9	LIQUEURS, Cordials, Mixtures and other preparations containing spirit—			
	(*a*) Entered in such a manner as to indicate that the strength is not to be tested.	,,	...	14 10 0
	(*b*) If tested	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles of the strength of London proof.	...	11 4 0 and the duty to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than London proof.
				Rs. A. P.
10	PERFUMED SPIRITS	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.	...	18 12 0
11	SPIRIT, which has been rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption.	...	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco—*contd.*		Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
	LIQUORS—*contd.*			
12	All other sorts of SPIRIT	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles of the strength of London proof.	.....	11 4 0 and the duty to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than London proof.
13	WINES—			Rs. A. P.
	Champagne and all other sparkling wines not containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit.	,,	.....	4 6 0
	All other sorts of wines not containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit.	,,	.....	1 12 0
	Provided that all sparkling and still wines containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit shall be liable to duty at the rate applicable to "All other sorts of Spirit."			
	PROVISIONS AND OILMAN'S STORES.			
14	VINEGAR, in casks	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
15	PROVISIONS, OILMAN'S STORES, AND GROCERIES, all sorts, excluding vinegar in casks (see No. 14)—			
	Bacon	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Beef and Pork	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Bêche de mer	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Butter	lb.	1 8	7½ ,,
	Cassava, Tapioca or Sago	cwt.	12 8	7½ ,,
	Cheese	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	China preserves in syrup	cwt. (nett)	30 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, dry, candied	lb.	0 5	7½ ,,
	Cocum	cwt.	5 8	7½ ,,
	Ghi	,,	70 0	7½ ,,
	Margarine	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Vinegar not in casks—			
	Persian	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Indian	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of provisions, oilman's stores and groceries.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	SPICES.			
16	SPICES, all sorts—			
	Betelnuts, raw, whole, split, or sliced, from Goa	cwt.	13 0	7½ per cent
	,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, Straits	,,	9 0	7½ ,,
	Betelnuts, sliced, raw or boiled, all other sorts from Dutch East India.	,,	24 0	7½ ,,
	,, whole, from Ceylon	,,	11 8	7½ ,,
	,, raw, split (sun-dried) from Ceylon ...	,,	27 0	7½ ,,
	,, all other sorts	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Chillies, dry	cwt.	15 0	7½ ,,
	Cloves	,,	40 0	7½ ,,
	,, exhausted	,,	14 0	7½ ,,
	,, stems and heads	,,	7 0	7½ ,,
	,, in seeds, nariavang	,,	13 0	7½ ,,
	Ginger, dry	,,	18 0	7½ ,,
	Mace	lb.	1 6	7½ ,,
	Nutmegs	,,	0 5	7½ ,,
	,, in shell	,,	0 3	7½ ,,
	Pepper, black	cwt.	44 0	7½ ,,
	,, white	,,	60 0	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of spices	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	SUGAR.			
17	CONFECTIONERY	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
18	SUGAR, all sorts, including Molasses and Saccharine produce of all sorts, but excluding confectionery (see No. 17)—			
	Sugar, crystallised, beet	cwt.	16 12	10 per cent.
	,, ,, and soft, refined in China ...	,,	16 8	10 ,,
	,, ,, ,, ,, from Japan ...	,,	16 0	10 ,,
	,, ,, ,, ,, from Egypt ...	,,	16 0	10 ,,

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco—*concld.*		Rs. A.	
	SUGAR—*contd.*			
	All other sorts of sugar—			
	Sugar, crystallised, and soft, from Java 23 Dutch standard and above.	cwt.	16 4	10 per cent.
	" " " " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch standard.	"	14 8	10 " "
	" " " " from Java, 15 Dutch standard and under.	"	12 0	10 " "
	" " " " from Mauritius, equal to 16 Dutch standard and over.	"	16 4	10 " "
	Molasses from Java	"	2 8	10 " "
	" " other countries	"	2 8	10 " "
	Sugar, all other sorts, including saccharine produce of all kinds.	.....	*ad valorem*	10 " "
	TEA.			
19	TEA—			
	Tea, black	lb.	0 12	7½ per cent.
	" green	"	0 11	7½ " "
	OTHER FOOD AND DRINK.			
20	COFFEE	cwt.	50 0	7½ per cent.
21	HOPS	.....	.....	Free.
22	SALT	Indian maund of 82⅔ lbs. avoirdupois weight.	.....	The rate at which excise duty is for the time being leviable on salt manufactured in the place where the import takes place.
23	SALT imported into British India and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, for use in any process of manufacture; also salt imported into the port of Calcutta and issued with the sanction of the Government of Bengal to manufacturers of glazed stone-ware; also salt imported into any port in the provinces of Bengal and Bihar and Orissa and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, for use in curing fish in those provinces.	.....	.....	Free.
24	ALL OTHER SORTS OF FOOD AND DRINK not otherwise specified.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	TOBACCO.			Rs. A.
25	TOBACCO, unmanufactured	lb.	.....	1 0
26	CIGARS AND CIGARETTES	.....	*ad valorem*	50 per cent.
27	All other sorts of TOBACCO, manufactured ...	lb.	.....	Rs. A. 1 8
	II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured.			
	COAL, ETC.			
28	COAL, COKE AND PATENT FUEL	ton	.....	0 8

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	GUMS, RESINS, AND LAC.			
29	GUMS, RESINS AND LAC, all sorts—			
	Copal	...	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Cutch and gambier	cwt.	30 0	7½ ,,
	Gamboge	lb.	1 12	7½ ,,
	Gum Ammoniac	cwt.	30 0	7½ ,,
	,, Arabic	,,	20 0	7½ ,,
	,, Bdellium	...	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, Benjamin, ras	cwt.	40 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, cowrie	,,	75 0	7½ ,,
	,, Bysabol (coarse myrrh)	,,	26 0	7½ ,,
	,, Olibanum or frankincense	,,	12 0	7½ ,,
	,, Persian (false)	,,	10 0	7½ ,,
	Myrrh	,,	30 0	7½ ,,
	Rosin	,,	15 0	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of gums, gum-resins, and articles made of gum or gum-resin.	...	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	HIDES AND SKINS, RAW.			
30	HIDES AND SKINS, raw or salted ...	...	...	Free.
	METALLIC ORES, AND SCRAP IRON OR STEEL FOR RE-MANUFACTURE.			
31	IRON OR STEEL, old	cwt.	2 8	2½ per cent.
32	METALLIC ORES, all sorts	...	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	OILS.			Rs. A. P.
33	PETROLEUM, including also naphtha and the liquids commonly known by the names of rock-oil, Rangoon oil, Burma oil, kerosine, paraffin oil, mineral oil, petroline, gasoline, benzol, benzoline, benzine, and any inflammable liquid which is made from petroleum, coal, schist, shale, peat or any other bituminous substance, or from any products of petroleum, but excluding the following classes of petroleum.	Imperial gallon.	...	0 1 6
	Petroleum which has its flashing point at or above two hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use exclusively for the batching of jute or other fibre, or for lubricating purposes.	...	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Petroleum which has its flashing point at or above one hundred and fifty degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use exclusively as fuel or for some sanitary or hygienic purpose.	...	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
34	All other sorts of animal, essential, mineral and vegetable non-essential oils—			
	Coconut oil	cwt.	26 0	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of oil	...	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	SEEDS.			
35	OIL-SEEDS, imported into British India by sea from the territories of any Native Prince or Chief in India.	...	...	Free.
36	SEEDS, all sorts, excluding oil-seeds specified in No. 35.	...	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	II.—Raw Materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	TALLOW, STEARINE AND WAX			
37	TALLOW AND STEARINE, including grease and animal fat, and WAX of all sorts, not otherwise specified.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	TEXTILE MATERIALS			
38	COTTON, raw	.....	.....	Free.
39	WOOL, raw	.....	.....	,,
40	TEXTILE MATERIALS, the following :—			
	Silk waste and raw silk including cocoons :—			
	Bokhara	lb.	7 0	7½ per cent.
	Floss	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Raw silk—Yellow Shanghai, including re-reeled...	lb.	5 8	7½ ,,
	,, from Indo-China, and places in China other than Shanghai including re-reeled.	,,	6 0	7½ ,,
	Mathow	,,	3 12	7½ ,,
	Panjam	,,	3 0	7½ ,,
	Persian	,,	4 8	7½ ,,
	Siam	,,	3 10	7½ ,,
	White Shanghai, Thonkoon or Duppion.	,,	3 8	7½ ,,
	White Shanghai, other kinds including re-reeled.	,,	6 0	7½ ,,
	White other kinds of China, including re-reeled.	,,	7 10	7½ ,,
	Waste and Kachra	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	All other sorts, including cocoons	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Raw Flax, Hemp, Jute and all other unmanufactured textile materials not otherwise specified.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	WOOD AND TIMBER.			
41	FIREWOOD	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
42	WOOD AND TIMBER, all sorts, not otherwise specified, including all sorts of ornamental wood.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	MISCELLANEOUS.			
43	CANES AND RATTANS	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
44	COWRIES AND SHELLS, including Tortoise-shell—			
	Chanks—large shells, for cameos	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	,, white, live	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	,, ,, dead	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Cowras	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Cowries, bazar, common	cwt.	3 0	7½ ,,
	,, yellow, superior quality	,,	5 0	7½ ,,
	,, Maldive	,,	7 0	7½ ,,
	,, Sankhli	,,	100 0	7½ ,,
	Mother-of-pearl, nacre	,,	28 0	7½ ,,
	Nakhla	,,	125 0	7½ ,,
	Tortoise-shell	lb.	11 0	7½ ,,
	,, nakh	,,	5 0	7½ ,,
	All other sorts, including articles made of shell, not otherwise described.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
45	IVORY, unmanufactured—			
	Elephants' grinders	cwt.	300 0	7½ ,,
	,, tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points), each exceeding 20 lb. in weight, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing 10 lb. and over.	,,	850 0	7½ ,,
	Elephants' tusks (other than hollows, centres and points), not less than 10 lb. and not exceeding 20 lb. each, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing less than 10 lb.	,,	750 0	7½ ,,
	Elephants' tusks, each less than 10 lb. (other than hollows, centres, and points)	,,	400 0	7½ ,,

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*concld.*		Rs. A.	
	MISCELLANEOUS—*contd.*			
	Sea-cow or moye teeth, each not less than 4 lb. ...	cwt.	200 0	7½ per cent.
	Sea-cow or moye teeth, each not less than 3 lb. and under 4 lb.	,,	170 0	7½ ,,
	Sea-cow or moye teeth, each less than 3 lb. ...	,,	120 0	7½ ,,
	All other sorts unmanufactured not otherwise specified.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
46	MANURES, all sorts, including animal bones and the following chemical manures :—Basic slag, nitrate of soda, muriate of potash, sulphate of potash, kainit salts, nitrate of lime, calcium cyanamide and mineral superphosphates.	.....	.....	Free.
47	PRECIOUS STONES AND PEARLS, unset	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
48	PULP OF WOOD, RAGS and other paper-making materials.	.....	...	Free.
49	ALL OTHER RAW MATERIALS, and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured, not otherwise specified.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—			
	APPAREL.			
50	APPAREL, including drapery, boots and shoes, and military and other uniforms and accoutrements, but excluding uniforms and accoutrements exempted from duty (No. 51) and silver thread (No. 90).	... ..	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
51	UNIFORMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS appertaining thereto, imported by a public servant for his personal use.	.....	.....	Free.
	ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES.			
52	Subject to the exemptions specified in No. 55, ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES, that is to say,—			Rs. A.
	(1) Firearms other than pistols, including gas and air guns and rifles.	each	.....	50 0
	(2) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	,,	.....	30 0
	(3) Pistols	,,	.....	15 0
	(4) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	,,	.....	10 0
	(5) Main springs and magazine springs for firearms, including gas guns and rifles.	,,	.....	8 0
	(6) Gun stocks and breech blocks ...	,,	.....	5 0
	(7) Revolver-cylinders, for each cartridge they will carry.	,,	.....	2 8
	(8) Actions (including skeleton and waster), breech bolts and their heads, cocking pieces, and locks (for muzzle-loading arms).	,,	.....	1 8
	(9) Machines for making, loading or closing cartridges for rifled arms.	,,	.....	10 0
	(10) Machines for capping cartridges for rifled arms.	,,	.....	2 8
				or 20 per cent. *ad valorem* whichever is higher.
	Proviso 1.—No duty in excess of 20 per cent. *ad valorem* shall be levied upon any of the articles specified in items Nos. 1 to 10 of this entry when they are imported in reasonable quantity, for his own private use, by any person lawfully entitled to possess the same.			

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No.	Names of articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES—*contd.*			
	Proviso 2.—When any articles which have been otherwise imported, and upon which duty has been levied or is leviable under items Nos. 1 to 10, are purchased retail from the importer by a person lawfully entitled as aforesaid, in reasonable quantity for his own private use, the importer may apply to the Collector of Customs for refund or remission (as the case may be) of so much of the duty thereon as is in excess of 20 per cent. *ad valorem*; and if such Collector is satisfied as to the identity of the articles and that such importer is in other respects entitled to such refund or remission, he shall grant the same accordingly.			
53	GUNPOWDER for cannons, rifles, guns, pistols and sporting purposes.	...	*ad valorem*	20 per cent.
54	Subject to the exemptions specified in No. 55 all ARTICLES, other than those specified in entry No. 52, which are ARMS OR PARTS OF ARMS within the meaning of the Indian Arms Act (excluding springs used for air-guns which are dutiable as hardware, under No. 68), all tools used for cleaning or putting together the same, all machines for making, loading, closing or capping cartridges for arms other than rifled arms and all other sorts of ammunition and military stores, and any articles which the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare to be "ammunition" or "military stores" for the purposes of this Act.	...	"	20 "
55	The following classes of ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES :—	...	...	Free.
	(*a*) Articles falling under the 5th, 6th, 8th, 9th or 10th item of No. 52 when they appertain to a firearm falling under the 1st or 3rd item and are fitted into the same case with such firearm ;			
	(*b*) Arms forming part of the regular equipment of an officer entitled to wear diplomatic, military, naval or police uniform ;			
	(*c*) A sword, a revolver, or a pair of pistols, when accompanying an officer of His Majesty's regular forces, or a commissioned officer of a volunteer corps, or certified by the commandant of the corps to which such officer belongs, or, in the case of an officer not attached to any corps, by the officer commanding the station or district in which such officer is serving, to be imported by the officer for the purpose of his equipment ;			
	(*d*) Swords and revolvers which are certified by an Inspector General of Police to be part of the ordinary equipment of members of the Police force under his charge;			
	(*e*) Swords forming part of the equipment of Indian commissioned officers of His Majesty's army ;			
	(*f*) Swords for presentation as army or volunteer prizes ;			
	(*g*) Arms, ammunition, and military stores imported with the sanction of the Government of India for the use of any portion of the military forces of Native State in India which may be maintained and organized for Imperial Service ;			
	(*h*) Morris tubes and patent ammunition imported by officers commanding British and Indian regiments or volunteer corps for the instruction of their men.			

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
			Rs. A.	
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES—*concld.*			
56	EXPLOSIVES, namely, blasting gunpowder, blasting gelatine, blasting dynamite, blasting roburite, blasting tonite, and all other sorts, including detonators and blasting fuse.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	CARRIAGES AND CARTS.			
57	CARRIAGES AND CARTS including motor-cars, motor-cycles and motor-wagons, bicycles, tricycles, jinrikshas, bath chairs, perambulators, trucks, wheelbarrows, and all other sorts of conveyances and component parts thereof.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES.			
58	ANTI-PLAGUE SERUM	.....	.....	Free.
59	COPPERAS, green	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
				Rs. A.
60	OPIUM and its alkaloids	Seer of 80 tolas.	.....	24 0
61	QUININE and other alkaloids of cinchona ...	.....	.....	Free
62	CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES, all sorts not otherwise specified—			
	Acid, sulphuric	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Alkali, Indian (sajji-khar)	cwt.	5 0	7½ ,,
	Alum	,,	10 8	7½ ,,
	Arsenic (Chino mansil)	,,	19 0	7½ ,,
	,, other sorts	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Sal ammoniac	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Soda ash	cwt.	5 0	7½ ,,
	Soda Bicarbonate	,,	6 0	7½ ,,
	Sulphate of copper	,,	38 0	7½ ,,
	Sulphur (brimstone), flour	,,	7 8	7½ ,,
	,, ,, roll	,,	7 8	7½ ,,
	,, ,, rough	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of chemical products and preparations not otherwise specified.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Aloes, black	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	,, Socotra	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Aloe-wood	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Asafœtida (hing)	cwt.	135 0	7½ ,,
	,, coarse (hingra)	,,	35 0	7½ ,,
	Atáry, Persian	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Bánslochan (bamboo camphor)	lb	0 9	7½ ,,
	Brimstone (amalsárá)	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Calumba root	cwt.	8 0	7½ ,,
	Camphor, refined, other than powder ...	lb.	1 6	7½ ,,
	,, in powder	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Cassia lignea	cwt	20 0	7½ ,,
	China root (chobchini), rough	,,	11 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, scraped	,,	18 0	7½ ,,
	Cocaine	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Cubebs	cwt.	90 0	7½ ,,
	Galangal, China	,,	12 0	7½ ,,
	Pellitory (akalkara)	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Peppermint, crystals	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Salep	cwt.	180 0	7½ ,,
	Senna leaves	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Storax, liquid (rose mellos or salaras) ...	cwt.	80 0	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of drugs, medicines, and narcotics.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Traffic Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	CUTLERY, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS AND INSTRUMENTS.			
63	The following AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power, namely winnowers, threshers, mowing and reaping machines, elevators, seed-crushers, chaff-cutters, root-cutters, horse and bullock gears, ploughs, cultivators, scarifiers, harrows, clod-crushers, seed-drills, hay-tedders, and rakes.	.....	.....	Free.
64	CLOCKS AND WATCHES, and parts thereof ...	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
65	CUTLERY	.....	,,	7½ ,,
66	The following DAIRY APPLIANCES, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power, namely, cream separators, milk sterilizing or pasteurizing plant, milk aerating and cooling apparatus, churns, butter dryers, and butter workers.	.....	.....	Free.
67	ELECTROPLATED WARE	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
68	HARDWARE, IRONMONGERY AND TOOLS, all sorts not otherwise specified.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
69	INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS, AND APPLIANCES, imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling.	.....	.....	Free.
70	TELEGRAPHIC INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS, and parts thereof, imported by or under the orders of a railway company.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent
71	WATER-LIFTS, SUGAR-MILLS, OIL-PRESSES, and parts thereof, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power.	.....	.....	Free.
72	All other sorts of IMPLEMENTS, INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES, and parts thereof not otherwise specified.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	DYES AND COLOURS.			
			Rs. A.	
73	DYEING AND TANNING SUBSTANCES, all sorts, and PAINTS AND COLOURS and painters' materials, all sorts—			
	Alizarine dye, dry, 40 per cent.	lb.	20 0	7½ per cent.
	,, ,, ,, 50 ,, ...	,,	22 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 60 ,, ...	,,	24 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 70 ,, ...	,,	26 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 80 ,, ...	,,	28 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 100 ,, ...	,,	30 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, moist, 10 ,, ...	,,	3 8	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 16 ,, ...	,,	5 8	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 20 ,, ...	,,	7 0	7½ ,,
	Aniline ,, moist	,,	3 8	7½ ,,
	,, ,, dry	,,	7 0	7½ ,,
	,, salts	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Avar bark	cwt.	3 12	7½ ,,
	Buzgand (gulpista)	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Cochineal	lb.	1 10	7½ ,,
	Gallnuts (myrabolams)	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, Persian	cwt.	100 0	7½ ,,

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No.	Names of Articles	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	DYES AND COLOURS—*contd*			
	Madder or manjit	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Orchilla weed	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Sappan wood and root	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Turmeric	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of dyeing and tanning materials	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Lead, red, dry	cwt.	34 0	7½ ,,
	,, white, dry	,,	35 0	7½ ,,
	Ochre, other than European, all colours ...	,,	2 0	7½ ,,
	Paints, composition	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, patent driers	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Turpentine	Imperial gallon	3 8	7½ ,,
	Verdigris	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Vermilion, Canton	box of 90 bundles.	325 0	7½ ,,
	Zinc white, dry	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of paints, colours and painters' materials not otherwise specified, including glue and putty.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	FURNITURE, CABINETWARE AND MANUFACTURES OF WOOD.			
74	FURNITURE, CABINETWARE, and all manufactures of wood not otherwise specified.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	GLASSWARE AND EARTHENWARE.			
75	GLASS AND GLASSWARE, all sorts, Chinese and Japanese ware, lacquered ware, earthenware, China and porcelain.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	HIDES, SKINS AND LEATHER.			
76	HIDES AND SKINS not otherwise specified, LEATHER AND LEATHER MANUFACTURES, all sorts, not otherwise specified.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	MACHINERY.			
77	MACHINERY, namely, prime-movers and component parts thereof, including boilers and component parts thereof; also including locomotive and portable engines, steam-rollers, fire-engines, and other machines in which the prime-mover is not separable from the operative parts.			
	MACHINERY (and component parts thereof), meaning machines or sets of machines to be worked by electric, steam, water, fire or other power not being manual or animal labour or which, before being brought into use, require to be fixed with reference to other moving parts; and including belting of all materials for driving machinery. Provided that the term does not include tools and implements to be worked by manual or animal labour, and provided also that only such articles shall be admitted as component parts of machinery as are indispensable for the working of the machinery and are, owing to their shape or to other special quality, not adapted for any other purpose. *Note.*—This entry includes machinery and component parts thereof made of substances other than metal, but excludes the articles exempted under Nos. 78, 79 and 80.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent.

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	MACHINERY—*contd.*			
78	MACHINERY AND COMPONENT parts thereof as defined in No. 77 imported by the owner of a cotton spinning or weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use in a cotton spinning or weaving mill.	.....	.....	Free
79	The following ARTICLES USED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF COTTON, namely, bobbins (warping), forks for looms, healds, heald cords, heald knitting needles, laces, lags and needles for dobbies, pickers (buffalo and others), picking bands, picking levers, picking sticks (over and under), reed pliers, reeds, shuttles (for power looms), springs for looms, strappings and weft forks.	.....	.....	Free.
80	DRAWING-IN-FRAMES imported by the owner of a cotton weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use in the weaving of cotton.	.....	.....	Free.
81	MACHINERY and component parts thereof, meaning machines or parts of machines to be worked by manual or animal labour.	... ..	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	METALS, IRON AND STEEL.			
82	IRON—			
	ANGLE—			
	Angle, T, Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent
	,, other than Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities.	ton	250 0	2½ ,, ,,
	,, other than Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	All other sorts	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	BAR, ROD AND CHANNEL, INCLUDING CHANNEL FOR CARRIAGES—			
	Bar, Lowmoor and similar qualities ...	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	,, Swedish and similar qualities ...	ton	320 0	2½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, ,, ,, nail-rod, round-rod, and square under ½ inch in diameter.	,,	320 0	2½ ,, ,,
	,, Swedish and charcoal, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	,, other kinds	ton	250 0	2½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, ,, nail-rod, round-rod and square under ½ inch in diameter.	,,	260 0	2½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, ,, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	Channel, including channel for carriages ...	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	All other sorts	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	PIG	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	RICE BOWELS	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
83	IRON OR STEEL—			
	ANCHORS AND CABLES	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
	BEAMS, JOISTS, pillars, girders, screw-piles, bridge work and other such descriptions of iron or steel imported exclusively for buildings purposes; including also ridging, guttering and continuous roofing.	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	BOLTS, and nuts, including hook bolts and nuts for roofing.	.....	,,	,, ,,

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
			Rs. A.	
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	METALS, IRON AND STEEL—*contd.*			
	IRON OR STEEL—*contd.*			
	HOOPS AND STRIPS—			
	Hoops, Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
	,, other than Lowmoor or Swedish, if galvanised, tinned, or lead coated	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	,, other kinds	ton	280 0	2½ ,, ,,
	Strips, Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	,, if galvanised, tinned, lead coated, aluminium coated, chequered or planished.	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	,, other kinds	ton	250 0	2½ ,, ,,
	NAILS, RIVETS AND WASHERS, ALL SORTS—			
	Iron nails, rose, wire and flat-headed ...	cwt.	20 0	2½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, other kinds, including galvanized, tinned or lead coated.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	Steel ,, all sorts	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	Rivets and Washers, iron or steel ...	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	PIPES AND TUBES, and fittings therefor, such as bends, boots, elbows, tees, sockets, flanges and the like.	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	RAILS, CHAIRS, sleepers, bearing and fish plates, spikes (commonly known as dog spikes), switches, and crossings, other than those described in No. 94, also lever boxes, clips, and tie-bars.	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	SHEETS AND PLATES, all sorts excluding discs and circles which are dutiable under No. 85.			
	Sheets and plates, Lowmoor and similar qualities.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, Swedish and charcoal ...	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, Swedish and charcoal, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	Plates, other kinds, above ¼ inch thick ...	ton	300 0	2½ ,, ,,
	Sheets ,, ,, up to ¼ ,, ,, ...	,,	310 0	2½ ,, ,,
	Sheets (other than corrugated), and plates, other kinds, if galvanized, tinned, lead coated, aluminium coated, chequered or planished.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	Sheets, corrugated, galvanized or black ...	ton	300 0	2½ ,, ,,
	WIRE, including fencing wire and wire rope, but excluding wire-netting (which is dutiable under No. 85).	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
84	STEEL—			
	ANGLE—			
	Angle, T	ton	250 0	2½ per cent.
	,, ,, if galvanized, tinned or lead coated ...	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, all other sorts	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	BAR, ROD, AND CHANNEL, including channel for carriages—			
	Bar (other than cast steel)	ton	250 0	2½ ,, ,,
	,, Swedish and similar qualities... ...	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	,, nail-rod, round-rod, and square other than Swedish or similar qualities, under ½ inch in diameter.	ton	260 0	2½ ,, ,,
	,, galvanized, tinned, lead coated, planished or polished	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ ,, ,,
	,, all other sorts	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	Channel including channel for carriages ...	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	CAST including spring, blistered and tub steel ...	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,
	INGOTS, BLOOMS BILLETS AND SLABS ...	.....	,,	2½ ,, ,,

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
			Rs. A.	
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	METALS, IRON AND STEEL—*contd.*			
	STEEL—*contd.*			
85	All sorts of IRON AND STEEL and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
	Iron or steel cans or drums, when imported containing petroleum, which is separately assessed to duty under No. 33, namely :—			
	Iron or steel cans, tinned, other than petrol tins of two gallons capacity.	can	0 3½	7½ per cent.
	Iron or steel cans or drums, not tinned, of two gallons capacity.	,,	0 2	7½ ,, ,,
	Iron or steel drums of four gallons capacity—			
	(*a*) with faucet caps	drum	1 0	7½ ,, ,,
	(*b*) ordinary	,,	10 8	7½ ,, ,,
	Iron or steel, all other sorts, including discs or circles and wire-netting.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
	METALS OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL.			
86	CURRENT SILVER, NICKEL, BRONZE, AND COPPER COIN of the Government of India.	.....	.....	Free.
87	GOLD BULLION AND COIN	.....	.....	Free.
88	LEAD, sheets for tea-chests	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
				Rs. A.
89	SILVER BULLION OR COIN, not otherwise specified ... (*See* Nos. 86 and 136.)	ounce	.....	0 4
90	SILVER PLATE, SILVER THREAD and wire, and SILVER MANUFACTURES, all sorts.	.....	*ad valorem*	15 per cent.
	Provided that where the silver contained in an article can be ascertained, or where an official or recognized certificate of assay, in such form as the Government of India may prescribe, is presented showing the amount of silver contained in an article, the Collector of Customs shall levy duty at the rate of 4 annas per ounce on the amount of silver so determined, and at the rate of 7½ per cent. *ad valorem* on the difference between the value of such silver calculated at the market value of silver and the real value of the article.			
91	ALL SORTS OF METALS OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL, and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
	Brass, orsidue and leaves, European ...	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	,, ,, ,, China	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	,, patent or yellow metal, sheets and sheathing, weighing 1 lb. or above per square foot, and braziers, and plates.	cwt.	85 0	7½ ,,
	,, patent or yellow metal (old)	,,	40 0	7½ ,,
	,, sheets, flat or in rolls, sheathing, weighing less than 1 lb per square foot.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, wire	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	,, all other sorts	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Copper, bolt and bar, rolled	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	,, braziers, sheets, plates and sheathing ...	cwt.	84 0	7½ ,,
	,, nails and composition nails	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, old	cwt.	50 0	7½ ,,
	,, pigs, tiles, ingots, cakes, bricks, and slabs	,,	80 0	7½ ,,
	,, China, white copperware	lb.	2 4	7½ ,,
	,, foil or dankpana, white 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in.	hundred leaves.	5 8	7½ ,,
	,, foil or dankpana, coloured, 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in.	,,	6 0	7½ ,,

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	METALS, OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL—*contd.*			
	Copper wire, including phosphor-bronze ...	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	„ all other sorts, unmanufactured and manufactured, except current coin of the Government of India, which is free.	.....	„	7½ „
	German silver	.....	„	7½ „
	Gold leaf	.....	„	7½ „
	Lametta	.....	„	7½ „
	Lead, all sorts (except sheets for tea chests) ...	.....	„	7½ „
	Quicksilver	lb	3 4	7½ „
	Shot, bird	cwt.	54 0	7½ „
	Tin, block	„	140 0	7½ „
	„ foil and other sorts	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ „
	Zinc or spelter, nails	.....	„	7½ „
	„ „ tiles or slabs, soft	cwt.	100 0	7½ „
	„ „ „ „ hard	„	75 0	7½ „
	„ „ all other sorts including boiler tiles	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ „
	All other sorts of metals, and manufactures thereof	.....	„	7½ „
	PAPER, PASTEBOARD AND STATIONERY.			
92	TRADE CATALOGUES AND ADVERTISING CIRCULARS imported by packet, book, or parcel post.	.....	.....	Free.
93	PAPER AND ARTICLES MADE OF PAPER AND PAPIER MACHE, PASTEBOARD MILLBOARD, AND CARDBOARD all sorts, and STATIONERY, including ruled or printed forms and account and manuscript books, labels, advertising circulars, sheet or card almanacs and calendars, Christmas, Easter and orther cards, including cards in booklet forms; including also wastepaper and old newspapers and packing; but excluding trade catalogues for advertising circulars imported by packet, book, or parcel post.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK.			
94	RAILWAY MATERIAL for permanent-way and rolling-stock, namely, cylinders, girders, and other material for bridges, rails, sleepers, bearing and fish-plates, fish-bolts, chairs, spikes, crossings, sleeper fastenings, switches, interlocking apparatus, brake gear, conplings and springs, signals, turn-tables, weigh-bridges, engines, tenders, carriages, wagons, traversers, trollies, trucks and component parts thereof; also the following articles when imported by or under the orders of a railway company, namely, cranes, water cranes, water tanks and standards, wire and other materials for fencing. Provided that for the purpose of this entry "railway" means a line of railway subject to the provisions of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, and includes a railway constructed in a Native State under the suzerainty of His Majesty and also such tramways as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, specially include therein. Provided also that only such articles shall be admitted as component parts of railway material as are indispensable for the working of railways and are, owing to their shape or to other special quality, not adapted for any other purpose.	.....	*ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
	YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS.			
95	COTTON TWIST AND YARN, and COTTON SEWING OR DARNING THREAD	.....	.....	Free.

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS—*contd.*			
96	COTTON piece-goods, hosiery, thread other than sewing or darning thread, and all other manufactured cotton goods not otherwise specified.	.....	*ad valorem*	3½ per cent.
97	SECOND-HAND OR USED GUNNY BAGS made of jute ...	.....	.....	Free.
98	YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS, that is to say :—			
	Flax twist and yarn and manufactures of flax ...	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Haberdashery and Millinery	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Hemp manufactures	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Hosiery, excluding cotton hosiery (*see* No. 96) ...	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Jute twist and yarn and jute manufactures, excluding second-hand or used gunny bags (see No. 97).	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Silk yarn, noils, and warps, silk thread, silk piece-goods and other manufactures of silk.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	Woollen yarn, knitting wool and other manufactures of wool including felt	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of yarns and textile fabrics, not otherwise specified.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
	MISCELLANEOUS.			
99	ART, the following works of :—(1) statuary and pictures intended to be put up for the public benefit in a public place, and (2) memorials of a public character intended to be put up in a public place, including the materials used, or to be used in their construction whether worked or not.	.....	.....	Free.
100	ART, works of, excluding those specified in No. 99	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
101	BOOKS, printed, including covers for printed books, maps, charts, and plans, proofs, music and manuscripts.	.....	.....	Free.
102	BRUSHES AND BROOMS	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
103	BUILDINGS AND ENGINEERING MATERIALS, including asphalt, bricks, cement, chalk and lime, clay, pipes of earthenware, tiles and all other sorts of building and engineering materials not otherwise specified.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
104	CANDLES	.....	,,	7½ ,,
105	CORDAGE AND ROPE AND TWINE OF VEGETABLE FIBRE	.....	,,	7½ ,,
106	FIREWORKS	.....	,,	7½ ,,
107	FURNITURE, TACKLE AND APPAREL, not otherwise described, for steam, railway, rowing and other vessels.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
108	IVORY, manufactured	.....	,,	7½ ,,
109	JEWELLERY AND JEWELS, including gold plate and other manufactures of gold, but excluding silver plate and other manufactures of silver (*see* No. 90).	.....	,,	7½ ,,
110	MATCHES	.....	,,	7½ ,,
111	MATS AND MATTING	.....	,,	7½ ,,
112	OILCAKES	.....	,,	7½ ,,
113	OILCLOTH AND FLOOR CLOTH	.....	,,	7½ ,,

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	MISCELLANEOUS—*contd*			
114	PACKING—ENGINE AND BOILER—all sorts, excluding packing forming a component part of any article included in No. 77 and No. 94.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
115	PERFUMERY, excluding perfumed spirits (*see* No. 10)—			
	Gowla husked and unhusked	cwt.	150 0	7½ ,,
	Kapurkachri (zedoary)	,,	20 0	7½ ,,
	Patch leaves (patchouli)	,,	15 0	7½ ,,
	Rose-flowers, dried	,,	18 0	7½ ,,
	Rose-water	Imperial gallon.	2 8	7½ ,,
116	PITCH, TAR AND DAMMER...	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ ,,
117	POLISHES AND COMPOSITIONS	.....	,,	7½ ,,
118	PRINTING AND LITHOGRAPHING MATERIAL, namely, presses, type, ink, brass rules, composing sticks, chases, imposing tables, and lithographic stones, stereo blocks, roller moulds, roller frames and stocks, roller composition, standing screw and hot presses, perforating machines, gold blocking presses, stereotyping apparatus, metal furniture, paper folding machines, and paging and numbering machines, but excluding paper (*see* No. 93).	.....	,,	2½ ,,
119	PRINTS, ENGRAVINGS AND PICTURES, including photographs and picture-cards.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
120	RACKS for the withering of tea leaf	.....	,,	2½ ,,
121	RUBBER tyres for motors and motor cycles, and rubber tubes for tyres, and other manufactures of rubber, not otherwise specified.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
122	SHIPS AND OTHER VESSELS for inland and harbour navigation, including steamers, launches, boats and barges, imported entire or in sections.	.....	,,	2½ ,,
123	SMOKERS' REQUISITES, excluding tobacco (*see* Nos. 25 to 27).	.....	,,	7½ ,,
124	SOAP	.....	,,	7½ ,,
125	STARCH AND FARINA	.....	,,	7½ ,,
126	STONE AND MARBLE, and articles made of stone and marble.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
127	TEA-CHESTS of metal or wood whether imported entire or in sections provided that the Collector of Customs is satisfied that they are imported for the purpose of the packing of tea for transport in bulk.	.....	,,	2½ ,,
128	TOILET REQUISITES, not otherwise specified ...	...	,,	7½ ,,
129	TOYS, playing cards and requisites for games and sports.	.....	,,	7½ ,,
130	UMBRELLAS, including parasols and sunshades, and fittings therefor.	.....	,,	7½ ,,

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
			Rs. A.	
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*concld*			
	MISCELLANEOUS—*concld.*			
131	The following ARTICLES when imported by the owner of a cotton weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be INTENDED FOR USE IN THE WEAVING OF COTTON or the baling of woven cotton goods :—			
	Aniline blue, Bisulphate of soda, China clay, Chloride of magnesium, Chloride of zinc, Dresalin, Epsom salts, Farina, Farinina Flannel taping, Glauber salts, Glutina, Glycerine substitutes, Heald varnish, Hoop iron, Hoop steel, Rivets for bales, Sewing needles, Sizing paste, Sizing wax, Soda ash, Starch, Velvet pulp.	.. ...	.....	Free.
132	ALL OTHER ARTICLES wholly or mainly manufactured, not otherwise specified.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	IV.—Miscellaneous and unclassified.			
133	ANIMALS, living, all sorts	.....	.....	Free.
134	CORAL	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
135	FODDER, bran and pollards	.....	,,	7½ ,,
136	SPECIMENS illustrative of natural science, including also antique coins and medals.	.....	.....	Free.
137	ALL OTHER ARTICLES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, including articles imported by post.	.....	*ad valorem*	7½ per cent.

A. H. LEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 23rd December 1916, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 23rd December 1916.

No. 12689C.W.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

FOR PROHIBITING THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R. I.

Whereas by section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by proclamation :

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain goods should be prohibited as hereinafter provided:

Now, therefore, we by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows:—

As from and after the date hereof, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, viz:

Jewellery and all manufactures of gold and silver other than watches and watch cases.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 11) Proclamation, 1916.

Given at our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Sixteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 325-C.W.D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India of Motor Cars, Chassis, Motor Cycles and parts thereof and accessories of motor cars and motor cycles, other than tyres:

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall be deemed to prohibit:—

(*i*) the import of any goods by, or for the use of, the Crown;
(*ii*) the import of any goods shipped from any Indian port;
(*iii*) the import of any goods from any Native State in India;
(*iv*) the import of any goods imported under a licence granted by the Chief Customs Officer at the place of import.

No. 328-C.W.D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 8106-W. II, dated the 2nd September 1916, viz:—

Additions.

Indo-Burma Cigar Depôt	...	...	...	Bangkok.
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CUSTOMS.

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 330-C.D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt sulphate of ammonia and mineral phosphates from import duty leviable thereon under item No. 93 of Schedule II, Part IV, of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 336-C.-D.—Mr. A. E. McKenna, Head Accountant in the Calcutta Custom House, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service at Calcutta, with effect from the 21st December 1916.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

GENERAL.

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 307-G.-D.—With reference to this Department's Notification No. 11052, dated the 11th November 1916, Mr. A. H. Ley, I.C.S., is reverted to his appointment as Deputy Secretary in this Department and the Honourable Mr. H. F. Howard, C.I.E., I.C.S., appointed substantive *pro tempore* Secretary *vice* Mr. C. E. Low, C.I.E., I.C.S., with effect from the 18th December 1916, and until further orders.

I. D. ELLIOTT.
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 310-G.-D.—With reference to this Department's Notification No. 11052, dated the 11th November 1916, Mr. S. H. Slater, I.C.S., is placed on special duty in the Department of Commerce and Industry from the 18th December 1916 until further orders.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd December 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 22nd December 1916.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

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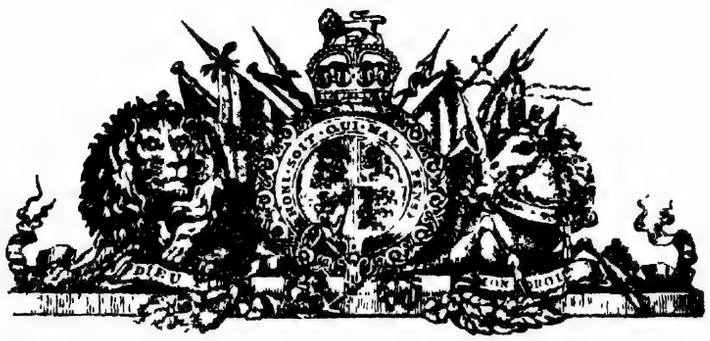
Eastern Bengal Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1554.—Robert Steel Finlow to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 21st August 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2957M.—The 23rd December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Mati Lal Bhattacharji to be a Commissioner of the Ghatal Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Babu Kunja Behari Buxi, resigned.

Midnapore.

No. 2952L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint the District Magistrate of the 24-Parganas to be Chairman of the District Board of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 2953L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint the District Magistrate of Khulna to be Chairman of the District Board of Khulna.

Khulna.

No. 2954L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint the District Magistrate of Jessore to be Chairman of the District Board of Jessore.

Jessore.

No. 2955L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1916.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint the District Magistrate of Nadia to be Chairman of the District Board of Nadia.

Nadia.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention to abandon the general line of buildings in Onrait 1st Lane in Ward No. 19 and no objection having been received within thirty days from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby abandon the general line of buildings in Onrait 1st Lane which was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st November 1911.

S. W. GOODE,
Acting Chairman.

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 20th December 1916.*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350(4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define a modified general line of buildings in Sambhu Chandra Chatterjee Street between College Street and Halliday Street in Ward No. 8, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 17th August 1916.

S. W. GOODE,
Acting Chairman.

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 20th December 1916.*

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

(Affiliated to the Calcutta University.)

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering followed by one year on practical training, qualifying for the College Diploma of "Civil Engineer."

Admission qualification.—The Intermediate Examination in Science or Arts (with Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry), or equivalent. In addition candidates for admission are required to pass a special examination in Drawing.

Applications for admission from regular students are due on or before July, 1st.

The Session commences on the first Monday in November.

II.—THE APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

A.—Courses in Civil Engineering—

(*a*) The Sub-Overseer course of two academic years leading to—

(*b*) The Upper Subordinate or Civil Overseer course of two years followed by one year of practical training.

The first year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the first Monday in May.

Entrance qualification.—The Matriculation Examination of an Indian University, the Junior Cambridge Local, or equivalent. To enable Indian students to join in May a special Entrance Test is held at the College in March at which candidates registered for the Matriculation Examination may appear.

The second year Sub-Overseer Session begins on the second Monday in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the School Final Examination of the B. classes of Zilla Schools.

The Upper Subordinate Class Session begins in April.

Entrance qualification.—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

B.—Course in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering—

A three-year course followed by one year of practical training leading to the Full Course Certificate of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

C.—Course in Mining—

A three-year course leading to the Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

The Session of the preliminary year of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering and Mining courses begins on the second Monday in January.

Admission qualifications.—The Matriculation or Junior Cambridge Examination. Candidates who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination may be admitted to the second or Junior year of these courses.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters.	Turners.
Blacksmiths.	Pattern-making.
Fitters.	Founding in Brass and Iron.

Admissions at any time of the year.

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE,

SIBPUR, *the 9th March 1916.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th December 1916

IN supersession of this office notification dated 15th September 1916, the Post Graduate Scholarship of the value of Rs. 30 a month, reserved for Muhammadans and backward classes of Eastern Bengal, is awarded, on usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress, to Muhammad Somed Ali who passed the last B. A. Examination with second class Honours in Economics from the Dacca College with immediate effect.

The scholarship is tenable till 31st May 1918 in the Dacca College.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th December 1916.

JOGESH CHANDRA BISWAS, B.A., is awarded a Post Graduate Scholarship reserved for the Hooghly College of the value of Rs. 30 a month, for two years with effect from the 1st June 1916, on the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress.

The scholarship is tenable in the Calcutta University.

W. W. HORNELL.
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

State Scholarship of £200 per annum tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries by Indian Girls or Women, 1917.

THE scholarship will be granted for medical, and occasionally for other educational or professional, courses and will be tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries, for a period of three years in the first instance, with a possibility of extension to five years. The scholarship will carry with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectation of such employment is held out.

2. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates from Bengal are requested to make application to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, not later than 31st January 1917. The application should be accompanied by (1) evidence of having obtained a degree of an Indian University in medicine or educational or professional courses; (2) a medical certificate of fitness to undergo, abroad, the course of study proposed; (3) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that she is a native of Bengal or domiciled in Bengal and of purely Indian parentage; (4) full details including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of her academical career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed; (5) full address of the candidate.

3. The State scholar is required to proceed to England within a reasonable time from the date of her selection, so as to arrive there not later than the middle of September, and to reside there for the period of her scholarship, unless compelled to return sooner in consequence of ill health. The scholarship will be payable from the date on which the scholar reports her arrival in England. The selected candidate will be provided with a second class passage to England, and with a second class return passage if she completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

4. Charges for University and college fees, for private tuition, for books, instruments, hotel bills, medical attendance and travelling (except the two journeys between England and India) are not defrayed by the Secretary of State.

5. For further particulars pages 1143 to 1155 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 21st June 1916, may be consulted.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th December 1916.*

List of successful candidates at the Title (Fakhrul-Muhaddasin) Examination for the year 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

CALCUTTA MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Md. Ayyub.
2. Syed Ahmad.
3. Mumtazuddin Ahmad.
4. Husain Ali.
5. Maqbul Ahmad.

Second Division.

6. Abdul Majid.
7. Mujahid Ali.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination of the Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 23rd August 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 5th-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

CALCUTTA MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Muhammad Husain.
2. Abdur Rahim.
3. Md. Hashmatullah.
4. Md. Abdul Latif.
5. Syed Md. Badrul Alam (English).
6. Syed Abul Fazail
   Md. Qutbur Rahman (Persian and English).
7. Badiur Rahman.
   Md. Qasim (English).
9. Md. Is-haq.

Second Division.

10. Tufail Ahmad.
11. Hilaluddin Ahmad (English).
12. Md. Usman Ali.
13. Md. Nurul Haq.
14. Sharfuddin Ahmad.
15. Md. Shafiuddin (English).
16. Md. Fazlul Karim.

Third Division.

17. Md. Yasin.
18. Abdul Hakim.
19. Md. Asimuddin.
    Md. Ashrafullah.
21. Abdul Hai.
22. Jalaluddin Ahmad.
23. Abdul Majid (III).
24. Md. Harmuz Ali.
    Md. Abdur Rahman (I) (English).
26. Khondkar Abdul Majid (English).
27. Mabarak Ali.
28. Arjad Ali.
    Md. Usman Ghani.
31. Fazlul Haq.
    Muqaddar Ali.

CALCUTTA PRIVATE.

Third Division.

1. Rahmatullah.
2. Md. Nuzulul Haq.
3. Dust Ahmad.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 10th June 1916.*

Result of the Lower Madrasah Standard (Senior 3rd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

CALCUTTA MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Musaddar Ali.
2. Anjab Ali.
3. Mahmudullah.
4. Md. Hafiz.
5. Maqbul Ahmad (Sec. A) (English).
6. Md. Mujibur Rahman.
7. Md. Azizullah.
8. Saidur Rahman.
9. Saidul Haq.

Second Division.

10. Abdul Aziz (I) (Sec. A).
11. Wahajuddin (English).
12. Abdur Rahim (Sec. B).
13. Fazlul Karim.
    Abu Nasr Sadullah.
15. Gholam Rabbani (English).
    Akhtar Hasan (English).
17. Maqbul Ahmad (Sec. B).
18. Md. Shafiuddin (I) (English).
19. Abul Mannan Md. Dalilur Rahman.
20. Md. Salimullah.
21. Ainuddin Ahmad.

Third Division

22. Ahmadullah.
23. Khondkar Abdul Hai.
    Md. Arjumand Ali.
25. Ahmad.
26. Abul Khayr Md. Abdul Haq.
27. Md. Abdul Latif (II).
    Md. Abdul Haq (English).
29. Abdul Jabbar.
    Abu Naim Abdul Latif.
    Md. Mufazzal.
32. Md. Bashirullah.
33. Md. Ramzan Ali.
34. Abu Md. Abdur Rashid.
    Serajul Islam.
36. Md. Mazhar Ali.
37. Md. Sarwar Husain.
    Mujibur Rahman (Sec. A) (English).
39. Abdul Hakim.
40. Abdur Razzaq Khan (English.)
41. Abdus Subhan (I).
    Md. Said.
    Abdul Khaliq (I).
    Abdul Latif (IV).
45. Abdul Aziz (I) (Sec. A).
46. Md. Yasin.
    Abdul Hannan (English).
48. Md. Imamuddin.
    Md. Abdul Khaliq (II).
    Md. Abul Qasim.
51. Abdus Salam.
52. Md. Idris.
53. Abdul Jalil (II).
    Tufail Ahmad.
55. Md. Azamullah.

CALCUTTA PRIVATE.

First Division

1. Abdullah (I).
2. Abdul Ghafur.
3. Abdullah (II).

Second Division.

4. Abul Fazl Md. Muinuddin.
5. Md. Abdur Rab.
6. Md. Yahya.
7. Serajuddin (English).

Third Division.

8. Hafiz Latafat Karim.
9. Abul Khayr Siddiq Ahmad.
10. Md. Said Ahmad.
11. Nazir Ahmad.

A. H. HARLEY,

Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 12th June 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 5th-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit]

HOOGHLY MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Abdul Majid (Persian and English).
2. Taháratullah (English).
3. Shaikh Kazimuddin.

Second Division.

4. Abdur Rashid.

Third Division.

5. Abdul Halim Khundkar.
6. Nur Muhammad (English).
7. Khundkar Asiruddin (English).

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Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 10th June 1916.*

Result of the Lower Madrasah Standard Senior (3rd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

HOOGHLY MADRASAH.

Second Division.

1. Abdul Qáhir.

Third Division.

2. { Mahbubur Rahman. / Izharul Haq.
4. Syed Md. Husain.
5. Abdul Aziz.
6. Md. Hanif (Persian and English).
7. Abdul Quddus (English).
8. Md. Abdullah.

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CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 12th June 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 5th-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

SASARAM MADRASAH.

Third Division.

1. Md. Serajul Islam.
2. Md. Nasiruddin.

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CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 10th June 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 4th-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

CHITTAGONG MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Syed Ahsan.
2. Maqbul Ahmad.
3. Nuruzzaman. Md. Sulaiman.
5. Tájuddin Ahmad.
6. Abdus Salám.
7. Abdus Sabur.
8. Serajul Haq.

Second Division.

9. Imdadullah.
10. Md. Khabirul Haq.
11. Abdul Ghafur.

Third Division.

12. Abdul Mannan.
13. Obaidur Rahman.
14. Mufazzal Ahmad.
15. Md. Sufyan. Ahmadullah (I).
17. Sultan Ahmad.

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Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 28th June 1916.*

Result of the Lower Madrasah Standard (Senior 2nd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

CHITTAGONG MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Md. Sa-id Ahmad.
2. Gholam Qádir.
3. Alimuddin. Maqbul (I).
5. Afzalur Rahman.
6. Ali Akbar. Sultan Ahmad.
8. Md. Syed Ahmad.
9. Abul Fazl.

Second Division.

10. Abdul Qádir (II).
11. Nawab Ali.
12. Muniruzzaman.
13. Azamullah.
14. Maqbul Ahmad (II).
15. Fazl-i-Ali.
16. Mujibur Rahman.

Third Division.

17. Abdur Rahman.
18. Abdul Hakim.
19. Saidullah.
20. Azizur Rahman (II).
21. Abdul Qádir (I).
22. Abdul Muttalib.
23. Md. Umar.
24. Syed Ahmad (II).
25. Mabarak Ali.

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CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 14th June 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 4th-year class) Examination held in March 1916

[Arranged in order of merit.]

DACCA MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Shamsul Huda.
2. Habibullah.
3. Nuruddin Ahmad.
4. Fazlur Rahman.
5. { Abu Ahmad Abdul Haq. / Gholam Rahman.
7. Md. Sabir.

Second Division.

8. Shamsul Huda (Chandipasa).
9. Habibur Rahman.
10. Samiruddin.
11. Zillur Rahman.
12. Akhtaruzzaman.

Third Division.

13. Md. Ali.
14. Md. Ramzan Ali.
15. Abdur Rahman.
16. Khalilur Rahman.
17. Md. Yusuf.

DACCA PRIVATE.

Third Division.

1. Hasan Ali.

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Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 28th June 1916.*

Supplementary Results of the Higher Standard (Senior 4th-year class) Examination of the Dacca Madrasah for 1916.

Third Division.

1. Abul Fazl Mufizuddin Ahmad.

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Registrar, Central Examination. Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 23rd September 1916.*

Result of the Lower Madrasah Standard (Senior 2nd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

DACCA MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Mutiur Rahman (Noakhali).
2. Muhiuddin Khan (Mymensingh).
3. Waris Ali.
4. Md. Waliullah.
5. Sanaullah.
6. Fayzuddin Ahmad.
7. Hafiz Abdul Bari.
8. Abdul Jabbar (Faridpur.)

Second Division.

9. Md. Zinat Ali.
10. Abdul Latif (Bikrampuri).
11. Abul Qasim Md. Ali.
12. Abul Muhsin Mahmudul Haq.
    Md. Ali Karim.
    Ifazuddin.
15. Abdul Latif (Comilla).
    Md. Ali Husain.
17. Muhiuddin (Comilla).
    Md. Abdul Hamid.
19. Maqbul Ahmad.
20. Abdur Razzaq.
21. Mamtazuddin.
22. Md. Abdul Hakim.
23. Minnat Ali (Dacca).
    Abdul Jabbar (Daudkandi).

Third Division.

25. Nazimuddin.
26. Harisuddin.
27. Habibur Rahman (Shahbazpur).
    Amiruddin Ahmad.
29. Abdus Subhan (Comilla).
30. Muniruddin.
31. Md. Qudrat Ali.
32. Abu Ahmad Abdus Samad (Chandpur).
33. Rahat Ali.
34. Abdus Subhan (Mymensingh).
35. Abdul Majid (Sabipur).
    Abdul Latif (Madanganj).
    Md. Yasin.
38. Obaidullah.
39. Abdul Mannan (Wazirpur).
40. Asghar Ali.
41. Abdus Samad (Ikhlaspur).

A. H. HARLEY.
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 20th June 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 4th-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

COMILLA HUSAMIAH MADRASAH.

Second Division.

1. Gholam Rahman.
2. Nazir Ahmad.

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Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA, MADRASAH, *the 28th June 1916.*

Result of the Lower Madrasah Standard (Senior 2nd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

HUSAMIAH COMILLA MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Abdul Latif.

Second Division.

2. Najibullah.
3. Riyazuddin.
4. Aftabuddin.
5. Amjad Ali.
6. Syed Mujiruddin.
7. Bazlur Rahman.

Third Division.

8. Abdul Majid.
9. Abdus Samad.
   Abdullah.
11. Nasiruddin.
12. Sa-id Ali.
13. Habibur Rahman.
14. Valayet Husain.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 20th June 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 4th-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

SITAKUND MADRASAH.

Third Division.

1. Abdul Wájid.

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Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 28th June 1916.*

Result of the Lowar Madrasah Standard (Senior 2nd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

SITAKUND MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Ahmadullah.

Second Division.

2. Mehruzzaman.

Third Division.

3. Rafiqullah. | 4. Madinullah.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 19th June 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 4th-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

SERAJGANJ MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Md. Sanaullah.

Second Division.

2. Abdul Wáhid. | 3. Abul Mun-im Naimuddin.

Third Division.

4. Gholam Sarur.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 28th June 1916.*

Result of the Lower Madrasah Standard (Senior 2nd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

SERAJGANJ MADRASAH.

Second Division.

1. Md. Muniruzzaman.
2. Asghar Ali.
3. Sikandar Ali Khan.

Third Division.

4. Md. Abdur Rashid.
5. Alimuddin.
6. Abdus Sattar.
7. Syed Mumajjaduddin.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 20th June 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 4th-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

NOAKHALI AHMADIA MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Fazlur Rahman (II).
2. Fazlur Rahman (III).

Second Division.

3. Abdul Malik.
4. Riyazuddin Ahmad.
5. Mabarakullah Khan.
6. Ayyub Ali.
7. Abdul Karim (II).

Third Division.

8. Haidar Ali.
9. Murshid Ahmad
10. Siddiqullah. Mansur Ahmad.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 28th June 1916.*

Result of the Lower Madrasah Standard (Senior 2nd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

AHMADIA MADRASAH, NOAKHALI.

Second Division.

1. Md. Muslim.
2. Abdul Majid.

Third Division.

3. Abdul Hamid.
4. Md. Bashirullah
5. Md. Raihanuddin. Qurban Ali.
7. Nur Ahmad.
8. Ali Ahmad. Zubaid Ali Chaudhry.
10. Bashiruddin Ahmad. Ahmad.
12. Aminullah (I).

A. H. HARLEY.
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 20th June 1916.*

Result of the Higher Madrasah Standard (Senior 4th-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

DACCA HAMMADIA MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Mufizuddin.

Second Division.

2. Abdul Haq.

Third Division.

3. Ahsanullah.
3. Asmat Ali.
5. Syed Mumin Ali.
5. Nurul Huda.
7. Sharáfat Ali.
8. Serájul Islam.
9. Ashraf Ali.
10. Abbás Ali.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 28th June 1916.*

Result of the Lower Madrasah Standard (Senior 2nd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

DACCA HAMMADIAH MADRASAH.

First Division.

1. Násiruddin.

Second Division.

2. Shamsul Huda.
3. Abdul Majid (I).
3. Rahim Bakhsh.
5. Aftábuddin,
6. Abdul Karim (I).
7. Ansaruddin.

Third Division.

8. Abdul Qádir Mean
9. Ayátullah.
10. Md. Husain Khundkar.
11. Sábir Ali (II).
12. Abdul Majid (II).
13. Ra-isuddin.
14. Wahiduzzaman.
14. Md. Aslam.
16. Shamsuddin.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 20th June 1916.*

Result of the Lower Madrasah Standard (Senior 2nd-year class) Examination held in March 1916.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

BASHIRIAH AHMADIAH MADRASAH.

Second Division.

1. Abdul Wáhid.

Third Division.

2. Abdul Malik.
3. Md. Abdul Kháliq.
4. Ali Ahmad.

A. H. HARLEY,
Registrar, Central Examination, Bengal Madrasahs.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH, *the 26th June 1916.*

BURDWAN DIVISION.

List of candidates elected to Upper Primary Scholarships in the Burdwan Division, 1916.

[Value of each of the Upper Primary Scholarships is Rs. 3 a month tenable for two years from 1st January 1917.]

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate passed.	School in which the scholarship will be tenable.
	DISTRICT BURDWAN (9).		
1	Amulyaratan Mandal ...	Dhankora U. P. ...	Ramnagar M. E.
2	Abdul Gafur Mollah ...	Kalipahari U. P. ...	Susundighi M. E.
3	Satkari Mukherjee ...	Korar U. P. ...	Bolgona M. E.
4	Kamala Kinkor Chatterjee	Galsi Board's M. E. ...	Galsi Board's M. E.
5	Joy Hari Choudhuri ...	Kasa U. P.	Okersa H. E.
6	Ramani Prasad Sinha Roy	Atghoria U. P.	Simlon M. E.
7	Guru Taran Fourzdar ...	Palisgram U. P. ...	Mathran H. E
8	Rash Behari Ghosh ...	Katwa Arya Banga U. P. ...	Katwa H. E.
9	Sasanko Sekhor Mukherjee	Gopalpur M. E. ...	Gopalpur M. E.
	DISTRICT BIRBHUM (6).		
1	Tarapada Chatterjee ...	Kurumsa U. P. ...	Ahmadpur M. E.
2	Sheik Habibar Rahim ...	Suri M. E.	Suri M. E.
3	Janardan Karmakar ...	Uchkaran M. V. ...	Uchkaran M. V.
4	Atul Chandra Ghosh ...	Raipur M. E.	Bolpur H. E.
5	Mahadeb Mandal ...	Fatehpur M. E. ...	Fatehpur M. E.
6	Muhammad Ishaq ...	Joykrishnapur U. P. ...	Rampurhat H. E
	DISTRICT BANKURA (9).		
1	Prabhakar Banerjee ...	Sanaband Board U. P. ...	Bankura Zilla School.
2	Kalipada Sen ...	Hatasuria U. P. ...	Palasdanga H. E.
3	Gopal Chandra Mondal ...	Khatra M. E. ...	Khatra M. E.
4	Padmalochan Marandi ...	Sarenga Sonthal Training M. V.	Sarenga Sonthal Training M. V.
5	Jotish Chandra Biswas ...	Gargoria M. E. ...	Gargoria M. E.
6	Roustan Mallick ...	Gobindapur U. P. ...	Saspur M. E.
7	Nandalal Gossain ...	Telishite U. P. ...	Vishnupur H. E.
8	Ganga Bishnu De ...	Vishnupur Practising U. P.	Ditto.
9	Nityananda Mukherjee ...	Marin Bazar U. P. ...	Ditto.
	DISTRICT MIDNAPORE (13).		
1	Nibasi Charan Maity ...	Baramohanpur M. E. ...	Baramohanpur M. E.
2	Surendra Nath Mandal ...	Lowada Board M. E. ...	Lowada Board M. E.
3	Trilochan Ghosh ...	Rampur Karsa M. V. ...	Rampur Karsa M. V.
4	Jatindra Nath Adhikary ...	Silda U. P. ...	Lalgarh Board M. E.
5	Pratap Chandra Pramanik	Sonakhali M. E. ...	Sonakhali M. E.
6	Mati Lal Sahu ...	Baghadauri U. P. ...	Mugberia H. E.
7	Bipin Behary Prodhan ...	Kalindi U. P. ...	Khalisabanga M. E.
8	Kumari Subala Sen Gupta	Contai Brahmo Girls' M. E.	Contai Brahmo Girls' M. E.
9	Bhuban Chandra Boal ...	Changrah Chak U. P. ...	Dakshin Moyna Circle M. V.
10	Mukunda Chandra Das ...	Bara Basudebpur U. P. ...	Deulpota M. V.
11	Surendra Nath Samanta ...	Siddha U. P. ...	Deulia Board M. E.
12	Hara Krishna Jana ...	Bar-Amrita Bera U. P. ...	Nara Dauri M. V.
13	Hari Pada Chakravarty ...	Hatisal Gopalnagar U. P. ...	Deulia Board M. E.

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate passed.	School in which the scholarship will be tenable.
	DISTRICT HOOGHLY (7).		
1	Dulal Chandra Kuar ...	Mandra U. P. ...	Bhanderhati H. E.
2	Panchanan Ghosh ...	Harit U. P. ...	Gossain Matipara M. E.
3	Krishna Chandra Santra ...	Nalikul Practising U. P. ...	Bandipur M. E.
4	Anil Krishna Ghosh ...	Gopalnagar B. D., U. P. ...	Singur M. E.
5	Sudhir Chandra Mukherjee	Gopalbati B. D., U. P. ...	Goghat M. E.
6	Sarat Chandra Karmakar ...	Benga U. P.	Tiral M. E.
7	Chandi Charan Pal ...	Debkhanda U. P. ...	Ramjibanpur M. E.
	DISTRICT HOWRAH (3+1*+1†).		
1	Michri Mohan Mandal ...	Khasmora M. E. ...	Khasmora M. E.
2	Basanta Kumar Manna ...	Paltaberia U. P. ...	Shampur M. E.
3	Jugal Kissor Deasi ...	Somnith U. P.	Amta H. E
*4	Sheikh Nur Ali Haldar ...	Santragachi M. E. ...	Santragachi M. E.
†5	Abdur Razzak Mollah ...	Thanamakua U. P. ...	Mahiari M. E.

* Scholarship awarded by the Howrah Municipality.
† Scholarship awarded by the Howrah District Board.

W. E. GRIFFITH.
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA, *the 21st December 1916.*

BURDWAN DIVISION.

List of candidates elected to Middle Scholarships in the Burdwan Division, 1916.

[Value of each of the Middle Scholarships is Rs. 4 a month tenable for three years from 1st January 1917.]

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship will be tenable.
	DISTRICT BURDWAN (8+1*).		
	Middle English.		
1	Amor Nath Banerjee ...	Nadiha M. E. ...	Bankura Zilla School.
2	Benoy Krishna Misra ...	Gopalpur M E. ...	Ranigunge H. E.
3	Sajani Kanta Hazra ..	Galsi Board M. E. ...	Burdwan Municipal H. E.
4	Rohini Nandan Gosswami	Gopalpur M. E. ...	Ranigunge H. E.
5	Nani Gopal Roy ...	Ranigunge H. E. ...	Ditto.
6	Dasharathi De ...	Srirampur M. E. ...	Torkona H. E.
	Middle Vernacular.		
1	Sarat Kumar Cho udhuri ...	Denur M. V. ...	Putsuri H. E.
2	Manaranjan Ghosh ...	Majigram M. E. ...	Mathrun H. E.
*3	Khondekar Abu Sayed ...	Srigram Board's M. V. ...	Salar H. E. (Murshidabad).
	DISTRICT BIRBHUM (3+1*).		
	Middle English.		
1	Bhudeb Baksi ...	Fatehpur M. E. ...	Rampurhat H. E.
2	Bhujanga Bhusan Majumdar	Ditto ...	Ditto.
*3	Abdur Razak ...	Kaitha M. E. ...	Ditto.
	Middle Vernacular.		
1	Hari Charan Sen ...	Bipratikri M. E. ...	Calcutta Training School.

* Scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship will be tenable.
	DISTRICT BANKURA (4+1*).		
	Middle English.		
1	Nityananda Sarkhel ...	Dhabani M. E. ...	Bankura Zilla School.
2	Nibaran Chandra Patra ...	Harmasra M. E. ...	Ditto.
3	Chandi Charan Nandi ...	Vishnupur H. E. ...	Vishnupur H. E.
4	Atul Chandra Chauria ...	Khatra M. E. ...	Bankura Zilla School.
*5	Syed Ziaur Rahman ...	Kaktia M. E. ...	Kuchiakole H. E.
	DISTRICT MIDNAPORE (9+1†).		
	Middle English.		
1	Kebal Ram Jana ...	Mugberia H. E. ...	Mugberia H. E.
2	Raghu Nath Maiti ...	Haripur M. E. ...	Ditto.
3	Keshab Chandra Sahu ...	Krishnagor M. E. ...	Mahisadal H. E.
4	Kumari Hiranbala Bose ...	Contai Brahmo Girls' M. E.	Victoria H. E., Calcutta.
5	Lakshmi Narayan Jana ...	Basuntia H. E. ...	Basuntia H. E.
6	Mohini Mohan Maiti ...	Nayabasan M. E. ...	Midnapore Collegiate.
7	Susi Bhusan De ...	Beliaberia M. E. ...	Ditto.
	Middle Vernacular.		
1	Bepin Behari Bera ...	Tilantapara M. E. ...	Pingla H. E.
2	Baneswar Patra ...	Taznagor M. E. ...	Patitpabani H. E.
†3	Badan Marandi* ...	Bhimpur M. V. ...	Balasore Mission H. E.
	DISTRICT HOOGHLY (6+1‡).		
	Middle English.		
1	Jatindra Nath Chakravarti	Ballavpur M. E. ...	Serampur Union H. E.
2	Bhutnath Bera ...	Rajbalhat M. E. ...	Rajbalhat H. E.
3	Prosad Das Banerjee ...	Mahesh M. E. ...	Serampur Union H. E.
4	Bhadreswar Dass ...	Baksa M. E. ...	Jonai H. E.
5	Sachindra Nath Ghosh ...	Ballavpur M. E. ...	Serampur Union H. E.
6	Rampada Sarkar ...	Rishra M. E. ...	Konnogor H. E.
‡7	Gobinda Chandra Pal ...	Anur M. E. ...	Kotalpur H. E.
	DISTRICT HOWRAH (2+1‡).		
	Middle English.		
1	Sarat Chandra Das ...	Belur M. E. ...	Bally Rivers Thomson H. E.
2	Bibhuti Bhusan Banerji ...	Ditto. ...	Uttarpara Govt. H. E.
‡3	Lalit Mohan Das Ghosh ...	Makarda M. E. ...	Jhaparda Duke Institution.

N.B. If in the schools in which the scholarships have been made tenable the vernacular educational scheme has not been fully introduced, the scholarships will be transferred to other schools conducted on the vernacular basis. Scholarships cannot be made tenable in high English schools not conducted on the vernacular basis.

* Scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.

† Scholarship reserved for Muhammadans but awarded to a Santal for want of an eligible Muhammadan candidate.

‡ Scholarship reserved for Muhammadans but awarded to a Hindu candidate for want of an eligible Muhammadan or aboriginal candidate.

W. E. GRIFFITH,

Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA, *the 21st December 1916.*

THE undermentioned girls are awarded Middle English Scholarships with effect from 1st January 1917. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 5 a month, and it is tenable for four years in a High School :—

(Arranged in order of merit.)

Name of Scholar.	Name of school from which candidate appeared.	Where the scholarship is made tenable.
	DACCA DIVISION.	
1. Hem Nalini Mistri	B. Z. M. Girls' M. E. School, Barisal.	United Missionary High School, Bhowanipur, Calcutta.
2. Suphalabala Roy	Vidyamoyee H. E. School for Girls, Mymensingh.	Vidyamoyee H. E. School for Girls, Mymensingh.
3. Suchabala Chanda	Barisal Sadar M. E. Girls' School.	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	CHITTAGONG DIVISION.	
1. Sadhana Mitra ...	Faizenessa Girls' M. E. School, Comilla.	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
2. Sudhansu Das ...	Ditto ...	Dr. Khastagir's H. E. School for Girls, Chittagong.
3. Suritibala Aich ...	Dr. Khastagir's H. E. School for Girls, Chittagong.	Ditto.

M. V. IRONS,
Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.

DACCA,
The 18th December 1916.

THE undermentioned girls are awarded Middle Vernacular Scholarships with effect from January 1917. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 4 a month, and it is tenable for two years in High and Middle English Schools and Training Classes or Schools :—

Name of Scholar.	Name of school from which candidate appeared.	Where the scholarship is made tenable.
	DACCA DIVISION.	
1. Jagattara Biswas	B. Z. M. Girls' M. E. School, Barisal.	United Missionary Training College, Balliganj, Calcutta,
2. Nirmalabala Singh	Govt. M. V. Girls' School, Faridpur.	Eden High School Training Class, Dacca.
	RAJSHAHI DIVISION.	
1. Provasashi Dutta	Dinajpur Sadar M. E. Girls' School.	Vidyamoyee H. E. School for Girls, Mymensingh.
2. Shefalika Das Gupta.	V. M. Girls' M. E. School, Bogra.	V. M. Girls' M. E. School, Bogra.
	CHITTAGONG DIVISION.	
1. Amiya Guha ...	Faizenessa Girls' M. E. School, Comilla.	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.

M V. IRONS,
Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.

DACCA,
The 18th December 1916.

DACCA DIVISION.

Results of the Middle English Scholarship Examination, 1916.

[Middle English scholarship of Rs. 4 tenable for three years from 1st January 1917.]

Name of Scholar.	Name of School.	Tenable at—
DACCA DISTRICT.		
Open scholarships (3).		
1. Gopal Krishna Sen ...	Panchdona M. E. ...	Pogose School, Dacca.
2. Rasik Chandra Paul ...	Chapair M. E. ...	Simulia H. E.
3. Md. Abdul Sattar Mia ...	Silmandi M. E. ...	Adiabad H. E.
Special scholarship for Muhammadans (2).		
1. Mahamed Ismail ...	Ekduaria M. E. ...	Pogose School, Dacca.
2. Akbar Ali ...	Manipura M. E. ...	Dacca Moslem Government H. E.
MYMENSINGH DISTRICT.		
Open scholarships (3).		
1. Nalini Kanta Chakravarti ..	Noapara M. E. ...	Mymensingh Zilla School.
2. Mohamed Shamsuddin ...	Hossainpur M. E. ...	Ditto.
3. ,, Safar Ali ...	Noapara M. E. ...	Ditto.
Special scholarships for Muhammadans (2).		
1. Maqbular Rahman ...	Dhanbari M. E. ...	Mymensingh Zilla School.
2. Sheik Abdul Aziz ...	Kheruajani M. E. ...	Ditto.
FARIDPUR DISTRICT.		
Open scholarships (3).		
1. Debendra Nath Chaudhuri ...	Baliakandi M. E. ...	Rajbari S. K. Institution.
2. Manoranjan Ganguli ...	K. D. Daulatpur M. E. ...	Madaripur H. E.
3. Kalidas Bhattacharyya ...	Batikamari Model M. E. ...	Bhanga H. E.
Special scholarship for Muhammadans (1).		
1. Md. Abdul Kader ...	Nalia M. E. ...	Faridpur Zilla School.
BAKARGANJ DISTRICT.		
Open scholarships (3).		
1. Nalinibhushan Das ...	Baufal M. E. ...	B. M. Institution, Barisal.
2. Panchanan Chakravarti ...	Kumedu M. E. ...	Barisal Zilla School.
3. Surendranath Chakravarti ...	Basanda M. E. ...	Jhalakati H. E.
Special scholarship for Muhammadans (1).		
1. Tomej Ali Laskar ...	Nathullabad M. E. ...	Barisal Zilla School.

J. W. GUNN,

Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

DACCA DIVISION.

Results of the Middle Vernacular Scholarship Examination, 1916.

[Middle Vernacular scholarship of Rs. 4 tenable for four years from 1st January 1917.]

Name of Scholar.	Name of School.	Tenable at—
DACCA DISTRICT.		
Open scholarships (5).		
1. Anantalal Banerji ...	Rusdi Circle, M. V. ...	Baltali G. J. H. E.
2. Abdul Rezaque ...	Abdullapur M. V. ...	Dacca Normal School.
3. Muhammad Haniff ...	Monohardi Circle M. V. ...	Kaliganj H. E.
4. Jogendra Chandra Sharma	Ghagatia Circle M. V. ..	Raipura H. E.
5 Kamini Kumar Karmakar...	Kanchan M. V. ...	Kaliganj H. E.
Special scholarships for Muhammadans (3).		
1. Sheik Harez Ali ...	Toomulia M. V. ...	Kaliganj H. E.
2. Abdus Sayed ...	Ghagatia Circle M. V. ...	Adiabari H. E.
3. Anwaruddin ...	Daudpur M. V. ...	Dacca Moslem Government H. E.
MYMENSINGH DISTRICT.		
Open scholarships (6).		
1. Govinda Chandra Gope ...	Bhabakhali Circle M. V. ...	Mymensingh Zilla.
2. Md. Nuradzaman ...	Senbari Circle M. V. ...	Ditto.
3. Jogendranath Chakravarti	Ditto ...	Ditto.
4. Nagendra Chandra Das ...	Kanihari Circle M. V. ...	Ditto.
5. Jogendra Chandra Sen ...	Narundi Middle M. V. ...	Jamalpur H. E.
6. Abdul Karim Khan ...	Shahabatpur Circle M. V. ...	Bindubashini H. E., Tangail.
Special scholarships for Muhammadans (2).		
1. Sheik Khoda Baksh ...	Kayra M. V. ...	Serajganj B. L. H. E.
2. Md. Kitab Ali ...	Taldighi Model M. V. ...	Darirampur H. E.
FARIDPUR DISTRICT.		
Open scholarships (4).		
1. Nagendra Nath Basu ...	Algi Circle M. V. ...	Palong H. E.
2. Lalbehari Das ...	Ashfardi Circle M. V. ...	Bhanga H. E.
3. Anadinath Saha ...	Bagat Circle M. V. ...	Binodepur H E.
4. Hemanta Kumar Shaha Ray	Majbari Circle M. V. ...	Kotwalipara H. E.
Special scholarships for Muhammadans (2).		
1. Abdul Hamid ...	Algi Circle M. V. ...	Bhanga H. E.
2. Abdul Wahed Molla ...	Dudkhali Circle M. V. ...	Siddhakati H. E.
BAKARGANJ DISTRICT.		
Open scholarships (5).		
1. Abdul Hamid ...	Srirampur M. V. ...	Kalaskati H. E.
2. Ramjan Ali ...	Kanakdia Circle M V. ...	Patuakhali H. E.
3. Satyendranath Chanda ...	Birpasa Circle M. V. ...	Dacca Normal School.
4. Kasem Ali ...	Kanakdia Circle M. V. ...	Ditto.
5. Sarat Chandra De ...	Baukati Circle M. V. ...	Jhalakati H. E.
Special scholarships for Muhammadans (2).		
1. Abdul Mannan ...	Tubgi Circle M. V. ...	Bhola H E.
2. Abdul Hashem ...	Gazimajhi Circle M. V. ...	Patuakhali H. E.

J. W. GUNN,
Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

DACCA DIVISION.

Results of the Upper Primary Scholarship Examination, 1916.

[Upper Primary scholarships of Rs. 3 tenable for two years from 1st January 1917.]

Name of Scholar.	Name of School.	Tenable at—
DACCA DISTRICT.		
SADAR SUBDIVISION.		
Open scholarships (2).		
1. Ahmed Mahsemzaman	Choura U. P.	Kaliganj H. E.
2. Abdul Latiff Chondhuri	Pathantola U. P.	Sakasur M. V.
NARAYANGANJ SUBDIVISION.		
Open scholarships (2).		
1. Abdul Haque Bhuiya	Peraba U. P.	Dacca Government Moslem H. E.
2. Nibaran Chandra Bhattacharyya.	Ditto	Murapara H. E.
MUNSHIGANJ SUBDIVISION.		
Open scholarships (2).		
1. Ananta Kumar Datta	Ichhapura U. P.	Malkhanagar H. E.
2. Mahomed Hossain Fakir	Purbba Taratiya U. P.	Lohajang H. E.
MANIKGANJ SUBDIVISION.		
Open scholarships (2).		
1. Ananta Bandhu Das	Sadarpur U. P.	Manikganj H. E.
2. Basiruddin Ahmed	Kalta U. P.	Ditto.
Special scholarships for Muhammadans for the whole district (3).		
1. Rustam Ali	Baghaiakandi U. P.	Manipura M. E.
2. Rahamat Ali	Bishnandi U. P.	Shilmandi M. E.
3. Kazi Mamtazuddin	Sadarpur U. P.	Manikganj H. E.
MYMENSINGH DISTRICT.		
SADAR SUBDIVISION.		
Open scholarships (2).		
1. Birendra Chandra Chakravarti	Nandibari U. P.	Muktagacha H. E.
2. Ramchandra Majumdar	Ditto	Ditto.
TANGAIL SUBDIVISION.		
Open scholarships (2).		
1. Amanulla Mia	Banail U. P.	Jamurki H. E.
2. Abdul Jalil Mia	Gaurangi U. P.	Ghatail M. E.
JAMALPUR SUBDIVISION.		
Open scholarships (2).		
1. Azimuddin	Patadaha U. P.	Chuniapatal M. E.
2. Fayezuddin Ahmed	Golabari U. P.	Ditto.
NETROKONA SUBDIVISION.		
Open scholarships (1).		
1. Rajendra Kumar Saha	Shaldigha U. P.	Netrokona Dutta H. E.
KISHORGANJ SUBDIVISION.		
Open scholarships (2).		
1. Abdus Sahed	Charkowna U. P.	Kishorganj H. E.
2. Nagendra Chandra Biswas	Practising School attached to the Kishorganj G. T.	Kishorganj M. E.

Name of Scholar.	Name of School.	Tenable at—

Special scholarships for Muhammadans for the whole district (3).

1. Kazemuddin ...	...	Noapara U. P.	... Balla H. E.
2. Reazuddin Mia ...	...	Nalsanda U. P.	. Karatiya H. E.
3. Rahham Ali Mia	...	Gaurangi U. P.	.. Rajapur M. Madrasah.

FARIDPUR DISTRICT.

FARIDPUR SUBDIVISION.

Open scholarships (3).

1. Arunbala Basu ...	...	Maharajpur U. P.	... Faridpur M. V.
2. Kazi Aktar Hossain	...	Maslandapur U. P.	... Karakdi H E.
3. Radhaballabh Poddar	...	Kutubdia U. P.	... Faridpur Zilla.

MADARIPUR SUBDIVISION.

Open scholarships (4).

1. Kazi Abdul Majid	...	Shekpura U. P.	... Dudkhali Circle M. V.
2. Rangalal Bhattacharyya	...	Mahendradi U. P.	... Kalighat H. E., Calcutta.
3. Easin Bepari	...	Laptachar, Dudkhali U. P. Circle.	Dudkhali M. V.
4. Erfanuddin Molla	...	Ditto ditto	... Ditto.

GOALUNDO SUBDIVISION.

Open scholarship (1).

1. Kiran Chandra Biswas	...	Larna U. P.	... Karakdi H. E.

Special scholarships for Muhammadans for the whole district (2).

1. Azharuddin Biswas	...	Larna U. P.	... Baliakandi M. E.
2. Ahmed Ali ...	...	Kalkini U. P.	... Sibrampur J. Madrasah.

BAKARGANJ DISTRICT.

SADAR SUBDIVISION.

Open scholarships (2).

1, Yusuff Ali	...	Monsherpur U. P.	... Pirojpur Circle M. V.
2. Rasbehari Sil	...	Helencha U. P.	... Kalaskati H. E.

PATUAKHALI SUBDIVISION.

Open scholarships (2).

1. Abdul Aziz Khan	...	N. Muradia U. P.	... Kalaskati H. E.
2. Iman Ali	...	Patuakhali Practising U. P.	Patuakhali H. E.

PIROJPUR SUBDIVISION.

Open scholarships (2).

1. Md. Abdul Haque	...	Kaukhali U. P.	... Mathbari M. V.
2. Alimuddin	...	S. Doomartala U. P.	... Pirojpur H. E.

BHOLA SUBDIVISION.

Open scholarships (2).

1. Rahim Baksh Salem	..	Radhaballabh U. P.	... Bhola H. E.
2. Ali Islam	...	Meduapur U. P.	... Kachi Circle.

Special scholarships for Muhammadans for the whole district (3).

1. Majibul Haque	...	Madanpur U. P.	... Bhola H. E.
2. Abdul Ghani	...	N. Char Bairagia U. P.	... Kachia Circle.
3. Arjed Ali	...	Laukati U. P.	... Patuakhali H. E.

J. W. GUNN,
Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

NOTICE.

City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

THE annual Technological Examinations of the City and Guilds of London Institute will be held in Bengal at the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, and the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta, in April and May 1917. The exact dates will be announced later in the issues of the *Calcutta Gazette* appearing from about the last week of March 1917. Candidates desiring to appear at any of the examinations should apply for registration forms, stating the subject or subjects in which they desire to appear. A fee of Rs. 5 has to be paid for each section or grade of a subject, and applications and fees must reach the undersigned not later than the 15th January 1917. The fee will in no case be refunded.

W. H. EVERETT,

Secretary, City and Guilds Examination Committee.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT,
WRITERS' BUILDINGS,
Calcutta, the 10th November 1916.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

BABU AMARESH CHANDRA CHAKRAVARTY, M.SC., is granted a Post Graduate Research Scholarship to the value of Rs. 100 a month for carrying on researches in the movement of ions at the Presidency College Laboratory with effect from the date on which he undertakes his researches, *vice* Babu Balaram Sen, resigned.

The scholarship is tenable till the 30th June 1917.

W. W. HORNELL.

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1916.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of the 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1917, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Touzi No	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
385	Huda Baskhali and others, pargana Azimabad	19,410 10 0	.....	1a. 2g. 2c. share in each of the 32 mauzas out of the 33 mauzas in the estate, *i.e.* excluding mauza Khakramuri.	Kali Krishna Chakravertti.	1,361 9 0		147 6 0½
389	Mauza Santoshpur and others pargana Balia.	9,399 9 0	.....	1a. 2g. 2c share in the estate	Sita Nath Ghose ...	668 3 10	.....	88 5 7
401	Huda Ramkrishnapur and others, pargana Azimabad	8,941 9 7	...	Ditto ...	Kali Krishna Chakravertti.	628 11 3½	.....	137 13 7½
936	Khamar Agarpara, pargana Agarpara.	4,498 8 0	Whole estate	.....	Bijoy Kali Roychowdhuri and others	.....	151 5 1	.....

No other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

HEM CHANDRA CHATTERJI, for Collector.

24-Parganas Collectorate, Certificate Department, Alipore, the 12th December 1916.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Mymensingh, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
36 Joint	Jemindary ph. Barabazu.	9,853 2 0	No ...	Joint share	Maulvi Wazed Ali Khan Pani and others.	3,196 7 0	.....	237 3 3
28/3	Ditto ...	9,853 2 0	No ...	Separate account No. 3 6a. 8g. share of the estate.	Mr. E. Diguold, General Manager, Court of Wards, and others.	3,888 10 0	.....	126 5 6
9 Joint	Zemindary, ph Atia ...	6,729 2 0	No ...	Joint share 5a. 4g. 1dt. 210 dhuls share of Kanchanpur, 5a. 9g. 1c. 2kt. 2dt. 301 37/480 dhuls. 2 kgs. share of Mangalhore, 5a. 9g. 1c. 1dt. 68 591/1440 dhuls 2kgs share of Lashkarpur and Dhangara, 5a. 9g. 1c. 2kt 1dt. 98 591/1440 dhuls 2kgs. share of all other remaining kismats of the estate except the entire 16a. share of kismats Malthun and Bethrail will be sold. And 10a. 16g. 2c. 2kt. 2dt. 149, dhuls share of Kanchanpur, 10a. 10g. 1dt. 98 445/480 dhuls 2kgs. share of Mangalhore, 10a. 10g. 2kt. 2dt. 291 849/1440 dhuls 2kgs. share of Lashkarpur and Dhangara, 16a. share of Malthun and Bethroll, 10a. 10g. 2dt. 261 849/1440 dhuls 2kgs. share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Maulvi Abdul Gafur Choudhuri and others.	525 10 0	.....	348 19 3
5183 Joint.	Zemindary ph. Atia ...	842 4 4	No ...	Joint share 13a. 8g. 3c. 1dt. 291 73/77 dhuls 74 tils share of kismats Shingharagi, Panisali, Betnajani, Ohhoto Begjan, Dari Bahar, Anoltara, Hudda, Banjuri, Kalisindur, Shislaid, Arrah and Bablapara with Chaudina and 12a. 8g. 1dt. 1 dwip 291 73/77 dhuls 74 tils share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be sold and 2a. 10g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt. 68 4/77 dhuls 6 tils share of kismats Shingharagi, Panishali, Betnajani, Ohhoto Begjan, Dari Bahar, Anaitara, Hudda, Banjuri, Kalishindur, Shislaid, Arrah and Bablapara with Chandina and 3a. 16g. 2kt. 2dt. 6 dwip 68 4/77 dhuls 6 tils share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Hoshenjan Chaudhuri and others.	655 2 0	.....	34 2 11
13323	Joar Baluakandi, ph. Baradakhat.	3,696 12 0	Yes ...	Whole estate	Sri Nath Ray Barman and others.	.....	1,032 3 6	.....
111	Zemindary ph. Nasirufial.	1,032 0 0	Yes ...	Ditto	Upendra Nath Chaudhury.	.....	268 13 0	.....

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 28th November 1916.

MIR HAFEZUDDIN AHMED, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrear due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
284	Taluk Ghar Panchash Hazari, pargana Shahajapur.	1 895 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jadob Chandra Bagchi and others.	.....	65 12 0	.....
285	Ditto ditto ...	2,326 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Roy Parvati Sankar Choudhuri and others.	.....	190 0 1	.....

Faridpur, the 17th November 1916.

K. B. GOSSAIN, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1917 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
314	Pargana Batitaki, M. Phulbhery.	1,602 3 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6. The following share of the manzas will be sold— Mauza Sitibatitaki. ,, Abhoymukundapur. ,, Astidangar. ,, Baja. ,, Bhatbar. ,, Bhuyan. ,, Bhajpur. ,, Chhatrisbetya. ,, Dahuka. ,, Dangarpara. ,, Dasagram. ,, Durgachak. ,, Dharmachak. ,, Kiagerhe. ,, Krhaidangar. ,, Phulbherhi. ,, Gargarhyachak. ,, Gurhi. ,, Gobindachak. ,, Gobindapur. ,, Gopalbarh. ,, Jamaria. ,, Jote. ,, Kalankishi ota. ,, Karanji. ,, Kalikachak. ,, Kunorpur. ,, Kotal. ,, Khagrhabherhi. ,, Khursal. ,, Lakhanda. ,, Madhubarh. ,, Mahamadchak. ,, Mahanandichak. ,, Masagna. ,, Mukundapurhat. ,, Palashidakhin. ,, Radhamohanchak. ,, Ramchak. ,, Ramlangar. ,, Salboni. ,, Simulya. ,, Siruchak. ,, Suriha. ,, Sonadaharchak. ,, Srichandanpur. ,, Khandarbheri. ,, Tapsia. ,, Tala. ,, Taladiha. ,, Trilochanpur. 9a. 11g. 1kt. 1dt. share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ramanimoni Dasi, guardian of Amulya and Nibaran Chandra Jana, minors.	954 5 2	.....	78 2 3

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
982	Pargana Kasijora, M. Jhagarkona.	962 10 7	Entire ...	.....	Rajendra Nath Bag and another and 4 others.	.....	73 15 7	.....
983	Pargana Kasijora, M. Maguri.	3,576 15 7	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, 4 annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and 2 others.	944 3 10	.....	74 7 10
1010	Pargana Kasijora, M. Purbapitapur alias Purbagopalpur.	1,353 14 8 including police.	Entire ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	96 2 8 including police.	.....
1095	Pargana Kasijora, M. Siddharbasan.	1,456 13 6 including police.	Do. ...	.....	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and another and another.	.....	114 7 4 including police.	.....
2171	Pargana Satang, M. Hariharpur.	2,427 11 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7. The following share of the mauzas will be sold— A. G. CH. Mauza Hariharpur ... ... 4 7 2 ,, Khelarchak ... 4 7 2 ,, Khoral ... ... 4 7 2 ,, Panpara ... ... 4 7 2 ,, Pratapchak ... ... 1 10 0 ,, Upalda ... ... 4 7 2 ,, Paikchak ... ... 4 7 2 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Raj Krista De and 3 others.	603 10 7	.....	61 0 6 March to September 1916.
2246	Pargana Sabang, M. Mohar.	1,302 1 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. 1 only. 8 annas share of the mehal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Krishna Das Mandal and another.	651 0 6	.....	25 6 0
2699	Pargana Uttarbehar, M. Saharahat alias Sahara.	2,171 4 8	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3 only. 8 annas share of the mehal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripasindhu Masanta and 2 others.	1,085 10 1	.....	85 1 1

The 2nd December 1916.

S. C. UPADHYAYA, for Collector on tour.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1916, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land-revenue.

When, in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement, it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.
1448	Mahal Darihat Rajbarigaon, pargana Bozorgomedpur	721 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakravarty and another.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1510	Mahal Kali Das Ghatak share 4 annas, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	694 5 0	Do. ...	.....	Rash Behari De and others.	.....	12 8 1	.....
1661.	Taluk Shibjoy Banerjee, pargana Bozorgomedpur	6,131 8 1	.....	Residuary share containing 10 anna 13 ganda 1 kara 1 kranti will be sold. The remaining 5 anna 6 ganda 2 kara 3 kranti share will be exempted from sale.	Hira Lall Pal Chowdhury and others.	4,087 11 1	.....	517 0 0

Barisal, the 28th November 1916.

H. C. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Notices of Sale.

NOTIFICATION A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
339-0	Matiari, pargana Plassy.	.....	.....	2a. 9g. 2c 1kag annas share ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Tarak Dasi Dasi, mother, on behalf of Kali Das and others.	1,121 0 0	.....	14 10 2
488 2	Sankarchandra, pargana Shahanshal	.....	.....	1 anna share ... ... All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukerjee	[illegible] 5 2	.....	174 5 2

Krishnagar, the 18th November 1916. BISWESWAR BHATTACHARYA, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Rajshahi will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1917 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
*2468 Ejmali	Manada Sundari and others, pargana Govindapur.	653 13 0	No	13a. 8g. 1c. 3k. 12 tils shares only. The remaining 2a. 11g. 2c. 8 tils share of the estate will be excluded from sale.	Manada Sundari Dasi, guardian of Atul Chandra Ghose, minor, and others.	550 13 0	.....	Land Revenue— 24 2 9 Cess— 4 14 9 29 2 6

Rajshahi, the 17th November 1916. A. CASSELLS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with section 11 of Act VII of 1868, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi number	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.			Khash Mahal tenures.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.
Lat No. 10 1927.	Haripur Tahasil Muzu, Char-Rahim Meadi Madhasatta No. 24.	548 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Sreemoti Asraffernessa Begum and others.	.....	Rent 119 14 Cess 9 9 129 7	.....
Lat No. 5 1686.	Chargazi Tahasil Madhasatta No. 2.	612 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Palanmeao	.....	Rent 133 15 Cess 23 1 157 0	...

Noakhali Collectorate, the 20th November 1916. B. C. PRANCE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1917, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Taum No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
31	Pargana Durgapur, Ramkishore Bosu.	5,849 15 0	.....	S. A. No. 1, bis. 3 as. 10 gds. ... ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 2 to 26 and residue share amounting to 13 as. 10 gds.	Mahendra Chandra Pal	912 4 5	.....	519 6 11
113	Tappeh Kamrapur Ram Kishore Ghosh.	4,504 3 0	.....	Residue, viz :— ... ... 5 as. 6¼ gds. 2 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarail, Kamtal, Tengabo, Nanaki, Narandi, Aksha, Khargra Dhalchhatra, Goongaon Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar-Masiser. 2 as. 13¼ gds. 1 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranir char, Oraba Bhargaon, Hasail Alunia, Bhaber char, Goalghooni, Joar Khagatia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur. 1 a. 13¼ gds. 1 kt. of Joar Panchamighat. 7 as. 6¼ gds. 2 kt. of Joar Durgapur, 8 as. of remaining kismat except Joar Gutiaha. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 to 26 amounting to 10 as. 13¼ gds. 1 kt. of Brahmankhali, Simulia, Raghurampur, Beldi, Tarail Kamtal, Tengabo, Nanaki, Narandi, Aksha, Khargra, Dhalchhatra, Goongaon Rupta, Maldha, Nayna, Joar Masiser. 13 as. 6¼ gds. 2 kt. of Dakhinghope, Kamranirchar, Oraba, Bhargao Hasail, Alunia Bhaber char, Goalghooni, Joar Ghagutia, Joar Utter Shahabajpur. 14 as. 6¼ gds. 2 kt. of Joar Panchamighat, 8 as. 13¼ gds. 1 kt. of Durgapur, 16 as. of Joar Gutiaha, 8 as. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Pal Chaudhury and others.	1,660 2 11	.....	268 8 8
194	Pargana Rajnagar, Chakla Nurpur Mudafat Hisya Rajkrishna Sen.	708 10 0	16 anas.	.....	Joy Chandra Datta and others.	.....	67 1 7	.....
201	Pargana Rajnagar Mudafat Hisya Rajkrishna Sen, Chakla Raipur Banga Chandra Banerjee.	1,979 4 1	.....	Residue, viz., 8 as. 17¼ gds. 1 kt. of Joar Daudpur, 16 as. of remaining kismats. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz :— S. A. Nos. 1 and 2 amounting to 7 as. 2 gds. 2 kt. 2 dt. of Joardoudpur.	Rash Kamal Pal and others.	1,911 4 3	.....	23 11 7
846	Pargana Rakanpur, tappeh Boukhanda John Hollow.	3,074 10 8	.....	Residue, viz., 4 as. 6¼ gds. 2 kt. of Ghior Takurkandi Kandapara, Ghaorer Char, Bandar, Bandakadamtali Bandasundarpur, Banda Karatia, Degreerchar, 4 as. 10 gds. of Benodepur, 7 as. of Safulli, 8 as. 6¼ gds. 2 kt. of remaining kismats.	Surendra Kumar Rai Chaudhuri and others.	1,558 14 5	.....	97 13 8
9013	Pargana Nasti, kt. Saliliya in char Mirpur.	991 0 0	.....	Residue, hisya 12 as. 9¼ gds. 2 kt. ... All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz.:— S. A. No. 1, hisya 3 as. 10 gds. 2 kt.	Mohini Kanta Saha Choudhuri and others.	750 2 6	.....	56 2 3
10802	Surplus to Raj rajeswar.	1,338 0 0	16 annas ...	.....	Suryya Kumar Das and others.	.....	99 12 1	.....
10804	Pargana Nasti, surplus to Porakanda.	1,388 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rajkumar Bandopadhya.	.....	644 0 0	.....
10908	Tappeh Ran Bhowal surplus to Baloo char in mauza Gaknapur.	1,320 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Rani Ananta Sundari Debi Chowdhurani and others.	.....	36 7 8	.....
10946	Surplus to mauza Bil Xamarta.	649 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bibhabati Debi ...	.....	40 12 0	.....
13546	Pargana Nasti, parcel of land excluded from estate No. 10804.	564 8 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakraberty.	.....	5 8 7	.....
15642	Dearah, mahal Seydpur.	565 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Parbati Sundari Dasya and others.	.....	1,410 0 0	.....
19730	Dearah, mahal Rahitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Mr. F. W. Needham	.....	2,565 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 3rd November 1916.

S. C. SINHA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of, 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Pabna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1917 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
104	Pargana Islampur, Islampur.	24,335 7 0	...	"Separate account No. 3— 2as. 13gds. 1 kora and 1 kranti share of the estate.	Debendra Singha. Narayan	4,055 14 3	...	606 9 9

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

G. C. CHATTERJEE, Collector.

Pabna, the 7th December 1916

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th December 1916.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		Grand Total.
		of 1849-48.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	
Balance of 30th November 1916 ...	28,34,900	96,46,200	4,53,72,600	1,51,36,500	68,43,500	23,89,500	7,92,78,300	2,500	40,48,400	8,62,54,100
ADD—										
Amount of loan certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	28,34,900	96,46,200	4,53,72,600	1,51,36,500	68,43,500	23,89,500	7,92,78,300	2,500	40,48,400	8,62,54,100
DEDUCT— Amount written off in the London Registers.	.....	41,900	49,300	.....	14,200	.....	1,05,000	.....	.....	1,05,000
Balance on 15th December 1916 ...	28,34,900	96,04,700	4,53,23,300	1,51,36,500	68,29,300	23,89,500	7,92,73,300	2,500	40,48,400	8,61,59,100

NOTE.—From 9th June 1847 to 15th Oct. 1916—Enfaced from India, 12,384 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,861 lakhs.

,,	16th October	1916 to	31st	,,	1 lakh	23 lakhs
,,	1st November	,, to	15th Nov.	,,	...	8 ,,
,,	16th ,,	,, ,,	30th	,,	20 lakhs	...
,,	1st December	,, to	15th Dec.	,,	...	1 lakh.
					12,405 lakhs.	12,893 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 19th December 1916.*

P. A. SELFE, *Superintendent.*

N. H. Y. WARREN, *Secretary & Treasurer.*

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, will be sold by public auction on or after the 10th January 1917, under section 118, Act III (B.C.) of 1890 :

Date of removal.	Date of landing	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. IV.					
1916.	1916.						
Nov. 8	Oct. 28	B T in a diamond ...	11-15	5	Cases ...	SS. "Benton Maru."	
,, 8	,, 25	C S in a diamond ...	...	1	Case sample ...	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 25	Madame T Schmuck, Maidens Hotel or nil.	X	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 26	A C L or nil	...	4	Bags mixed rice and paddy (torn.)	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 28	A C L or A C L Boiled ...	...	2	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 30	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
Oct. 28	,, 19	Butto Kristo Paul & Co ...	X	1	Case (small) ...	SS. "City of Manchester."	
		SHED No. V.					
Oct. 30	Oct. 18	F in a diamond, 150 or 200 below.	...	30	Cases	SS. "Tosamaru."	
,, 30	,, 20	5557/3606 in a diamond, J F on top, K C below.	1-6 or 31-6	6	Do	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 20	No mark	...	1	Bag cinnamon (torn)	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 20	Ditto	...	...	A small quantity of cups.	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 21	Ditto	...	...	Bags myrobollams (torn.)	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 20	A or nil	...	22	Bundles of shooks ...	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 18	B or nil	...	23	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 20	C or nil	...	26	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 21	1209 in a diamond, S M on top, L R below.	31-2	2	Cases (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 21	110 in a diamond, S R on top, C M below.	24	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 19	100 in a diamond, S R on top, R L below.	20	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 19	504 in a diamond, S R on top, R L below.	1549	1	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 19	248 in a diamond, S R on top, C M below.	117	1	Do.	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 19	A K M	...	3	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 20	No mark or various marks	...	60	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 19	S in a diamond ...	...	112	Cases ...	Ditto	H. G.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. V—*concld.*					
1916.	1916.						
Oct. 30	Oct 21	I S or no mark ...	...	1	Bag merchandise or sulphur (torn).	SS. "Tosamaru"	
Nov. 20	Nov. 14	A in a triangle, M I & Co below.	89	1	Case ...	SS. "Marwarri."	
,, 20	,, 17	No mark	...	3	Empty cases (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 17	Ditto	...	1	Case condensed milk (broken).	Ditto	
,, 20	,, 17	Ditto	...	1	Cask empty ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 16	Superintendent, Government Printing.	...	2	Drums empty ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
		SHED No. VI.					
Oct. 19	Oct 7	No mark or Z in a block ...	...	1	Cask	SS. "Meikai Maru."	
,, 19	,, 7	No mark	...	3	Bags cement sweepings (torn).	Ditto.	
,, 19	,, 7	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose straw boards.	Ditto.	
,, 19	,, 7	No mark or various marks	...	47	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
,, 19	,, 7	A Z & A Z 15 in a diamond, D Co on top, 28 or 29 below, right side.	45 or 46.	1	Case	Ditto.	
Nov. 6	,, 27	D C in a triangle, 468 on top, or nil.	X	1	Do. (broken and repaired).	SS. "Kutsang."	
,, 6	,, 27	Hall Anderson & Co ...	X	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	,, 27	No mark	...	...	A quantity of cigarette covers.	Ditto.	
,, 6	,, 27	Ditto	X, X	2	Packets bangles ...	Ditto.	
,, 23	Nov. 9	Ditto	...	1	Case (repaired) ...	SS. "Bushu Maru."	
,, 23	,, 9	Ditto	...	1	Package (containing 7 pieces undershirts).	Ditto	
,, 23	,, 9	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of firebricks.	Ditto	
,, 23	,, 7	Pooran Mnull Badrinarayan	17	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 23	,, 15	2025 in a double triangle, D N D on top, D M below.	29	1	Do.	SS "Matra."	
,, 23	,, 15	2020 in a double triangle, D N D on top, D M below	38	1	Do	Ditto.	
,, 23	,, 15	2026 in a double triangle, D N D on top, D M below	30	1	Do	Ditto	
,, 23	,, 15	2022 in a double triangle, D N D on top, D M below.	35	1	Do.	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. VI—*concld.*					
1916.	1916.						
Nov 23	Nov. 15	2019 in a double triangle, D N D on top, D M below	31-32	2	Cases	SS. "Matra."	
„ 23	„ 15	2024 in a double triangle, D N D on top, D M below.	28	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	2021 in a double triangle, D N D on top, D M below, or 2028 in a double triangle, D N D on top, D M below.	34	1	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	2023 in a double triangle, D N D on top, D M below	26-7	2	Cases	Ditto.	
		SHED No. VII.					
Oct 24	Oct. 11	A G in a diamond, S A below.	7-51	45	Cases (broken) ...	SS. "Umaria."	
„ 24	„ 10	D 70 in a diamond, J S on top, & S below.	52	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 24	„ 12	X I M in a diamond, Enamel special on top.	9X	1	Do.	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 24	„ 12	No mark	...	1	Cask empty ...	Ditto ...	Do.
„ 24	„ 12	E I R or no mark ...	...	1	Bag (torn and half empty).	Ditto ...	Do.
„ 24	„ 12	No mark	...	4	Kegs or drums empty	Ditto ...	Do.
„ 24	„ 14	Ditto	...	1	Cask merchandise (broken).	Ditto.	
„ 24	„ 14	Ditto	...	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto	
„ 24	„ 12	B N R	...	1	Do (broken and loose).	Ditto.	
„ 24	„ 11	$\frac{1485}{80430}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	360	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 24	„ 12	22457 in a triangle ...	2	1	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 24	„ 12	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken fire bricks	Ditto.	
„ 24	„ 10	†Medical Department ...	..	2	Drums empty ...	Ditto.	
„ 24	...	†Medical Department or nil	...	1	Drum empty ...	Ditto	
Nov 7	Oct. 23	City of Exeter ...	X	1	Case	SS. "City of Athens."	
„ 7	„ 28	No mark ...	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
„ 7	...	S M E D S S E in a block ...	...	1	Case	Ditto	
		No mark	...	1	Roll merchandise ...	Ditto.	
„ 17	Nov. 8	Diamond, I T on top, C L below.	11260	1	Case (broken) ...	SS. "City of Nagpur."	

Date of removal	Date of landing.	Marks.	No	Quantity	Description.	Vessel's name.	REMARKS.
		SHED No. VII—*concld.*					
1916.	1916.						
July 21	July 11	No mark or D C T C or D T T C.	...	1	Keg nails (broken and loose).	SS. "Morvada"	
Dec. 13	Dec. 13	No mark	...	1	Case merchandise (repaired).	SS. "Culna."	
		SHED No. VIII.					
Oct. 30	Oct. 13	Brew & Co. B R C W & Co. ...	X	1	Case ...	SS. "City of Poona."	
,, 30	,, 11	Castellezzo Bros. ...	X	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
,, 30	,, 13	586 in a diamond, F P on top.	4481	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
Nov. 8	,, 27	H M & Co. Benares	688	1	Cask (leaky) ...	SS. "Mongara" ...	H. G.
,, 8	,, 24	862 in a diamond, D M on top.	1-5	5	Cases ...	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 27	E T C in a diamond Aden below.	321	1	Case ...	Ditto	
,, 8	,, 26	P O	2955 or X	1	Do. ...	Ditto	
,, 8	,, 27	Triangle below a block or nil.	734	1	Do ...	Ditto	
,, 8	,, 27	War stores ...	1122	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 27	Ivan Jones, Esq ...	X	1	Do. ...	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 27	M in a diamond or oil ...	X. 9385	2	Cases (broken and light).	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 27	No mark	...	1	Case merchandise (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 27	Ditto	...	1	Cask cement (broken and half empty).	Ditto.	
,, 8	,, 24	501 in a diamond, F S on top, and Co below.	...	2	Kegs paint	Ditto.	
,, 20	Nov. 13	No mark	...	1	Bundle tubes 3 pieces.	SS. "City of Calcutta"	
,, 20	,, 13	Ditto	...	17	Bars flat iron ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Ditto	...	4	Bundles flat iron ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Ditto	...	6	Bundles round iron ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Ditto	...	1	Coil hoop ...	Ditto	
,, 20	,, 13	Ditto	...	1	Bundle nshplates ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Z in a diamond, A on right side top.	361	1	Case broken and light)	Ditto ...	H. G.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. VIII—*concld.*					
Nov. 20	Nov. 13	Nil	..	18	Tins oil (broken and empty).	SS. "City of Calcutta."	H. G.
,, 20	,, 13	G B Ceylon	X	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 10	G 1280 in a diamond, Rangoon below.	X	1	Bale	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	J B & Co Bombay	...	6	Cases (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Nil	...	1	Keg (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Nil	...	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Triangle or nil ...	1	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Nil	X	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Nil	...	9	Bags (torn and loose)	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	Nil	...	...	A quantity of nails ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	S in a triangle, R D on top	220	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 13	W H H Madras	X	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
		SHED No. IX.					
Nov. 22	Nov. 16	No mark	...	66	Bundles round iron (rusty).	SS. "Mandala."	
,, 22	,, 16	Ditto	...	100	Bundles square iron (rusty).	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 16	Ditto	...	2	Bundles flat bar (rusty).	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 16	Ditto	...	91	Bars round (rusty) ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 16	Ditto	...	8	Bars square iron (rusty) (one small).	Ditto	
,, 22	,, 16	Ditto	...	8	Bars flat iron (rusty)	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 16	Ditto	...	2	Bundles square iron or bundles iron (rusty) (not original).	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 14	855 in a diamond, D M on top, & Co below.	3, 10	2	Cases	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 14	D B & Co 13728 in a diamond, S A below.	2	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 16	E S R in a triangle or nil	...	1	Keg paint ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 14	G 818.20 in a diamond, D M on top.	X	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 22	,, 13	1485 / 80430 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below or 1485 / 80430 in a diamond.	361	1	Do.	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1916.	1916.	SHED No. IX—*concld.*					
Nov. 22	Nov. 15	K L G in a diamond ...	3-6	4	Cases	SS. "Mandala."	
„ 22	„ 15	K C D in a diamond, D B below.	10-12	3	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 13	R B F in a double circle...	2005	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	No mark	...	1	Tin oil (leaky) ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	1	Piece iron wheel ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of red sandal woods.	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	2	Drums empty ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	1	Dog box ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	2	Casks	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	1	Cask cement (broken)	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	1	Keg paint (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	1	Case machinery parts	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	P. C. & Co Pondichery	X	1	Do. (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 13	R S O in a diamond ...	51	1	Bale	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 13	S K S in a diamond ...	1	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 14	S W & Co Hapit	1	1	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	W E S & Co M	26, 87, 57	3	Cases	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	G H D Ld W D or nil	X	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	T H W D or nil ...	...	1	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	No mark	...	1	Leather empty box or baggage.	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	33381, 143	2	Cases (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 24	Oct. 2	Ditto	...		A quantity of tea shooks and fittings.	SS. "Baikal."	
		Unidentified goods of Jetties.					
		No mark	...	1	Piece cloth ...	.....	From police.
		Ditto	...	1	Bundle umbrella ribs.	.....	

T. J. MCCLOUGHIN,
Traffic Manager.

PORT COMMRS.' OFFICE, CALCUTTA, *the 27th December 1916.*

(2835—1)

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 19th December 1916.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,08,00,000 0 0				
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 50,00,000 0 0		1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs 1,49,58,216 10 8				
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,12,61,648 5 11		2,62,19,865	0	7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		19,65,86,053	2	0
Bank Post Bills, etc.		11,39,012	1	10
Sundries		25,88,605	4	8
		26,72,83,535	9	1

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		6,52,66,242	12	0
Other authorized Investments		1,11,06,145	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		2,90,90,807	0	10
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,65,48,355	12	9
Bills discounted and purchased		3,82,86,519	0	8
Balances with other Banks		47,59,824	8	2
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		29,72,714	13	11
Stamps		11,424	12	2
Sundries		3,69,633	13	8
		20,34,13,667	10	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs.	2,91,56,016 13 0			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs.	3,47,13,851 1 11	6,38,69,867	14	11
...		26,72,83,535	9	1

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs.; value Rs. 3,51,615 0 0
† Do do. do „ 8,50,657 8 0
Rs. 12,02,272 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 8 per cent.
Percentage, 28·20.

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL. H. MITCHELL, N. H. Y. WARREN,
Calcutta, the 21st December 1916 Chief Accountant. Secretary and Treasurer.

(2832—1)

SUIT No. 35 OF 1915.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

J. H. Elliott & Co., Ld. (in Liquidation), Plaintiffs, *versus*

Omed Ally Mullick, Defendant.

SHERIFF'S SALE PROCLAMATION.

TO be peremptorily sold, under an order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in the above suit and dated 30th November 1916, by the Sheriff of Calcutta at No. 158, Dhurrumtollah Street, by public auction on Monday, the 8th day of January 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned properties belonging to the defendants :—

1	Clock.
15	Packets bit chain.
8	Packets web belts.
28	Saddles.
100	Bundles of horse cloths.
9	Show-cases.
56	Harness trees.
8	Carriage lamps
15	Pairs of carriage lamps.
26	Bundles harness chain.
3	Bales harness flannel.
81	Packets brass buckles.
8	Packets leather belts.
102	Collar iron.
200	Packets brass and iron buckles.
10	Chairs.
5	Tables.
1	Electric fan.
6	Bundles belts.
71	Horse rugs.
50	Whips.
10	Dog whips.
7	Sets harness.
7	Packets polish.
	A lot of chains.
7	Horse collars.
1	Cash-box.
11	Boxes of bits.
12	Boxes blankets.
48	Bits.
1	Saddle stand.
4	Lamps.
2	Leather traps.
6	Bundles harness.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs 1,521-11-2 together with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 8th April 1916 until realisation together with the costs and expenses of execution.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta or at the office of Messrs. Morgan & Co. at No. 1, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

Intending purchasers may view the said goods at No. 158, Dhurrumtollah Street, at 10 A.M., on the day of sale.

HARIRAM GOENKA, Sheriff.

Morgan & Co., Plaintiff Company's Attorneys, 1, Hastings Street, Calcutta.

Calcutta High Court, Sheriff's Office, the 21st day of December 1916. (2846—1)

Notification of sale.

KUSHTIA MUNSIF'S 1ST COURT.

DECREE IN MONEY SUIT No. 345 OF 1912.

Hunuman Das Agorwala, decree-holder, *versus* Rautmal Karnani, minor, by his guardian uncle Sukh Lal Karnani, of 44, Strand Road, at present of 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta, judgment-debtor.

Amount decreed Rs. 1,136-15-6 and subsequent interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 35 OF 1912.

DISTRICT NADIA.

Hunuman Das Agorwala, of Kushtia, Bahadurkhali Bazar, insolvent.

UNDER order of the District Judge of Nadia, the above mentioned decree will be sold at 12 noon of the 5th January 1917 by the undersigned at the Munsif's Court premises, Ranaghat, Nadia.

Purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale.

NRITYA GOPAL BHAUMIK,

Receiver to the Estate of Hunuman Das Agorwala, Sheristadar, Munsif's Court Ranaghat, Nadia.

Ranaghat, the 19th December 1916. (2830—1—2835)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION.

ANNULMENT CASES.

NOTICE is hereby given to the undermentioned insolvents that the hearing of the Official Assignee's application made under section 38 and rule 142A of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, III of 1909, for an Order of Annulment of the Adjudication Order made against the said insolvents has been fixed for hearing by the Registrar-in-Insolvency, High Court, Calcutta, on the 2th day of January 1917.

No. of Adjudication Order.	Date of Adjudication Order.	Insolvents.	Date of filing Schedule.	No.
244	21-10-14	Alphonse Marie Leonard Vouck.	Nil	1
246	22-10-14	William Cecil McCready ...	,,	2
248	23-10-14	Kalooram and Gouri Dutt	,,	3
249	23-10-14	Bhogwandin Kalwar ...	,,	4
254	3-11-14	Hubert McLeod Thrope ...	,,	5
257	17-11-14	Bisseswar Lal	,,	6
258	17-11-14	Meghraj Bold	,,	7
260	17-11-14	Abdu la Hajee Hamid ...	,,	8
261	18-11-14	Shib Lal Agarwalla ...	,,	9
266	23-11-14	Bandi Din Bajpaee ...	,,	10
268	24-11-14	Mahadeo Lall	,,	11
270	25-11-14	Moti Lall Surana	23-3-15	12
273	8-12-14	Bundarmull	24-7-16	13
274	2-12-14	Herbert Edward D'Cruz ...	4-8-16	14
277	4-12-14	William Arthur Davis ...	Nil	15
279	7-12-14	Haripudo Chuckerburty ...	15-3-16	16
280	7-12-14	Surendra Nath D ...	8-4-15	17
281	9-12-14	Su endra Nath Bose ...	15-6-16	18
283	11-12-14	John Hill McCally Hayes...	15-6-16	19
285	14-12-14	Trevlusko Nath Laha ...	Nil	20
287	15-12-14	Charles Allan Cameron ...	14-1-15	21
288	15-12-14	Samsudin Khoja Sagul ...	Nil	22
290	16-12-14	Mahommed Gul	,,	23
291	17-12-14	Gheer Chand and Jiwanmull.	,,	24
293	18-12-14	Parbutty Charan Ash, and Jober Lall Ash.	,,	25
295	21-12-14	James Albert Curryan ...	30-3-15	26

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 13th December 1916. (2790—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in Insolvency.

ADJUDICATION ORDER DATED 16TH APRIL 1915.

Re Lachminarain and others.

Ex-parte—Tejmull Chaitandas, Malum Chand Munnalal and Fusaram Bal Chand, creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made under Rule 142A on the 9th January 1917 on behalf of the creditors abovenamed for annulling the adjudication order above referred to.

Dated this 19th day of December 1916.

FOX & MANDAL,

Attorneys for Tejmull Chaitandas, Malum Chand Munnalal and Fusaram Balchand.

(2789—1—2833)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

Notice under section 12, clause 2, of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 30 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Lotan Chandra Thakur, of Ramnagar, thana Mongalkote, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that 12th January 1917 has been fixed for hearing.

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 16th December 1916. (2769—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

Notice under section 12, clause 2, of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 37 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor V. Joakim, of Asansole Grand Trunk Road, thana Asansole, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that 3rd January 1917 has been fixed for hearing.

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 16th December 1916. (2770—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.

(*Section 48 of Act III of 1907.*)

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause (2), section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that Haran Mahaldar, son of late Mayez-Mahaldar, of Singia, police-station Kotwali, district Jessore, has applied for being adjudged an insolvent and that the 3rd day of January 1917 has been fixed for hearing of the application. The application will be dealt with under summary procedure.

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge.

Jessore, the 19th December 1916. (2802—1—2834)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 18 OF 1916.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

(*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

NOTICE is hereby given that Jinnatullah Sarkar son of late Mithan Mondal, of Lakhipur, police-station Charghat, district Rajshahi, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 23rd day of September 1916.

J. CORNES, District Judge

Rajshahi, the 25th September 1916.

(2333—1—2832)

ANNADA CHARAN KARKOON, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (2844—4)

ASWINI KUMAR GHOSE intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court. (2845—4)

BANSORILAL SARKAR, M.SC., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (2837—4)

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Notice.

WANTED two probationers on a subsistence allowance of Rs. 15 a month for the Civil Courts of this district. Preference will be given to Mahomedan candidates and to candidates who know typewriting. None need apply who has not passed at least the Matriculation Examination. Applications stating age with copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned on or before the 15th January 1917.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 13th December 1916.

Notice.

WANTED a Drill Master for the Barisal Zilla School on Rs. 35 a month outside the grades. Applications with testimonials will be received by the Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, up to the 3rd January 1917.

J. W. GONN,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

Dacca, the 19th December 1916.

Notice.

WANTED (1) A Sub-Overseer on Rs. 30—1—35 with free quarters and a local allowance at Rs. 20 per cent. of pay for a period of about 14 months for the present, with the prospect of being made permanent.

(2) A Draftsman on Rs. 30 fixed, with local allowance at Rs. 30 per cent. of pay, with the prospect of being made permanent after six months' satisfactory service.

None but a passed Sub-Overseer with at least three years' experience in the District Board or Public Works Department need apply.

Applications will be received by the District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Rangamati, up to 15th January 1917.

OWEN MAWSON, Superintendent,
Chittagong Hill Tracts, P. W. D.

Rangamati, the 20th December 1916.

Notice.

SEALED Tenders for the supply of Doosootie, Timber, Cordage, Twine, Acid Sulphuric, Bonemeal, Charcoal, Oil various, Tincture of Steel, Calico, Cotton Waste and Flannelette to the Rifle Factory, Ishapore, from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1918, will be received by the undersigned up to 4 P.M. on Saturday, 13th January 1917, and opened at 3 P.M on the 15th January 1917.

2. Forms and conditions of tenders and schedule of stores are obtainable on payment of Re. 1 per set on application in writing.

3. Samples of articles to be supplied and specifications can be inspected at the Factory Store Section any day (Sundays and holidays excepted).

F. S. GRIMSTON, M.INST.C.E., Superintendent.

Rifle Factory, Ishapore, the 13th December 1916.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on 13th November 1916 the under-mentioned treasure is said to have been found by Srinivasa Aiyah in his patta land S. No. 287-1 of Poonamallee village, Saidapet taluk, while he was preparing the land for a flower garden.

Description of treasure.	Estimated value. Rs.	A.
1 female stone image, about 4 feet high, standing on the head of a buffalo ...	7	0
1 female stone image, 2½ feet high ...	3	8
2 small stone images, each 1½ feet high	6	0
	16	8

All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are requested to appear in person or by a duly authorised Agent before the Collector of Chingleput, at his office at Saidapet on the 5th May 1917 in view of their claim being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. F. BRYANT, Collector of Chingleput.

Chingleput District Collector's Office, Camp Saidapet, the 14th December 1916.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that on or about the 6th day of October 1916 the undermentioned treasure was found by Subbanayakan and Sinnandy while they were digging earth for Rangi Chetti in the mandai of Tevanapuram hamlet of Tekkanbatti of Avanashi taluk—

	Weight.	Value. Rs.
(1) ½ of gold sinthakku (2) ½ of gold kurai ... (3) 1 gold thali ... (4) 2 gold ear olais ...	Rs. 2 and 1½ panavadai	30
(5) 2 gold ingots ...	Re. 1 3-3-and 1½ panavadai ...	15
		45

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Coimbatore at his office at Coimbatore on Friday, the 15th June 1917, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

E. B. ELWIN, Collector.

Coimbatore Collector's Office, dated 18th December 1916.

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Noakhali have, at their Special Meeting of the 2nd December 1916, determined to levy the Road Cess in the district during the year 1917-18 at the maximum rate, viz., six pies in the rupee on the annual value of land.

B. C. PRANCE, Chairman, District Board, Noakhali.

Noakhali District Board's Office, the 14th December 1916. (2787—2)

Road Cess Notice.

AT a Special Meeting of the Midnapore District Board held on the 20th of December 1916, it was resolved that the Road Cess be levied in the district of Midnapore during the year 1917-18, at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of land, etc.

W. A. MARR,

Chairman, District Board, Midnapore.

Midnapore, the 20th December 1916. (2848—1)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is notified for general information that under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Rajshahi, at a special meeting held on the 18th December 1916, decided to levy Road Cess in the district during the year 1917-18 at a maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc.

A. CASSELLS, Chairman.

Rajshahi District Board, the 22nd December 1916. (2865—1)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three-and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

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A RECEIPT numbered 19815, dated 25th September 1916, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security.

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15th April ,,
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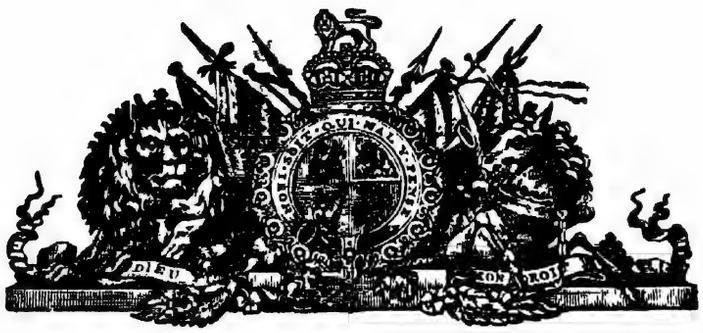

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council assembled under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1915.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber in Government House on Wednesday, the 13th December, 1916, at 11 A.M.

Present:

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble THOMAS DAVID, BARON CARMICHAEL OF SKIRLING, G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G., *Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, presiding.*

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. LYON, C.S.I., *Vice-President.*

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The Hon'ble MR. N. D. BEATSON BELL, C.S.I., C.I.E.

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The Hon'ble MR. S W. GOODE.

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The Hon'ble RAI PRIYA NATH MUKHARJI BAHADUR.

Oath or affirmation of allegiance.

The Hon'ble NAWAB BAHADUR OF MURSHIDABAD, K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., AMIR-UL-OMRAH.

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The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 1.

OATH OR AFFIRMATION OF ALLEGIANCE.

The Hon'ble Mr. Stevenson-Moore, the Hon'ble Mr. Goode and the Hon'ble Mr. Duval made an oath of their allegiance to the Crown.

Questions and Answers.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 2.

STARRED QUESTIONS.

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Landlords' fees under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

* 1. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state how the money deposited in the Collectorate for landlords' fees under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), is disposed of?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that money-order commission is realised from the depositors of landlords' fees for the transmission of money to landlords, but that in many cases the money is not so transmitted?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state what amount is in deposit under the head of Landlords' fees, and money-order commission, in the several district treasuries, and how it is intended to dispose of the same?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to Rules 24 to 28 of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act which were published with notification No. 11574 L.R., dated December 7th, 1914. By virtue of clauses (*3*) and (*4*) of section 189 of the Bengal Act these rules have the force of law.

(*b*) Yes. Sections 12, 13 and 15 of the Bengal Tenancy Act require the deposit of money-order commission in all cases falling within the scope of those sections. In cases in which there is more than one landlord and no common agent or manager the money-order commission is not used unless a joint application is made by the several landlords for payment to any individual. Steps have been taken to revise the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in order to make it clear that when landlords' fees have been forfeited, the money-order commission in deposit will be repaid on application to the depositor or his heirs.

(*c*) The compilation of the figures asked for would entail an amount of labour which would be out of proportion to their value. The following figures, however, show the extent to which landlords' fees have been paid out to landlords during the past three years :—

	Amount received.	Amount paid out	Percentage paid.
	Rs.	Rs.	
1913-14	... 1,53,653	93,306	60·72
1914-15	... 1,43,378	1,11,292	77·62
1915-16	... 1,63,552	1,04,416	63·84

In accordance with Rule 28 of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, all landlords' fees which cannot be paid out within three years of the service of the prescribed notice become liable to forfeiture and, on being declared to be forfeited, they are at the disposal of Government.

The amount of money-order commission which is held in deposit will remain in deposit until it is used as money-order commission or is returned on the application of the depositor or his heirs after the landlords' fees to which it relates have been forfeited."

By the Hon'ble MR. K. B. DUTT :—

Separation of Executive and Judicial functions.

* 2. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether any scheme for the separation of the executive and judicial functions has been submitted to the Government of this Presidency or to the public for criticism?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether any experiment has been made in this Presidency towards the separation of executive and judicial functions as outlined by Sir Harvey Adamson in his speech in the Imperial Legislative Council on the 27th March, 1908?

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(*c*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state the result of such experiment?

(*d*) If the answer to clause (*b*) be in the negative, will the Government be pleased to state whether the matter is at present under the consideration of the Government and, if so, when is the experiment likely to be tried?

Answer by the Hon ble MR. KERR :—

" The reply to the Hon'ble Member's questions is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR :—

The Calcutta Improvement Trust.

* 3. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the judgment of the Calcutta High Court in the case of *Chunder Kant Ghose* vs. *The Calcutta Improvement Trust?*

(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of directing or advising the Calcutta Improvement Trust to restore, on the usual terms of restitution, to the Corporation of Calcutta and to private owners all lands outside alignments, which had belonged to them and which have been taken possession of by the said Trust before the said judgment was pronounced

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are considering the introduction in the Legislative Council of any Bill, amending the existing Calcutta Improvement Act, and embodying provisions in connection with road and square schemes for the imposition of a frontage rate for recoupment owing to betterment, like that obtaining in London, Manchester and some states in America, in place of the method of recoupment by acquisition of selected outside lands hitherto adopted by the Calcutta Improvement Trust?

(*d*) Was there any reason for not embodying such provisions in the Bill which subsequently became Bengal Act V of 1911? If so, what were those reasons?

(*e*) Are the Government considering the desirability of introducing a Bill amending the existing Calcutta Improvement Act, containing a provision making it obligatory on the acquiring authority to award over and above the market value of the acquired property, the allowance of 15 per cent. on the same as provided for by the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 (I of 1894)?

(*f*) Are the Government aware that the judgment of the Calcutta High Court in the case of *Chunder Kant Ghose* vs. *The Calcutta Improvement Trust* has resulted in the diminution of work in the office of the Improvement Trust?

(*g*) If so, are the Government considering the desirability of directing the Calcutta Improvement Trust Board to reduce its present staff and establishment charges on that account?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative.

(*c*) & (*e*) The Government of Bengal are not at present prepared to make an announcement of their intentions.

(*d*) When legislation for the improvement of Calcutta was first proposed, provision was made for the imposition of a frontage rate, but this was vetoed by the Secretary of State.

(*f*) & (*g*) Orders have been issued for the temporary suspension of operations that would conflict with the ruling of Mukherji and Cuming, J.J., in the appeal from original decree No. 416 of 1916 (*Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta* vs. *Chandra Kanta Ghosh*). Up to the present no reduction of establishment has been necessary on this account."

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By the Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR :—

Proposed passenger station at Ultadinghi.

* 4. Will the Government be pleased to state whether it has been decided to proceed at once with the project of constructing and starting a passenger station at Ultadinghi on the Eastern Bengal Railway for the convenience of the public, as indicated in the memorandum of the Government of Bengal (Railway Department) No. 2256 R., of the 3rd December, 1914?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" It has been decided to defer consideration of the question of constructing a passenger station at Ultadinghi for the present.

In the meantime, to give a better passenger service to Northern Calcutta, the Railway authorities are considering the question of laying a new line to the north of Chitpur yard with stations at the Belgachia overbridge and the Barrackpore overbridge with a possible extension to Cossipore station."

By the Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR :—

Jessore Drainage Division.

* 5. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the Public Works Division, known as the Jessore Drainage Division, ceased to exist after it had completed its investigations and submitted its schemes for the drainage of the Jessore Division and other neighbouring malarious districts of the Presidency Division?

(*b*) Has the result of the labours of the Jessore Drainage Division been examined and approved by the Government?

(*c*) If so, what are the projects so approved as affecting the Jessore and Nadia districts?

(*d*) Have the Government passed any orders directing that the recommendation of the Jessore Drainage Division, as regards these two districts, be taken in hand immediately after the termination of the war?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) It would be incorrect to say that the Jessore Drainage Division has ceased to exist after completion of investigations into the drainage conditions of the Jessore and other districts of the Presidency Division. In 1912 the Government of India sanctioned the creation of this Division for a period of two years only. At the expiry of this period this Government reported to the Government of India that they had sanctioned the retention of the Division for a further period of two years for further investigations. The second period of two years ended on the 16th September, 1916, and the Division as a Public Works Division, has been closed with effect from that date in view of the shortage of superior staff of the Public Works Department owing to the absence of several officers on military duty. A temporary subdivision of the Nadia Rivers Division, to be called the Drainage Subdivision, has, however, been sanctioned for a further period of five months to continue certain investigations which are now in hand in the districts of Nadia and Murshidabad and to maintain the records of works hitherto in charge of the Jessore Drainage Division.

(*b*), (*c*) & (*d*) Reports on the investigations carried out in the Jessore district have been submitted to Government, and are under the consideration of Government, but no projects have been finally approved. It will be impossible to pass final orders on these projects until the complete report of the Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of Bengal on the subject of malaria in Bengal has been received."

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By the Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR :—

Cutting up of Zakariah Street.

* 6. (*a*) Are the Government aware of the circumstances in which Zakariah Street, which joins Chitpur Road to Halliday Street, and which was newly made by the Calcutta Improvement Trust and handed over to the Corporation of Calcutta a few months ago, has been cut up by the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation.

(*b*) Is it a fact that just before the transfer of the street to the Corporation of Calcutta, the Calcutta Improvement Trust inquired from the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation whether they intended cutting up any portion of the new street in the near future and that the reply was that they did not?

(*c*) Is it a fact that shortly after the transfer the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation cut up the whole street for the purpose of laying down underground cables?

(*d*) Is it a fact that the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation, the Oriental Gas Company and the Bengal Telephone Company, who are empowered by special legislative enactments to cut up public roads for their own purposes, do so without reference to the authority responsible for their maintenance?

(*e*) Are the Government aware that these bodies seldom restore the roads which they cut up to their original serviceable condition?

(*f*) Are the Government aware of the general complaint that the Corporation of Calcutta, who are responsible for the good order and condition of the public streets in Calcutta, are hampered by the action of the bodies referred to in clause (*d*) of this question?

(*g*) Are the Government considering the desirability of introducing measures for the amendment of the law with a view to give a controlling voice to the authority responsible for the maintenance of the city roads?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) & (*c*) Zakariah Street was transferred to the Calcutta Corporation by the Improvement Trust on the 16th August, 1916. The Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation wrote to the Corporation on the 8th September and expressed their intention of laying a main in Zakariah Street. A cable has been laid by the Company in the road, the footpath being also opened up for the execution of the work.

(*b*) The Improvement Trust wrote to the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation on the 17th February, 1913, pointing out that all underground work should be executed before the roads were metalled and calling on the Company to submit plans showing the position of any lines or mains which they proposed to lay down. The Electric Supply Corporation replied on the 27th March, 1914, giving an estimate of the cost of a system of overhead mains for Zakariah Street and other streets within Improvement Scheme No. 1. It was understood from the letter of the Company that there would be overhead wires, and that the Company would not require to lay underground cables. It was not, however, clearly stated in the correspondence that underground mains would not be laid. Copies of this correspondence are laid on the table.

(*d*), (*e*) & (*f*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to a reply given to a similar question by the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur at a meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 13th December, 1915, a copy of which is laid on the table.

(*g*) Government are not at present considering the amendment of the law on the subject."

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Letters referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble Mr. Donald to Question No. 6 (starred) asked by the Hon'ble Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.

No. 121.

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST,
ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT,
5, CLIVE STREET.
Dated 17th February, 1913.

TO THE CHIEF ENGINEER AND GENERAL MANAGER,
Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation, Limited.

DEAR SIR,

Herewith please find two prints showing the area, known as Scheme No. 1, with which the Trust are about to deal.

No. 1 shows the existing arrangement of streets, lanes, etc., and No. 2 shows the area as it will be after treatment; and I should be greatly obliged if you would show on plan No. 1 any existing overhead or underground lines and mains you may have within the area, and on plan No. 2, the position of any lines, or mains, you propose should be laid down to conform to the new arrangement of streets. I am anxious that all underground work should be carried out before the roads are metalled, and in preparing your estimate, which I should be glad if you will submit along with the plans, you might allow for the fact that no macadam will require replacing. As I am desirous of submitting my detailed estimate for the scheme at an early date, I should take it as a favour if you would go into the matter immediately.

Please show the position, old and new, of any transformer houses, main fuse or switch boxes.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Yours faithfully.

(Sd.) J. M.,
Deputy Engineer.

THE CALCUTTA ELECTRIC SUPPLY CORPORATION, LIMITED.

No. 3681.

8, DALHOUSIE SQUARE,
Calcutta, 27th March, 1914.

THE CHIEF ENGINEER,
Calcutta Improvement Trust,
Calcutta.

Re Scheme No. 1.

DEAR SIR,

Referring to your letter No. 121 of the 17th of February, 1913, and our letter No. 2488 of the 4th March, 1913, we would say that the cost of a system of overhead mains for the new streets of this scheme would be Rs. 24,525. The cost of 32 new overhead services would be Rs. 3,040. We send herewith plan No. 1676 showing the proposed arrangement.

With reference to the lighting of these roads, we have arranged the positions of the poles so that each pole could carry a light; the number required would be 49 lights.

The initial cost of a system of lamps fixed on to our poles, complete with mains and switches ready for lighting, would be Rs. 2,079, which is Rs. 42-7 per lamp.

The yearly maintenance cost of this system—estimating that each lamp would be of 64 British standard candle-power, which we think, is ample for these streets—would be Rs. 39-6 for a lighting year of 3,914 hours.

The positions of the lights are shown on our plan No. 1676.

Any further information we could give you on this matter we should be pleased to do so.

We are, etc.,

(Sd.)
Agent and Chief Engineer.

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By the Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY :

The Government visits to Darjeeling

* 7. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the year from which the Government of Bengal began its annual trip to Darjeeling?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*i*) the number of Gazetted Officers who accompanied the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal to Darjeeling during the three years previous to the opening of the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, and the offices which used to move to Darjeeling during that period;

(*ii*) the number of such officers and offices during the Lieutenant-Governorship of Sir Rivers Thomson, Sir Steuart Bayley, Sir John Woodburn Sir Andrew Fraser and Sir Edward Baker, as well as the number during the first four years of the administration of His Excellency Lord Carmichael?

(*c*) Will the Government also be pleased to state the expenditure incurred by Government, year by year on their move to Darjeeling during the periods referred to?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) Information is not available as to the exact year. Darjeeling has been the headquarters of Government during the hot weather for over 50 years.

(*b*) (*i*) The information is not available.

(*b*) (*ii*) & (*c*) A statement giving the expenditure so far as available is placed on the table. The figures include the offices of the Private Secretary and Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor. It may be noted that Heads of Departments who accompany the Government to Darjeeling do so at their own expense."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *to question No. 7 (starred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916, showing the number of Gazetted Officers and offices who accompanied Government to Darjeeling during the Lieutenant-Governorship of* SIR RIVERS THOMPSON, SIR STEUART BAYLEY, SIR JOHN WOODBURN, SIR ANDREW FRASER *and* SIR EDWARD BAKER *and the Governorship of His Excellency* LORD CARMICHAEL *and the expenditure incurred by Government, year by year, on their move to Darjeeling.*

	Year	Number of offices.	Number of gazetted officers	Cost.
				Rs.
Sir Rivers Thompson ...	...*	...*	...*	...*
Sir Steuart Bayley ...	1888	10	...*	33,158
	1889	11	...*	29,768
	1890	10	...*	29,780
Sir John Woodburn ...	1898	10	...*	43,971
	1899	11	...*	46,591
	1900	10	...*	60,227
	1901	12	...*	63,591
	1902	13	...*	67,913
Sir Andrew Fraser ...	1904	12	...*	98,616
	1905	7	...*	94,480
	1906	12	...*	98,446
	1907	13	...*	1,17,459
	1908	13	...*	89,945
Sir Edward Baker ...	1909	13	...*	1,02,20
	1910	11	...*	92,735
	1911	11	28	93 114
Lord Carmichael ...	1912	11	29	88,861
	1913	14	35	96,568
	1914	15	33	68,749
	1915	15	34	91,843

Figures not available

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By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Effect of cyclone and floods in September, 1916

* 8. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to make a statement as to the nature and extent of the damage caused by cyclone and floods in September last and during the Durga Pujas, in the various parts of the Province?

(*b*) Have the prospects of crops been prejudicially affected by the same? If so, to what extent?

(*c*) Has any distress resulted, or are there indications of impending distress in any part of the Province? If so, what is the estimated extent thereof in each area?

(*d*) What steps have been taken or are contemplated by Government for the purpose of meeting the situation?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) & (*d*) Damage was caused by floods in September and October in the Burdwan and Chittagong Divisions: the damage caused by cyclones, apart from the resulting floods, was not extensive.

For information regarding the Burdwan Division, the Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer to the question of the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur.

In the Chittagong Division damage was caused by floods in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali and in the Chittagong Hill Tracts.

In Tippera district breaches in the embankment of the Gumti river caused floods in an area of 100 square miles and the destruction of the transplanted winter rice crop on an area of about 50 square miles: the long-stalked rice was not badly damaged, but the extent of the damage to the winter rice crop as a whole in the flood-affected area was about 12 annas. This area has had good harvests in recent years and distress is not expected.

In Noakhali district the crops were totally destroyed in an area of about 35 square miles and were seriously damaged in a further area of 15 square miles: in the affected area a fairly good crop of autumn rice had been harvested in 1916, but the winter rice had been seriously damaged in the previous year, and distress is expected in March 1917. Rupees 4,500 was advanced under the Agriculturists Loans Act for the purchase of seed for *rabi* crops and *boro* rice, and together with the advances made by Co-operative Societies this sum is, in the opinion of the Commissioner, sufficient for the present: the situation is being carefully watched and provision is being made for further relief when it is required.

In the Chittagong Hill Tracts very extensive damage was done by floods to the lands under plough cultivation in the valleys, and in some places 12 annas of the winter rice crop has been destroyed: inquiry is still going on and the exact extent of the damage has not yet been ascertained. Distress is expected in April 1917 and provision is being made for giving relief when the situation makes it necessary."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Resistance to dacoits by the public.

* 9. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state in how many instances, and where, during the past three or four months, dacoits have been resisted or caught by the people of the locality without any aid from the police?

(*b*) In what manner were the dacoits and the people, respectively, armed, and what was their comparative numerical strength, approximately, in each case?

(*c*) What have been the resulting casualties, if any, among the people?

(*d*) Did any member of the public, on any of these occasions, display bravery which, in the opinion of Government, merits recognition? If so, will the Government be pleased to state the names of such persons, and the manner in which it is desired to signify approbation of their conduct, if at all?

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(*e*) Are the Government considering the desirability of encouraging such acts of bravery by :—

(*i*) instituting medals or other decorations for marking such acts, quite apart from rewards in any existing forms;

(*ii*) exempting such persons from the operation of the Arms Act, at least for a stated period as a trial; and

(*iii*) granting allowances or gratuities to the families of those persons who may be killed, or pensions to those who may be permanently disabled in skirmishes with dacoits?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) In the last four months dacoits have been resisted by the people of the locality in nine cases, viz , two each in Hooghly and Birbhum and one each in Murshidabad, Dinajpur, Faridpur, Tippera and Mymensingh.

(*b*) In three of these cases the dacoits were armed with guns and pistols and in the others with *lathis, daos or axes.* In two cases the villagers were armed with guns and in the rest with *lathis*, etc. In one case the numerical strength of the dacoits was about 30, in two cases between 15 and 20, in two cases between 10 and 12, and in four cases between 6 and 7. The number of villagers who resisted the dacoits cannot be given.

(*c*) Casualties occurred in two cases. In all, 6 persons were killed and 8 wounded.

(*d*) The villagers displayed conspicuous bravery in the Lalitasar dacoity in the Tippera district: five persons, viz., Purna Datta, Gaur Kishor Datta. Golamuddin, Hamidali Haji and a boy named Gadu Meah, were killed, and five, viz., Banga Pal, Jabbarali, Dula Mian, Tilakbir and Jan Muhammad, were wounded. Great courage was also displayed in the Parail dacoity in the Mymensingh district: three persons, viz., Gopal Chaukidar, Inchan Shaikh and Faizuddi Shaikh, were wounded while opposing the dacoits. In the Altara dacoity of the Hooghly district, the complainant (Nitai Ghosh) showed great bravery and shot one of the dacoits. The question of making provision for the families of the deceased villagers and of rewarding the wounded persons and others who took an active part in the pursuit of the dacoits is now under the consideration of the local officers.

(*e*) Government do not consider that the grant of medals and decorations or exemption from the provision of the Arms Act would be suitable forms of rewards in cases of this nature; but bravery in resisting dacoits would constitute a strong claim to the grant of an arms license. Government are always prepared to consider the question of making provision for persons who have been permanently disabled or for the families of persons who have been killed in resisting dacoits."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Overcrowding in jails

* 10. What steps have been taken to remedy the overcrowding in jails to which the report on the Bengal Jails, for 1915, drew attention?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" To prevent overcrowding, arrangements have been made for the erection of extra wards and sheds in some of the jails, and Government have made a special grant for the purpose. Eleven such sheds have been built up to date, and, in addition, certain worksheds and godowns have been altered and made suitable for the accommodation of prisoners. There has, within the last three months, been a steady decline in the number of prisoners confined, and at present there is no general pressure on accommodation."

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By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Proposed central committee for the Juvenile Jail.

* 11. Has any decision been arrived at regarding Lieutenant-Colonel Buchanan's proposal for the formation of a central committee, consisting of officials and non-officials, in Calcutta, for the Juvenile Jail, and also of local committees in the mufassal, having among other objects, that of helping juvenile convicts in securing suitable work after their release, and guarding them from relapsing into crime when restored to free life?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" The matter has been delayed owing to Lieutenant-Colonel Buchanan's absence on leave, but he is now dealing with it and will submit definite proposals as early as possible."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

"Special class" prisoners.

* 12. (*a*) With regard to the " special class " prisoners mentioned in the administration report on jails, will the Government be pleased to state what classes of prisoners are included in this term?

(*b*) What special precautions, if any, are taken in guarding the " special class " prisoners? Are they kept in solitary cells? Are fetters generally imposed on them for safe custody?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) ' Special class ' prisoners are prisoners convicted of or undergoing trial for offences of a political nature. This class does not include State prisoners or persons detained under the provisions of the Foreigners Ordinance (Act III of 1914), the Ingress into India Ordinance (Act V of 1914) or the Defence of India Act (Act IV of 1915).

(*b*) ' Special class ' prisoners are not specially separated from other prisoners, but a special watch is kept over their associates in jail and their correspondence. They are not kept in solitary cells, nor are fetters imposed on them for safe custody."

By the Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR :—

Complaints against the Lady Dufferin Hospital authorities.

* 13. (*a*) Are the Government aware of the several complaints that have been made against the management of the Lady Dufferin Hospital and against the way in which patients and their guardians are treated by the hospital authorities?

(*b*) Have the Government instituted any inquiry into the matter? If so, what has been the result of the inquiry?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" The answer to both parts of the question is in the negative. The Lady Dufferin Victoria Hospital, Calcutta, is not a Government Institution. Any complaints should be addressed to the Managing Committee of the Hospital."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Rules regarding admission and transfer of students in Eastern and Western Bengal.

* 14. (*a*) Are the Government aware that a notification, dated the 15th August, 1910, issued by the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam prescribing certain rules regarding the admission, withdrawal, rustication and expulsion of students is still in force in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions?

(*b*) If so, are the Government aware of the great divergence which subsists between these rules and those in force in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions?

(*c*) Is it a fact that under the rules referred to above, the students in Eastern and Northern Bengal are subjected to greater hardships and difficulties in getting transfers from one school to another and are, besides, compelled to pay the fees for an entire term both to the institution which they leave and the institution which they join in the midst of a term, as defined by such rules?

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(*d*) Are there any such terms for the schools in Western Bengal, and are the students in Western Bengal required in cases of transfers to pay such fees twice for the same period?

(*e*) Are the classes in the high and middle English schools numbered inversely in Eastern and Western Bengal? If so, are the Government aware that this causes confusion and are they taking any action to alter this arrangement?

(*f*) Are the Government considering the desirability of withdrawing the notification of the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam referred to above, and of placing the students in Eastern and Western Bengal on an equal footing and under the same conditions as regards admissions and transfers from one school to another, and also as regards the division of a session of a term, as well as the payment of fees consequent on any transfer or withdrawal?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"(*a*) & (*f*) It was intended to supersede the rules issued by the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam by those approved by this Government in letter No. 742, dated the 23rd March, 1916, of which a copy is laid on the table. The latter rules were, however found defective in some respects and their operation has been temporarily suspended in the Dacca Division. Their revision is under the consideration of the Director of Public Instruction.

(*b*) Government are aware of the divergencies between the Eastern Bengal rules and the rules issued in March, 1916, and their final co-ordination is under consideration.

(*c*) Under the Eastern Bengal rules, the school year is divided into three terms. A student transferred during a term is liable to payment of fees for the whole term to the school which he leaves, and a fee proportionate to the remaining period of the term to the school which he joins. The latter may be remitted by the Managing Committee.

(*d*) The school year has not been divided into terms in Western Bengal and there is consequently no such rule.

(*e*) Classes in middle schools in Western Bengal are numbered inversely as in Eastern Bengal, but there are different systems of numbering classes in high schools. It will not be possible to prescribe a uniform system of numbering until a revised and uniform curriculum is prescribed."

Rules for the admission and withdrawal of pupils in schools referred to in the answer by the HON'BLE MR. HORNELL *to Question No. 14 (starred) asked by the* HON'BLE BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

No. 742, dated Calcutta, the 23rd March, 1916.

From—THE HON'BLE MR. K. C. DE, C.I.E., I.C.S., Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department,

To—The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

I AM directed to forward herewith a revised set of rules for the admission and withdrawal of pupils in schools in this province, duly approved by Government.

RULES FOR THE ADMISSION AND WITHDRAWAL OF PUPILS.

[NOTE 1.—These rules are applicable to all public schools, *i.e.*, schools which adopt standards prescribed by the department or by the University and which either are inspected by, or present pupils at the public examinations of, the department or the University.

2. "Department" means, in the case of middle and primary schools, the Deputy Inspector of Schools and, in the case of other schools, the Inspector of Schools. In the case of girls' schools, for "Inspector" read "Inspectress" and for "Deputy Inspector" or "Sub-Inspector" read "Assistant Inspectress."

3. The school session is the same as the calendar year, but for pupils permitted to appear at the Matriculation Examination, the session ends in the month in which the first day of that examination falls.]

SECTION I.

Primary Schools.

1. When a pupil seeks admission for the first time to a public school, his parent or guardian shall accompany him and shall declare

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in writing that he has never before attended any public school. He shall also produce evidence (such as a horoscope) of the pupil's age or shall declare in writing that he can produce no evidence in which case he shall record in writing the true age of the pupil to the best of his knowledge and belief. The age shall be recorded in years, months and days, calculated according to the English method.

2. A pupil who has attended a public school shall not be admitted to another public school except on production of a withdrawal certificate (Appendix A). In such cases, the pupil's parent or guardian shall accompany him or shall provide him with a letter of application for admission.

3. Withdrawal certificates obtained from schools from which scholarship rights have been withdrawn shall not be accepted unless they have been countersigned by the Deputy Inspector of Schools.

4. A pupil shall not, on admission, be placed in a class higher than that which his withdrawal certificate shows him to be entitled to enter.

5. A withdrawal certificate shall not be granted to a pupil except on payment of all sums due on his account up to the date of application for the certificate. If the pupil withdrew from the school without written notice before such date he shall be required to pay all sums due on his account up to the date of such withdrawal and may in addition be required to pay the class fees for the period between such date and the date of application for a withdrawal certificate or for a period of three months whichever shall be less.

6. Applications for withdrawal certificates shall be made by the parent or guardian of a pupil either personally or by letter. On the day of receipt of an application, the head teacher shall either grant a certificate or inform the applicant in writing of his reasons for refusing a certificate together with a statement of dues in detail. No fee shall be charged for the grant of a certificate.

7. All questions arising from these rules shall be referred to the Sub-Inspector of Schools, from whose decision an appeal may be made to the Deputy Inspector. The latter's decision shall be final.

8. Wilful transgression by a school of any of these rules will render it liable to forfeit the right to present candidates at the departmental scholarship examinations.

SECTION II.

Schools other than primary.

1. When a pupil who has never attended any public school, seeks admission for the first time to a public school, other than a primary school, his parent or guardian shall, if possible, accompany him and shall declare in writing that he has never before attended any public school. He shall also produce evidence (such as a horoscope) of the pupil's age or shall declare in writing that he can produce no evidence, in which case he shall record in writing the true age of the pupil to the best of his knowledge and belief. The age shall be recorded in years, months and days, calculated according to the English method. If it is not possible for the parent or guardian to accompany the pupil, a person authorized on that behalf in writing shall do so.

2. A pupil who has attended a public school shall not be admitted into another public school except on production of a withdrawal certificate (Appendix A or B). If the certificate is in the form given in Appendix B, both original and duplicate copies must be presented. He shall also produce a letter of application for admission from his parent or guardian stating the condition of his residence.

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3. The statement of age contained in a certificate obtained from a primary school may be called in question and the parent or guardian of the pupil may be required to produce evidence or to make a declaration in the manner prescribed in rule 1.

4. A pupil who presents a withdrawal certificate from a school from which scholarship rights have been withdrawn or from a school from which he has been expelled, shall not be admitted without the sanction of the department.

5. Without the sanction of the department a pupil shall not be admitted who presents a certificate in which the date of withdrawal is not less than six months previous to the date of application for admission.

6. Without the sanction of the department a pupil shall not be admitted between the Puja vacation and the end of the session if he presents a withdrawal certificate granted more than a month previous to the date of application for admission.

7. Except at the commencement of a session no pupil shall be admitted with a certificate of withdrawal from any school within a radius of three miles without the sanction of the department.

8. No pupil shall be provisionally admitted without the sanction of the Inspector of Schools.

9. On admission, a pupil shall be required to pay an admission fee equivalent to one month's fee of the class into which he is admitted. (Sons and wards of Government officers whose application for admission is due to the transfer of their parents and guardians are exempt from the payment of an admission fee.)

10. A pupil whose name has been struck off the roll on account of non-payment of fees, may be readmitted—

(*i*) in the month following that in which his name has been struck off on payment of all sums due to the school together with a fine of eight annas in the case of a middle school, or a fine of one rupee in the case of any other school ;

(*ii*) in any other month on payment of all sums due to the school together with an admission fee equivalent to one month's fee of his class.

11. A pupil shall not, on admission, be placed in a class higher than that which his withdrawal certificate shows him to be entitled to enter, except with the sanction of the department. Every application for such sanction shall be accompanied by a report from the headmaster of the result of an admission test.

12. Pupils who, before admission, have not attended any public school, shall undergo an admission test. No such pupil shall be placed in a class higher than the 4th class of a high school without the sanction of the Inspector.

13. No pupil who has attained the age of fourteen years shall be admitted into any class of a Government high school below the fourth without the sanction of the Inspector. Sanction will ordinarily be given as a matter of course in the case of middle vernacular scholarship-holders and also in the case of members of the backward classes when there is no high school under private management in the neighbourhood.

14. A pupil shall not be promoted to a higher class after admission under the foregoing rules and before the next annual class examination except with the sanction of the department.

15. No pupil who has failed at the test examination of any public school shall be admitted from another school to the next ensuing matriculation examination.

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16. Every application for a certificate of withdrawal shall be made in writing to the headmaster by the pupil's parent or guardian. The headmaster shall within three days of receipt of the application, either grant the certificate or inform the applicant in writing of the reasons for refusal.

17. A certificate shall not be refused except for one or more of the following reasons :—

(*i*) The pupil has been rusticated.

(*ii*) The pupil has been guilty of gross misconduct. (The fact that a pupil has been expelled shall not be adduced as a reason for refusal. The certificate shall state that the pupil has been expelled).

(*iii*) The withdrawal is sought on account of disciplinary action taken by the masters of the school.

(*iv*) The sums due on account of the pupil up to the date of withdrawal together with the certificate fee, if any, have not been paid.

(*v*) The withdrawal will occur between the Puja vacation and the end of the session.

(*vi*) The pupil is a Government scholarship-holder.

No certificate shall be granted in cases (*i*) and (*vi*) except with the sanction of the department.

In case (*v*) a certificate shall not be granted till after the publication of the results of the annual class examination except for special reasons and with the sanction of the department.

Cases of refusal under (*i*), (*ii*) and (*iii*) shall be immediately reported by the headmaster to the department. The applicant may represent his case to the department in such cases and also if a certificate is not issued within three days of the payment of dues to the school. The decision of the officer to whom the representation may be made shall be final.

18. When a pupil of one of the two senior classes of a high school has held a scholarship, free studentship or half-free studentship under express stipulation in writing, signed by himself and his father or guardian that the whole or a portion of the sum drawn by, or remitted to, him, shall be refunded to the school in case of withdrawal from it within a certain period, the amount so claimed shall be included in the sums due on account of the pupil for the purpose of the preceding rule provided it does not exceed the amount actually drawn or remitted.

Special rules which are in contravention of the preceding rule shall not be recognized by the department unless they are agreed to *in writing* both by pupils and by their parents or guardians.

19. If it appears—

(*a*) that the granting of a certificate is being unnecessarily delayed, or

(*b*) that a lengthy correspondence is likely to take place before a settlement can be arrived at, or

(*c*) that a certificate is being refused on inadequate grounds,

a provisional certificate may be given by the department on the condition that the pupil's parent or guardian undertakes to pay whatever sum may be subsequently determined by the department to be due to the school from which the pupil has been withdrawn. In case of (*c*) action will at once be taken under rule 29.

20. The date of withdrawal of a pupil is the date on which his name is struck off the roll. A pupil's name shall be struck off the roll—

(*a*) on the last day of the month for which fees (including late payment fines) have not been paid, except in cases of rustication for more than a month, when the name shall not be struck off for non-payment of fees until the last day of the third month of rustication, or the last day of rustication if the rustication be for a period of less than three months, or

(*b*) on the day on which all sums due on his account are paid preparatory to withdrawal (with or without a certificate).

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21. The following fees shall be payable when the date of withdrawal comes under the definition contained in rule 20 (*b*) :—

(*i*) Nil when the date of withdrawal is at the close of the session.

(*ii*) When the date of withdrawal is not at the close of the session, an amount equivalent to one month's fees provided the date of withdrawal does not fall between the Puja vacation and the end of the session.

(*iii*) In addition to the fee under (*ii*) an amount equivalent to the fees payable up to the end of the ensuing vacation if the date of withdrawal falls in a month immediately preceding a recognized vacation of more than 15 days' duration and the withdrawal is not consequent upon the transfer of the parent or guardian of the pupil nor is due to the ill-health of the pupil.

(*iv*) An amount equivalent to the fees payable up to the end of the session if the date of withdrawal falls between the Puja vacation and the end of the session.

(NOTE.—Sons and wards of Government officers whose withdrawal is due to the transfer of their parents or guardians are exempt from payment of these fees.)

22. When the date of withdrawal comes under the definition contained in rule 20 (*a*) the fee for a withdrawal certificate shall be an amount equivalent to a month's fees of the class of which the pupil was a member together with the amount, whichever is greater, (*a*) that would be payable under rule 21 if the date of payment of all sums due were the date of withdrawal, or (*b*) that would be payable under rule 21 if it applied to the date of withdrawal to which this rule refers.

23. No pupil shall be sent up for the Matriculation examination who is not eligible for a withdrawal certificate on the date on which the examination begins.

24. Government scholarship-holders are required to pay the same withdrawal and admission fees as other students. The transfer of scholarships requires the sanction of the department under the scholarship rules.

25. Withdrawal certificates shall be in triplicate and marked "original," "duplicate," "triplicate." The triplicate and duplicate copies will be retained in the issuing and receiving school respectively. The original shall be returned to the issuing school after a pupil's admission and shall be attached to the triplicate copy. The pupil's name as entered on the certificate shall not be altered at the time of admission, but shall be entered in the admission register for future reference.

26. Copies of the original and duplicate withdrawal certificates may be granted on receipt of a fee of one rupee, provided the original has not been returned to the issuing school.

27. All questions arising between one headmaster and another respecting the enforcement of these rules shall be referred as soon as possible to the department. The decision of the Inspector shall be final.

28. If a pupil be found to have produced a false document or to have made a false statement as to his attendance at any school he shall be reported to the Inspector of Schools who shall award a suitable punishment.

29. Any departure from these rules in particular instances shall require the sanction of the Inspector of Schools.

30. Wilful transgression or attempted evasion of any of these rules shall render a school liable to the withdrawal of scholarship rights.

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APPENDIX A.

[To be printed in vernacular.]

CERTIFIED that _____,

son of _____,

an inhabitant of _____, in thana _____,

and in district _____, was in $\frac{\text{standard}}{\text{class}}$ $\frac{\text{(Western Bengal)}}{\text{(Eastern Bengal)}}$ _____,

of the _____ school up to _____ and left with _____ a _____ character.

Date on which name struck off the roll.

His age on that date is believed to have been _____ †

years _____ † months _____ † days.

† In words and figures.

All sums due to the school have been paid. He $\frac{\text{has}}{\text{has not}}$ passed the annual examination for promotion to $\frac{\text{standard}}{\text{class}}$ $\frac{\text{(Western Bengal)}}{\text{(Eastern Bengal)}}$

Date *Head Teacher.*

_____ School $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\frac{\text{Government}}{\text{District Board}}\\ \frac{\text{Municipality}}{}\\ \text{Aided by } \left\{\begin{array}{l}\text{Government}\\ \text{District Board}\\ \text{Municipality}\end{array}\right.\\ \text{Unaided}\end{array}\right.$

Village _____ P.-O. _____

District _____

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APPENDIX B.

[To be printed in triplicate and kept in a book.]

CERTIFIED that _____

son of _____

an inhabitant of _____, in district of _____

was in class _____ of the { Government / District Board / Municipality / Aided by { Government / District Board / Municipality / Unaided } } school up to _____

* Date of withdrawal.

His age on that day is believed to have been _____

† In words and figures.

years _____† months _____† days.

All sums due to the school on his account have been paid.

He $\frac{\text{has}}{\text{has not}}$ passed the annual examination for promotion to $\frac{\text{standard}}{\text{class}}$ $\frac{\text{(Western Bengal)}}{\text{(Eastern Bengal)}}$ _____

(*a*) Reasons for leaving the school _____
(state if "failure of promotion" has been put forward as a reason).

(*b*) Remarks as to character and conduct _____.

(*c*) Character of attendance _____

Date *Head Master.*

P.-O. _____.

District _____.

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Subordinate Educational Service.

* 15. (*a*) Are the Government aware of the complaint that the Education Department is receiving less attention than any other department as regards the pay and prospect of the officers in the subordinate service?

(*b*) Is it a fact that not long ago assistant teachers in Government institutions, like the Dacca Collegiate School and the Krishnagar Collegiate School, were appointed on an initial pay of Rs. 10 or Rs. 11 per month and there were circle *panditś* appointed on Rs. 9 a month?

(*c*) Is it a fact that teachers in the Lower Subordinate Service of the Education Department are being appointed on an initial pay of Rs. 15 to Rs. 20 a month?

(*d*) Is it a fact that clerks, with inferior qualifications in other departments, *e.g.*, in the Collectorates, Civil Courts, Police offices, etc., are being appointed on an initial pay of Rs. 30 a month?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"(*a*) The answer is in the negative.

(*b*) No such appointment at these rates of pay has been made at the institutions named or others of similar status within the last ten years.

(*c*) Teachers appointed to the lowest grade of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service are appointed on an initial pay of Rs. 15—1—20. Undergraduates are, however, given Rs. 25—1—30 a month and graduates Rs. 35—2—45 as initial pay.

(*d*) It is a fact that clerks in certain Government offices are being appointed on an initial pay of Rs. 30 per mensem; but Government are not prepared to express an opinion as to whether men appointed to such posts are superior or inferior to any other men appointed to any other class of appointments."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Pay and prospects of teachers in Government service.

* 16. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to paragraph 181 of the Report of the Bengal District Administration Committee for the year 1913-14, and to the Report of Mr. Gunn, Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, as contained in the Report on Public Instruction in Bengal for the year 1914-15 calling attention to the pay of teachers in Government service and the prospects of their promotion?

(*b*) If so, what steps have the Government under consideration to remedy the condition of the Lower Education Service?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"(*a*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*b*) The question of improving the position of teachers in Government and aided high and middle schools is engaging the attention of the Local Government in consultation with the Government of India. The following allowances were sanctioned with effect from the 1st January, 1915, at a total cost of Rs. 33,120 per annum :—

(*i*) A local allowance of Rs. 50 per mensem each to the Head Masters and Head Mistresses of Government high English schools (including the Anglo-Persian Departments of Government Madrassahs) who belong to the Subordinate Educational Service.

(*ii*) A local allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem each to the Assistant Head Masters and Assistant Head Mistresses of Government high English schools (including the Anglo-Persian Departments of Government Madrassahs) who belong to the Subordinate Educational Service.

(*iii*) A local allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem each to the Head Masters and Head Mistresses of Government middle English schools.

(*iv*) A local allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem to the Head Masters and Head Mistresses of Government middle vernacular schools.

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By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Pay of teachers in secondary English schools.

* 17. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the remarks of the Conference of Directors of Public Instruction held at Allahabad in 1912, and also to the Government of India's scheme, of January, 1913, in regard to the secondary English schools, providing a scale of pay from Rs. 40 to Rs. 400 for the teachers in the Education Department?

(*b*) If so, what steps have the Government taken or are they taking to give effect to this scheme?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member probably refers to a conference held at Allahabad in 1911, but this question does not appear to have been raised at that conference. There was no such conference at Allahabad in 1912. The Government of India's Resolution of the 21st February, 1913, to which, presumably, the Hon'ble Member also refers, has received the full attention of this Government.

(*b*) The proposals of this Government with regard to the improvement of the pay of teachers in secondary English schools are now before the Government of India."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Private tuition by teachers in Government service.

* 18. Is it a fact that subordinate teachers in Government service as well as in aided schools in Eastern Bengal are prohibited from supplementing their pay by private tuition for more than one hour a day?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" The instructions issued by the Director of Public Instruction regulating private tuition by teachers who are in Government service contain a provision that they will ordinarily not be permitted to undertake private tuition for more than one hour a day. These instructions apply both to Eastern and Western Bengal. There are no rules relating to aided schools."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

The case of Nagendra Kumar Guha Ray.

* 19. (*a*) Is it a fact that one Nagendra Kumar Guha Ray, an assistant teacher in the Raj Kumar Jubilee School at Noakhali, has been interned or arrested for internment?

(*b*) Is it a fact that he had received a certificate of good character from the Commissioner of the Division three weeks before his arrest and a similar certificate from the Magistrate of the district two months earlier?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) & (*b*) The answers are in the affirmative."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Death of a prisoner in Mymensingh jail.

* 20. (a) Is it a fact that one Sanjib Chandra Ray was imprisoned in the Mymensingh Jail?

(*b*) Is it true that while so confined the said Sanjib Chandra Ray was stricken with typhoid fever accompanied with bronchitis and delirium?

(*c*) Is it a fact that his father on receiving information of his son's illness applied both to the Magistrate of the district as well as to the Government to remove him to his house or to the Government Hospital for proper medical treatment, promising to return him to the jail after his recovery?

(*d*) Is it a fact that the said Sanjib Chandra Ray was not restored to his father and that he subsequently died in the Mymensingh Jail?

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(*e*) Is it a fact that his father was not allowed to remain by his side on his death-bed and that his dead body was not restored to his father for the purpose of cremation?

(*f*) Will the Government be pleased to make a full statement with regard to the above allegations, and, if the facts are as alleged, say under whose orders, and under what rules, the case was dealt with?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), (*e*) & (*f*) The facts of this case are as follows :—Sanjib Chandra Ray was convicted on the 8th July, 1916, of an offence under the Arms Act at Kishoreganj and sentenced to two years' rigorous imprisonment. He was received in the Mymensingh Jail on the 12th July. He had slight fever on the 8th August and was admitted into hospital on the following day. There was no reason to anticipate any serious consequences until the evening of the 20th August, when a sudden rise in temperature occurred and the man's breathing became laboured and frequent. The Civil Surgeon, who is also Superintendent of the Jail, examined him on the morning of the 21st and found that he had diffused bronchitis. Every care and attention were given in the case. The patient was fed on special nourishing food to keep up his vitality and all possible medical help was administered. He appeared to be progressing favourably, but succumbed suddenly on the 27th August.

The father of Sanjib Chandra Ray first applied for an interview with him on the 13th August after Sanjib Chandra Ray's admission into hospital. The Additional Magistrate gave permission for an interview to take place on the 14th August. The father did not appear on that day, but on the 16th August he filed another petition praying for an interview. This petition was also granted and the interview took place. On the 18th August another petition was filed by the father, in which he asked that in view of his son's illness he should be permitted to see him twice daily and to stay with him for at least two hours at each interview. This application was refused by the Additional Magistrate, as under rules 679 and 1198 of the Jail Code, interviews of this nature are permissible only in the case of prisoners who are dangerously ill or moribund, and on the 18th August there was no reason to anticipate that Sanjib Chandra Ray's illness would prove fatal. No further request for an interview was made by Sanjib Chandra Ray's father, but a few days later he applied to the Magistrate for permission to take his son out of the jail to a local hospital or nursing home. This petition was rejected, as there is no provision in the Jail Code authorising the removal of a prisoner from jail under these circumstances. Moreover, as Sanjib's illness was due to acute inflammation of the lungs, absolute rest was necessary, and removal from the jail would probably have been followed immediately by fatal results. On the 23rd August Sanjib's father telegraphed to Government, asking for the removal of his son to the General Hospital or to his brother's house at Mymensingh. This telegram was sent to the District Magistrate for disposal, and the petitioner was instructed by telegram to apply to the Magistrate. On the 25th August he sent another telegram to Government, stating that the Magistrate had refused his application on the ground that he was unable to sanction release under the Jail Code. The Magistrate was then asked to report the facts of the case by telegram, and he wired on the 27th August to say that the prisoner had died of pneumonia that morning.

As regards the cremation of the body, the Jail Superintendent reported to the Additional Magistrate, on the 27th August, that he apprehended a demonstration if the body were made over to the relatives. The Additional Magistrate, following the instructions of Government for dealing with such cases, issued orders that the cremation should take place within the jail and that the relatives should be allowed to attend. The relatives were duly informed of this order but did not attend the cremation, although it was postponed to the evening in order to give them full opportunities of doing so.

A full enquiry was made by the Divisional Commissioner, and Government are satisfied that the action taken by the Jail authorities and the Additional Magistrate was in compliance with the provisions of the Jail Code and the orders of Government dealing with cases of this kind."

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By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Proceedings under the Defence of India Act.

* 21. (*a*) Upon whose initiative are proceedings under the Defence of India Act usually taken?

(*b*) Is it a fact that these proceedings are usually based upon informations supplied by spies and by the officers of the Criminal Investigation Department?

(*c*) Are written copies of charges supplied to the arrested persons and explanations in writing taken from them before an order of internment is passed against them?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Usually on the initiative of superior officers of the Police, subject to certain administrative guidance.

(*b*) It is not a fact that such proceedings are usually based on information supplied by spies and C.I.D. officers. On the contrary, there is a large quantity of material, both documentary and oral, on which such action is based.

(*c*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer already laid on the table to Question No. VII (unstarred) of the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Faridpur and the river Padma.

* 22. (*a*) Are the Government aware that the town of Faridpur is seriously threatened by the river Padma and that the railway line below Faridpur station has been breached causing great hardships and inconvenience to the public?

(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of causing a diversion line from somewhere above Shivarampur before the next rainy season?

(*c*) Are there any grounds for the belief that the present temporary station at Govindpur is likely to be washed away before the next rainy season?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) The Eastern Bengal Railway line has been breached about a mile from Faridpur railway station and a temporary station has been opened at a distance of about 1¼ miles from the nearest part of the town.

(*b*) The question of building a diversion line is being considered by the Eastern Bengal Railway Administration. A final decision has not yet been arrived at.

(*c*) The river has stopped cutting for the present and further damage is not anticipated before next rains. It is not possible to forecast now what further damage may occur during next rainy season."

By the Hon'ble MR. A. RASUL :—

Election to the Bengal Legislative Council by the special Muhammadan electorate of the Presidency Division.

* 23. (*a*) Is it a fact that at the last election of a member by the Special Muhammadan electorate of the Presidency Division the voting papers of electors Nos. 339 and 356 did not reach the office of the Returning Officer and were not, therefore, counted by him at the time prescribed for the counting of votes?

(*b*) If this is correct, what steps have been taken to ascertain whether these two electors actually recorded their votes?

(*c*) If they did record their votes, what became of their voting papers?

(*d*) If the votes were actually recorded and the voting papers have been destroyed or misplaced, are the Government considering the desirability of setting aside the election?

(*e*) If the two voting papers have been lost, what steps have been taken by the Government against the Attesting Officers at whose offices the votes were recorded, with a view to prevent the destruction and loss of voting papers in future?

(*f*) Is it a fact that the Sub-Registrar of Dumuria did not attend office on the 5th June, 1916, the last date for the recording of votes?

(*g*) Is it a fact that Abdul Bari Sardar (elector No. 904) made an affidavit before the Sadar Subdivisional Officer of Khulna, to the effect that on the 5th

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June, 1916, he called at the Dumuria Sub-Registrar's office to record his votes, but could not do so on account of the absence of the Sub-Registrar, who did not come to the office until the 6th June, 1916?

(*h*) Is it a fact that the vote of Abdul Bari Sardar could not be recorded in time for the want of an Attesting Officer? If so, are the Government considering the desirability of recording the vote now?

(*i*) Is it a fact that the Sub-Registrar of Khulna refused to record the vote of Abdul Bari Sardar unless he was identified by two senior pleaders or a landlord?

(*j*) Is it a fact that the names of Abdur Rahim Molla and Muhammad Raziuddin Ali were printed twice in the same list of electors, that two voting papers were issued to each of them, and that two votes were recorded by each of them?

(*k*) If this is correct, are the Government considering the desirability of cancelling one of the votes at least of each of these electors and ordering a recount of the votes obtained by the candidates?

(*l*) Is it a fact that the Joint Sub-Registrar of Khulna refused to accept the identification of certain *Mukhtars*, and that one of the said *Mukhtars* felt so aggrieved at this that he submitted a petition to the District Magistrate of Khulna?

(*m*) Is it a fact that a pleader's clerk and two *Mukhtars*, one after the other, presented themselves before the Joint Sub-Registrar of Khulna to identify Abdur Rahim Molla and Bishu Molla (electors Nos. 950 and 1019), but that he refused to accept their identification and consequently the votes of these two electors could not be recorded at Khulna?

(*n*) Is it a fact that subsequently one of these electors, named Abdur Rahim Molla, was brought to Calcutta by one of the candidates, and as he had received two voting papers, he recorded two votes in favour of the same candidate?

(*o*) Is it a fact that the Sub-Registrars of Sealdah and Alipore, who were Attesting Officers, had votes recorded in the presence of identifiers and others, and did not supply envelopes to the electors for the purpose of enclosing their voting papers, as is prescribed by the rules?

(*p*) Is it a fact that when it was known that votes were being recorded in this manner a protest was made to the Sub-Registrar of Sealdah and apprehension was expressed that unless the votes were recorded in a screened place, as required by the rules, and voting papers were enclosed in envelopes by electors themselves, they might be tampered with or misplaced, but that no notice was taken of the protest?

(*q*) Are the Government considering the desirability of cancelling the votes recorded at Sealdah and Alipore? Is it not a fact that it is laid down in the instructions relating to elections that "Neglect on the part of the elector to comply with any of these instructions shall render the vote invalid"? If so, are the Government considering the desirability of declaring the election null and void?

(*r*) Is it a fact that the Sub-Registrars of Sealdah, Alipore, Kushtia, Chuadanga and Kandi canvassed for one of the candidates and dissuaded some of the electors from recording their votes in favour of the other candidates?

(*s*) Will the Government be pleased to state how the election will be affected if the irregularities referred to in the above question are found to be true?

(t) Are the Government taking any steps to prevent the recurrence of such irregularities and corrupt practices as are set forth in the above questions?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR:

"These questions deal with the validity of an election held under the authority of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

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The validity of the election was brought in question at the time and the Governor in Council dealt with the matter in accordance with the procedure laid down in Regulation XVI of the said Regulations.

The Government are not prepared to make any statement in Council on the subject."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Periodical floods in the Burdwan Division.

* 24. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state what measures, if any, have been suggested by the Superintending Engineer of the Burdwan Circle in order to prevent the periodical floods which occur in the several districts of the Burdwan Division?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the amount of damage done to property by the recent floods in the several districts of the Burdwan Division in relation to—

(*i*) standing crops,
(*ii*) dwelling-houses, and
(*iii*) cattle?

(*c*) Has there been any loss of human life owing to the recent floods?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to state the measures adopted for the relief of the flood-stricken people?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

"(*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given by me to starred Question No. 5 at the Council Meeting of the 12th January, 1916. The measures suggested by the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle, may briefly be stated as follows :—

(*i*) The excavation of an escape channel from the 38th mile of the Chetua Circuit embankment to the 5th mile of the Rupnarain right embankment.
(*ii*) The improvement and extension of the Hoorhoora Khal.
(*iii*) The retirement of the Baksi Khal embankment at the Rupnarain end and the widening of the Khal.
(*iv*) The construction of a short channel at Kharia on the Gaighatta Khal to join with the Ghispati Khal.
(*v*) The construction of reservoirs in the catchment of Barakar river to hold up a portion of the Damodar flood.
(*vi*) The declaration of certain areas under section 6 of the Embankment Act.

(*b*), (*c*) & (*d*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the information contained in the Press *communiqué* of October 19, 1916, a copy of which is laid on the table."

COPY OF PRESS COMMUNIQUE REFERRED TO IN THE ANSWER BY THE HON'BLE MR. GREEN TO QUESTION NO. 24 (STARRED) ASKED BY THE HON'BLE RAI MOHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR AT THE COUNCIL MEETING OF THE 13TH DECEMBER, 1916.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

AGRICULTURE.

PRESS COMMUNIQUE.

GOVERNMENT have received reports from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, which contain the following particulars regarding the

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effects of the floods which occurred at the end of September and the beginning of October in the Burdwan Division :—

(*i*) DAMODAR FLOOD.—The total area affected is 127 square miles, but only 23 square miles, comprising 20 villages, have been seriously affected. There was no loss of human life, and the loss of cattle was not considerable. About 3,000 houses collapsed. The damage to the rice crop in the affected area is estimated at about four annas. The crops were not submerged for more than twenty-four hours. No relief measures have been found necessary in this area.

(*ii*) AJAY FLOOD IN BURDWAN DISTRICT.—The total area affected is 157 square miles, comprising 169 villages, in 87 of which the damage is reported as being serious. Two people (a leper and an old woman) and 114 head of cattle were drowned, and 18,114 houses belonging to 9,671 house-holders were destroyed. The damage to the rice crop in the affected area is estimated at eight annas. In many places the crops were submerged for four or five days continuously with the result that they were destroyed.

(*iii*) AJAY FLOOD IN BIRBHUM DISTRICT.—The total area affected is 68 square miles, comprising 113 villages, in 20 of which the houses have been almost completely destroyed. There was no loss of human life, but about 300 head of cattle, in addition to large numbers of sheep and goats, are reported to have been drowned. The number of houses destroyed is estimated at 15,000.

In the greater part of the flooded area in Birbhum district the water subsided after two or three days, but in a small area the crops were submerged for four or five days and were destroyed. Deposits of sand left by the flood have also done considerable damage in Birbhum district.

(*iv*) SELYE FLOOD IN GHATAL SUBDIVISION OF MIDNAPORE DISTRICT.—The total area affected is between 20 and 30 square miles, and the winter rice crop is expected to have been totally destroyed in an area of about 10 square miles. There was no loss of human life or of cattle, and very few houses were destroyed, as the country is very liable to floods and the houses are built on high ground. On account of high tides, and the flood and the Damodar, the water did not flow off for seven days. It is expected, however, that where the winter rice has been destroyed it will be possible to grow *boro* rice, and as last year's crops were good, no relief has been found necessary at present.

2. The flood in the Ajay reached its highest level on 23rd September in the day time, and the people had sufficient warning to enable them to take refuge on the roofs of their houses ; otherwise the loss of life would have been serious. While the flood remained high, the people in the area affected by the Ajay suffered very severely from exposure to the weather and want of food, and the absence of boats made it very difficult to convey relief.

3. All possible measures for relieving the distress were taken by the Collectors of Birbhum and Burdwan, who received full assistance from other officials and from private persons, and no time was lost in organizing relief. The Collector of Midnapore visited and inspected the affected area in his district. Allotments of Rs. 1,00,000 for loans and of Rs. 20,000 for gratuitous relief have been made by Government in Burdwan district, and of Rs. 30,000 for loans and Rs. 10,000 for gratuitous relief in Birbhum district. These sums have been supplemented by private subscriptions, and grants of Rs 8,000 from Babu Joy Govind Law's Fund and of Rs. 3,000 from Babu Ram Lal Mukherji's Fund, which are held at the disposal of Government for giving relief on such occasions as this, have been placed at the disposal of the Commissioner.

DARJEELING. L. BIRLEY,

The 19th October, 1916. *Secretary to the Government of Bengal.*

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By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Cattle-poisoning in Bengal.

* 25. (*a*) Are the Government aware of the large number of cases of cattle-poisoning occurring in Bengal?

(*b*) Are the Government taking any action in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) The number of such cases reported in Bengal during the years 1912, 1913, 1914 and 1915 was 302, 337, 259 and 275, respectively, and the number of persons convicted during the same period was 73, 109, 81 and 108, respectively. The figures for the current year are not at present available, but Government are not aware of any abnormal increase in this form of crime.

(*b*) Government do not propose to take any special action in the matter."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Proposed revival of Middle School Final Examination.

* 26. Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have come to any decision as regards reviving the public examination at the end of the Middle School Course?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"The matter was discussed at a conference of educational officers held in November 1915, and is now under the consideration of the Director of Public Instruction."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Syllabus of Primary and Middle Courses in Schools.

* 27. (*a*) Have the Government under consideration any scheme for revising the syllabus of the following courses—

(*i*) Lower Primary,
(*ii*) Upper Primary,
(*iii*) Middle Vernacular, and
(*iv*) Middle English?

(*b*) If not, will the Government be pleased to state whether they contemplate taking up this matter at an early date?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"(*a*) & (*b*) The matter is at present under the consideration of the Director of Public Instruction."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Constitution of Union Committees.

* 28. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement regarding the constitution of all Union Committees established up to date, showing the number of members elected and appointed in each case?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"A statement is placed on the table showing the constitution of all Union Committees established up to 29th November, 1916, and the number of members elected and appointed in each case."

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Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *in his Answer to Question No. 28 (Starred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916, showing the constitution of all Union Committees established up to 29th November, 1916, and the number of members elected and appointed in each case.*

Name of District.	Name of Union.	Number of Members—		
		Elected.	Appointed.	Total.
Burdwan ...	Memari	...	6	6
	Ahmadpur	...	6	6
	Mankar	...	9	9
	Baidyapur	...	9	9
	Bagnapara	...	9	9
	Srikhanda	..	9	9
	Sribati	..	9	9
Birbhum ...	Bolpur	...	9	9
	Bistupur		9	9
	Dubrajpur	...	9	9
	Nalhati	...	9	9
	Rampurhat	6	3	9
	Raipur	6	3	9
	Paikar	...	9	9
Bankura ...	Kotalpur	...	7	7
	Palasdanga	...	7	7
	Pakhanna	...	7	7
Midnapore	Contai	...	9	9
	Jura	...	9	9
	Panskura	...	9	9
	Pingla	...	9	9
	Danton	...	9	9
	Pandua	...	9	9
	Balagar	...	9	9
	Boinchee	...	9	9
	Dhaniakhali	...	9	9
	Dhobapara	...	9	9
Hooghly ...	Guptipara	...	9	9
	Chanditola	...	7	7
	Janai	...	7	7
	Haripal	...	9	9
	Sheakhala	...	9	9
	Bali	...	7	7
Howrah ...	Amta	6	3	9
	Bagnan	6	3	9
	Domjur	6	3	9
	Jagatballabpur ...	6	3	9
	Uluberia	6	3	9
24-Parganas	Itinda	...	9	9
	Jadurhati	...	9	9
	Rahuta	...	7	7
	Madrail-Narainpur ...	...	7	7
	Rajibpur	...	5	5
	Malikberia	..	5	5
	Diamond-Harbour ...	...	9	9
	Hajipore	...	9	9
	Magrahat	...	9	9
	Mollarchak	...	9	9
	Boral	...	9	9
Nadia ...	Muragacha	...	9	9
	Kissenganj	...	7	7
	Chandanga	...	7	7
	Poradah	...	7	7

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Name of District.	Name of Union.	Number of Members— Elected.	Appointed.	Total.
Murshidabad.	Panchtupi	...	9	9
	Mirzapur	...	9	9
	Patkabari	...	5	5
	Aurangabad	...	9	9
	Choa	...	8	8
Jessore ...	Bongaon	...	7	7
	Jhenidah	...	9	9
	Harinakundu ...	...	9	9
	Kalia	...	9	9
	Magura	...	9	9
	Itna	...	9	9
	Narail	...	9	9
Khulna ...	Senhati	...	9	9
	Daulatpur	...	9	9
	Dumuria	...	9	9
	Bagerhat	...	9	9
	Mulghar	...	9	9
	Nawapara	...	9	9
	Kalaroa	...	9	9
	Magura	...	9	9
	Goalpara	...	9	9
	Phultala	...	9	9
Faridpur ...	Rajbari	4	3	7
	Pangsa	4	3	7
	Baliakandi	4	3	7
	Sibchar	4	3	7
	Palong	4	3	7
	Bhanga	4	3	7
	Bhusna (Boalmari) ...	3	2	5
	Meghna	3	2	5
	Jamalpur	3	2	5
	Rajoir	4	3	7
	Dakhinbari	3	2	5
Dacca ...	Subhadya	6	3	9
	Kalatia	6	3	9
	Teghuria	6	3	9
	Nawabganj	6	3	9
	Sripur	6	3	9
	Jinardi	6	3	9
	Kaliganj	6	3	9
	Dhamrai	6	3	9
	Tetuljhora	6	3	9
	Panchdona	6	3	9
	Mahespur	6	3	9
	Lebutala	6	3	9
	Srinagar	6	3	9
	Fatulla	6	3	9
	Aminpur	6	3	9
	Shekharnagar	6	3	9
	Rajnagar Saidpur ...	6	3	9
	Rasunia	6	3	9
	Hasara	6	3	9
	Ichhapura	6	3	9
	Birtara	6	3	9
	Syamsidhi	6	3	9
	Sholaghar	6	3	9
	Bhagyakul	6	3	9
	Haldia	6	3	9
	Betka	6	3	9
	Abdullapur	6	3	9
	Dhipur	6	3	9

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Name of district.	Name of Union.	Number of Members— Elected.	Appointed.	Total.
Dacca—*concld.*	Autshahi	6	3	9
	Kalma	6	3	9
	Mirkadim	6	3	9
	Bajrajogini	6	3	9
	Char Kewar	6	3	9
	Hasail	6	3	9
	Baherak	6	3	9
	Char Silai	6	3	9
	Baira	6	3	9
	Hatipara	6	3	9
	Balla	6	3	9
	Garpara	6	3	9
	Saturia	6	3	9
	Munshiganj	6	3	9
	Manikganj	6	3	9
	Mirpur	6	3	9
Tippera ...	Laksam	...	5	5
	Sarail	...	5	5
	Nabinagar	...	5	5
	Akhaura	...	5	5
	Matlab	...	5	5
	Hajiganj	...	9	9
	Gandharbapur ...	...	8	8
Noakhali ...	Lakhipur	.	6	6
	Hatia	...	6	6
	Sandip	...	6	6
	Feni	...	6	6
Bogra ...	Santahar	...	7	7
	Hilli	...	7	7
	Jaipurhat	...	7	7
	Sonatala	...	7	7
	Chandanbari	...	7	7
	Dupchanchia	...	7	7
Rangpur ...	Sadyapuskarni ...	...	9	9
	Gobindaganj	...	9	9
	Mahimaganj	...	8	8
	Haripur	...	7	7
	Chilmari	...	9	9
	Gaibandha	...	7	7
	Gopalpur	...	5	5
	Badarganj	...	9	9
	Ulipur	...	9	9
	Nilphamari	...	9	9
	Bhotemari	...	5	5
	Dimla	...	9	9
	Domar	...	9	9
	Kishorganj	...	9	9
	Kurigram	...	9	9

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Representation of Union residents in Union Committees.

* 29. Are the Government considering the desirability of directing that in Union Committees constituted under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act two-thirds of the members shall be elected by the residents of the Union?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"The practice of Government, when new Unions are established, is to direct that two-thirds of the members shall be elected by the residents of the Union, unless there is reason to believe that the Union is not sufficiently

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advanced for the elective system. Inquiries will be made whether the same system can be introduced in Unions in which all the members are at present appointed when their present term of office expires."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Alleged insanitary condition of Berhampore Sluice.

* 30. (*a*) Are the Government aware of the present insanitary condition of the Berhampore Sluice on the Bhagirathi Embankment which is in close proximity to the Sadar Hospital, Berhampore in the district of Murshidabad?

(*b*) Are the Government in possession of any report made by the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, or the Executive Engineer, Nadia Rivers Division, on the subject?

(*c*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a copy of the report and state what action has been taken in this connection?

(*d*) If no report has been received, are the Government considering the desirability of directing the District Magistrate to hold an inquiry into the matter in consultation with the Engineer concerned?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

"(*a*) & (*b*) Yes.

(*c*) The Executive Engineer has proposed the following improvements :—

(1) opening out two man-holes in the arch in the compound of the Mission House,

(2) straightening the channel from the sluice to the Berhampore road culvert and making the bottom and sides *pucca*.

The Superintending Engineer in his letter No. 3700 G., dated 28th June, 1916, has reported as follows :—

'The length of the Berhampore channel from the river to the bhil is 2,200 feet. The first 400 feet is the entrance channel and then there is the sluice, the barrel of which is 225 feet long below the Strand Road and the compound of the Mission Boarding. The barrel in the countryside is open and in the riverside is provided with a screw-gear shutter. After this barrel there is an open channel 125 feet long and then follows a municipal road culvert with a long underground barrel having *pucca* houses on each side of the road. After this culvert there is about 900 feet of open channel with irregular bed and side slopes, running in a zigzag way, having *pucca* and *kutcha* houses on the banks. The channel receives the washings from various municipal drains which stagnate throughout the whole year, till the channel receives its flushing by the admission of river water during the silting operation of the bhil. The barrel being underground, long and dark, it is very difficult to clear the silt. It is for this reason, as well as for ready examination of the barrel, that some improvement is considered to be necessary.'

(*d*) The proposal is receiving the consideration of Government."

UNSTARRED QUESTIONS

(*The answers to which were laid on the table.*)

By the Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHANDRA MITTER :—

Expenditure on excavation and repair of tanks and repairs to hospitals by District Boards.

I. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing :—

(*i*) the total income of the District Boards in Bengal for the years 1913-14, 1914-15 and 1915-16;

(*ii*) the amount spent by them during the said three years—

(*a*) in the excavation of new tanks,

(*b*) in the repair of old tanks, and

(*c*) under the head of "Hospitals and Dispensaries";

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(*iii*) what percentage of the total income has been spent during these three years on the head mentioned in clause (*ii*); and
(*iv*) the closing balances of the District Boards for the said three years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to the Resolutions of this Government reviewing the Reports on the working of the District Boards in Bengal for figures showing their income and closing balances for the years 1913-14 and 1914-15. A statement giving the other information asked for is laid on the table."

Statement referred to by the HON'BLE MR. DONALD *in his answer to Question No. I (Unstarred) asked by the* HON'BLE MR. PROVASH CHANDRA MITTER *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

DISTRICT BOARDS.	*Amount spent on the excavation of new tanks during			Amount spent on the repairs of old tanks during			Amount spent on hospitals and dispensaries during		
	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.
BURDWAN DIVISION.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan	...	14,380	18,727	...	...	35	29,763	35,829	46,406
Birbhum	...	78	340	6,703	413	...	5,880	8,164	12,600
Bankura	...	...	1,02,052	300	2,240	590	6,473	8,275	9,911
Midnapore	6,588	4,253	241	21,251	2,222	879	7,086	18,813	22,931
Hooghly	...	...	...	4,665	7,603	8,918	13,370	20,245	21,687
Howrah	2,055	13,423	7,710	388	360	334	8,964	10,748	16,214
Total ...	8,643	32,134	1,29,070	33,307	12,838	10,666	71,536	1,02,074	1,29,749
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.									
24-Parganas ...	4,969	24,814	31,281	1,893	1,747	5,230	16,384	17,738	21,322
Nadia	...	...	...	...	29	200	7,949	12,173	19,015
Murshidabad ...	...	...	...	668	7,933	4,340	7,220	11,770	14,023
Jessore	11,347	17,721	21,463	170	431	772	18,431	15,899	18,567
Khulna	22,419	21,991	24,781	838	1,124	1,170	22,699	20,243	23,935
Total ...	38,735	64,526	77,525	3,569	11,264	11,712	72,683	77,823	96,862
DACCA DIVISION.									
Dacca	9,544	15,659	16,098	449	413	678	21,726	50,140	47,986
Mymensingh ...	886	4,941	7,973	313	1,870	1,238	31,084	25,231	65,965
Faridpur	27,538	33,352	30,289	4,269	4,275	4,456	12,703	12,539	16,270
Bakarganj	13,926	11,232	8,608	3,292	6,455	333	45,763	56,273	43,808
Total ...	51,894	65,184	62,968	8,323	13,013	6,705	1,11,276	1,44,183	1,74,029
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.									
Chittagong	...	...	...	14,645	42,433	63,145	16,840	25,694	29,554
Tippera	23,107	41,830	79,972	242	409	760	16,562	22,834	20,153
Noakhali	2,300	46,560	32,244	1,278	1,802	12,073	12,858	14,448	14,990
Total ...	25,407	88,390	1,12,216	16,165	44,644	75,978	46,260	62,976	64,697
RAJSHAHI DIVISION.									
Rajshahi	7,654	20,519	21,421	116	184	166	10,591	13,235	13,936
Dinajpur	1,097	1,093	5,069	...	...	...	12,755	16,369	12,801
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,038	10,344	10,085
Rangpur	...	...	...	5,022	3,331	2,146	21,899	43,010	35,279
Bogra	...	...	...	2,686	9,288	4,649	6,494	9,334	12,678
Pabna	797	1,241	1,006	142	106	20	5,366	5,600	10,674
Malda	1,215	2,730	2,563	53	79	...	9,189	12,750	15,384
Total ...	10,763	25,583	30,059	8,119	12,988	6,981	73,332	1,10,642	1,10,837
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,35,442	2,75,817	4,11,838	69,483	94,747	1,12,042	3,75,087	4,97,698	5,76,174

* Excluding wells.

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District Boards.	Percentage of income spent on the excavation of new tanks.			Percentage of income spent on the repairs of old tanks.			Percentage of income spent on hospitals and dispensaries.			Total income in 1915-16.	Closing balance in 1915-16.
	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.		
										Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan Division											
Burdwan	...	2·24	2·95	...	...	·005	5·45	5·59	7·32	6,34,052	3,01,100
Birbhum	...	·03	·13	2·71	·18	...	2·38	3·54	4·93	2,55,570	74,972
Bankura	...	...	22·39	17	1·3	11	3·8	4·8	2·18	4,55,667	15,284
Midnapore	1·09	·74	·04	3·53	·39	·16	1·17	3·29	4·18	5,48,734	3,22,503
Hooghly	...	...	...	1·4	2·52	2·96	4	6·71	7·13	3,01,512	89,591
Howrah	·85	6·6	3·75	·12	·18	·16	3·7	5·26	7·88	2,05,697	25,808
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,01,232	8,29,258
Presidency Division.											
24-Parganas... ...	·94	4·1	4·72	·36	·29	·79	3·1	2·94	3·22	6,62,688	6,03,003
Nadia	...	...	...	...	·01	·06	2·69	4·44	5·92	3,21,181	97,059
Murshidabad ...	...	...	...	·25	3·26	1·69	2·75	4·84	5·46	2,59,735	1,08,781
Jessore	3·11	5·53	7·11	·05	·13	·25	5·52	4·96	6·11	3,02,059	59,247
Khulna	6·8	6·78	8·09	·25	·35	·88	6·88	6·24	7 82	3,06,080	23,535
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,48,743	8,91,625
Dacca Division.											
Dacca	2·11	4·18	3·82	·1	·11	·16	4·81	13·41	11·38	4,21,676	1,29,444
Mymensingh ..	·11	·59	·96	·04	·23	·15	3·78	3·04	7·96	8,28,693	3,96,668
Faridpur	9·05	12·71	9·38	1·4	1·63	1·38	4·11	4·78	5·04	3,22,632	43,100
Bakarganj	2·16	1·75	1·45	·51	1·01	·05	7·11	8·7	7·38	5,93,498	33,821
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,66,409	6,03,033
Chittagong Division.											
Chittagong	...	...	...	3·5	10·98	17·22	4·03	6·41	8·06	3,66,667	1,28,792
Tippera	5·78	10·7	17·39	·06	·01	·17	4·14	5·84	4·38	4,59,803	1,02,966
Noakhali	·68	13·89	10·86	·38	·54	4·03	3·81	4·31	5·02	2,96,866	1,04,474
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,23,336	3,36,232
Rajshahi Division.											
Rajshahi	2·36	6·4	6·83	·04	06	·05	3·27	4 13	4·44	3,13,729	82,708
Dinajpur	·33	·34	1·47	...	...	...	3·81	5·17	3 71	3,44,701	82,152
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·37	3·6	3	3,35,639	1,27,235
Rangpur	...	..	...	·93	·68	·41	4·08	8·74	6·71	5,25,684	1,82,315
Bogra	...	...	...	1·27	4·67	2·31	3·06	4·68	6·3	2,01,324	36,707
Pabna	·29	·49	·4	·05	·04	·008	2	2·21	4·22	2,50,574	1,25,328
Malda	·55	1·4	1·24	·07	·04	...	4·5	6·53	7·47	2,05,880	52,939
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,77,531	6,89,384
Grand Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97,17,251	33,49,532

By the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta :—

Dacoity in village Lalitashar Tippera.

II. (*a*) Are the Government aware that there was a serious dacoity committed in village Lalitashar, within police-station Muradnagar, in the district of Tippera, in September last?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the villagers, although unarmed, made an effort to capture the dacoits, who were armed with revolvers, and chased them for a long distance?

(*c*) Is it a fact that in the fight which ensued, no less than five villagers were shot dead, and many more wounded and maimed for life?

(*d*) Is it a fact that the villagers succeeded in securing one of the dacoits who met his death at their hands?

(*e*) Is it also a fact that the five villagers who have laid down their lives, and the others who have been disabled for life, were the bread winners of their respective families?

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(*f*) Will the Government be pleased to state what reward, gratuity or allowance, if any, has been granted by the Government in recognition of the services of these villagers and for making provision for their children and relatives?

(*g*) If nothing has been done in the matter, will the Government be pleased to say whether they are considering the desirability of making such grants as may appear to them to be suitable.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) & (*b*) The answers are in the affirmative.

(*c*) Five villagers were shot dead and five were wounded, two of them seriously. The wounded men were removed to hospital and they have since recovered and returned to their homes.

(*d*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*e*) Four of the five villagers who were killed and all the men who were wounded were cultivators or labourers with families. The fifth person killed was a boy 13 years of age.

(*f*) & (*g*) Proposals on the subject have recently been received from the local officers and are now under consideration. In the opinion of Government the pluck and determination shown by the villagers in this case are deserving of full and liberal recognition."

The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA asked the following SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTION :—

With reference to the answers given to clauses (*f*) and (*g*) of my question, will the Government be pleased to state when the proposals referred to were received from the local officers?

The Hon'ble MR. LYON said :—

" The proposals in question were first received about a month ago. They were considered insufficient. Government therefore returned the proposals to the local officers for reconsideration. They have been further revised and are now, I believe, on the point of final acceptance."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Dismissal of a Police officer.

III. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the case of Babu Durgadas Datta who was Sub-Inspector of Police in the district of Chittagong and who was dismissed by the Superintendent of Police of that district on the 4th September, 1915, on the report of Babu Srish Chandra Sarkar, officiating Inspector of Police?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the said Babu Durgadas Datta, in his explanation questioned the report of the Inspector as maliciously false and attributed it to personal animosity and prayed for an inquiry by the Superintendent of Police or by any other responsible officer?

(*c*) Is it a fact that the Superintendent of Police at first promised to make an inquiry, but that later on he changed his mind for reasons which have not been communicated to the Sub-Inspector, and declined to make an inquiry as to the truth of the charge made against the Sub-Inspector?

(*d*) Is it a fact that no inquiry has been made by any officer and no opportunity has been given to the Sub-Inspector to disprove the allegations made against him, and that he has been condemned merely on the verbal information said to have been given to the Inspector by some persons whose names were not disclosed by the Inspector, although that officer was taken to task for this non-disclosure by the Deputy Inspector-General of Police?

(*e*) Is it also true that the Inspector himself did not allege that he made any inquiry as to the truth of the information upon which the Sub-Inspector was dismissed?

(*f*) Is it a fact that the whole charge against the Sub-Inspector was that an entry in his diary of the 15th June, 1915, to the effect that he had made a

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local inquiry into a case of drowning was false, and that in point of fact he made the inquiry at the police-station?

(*g*) Is it a fact that the Inspector himself accepted the report of the Sub-Inspector about the drowning case as correct and that the District Magistrate disposed of the case accordingly?

(*h*) Is it a fact that it is admitted by all parties concerned that it was a true case of drowning and that there was no suggestion of any corruption or bribery on the part of the Sub-Inspector?

(*i*) Is it a fact that the Sub-Inspector has got a record of twenty-four years' good and loyal service in the Police Department?

(*j*) Have the Government before them any proposal for a mitigation of the punishment accorded to the Sub-Inspector to something less than dismissal from service?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Government have received a memorial on this subject from Babu Durgadas Datta. No appeal lies to Government against the orders passed by the Inspector-General of Police but Government have examined the record of the case, and are satisfied that there is no reason to interfere. Government are not prepared to make a statement in this Council regarding the details of the case."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Internments under the Defence of India Act.

IV. (*a*) Have the Government considered, or are they considering, the advisability of the appointment of an Advisory Board for determining all questions of internment under the Defence of India Act, as suggested in a memorial submitted by the Indian Association?

(*b*) Are the Government providing for the education of interned students in those cases in which their guardians and parents are prepared to meet the cost of their education?

(*c*) Are the Government taking any steps for the reformation of young and impressionable *détenus* beyond mere detention?

(*d*) Do the Government take the parents and guardians of young and impressionable suspects into their confidence, and warn them as soon as the police begin to suspect that their children or wards, as the case may be, are inclined to go astray, and ask them to take particular care of such children or wards?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The Council may rest assured that Government give full consideration to all proposals made with regard to the Defence of India Act, and will not hesitate to adopt any change in procedure which may seem to them likely to be productive of good. At the present moment there is no intention on the part of Government to act on the lines suggested by the Indian Association.

(*b*) In a few cases this has been permitted.

(*c*) & (*d*) Action is now being taken in both these directions. Reformation is the chief object of the measures which are being adopted."

The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA asked the following SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTION :—

With reference to the answers given to clauses (*c*) and (*d*) of my question, will the Government be pleased to state from what date action has been taken in the direction indicated?

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The Hon'ble MR. LYON said :—

"I think the Hon'ble Member should give notice of that question."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Internments under the Defence of India Act.

V. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing :—

(*a*) the number of persons who have been dealt with under the Defence of India Act in Bengal since the passing of the Act up to December, 1915, and the number of persons so dealt with since December, 1915, up to date;

(*b*) the number of persons proceeded against for actually acting in a manner prejudicial to the public safety;

(*c*) the number of persons proceeded against for being about to act in a manner prejudicial to the public safety;

(*d*) the number of persons proceeded against for actually acting in a manner prejudicial to the defence of British India;

(*e*) the number of persons proceeded against for being about to act in a manner prejudicial to the defence of British India;

(*f*) the number of persons interned, district by district?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) The figures are contained in a statement (A) which is laid on the table.

(*b*), (*c*), (*d*) & (*e*) It is considered undesirable in the public interest to give any reply to these questions.

(*f*) The figures are contained in a statement (B) which is laid on the table."

Statement (A) referred to in the answer by the HON'BLE MR. KERR *to question No. V (unstarred) asked by the* HON'BLE BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

Number of persons *at present* in domicile against whom orders were passed between May 1915 and 31st December, 1915	...	...	36
Away from home	...	...	23
With relatives	...	...	13
Number of persons *at present* in domicile against whom orders were passed between January 1916 and 1st December, 1916	...	...	443
Away from home	...	...	336
With relatives	...	...	107
Total number of persons *at present* in domicile	...	...	479

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STATEMENT (B) REFERRED TO IN THE ANSWER BY THE HON'BLE MR. KERR TO QUESTION NO. V (UNSTARRED) ASKED BY THE HON'BLE BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA AT THE COUNCIL MEETING OF THE 13TH DECEMBER, 1916.

Statement showing home districts of detenus, of those against whom orders were passed up to the 1st December, 1916.

Calcutta	59
24-Parganas	29
Khulna	11
Jessore	16
Nadia	16
Murshidabad	3
Howrah	34
Hooghly	12
Birbhum	1
Bankura	3
Midnapore	3
Burdwan	6
Dacca	71
Faridpur	58
Bakarganj	14
Mymensingh	39
Tippera	54
Noakhali	7
Chittagong	6
Chittagong Hill Tracts	—
Rajshahi	2
Rangpur	—
Bogra	—
Malda	4
Pabna	24
Darjeeling	—
Dinajpur	—
Jalpaiguri	—
Punjab	1
Assam	3
Bikanir State	1
Bihar and Orissa	1
Asiatic Turk	1
Total ...	479

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Internments under the Defence of India Act.

VI. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether, in the case of persons interned under the Defence of India Act, it is the invariable practice to formulate definite charges in writing against the suspects?

(*b*) Are all the grounds of suspicion mentioned categorically in the written charge?

(*c*) What is the rank of the officer who draws up the charge?

(*d*) Is there any foundation for the impression that the suspect is asked merely to give full information as to his antecedents, and all that he knows about other suspects?

(*e*) Is the suspect allowed an opportunity of disproving the allegations made against him, and of clearing his character? If so, what time, if any, is ordinarily allowed to him for this purpose?

(*f*) Is each suspect asked to make a written statement?

(*g*) If an oral statement is taken, is it reduced to writing?

(*h*) If so, by an officer of what rank is this done?

(*i*) Is the suspect required to sign the oral statement when it has been reduced to writing?

(*j*) If not, are the Government considering the desirability of this being done?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*), (*b*) & (*c*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to the question asked by the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar on the 4th September, 1916, which was as follows :—

' In the case of each suspect who is interned under the Defence of India Rules he is informed generally as to the allegation made against him, and is asked to state what he has to say in answer to them.'

Charges are not reduced to writing.

(*d*) It is not the case that the suspect is merely asked to give the details mentioned in the question.

(*e*) The suspect is allowed an opportunity; no time-limit is imposed.

(*f*) Each suspect is now invited to make at his option a written statement for submission to Government.

(*g*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*h*) Ordinarily by gazetted officers.

(*i*) & (*j*) In every case he is given an opportunity to sign his statement when it has been reduced to writing; but no compulsion is used. In most cases he does elect to sign. Government do not think it necessary to compel him."

The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA asked the following SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTION :—

With reference to the answer given to clause (*f*) of my question, will the Government be pleased to state from what date the procedure that each suspect is invited to make a written statement, has been introduced.

The Hon'ble MR. LYON said :—

" I must ask the Hon'ble Member kindly to give notice of this question."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Case of internment of Nagendra Kumar Guha Ray.

VII. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the case of the *détenu*, Nagendra Kumar Guha Ray?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the order of internment was passed against him without an opportunity being given to him to submit an explanation?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*b*) It is not the fact. An opportunity was given to him to submit an explanation, and he took advantage of that opportunity."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Internments under the Defence of India Act

VIII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that there is a widespread feeling throughout Bengal that people are being interned upon most insufficient materials?

(*b*) Are the Government also aware of a feeling throughout Bengal that in many cases the police first make an arrest under section 54 of the Code of Criminal Procedure and that, failing to discover any evidence, they, as a last resort, take action under the Defence of India Act?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*). Government are aware that there is a feeling to this effect in Bengal among many people. Government are also aware that there is also a feeling among many other people in Bengal to the opposite effect.

(*b*) Government are not aware of the existence to any great extent of this feeling; in any case, if such a feeling exists, it is not justified in fact."

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By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Floods in the Tippera district.

IX. (*a*) Are the Government aware that there was a disastrous flood in the district of Tippera in October, 1916, owing to breaches in the embankments of the Gumti river?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing :—

(*i*) the area affected by the flood;
(*ii*) the area of agricultural land so affected;
(*iii*) the area of that portion of the affected land on which paddy crop was standing at the time of the flood and which was destroyed by the same;
(*iv*) the total value of the crop damaged;
(*v*) the total damage to houses and other property?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that there was a flood in the preceding year also due to the same cause?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement with respect to this last mentioned flood, also giving all the particulars indicated in clause (*b*) of this question?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) Yes.
(*b*) (*i*) One hundred square miles.
(*ii*) Eighty square miles.
(*iii*) Fifty square miles.
(*iv*) Roughly estimated at Rs. 6 lakhs.
(*v*) Not serious.
(*c*) Yes.
(*d*) The flood of 1915 was in a different area.
(*i*) Fifty square miles.
(*ii*) Nearly 50 square miles.
(*iii*) Nearly 50 square miles.
(*iv*) Roughly estimated at Rs. 1½ lakhs.
(*v*) Small."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Breaches in the Gumti Embankments.

X. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state on how many occasions there have been breaches in the Gumti embankments during the last ten years which have resulted in floods?

(*b*) Was there destruction of crops on each of these occasions?

(*c*) Was the damage on each of these occasions approximately of the same magnitude as that caused by the floods of 1915 and 1916?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) The following is a statement of the breaches in the Gumti embankments which are on record.

In 1906, a year of exceptional rainfall, there were high floods with several breaches.

In 1909 there was a bad breach which affected the railway.

In 1913 there were no breaches above the Assam-Bengal Railway bridge, but the right embankment, where it had been lowered and demolished but re-erected, was breached in four places.

In 1914 there were two breaches in the left and three in the right embankment in the Paitkara and Gangamandal estates, respectively.

In 1915 there were two breaches in the right embankment above the Assam-Bengal Railway bridge and four breaches below it.

In 1916 there were two breaches above the Assam-Bengal Railway bridge and one below it. There were also several breaches in the right bank within the Gangamandal estate in that section of the embankments which had been partly demolished and lowered in the year 1892.

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(*b*) There was destruction of crops in 1913, 1915, 1916. There is nothing on record as regards destruction of crops in the other years.

(*c*) No; the floods of 1915-16 appear to have caused more damage than in any previous year."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

The Gumti embankments.

XI. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a rough estimate of the total loss to the raiyats during the last ten years by the destruction of crops in the flooded area due to breaches in the Gumti embankments?

(*b*) Is it a fact that experts have recorded an opinion that the embankments are no longer sufficient to afford protection against floods even in years of normal rains?

(*c*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the opinions that have been expressed that chances of breaches in the Gumti embankments are steadily increasing from year to year and that there is good reason to believe that the consequent flood will be an annual visitation?

(*d*) Are the Government aware that there is a feeling of insecurity and helplessness amongst the agricultural population of a large tract of country at the prospect of breaches occurring every year in the Gumti embankments?

(*e*) Have the Government instituted inquiries—

(*i*) as to the causes of the successive floods, and

(*ii*) as to the chances of floods increasing year after year?

(*f*) Are the Government aware that the town of Comilla is in danger of being flooded if any breach occurs near the town on the town side of the river?

(*g*) Is it a fact that the town of Comilla has very narrowly escaped inundation on several occasions?

(*h*) Is it a fact that in 1910 the Superintending Engineer of the Eastern Circle expressed his deliberate opinion that there was no doubt that unless steps were taken, it was only a question of years before the town would be flooded, as the Gumti was slowly but surely rising and would continue to do so?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) No estimate has been made except for 1915 and 1916, in which years the damage is estimated at Rs. 1½ lakhs and Rs. 6 lakhs, respectively. No estimate is possible of the damage done in the lower reaches of the river by breaches of the bunds in Paitkara and Gangamandal parganas. The breaches of these bunds are frequent and are looked upon as ordinary incidents of the rainy season.

(*b*) No record can be traced of any expert opinion that the embankments no longer afford protection against floods in the years of normal rainfall.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) As is usually found in the case of an agricultural population living beside an embanked river, fed from hill torrents, there is a feeling of considerable apprehension during periods of excessive rain.

(*e*) to (*h*) Yes."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Gumti embankments.

XII. (*a*) How long has the Gumti embankment question been under the consideration of the Government?

(*b*) In what year, for the first time, was the gravity of the situation first brought to the notice of the Government?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether any expert opinion has been recorded that it is possible to control the floods and that the evils arising from the Gumti embankment are not irremediable?

(*d*) In what year was it first decided by the Government that immediate steps should be taken to solve the Gumti embankment problem?

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(*e*) How many conferences of Government experts and other Government officials have been held for the solution of the said problem?

(*f*) What various schemes have been propounded by Government experts to control the Gumti floods ever since the question has engaged the attention of the Government?

(*g*) Have any of the schemes been tried?

(*h*) If so, what are the schemes which have been tried?

(*i*) If not, will the Government be pleased to state the reasons why no steps have yet been taken?

(*j*) When did the Government first have under consideration the abandonment of the Gumti embankment? Have the Government come to any final decision about it?

(*k*) When did the proposal of providing escape for discharge of surplus water come under the consideration of the Government?

(*l*) Is it a fact that this proposal has had the approval of expert opinion for some time past?

(*m*) Is it a fact that the proposal has not been carried out on account of the initial costs of the escapes and of the necessary channels?

(*n*) Is it a fact that the Agent of the Assam-Bengal Railway expressed an opinion in 1910 that the control and maintenance of the bunds were such as to invite disaster?

(*o*) Is it a fact that he urged that some definite policy should be decided upon as soon as possible?

(*p*) Is it a fact that in 1912, the Agent of the Assam-Bengal Railway reiterated his indictment against the authorities responsible for the construction and control of the bund, and complained of the complete want of any definite scheme for controlling the river Gumti and the continued absence of any decision in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) The embankments on the Gumti were not constructed by, nor are they the property of, Government. The embankments on the upper reaches belong to His Highness the Raja of Hill Tippera, who has undertaken by a special agreement to keep them in repair to the satisfaction of Government. The embankments on the lower reaches belong to other private zamindars. Although all these embankments are private property, Government have all along endeavoured to see that they are so managed as to do as much good and as little harm as possible. The records show that Government have made these endeavours from 1845, and probably from an earlier date.

(*b*) This is not apparent from the records.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) This is not apparent from the records.

(*e*) Three, within recent years, and probably many before.

(*f*) The main schemes which have been suggested are—(*1*) the construction of retired lines of embankment, (*2*) the construction of escapes, (*3*) the construction of reservoirs to hold up a portion of the Gumti flood.

(*g*), (*h*) & (*i*) Some retired lines have been constructed. The other schemes involve grave difficulties—engineering, financial and administrative—and have not yet been attempted.

(*j*) Sir Henry Harrison, in his account of the action of the Government in dealing with embankments since the Permanent Settlement, stated: 'In Tippera the embankments on the Gumti were abandoned in 1845 and the result was also reported to be satisfactory.' The records show, however, that the embankments were still in existence (perhaps reconstructed) in 1881. In 1884 Colonel McNeile, then Chief Engineer, Bengal, proposed to demolish certain lengths of the embankments on the right bank of the river. This proposal was not accepted in full but in 1890-92 the embankments on the lower reaches of the river were removed or lowered in height. The question of a further demolition

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or reduction of embankments was considered in 1916, but Government decided not to take further action on these lines until escapes or reservoirs be constructed.

(*k*) In 1884.

(*l*) Opinions have been divided on this point.

(*m*) As noted above, the reasons were partly financial and partly otherwise.

(*n*) Yes.

(*o*) Yes.

(*p*) Yes. Since then Government have undertaken to see that the embankments are maintained in the state in which they existed when the railway was under construction. The Railway Company has also made an additional bridge. As a result the railway line is now practically safe."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

XIII. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it was the case that in consequence of the flood of 1915 there was a conference held at Comilla in April 1916 to consider the Gumti embankment problem under the presidency of the Hon'ble Mr. Beatson Bell? Gumti embankments.

(*b*) Was the conference attended by the Superintending Engineer, Eastern Circle, the Chief Engineer of the Assam-Bengal Railway and the District Engineer of Tippera?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state the remedy or remedies decided on by the Hon'ble Mr. Beatson Bell in consultation with the said Engineers?

(*d*) Was any step taken to give effect to the decision then arrived at?

(*e*) What has been the result of the conference?

(*f*) Is it a fact that the schemes of escape on either bank and the storage reservoir in the hills were accepted by the Hon'ble Mr. Beatson Bell? If so, have these projects been given effect to?

(*g*) If not, will the Government be pleased to state the reasons why the said schemes were not carried out?

(*h*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to expert opinion that the estimated cost of the damage caused by the flood in a single year is much greater than the cost of the most expensive scheme yet suggested?

(*i*) Is it in the contemplation of the Government to take any steps or to cause any steps to be taken in accordance with expert opinion? If so, what are the steps so contemplated?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) & (*b*) Yes.

(*c*), (*e*), (*f*), (*g*) & (*i*) A copy of the proceedings of the conference is laid on the table. The decision of Government was as follows :—

' Unless and until storage reservoirs or escapes are provided, the embankments, and in particular the right embankment to the east of the railway bridge, shall be maintained as efficiently as possible and at a height not less than that at which they stood when the railway was under construction.'

The schemes for storage reservoirs and escapes are still under consideration.

(*d*) The Collector was requested to see that the Tippera Raj maintained the embankment on the lines of the Government order.

(*h*) No expert opinion exactly to this effect has been received by Government."

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Proceedings referred to in the answer by the HON'BLE MR. GREEN *to question No. XIII (unstarred) asked by the* HON'BLE BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

Conference held at the Tippera District Board Office on the 7th April, 1916, at 9 a.m.

PRESENT :

THE HON'BLE MR. N. D. BEATSON BELL, C.S.I., C.I.E., Member of Council (in the Chair).
E. GEAKE, ESQ., I.C.S., Commissioner of the Chittagong Division.
J. H. LINDSAY, ESQ., I.C.S., Offg. Collector of Tippera.
C. P. WALSH, ESQ., Superintending Engineer.
The Agent, Assam-Bengal Railway.
The Chief Engineer, Assam-Bengal Railway.
BABU PEARY CHARAN GUPTA, District Engineer of Tippera.
" PRASANNA KUMAR DAS GUPTA, Manager of the Tippera Raj Estate.
" SITA NATH DAS, Manager, Gangamandal Estate.
" ANUKUL CHANDRA ROY, Manager, Ward's Estates, Comilla.
" KAILASH CHANDRA BHATTACHARJEE, Chairman, Municipality.
RAI K. BANERJEE BAHADUR, Engineer, Gangamandal Estate.
BABU UPENDRA MOHAN MITRA, Legal Adviser, Gangamandal Estate.
MAULVI SYED ABDUL JABBAR, Zamindar.
BABU TARAK CHANDRA CHAUDHURY, Talukdar.
" SATYENDRA NATH SEN BISWAS, Pleader.

The Manager of the Tippera Raj explained that the estate wished to remove altogether the embankment on the north side of the river both east and west of the railway, but to retain that on the south side. By this the town of Comilla would be saved, and the damage done to the raiyats on the north would not be excessive.

Babu Satyendra Nath Sen Biswas, speaking on behalf of the tenants of the Raj, opposed the removal of the embankment as the crops would be destroyed and the damage done would be greater than if Comilla were flooded. In this he was supported by several of the actual tenants present.

Babu Upendra Mohan Mitra, speaking for the Gangamandal estate, mentioned the large increase in its value since the creation of the embankment, that most of the estate was lowlying and would be reduced to useless bhil land on its removal. In this he was supported by Rai K. Banerjee Bahadur, who appeared on behalf of the Receiver of this estate. He laid stress on the fact that the river section at Comilla is double that at Jafarganj and asked that two spills might be made, one to the north and the other to the south, somewhere near Bibir hât. The Chairman pointed out that proposals for these two spills had already been examined by engineers and rejected in 1889. The tenants of this estate also spoke vehemently against the proposed demolition. They said that before the building of the embankment the Gangamandal pargana was a waste, very sparsely inhabited, but that now though lowlying it was prosperous and supported a large population. Several speakers suggested that the water from a spill in the north bank would probably find its way into the lowlying land of the Gangamandal pargana. The Manager of the Tippera Raj Estate said he was not much interested in the spill proposals, but wanted the north embankment to be demolished.

Enquiries by the Chairman elicited the fact that none of the estates had given any substantial help to their tenants who suffered last rains because of the breaching of the embankment.

Babu Kailash Chandra Bhattacharjee stated that the last year had shown that Comilla town was in imminent danger of severe flooding and asked that something should be done to improve matters. He had no definite suggestions to make.

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The Agent of the Assam-Bengal Railway asked that the right embankment to the east of the Railway might be retained. The new bridge, which was almost complete, would afford sufficient outlet from water coming over a prepared spill as through a breach in the embankment. But it would not be sufficient for the excess water which would come if the whole right embankment east of the railway were removed. He asked if the left bank was not higher than the right and this was admitted.

Finally Rai K. Banerjee Bahadur pointed out that if the embankments were removed the weak spots in the natural bank would have to be strengthened by pitching to prevent scouring once the river began to overflow its banks.

By the Hon'ble MR. H. R. IRWIN :—

XIV. Will the Government be pleased to state— Statistics relating to the importation of tea into India.

(*i*) the quantity of tea imported into India during each of the last five years for which statistics have been compiled:

(*ii*) from what countries it has come, stating the quantity from each country;

(*iii*) the amount and rate of customs duty, if any, levied on the same; and

(*iv*) if the duty has been enhanced lately, to what extent it has been so enhanced?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*i*) The quantity of tea imported into India during each of the last five years is shown below :—

	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
1911-12 ...	6,611,816	4,373,936	10,985,752
1912-13 ...	4,521,310	4,401,040	8,922,350
1913-14 ...	4,772,532	3,787,840	8,560,372
1914-15 ...	5,476,790	4,319,392	9,796,182
1915-16 ...	6,202,146	5,730,368	11,932,514

(*ii*) A statement giving the required information is laid on the table.

(*iii*) The gross amount of customs duty levied during the last five years is shown below :—

	£
1911-12	13,952
1912-13	10,513
1913-14	10,756
1914-15	11,559
1915-16	12,887

The rate of customs duty previous to the 1st March, 1916, was 5 per cent. *ad valorem.*

(*iv*) The duty was raised to 7½ per cent. *ad valorem* with effect from the 1st March, 1916."

Questions and Answers.

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *in his Answer to Question No. XIV (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* MR. H. R. IRWIN *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December 1916.*

Statement showing the names of the countries from which tea was imported into India during the last five years and the quantity from each country both by sea and land :—

By Sea.

	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
United Kingdom	23,378	28,098	37,303	13,354	15,976
Aden and Dependencies ...	60	5,416	2,716	8,316	1,190
Ceylon	1,834,429	1,897,439	1,517,295	1,745,084	2,431,566
Straits Settlements (including Labuan).	610,372	693,524	589,240	563,585	720,625
Hong Kong	232,387	198,195	250,385	251,939	153,825
Zanzibar and Pemba	...	...	...	8,160	46
Other British Possessions ...	765	782	550	51	160
Total British Empire ...	2,701,391	2,823,454	2,397,489	2,590,489	3,323,388
Germany	1,440	720	6,640	10	28
Turkey, Asiatic—					
Red Sea	...	...	20	36	...
Persian Gulf	5	...	1,898	8,529	140
Persia	...	210	...	50 637	...
Java	72.717	104,833	89,031	68,361	288,965
China (exclusive of Hong Kong and Macao).	3,833,702	1,589,574	2,271,523	2,756,791	2,586,969
Japan	2,519	1,738	4,193	1,783	2,616
Other Foreign Countries ...	42	781	1,738	154	40
Total Foreign Countries ...	3,910,425	1,697,856	2,375,043	2,886,301	2,878,758
Total of Tea by Sea ...	6,611,816	4,521,310	4,772,532	5,476,790	6,202,146

By Land.

Indian—					
From Southern and Western Afghanistan. ...	6,272	3,584	...	...	...
,, Central Asia	...	...	224	784	2,128
,, Tibet	448	...	2,464	112	112
,, Nepal	12,880	30,128	18,592	4,816	40,880
,, Bhutan	112	...	112	...	...
Total ...	19,712	33,712	21,392	5,712	43,120
Foreign—					
From Tibet	24,752	13,664	67,536	20,160	42,000
,, Nepal	...	...	24,528	...	18,032
,, Bhutan	112	...	...	...	...
,, Western China	17,136	26,096	76,384	58,352	43,120
,, Kachin Country	...	11,312	28,112	30,800	89,936
,, North Siam	112	224	5,264	...	112
,, North Shan States ...	4,291,840	4,310,208	3,560,928	4,198,992	5,484,976
,, South Shan States ...	12,432	2,464	2,352	4,032	8,400
,, Karennee	7,840	3,360	1,344	1,344	672
Total ...	4,354,224	4,367,328	3,766,448	4,313,680	5,687 248
Total of Tea by Land ...	4,373,936	4,401,040	3,787,840	4,319,392	5,730,368

By the Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ :—

Hostel accommodation of Muhammadan students.

XV. With reference to the reply given to my Unstarred Question No. XX at the meeting of Council of the 4th September last, will the Government be pleased to state whether it is not a fact that there are at least four Muhammadan students living in a hide godown at No. 51, Upper Circular Road, and living in the midst of strangers?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" It has been ascertained that two Muhammadan college students are living at No. 31, Upper Circular Road, with their uncle and guardian, who is the tenant of the house. It is a residential house and not a hide godown. There are also a scholar of the Madrasa, an ex-scholar of the same institution and a medical student in the house."

By the Hon'ble MR. ALTAF ALI :—

Settlement operations in the Rajshahi Division.

XVI. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that the settlement operations in the Rajshahi Division have been indefinitely postponed?

(*b*) If so, is there any reason for this step other than that of curtailment of expenditure necessitated by the war in Europe?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Settlement operations are in progress in Rajshahi district. Under normal conditions they would have been initiated in the districts of Pabna and Bogra during the current year, but the settlement programme has been curtailed on account of the financial situation.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble MR. ALTAF ALI :—

Death of Head Constable Paresh Chandra Bose.

XVII. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that Head Constable Paresh Chandra Bose, who was stationed at the Titagarh police-station, in the 24-Parganas, lost his life in the discharge of his duty in a scuffle with a number of gamblers whom he tried to arrest?

(*b*) If so, have the Government under consideration any proposal to provide for his family?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) It has been ascertained that on the night of the 26th October last information was received at the Titagarh police-station that gambling was going on in a public place. Head Constable Paresh Chandra Bose at once proceeded to the spot with a posse of constables and succeeded in arresting certain gamblers who were made over to the constables. After the arrests had been made, he suddenly fell backwards and died shortly after. He was not assaulted by any one and the gamblers offered no resistance. After a *post-mortem* examination, the Civil Surgeon declared death to have been due to rupture of the wall of the heart caused by exertion, the heart being dilated with very thin walls.

(*b*) Government have not yet received any such proposal, but they understand that a petition from a relation of the deceased is now under the consideration of the Inspector-General of Police."

By the Hon'ble MR. ALTAF ALI :—

Malaria in Tangail.

XVIII. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing—

(*i*) the number of deaths from malaria which have occurred in the Tangail subdivision of the Mymensingh district during the last five years;

(*ii*) the steps, if any, which have been taken to improve the sanitation of the locality in order to prevent malaria, and with what result;

(*iii*) how often the Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal has visited the subdivision during the above period; and

(*iv*) how many miles he travelled into the interior of the subdivision on each occasion?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*i*) Separate statistics of the mortality due to malaria are not available, the deaths from malarial fever being included in the statistics under the head 'Fever.'

(*ii*) During 1915-16 two Sub-Assistant Surgeons were deputed on anti-malarial duty for five months. An Assistant Surgeon and Sub-Assistant Surgeon were also deputed to Tangail in the same year to investigate malaria with special reference to a proposed drainage scheme. A grant of Rs. 9,616 and a loan of Rs. 10,000 were made by Government in the years 1913-14 and 1914-15, respectively, for the purpose of this drainage scheme, which is now under construction.

(*iii*) & (*iv*) The present Sanitary Commissioner has not visited the sub-division, but the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner has toured there thrice during the last five years. Information as to the number of visits made by previous Sanitary Commissioners is not available."

By the Hon'ble BABU ARUN CHANDRA SINHA :—

Upkeep of public temples in the Presidency.

XIX. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing, district by district, the number of temples in the Presidency to which the public have access and which have an income of Rs. 1,000 or more per annum?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state how many of these are maintained out of religious and charitable endowments, and how many have to depend for their maintenance on occasional gifts by pilgrims or other private sources?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) & (*b*) The information asked for is not in the hands of Government, and Government are not prepared to undertake the inquiry which would be necessary in order to obtain it."

By the Hon'ble BABU ARUN CHANDRA SINHA :—

Transfer of the headquarters station of the Noakhali district.

XX. (*a*) With reference to the reply given by the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming to a question asked by Nawab Saiyid Hossam Haider Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur, at the Council meeting of the 13th March, 1915, with regard to the transfer of the headquarters station of the Noakhali district, owing to the continuous erosion of the land in the neighbourhood of the town of Noakhali by the river Meghna, will the Government be pleased to state the result of the observations carried out this year in this connection, and whether a final decision has been arrived at in the matter, and, if so, what the decision has been?

(*b*) If no decision has been arrived at, will the Government be pleased to state when a decision is likely to be made?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have considered the possibility of protecting the existing town of Noakhali by diverting the current of the river through some other channel?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) The observations taken up to date during the present year show that the rate of erosion has been about the same as that of the previous two years. Government have at present come to no decision with regard to the transfer of the headquarters station of the Noakhali district.

(*b*) Government are not at present in a position to make any definite statement on the subject.

(*c*) The diversion of the river has been found to be impossible."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU ARUN CHANDRA SINHA :—

Alleged lack of waiting-rooms and sheds on the Eastern Bengal Railway.

XXI. (*a*) Is it a fact that in a large number of the stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway and the Assam-Bengal Railway there is no provision for waiting-rooms or sheds for third and intermediate class passengers, male or female, and that where such sheds exist the accommodation is not adequate?

(*b*) If so, are the Government considering the desirability of having these inconveniences remedied as soon as possible?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) On the Eastern Bengal Railway, except in the case of flag stations and a few stations where passenger traffic is small, all stations have waiting rooms or sheds for third and intermediate class passengers.

On the Assam-Bengal Railway practically every station has a booking hall with a verandah, the larger stations having separate waiting sheds.

(*b*) The matter is receiving the attention of the Railway Administrations concerned, but it will not be possible to provide much additional accommodation until normal financial conditions are restored."

By the Hon'ble BABU ARUN CHANDRA SINHA :—

Plague of the water-hyacinth.

XXII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that many navigable rivers and other waterways, as well as a very large number of tanks in the Presidency, are gradually being silted up, or the water in them is being rendered unfit for domestic and agricultural purposes, owing to the extensive growth in them of a plant called the water-hyacinth?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state whether they are taking any steps to remedy this evil?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" The Hon'ble Member is referred to the information contained in the Press *Communiqué* of April 25, 1916, a copy of which is laid on the table."

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

AGRICULTURAL BRANCH.

Calcutta, the 25th April 1916.

PRESS COMMUNIQUE.

IN view of recent correspondence in the Press on the subject of "Water-hyacinth," the following information may be of interest. The "Water-hyacinth" (*Eichornia Crassipes*) is found in most parts of Bengal. Botanically, it is not a hyacinth, but its beautiful purple flower has a considerable resemblance to the real hyacinth. Its appearance in Eastern Bengal is believed to date from about five years ago, since when it has spread very rapidly and in many places has blocked tanks and waterways. The same plant has been found to interfere with navigation in Florida, Australia and Indo-China. The Department of Agriculture in Bengal has been investigating the subject during the past two years. Though it is possible that some commercial use may yet be found for the plant, a more hopeful prospect lies in establishing its value for agricultural purposes as a manure. Analysis has already shown that "Water-hyacinth" contains a large percentage of potash, and tests of the use of the plant as manure will be carried out on the Dacca Farm this year, and the results will be published in due course. If the manurial value of the plant be fully established and widely recognised, it is hoped that cultivators will put it to this use and thus prevent it spreading as a harmful weed.

By the Hon'ble BABU ARUN CHANDRA SINHA :—

Want of a daily steamer service between the Island of Hatiya and Noakhali.

XXIII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that much inconvenience is being felt by the inhabitants of the island of Hatiya owing to the discontinuance of the daily steamer service between that island and Noakhali?

(*b*) Have the Government any proposal before them for restoring the steamer service in the near future?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The Steamer Companies concerned are unable to maintain a daily service owing to the requisition by Government of a number of their steamers for more important duties in connection with the war. When these steamers have been released by Government, the Steamer Companies will take steps to reintroduce a daily service."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Embankments on the Ajai river.

XXIV. (*a*) Is it a fact that a proposal has been submitted to Government involving the taking over of the zemindari embankment, on the north bank of the river Ajai, with a view to ensure the protection of the lands and villages on the north of the Ajai, in the district of Birbhum, from damage by floods?

(*b*) Are the Government taking any action to repair the breaches in the embankment on the southern bank of the Ajai between Satkonia and Sagarpootal?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that the opinion has been recorded that the existence of this embankment subjects the country down to Sagarpootal to damage by floods?

(*d*) Are the Government also aware that the area of the land lying between the Ajai and the Kunoor, and the villages south of the Damodar, in the district of Burdwan, are damaged almost every year by floods?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) A proposal to repair a short length of embankment on the north bank of the river Ajai at Baledangal in the district of Birbhum is now before the Bengal Government for decision. The length of this embankment is approximately 1 mile only and will protect a very small area on the north bank in the village of Naranpur.

(*b*) Yes, it is hoped that all breaches in the embankments mentioned will be completely repaired before June of the year 1917.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) Yes, to a certain extent."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM asked the following SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTION :—

Are the Government making an inquiry as to the extent of the damage caused by the floods of the Ajai and Kunoor rivers?

The Hon'ble MR. BEATSON BELL said :—

" An inquiry as now being made by a Superintending Engineer. We are awaiting a final report "

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Condition of Ajai embankment near Satkonia.

XXV. (*a*) Is it a fact that before the year 1913 the Public Works Department Subdivisional Officer of Idilpur submitted a report to the higher authorities to the effect that the Ajai embankment near Satkonia and Bhedia was in a bad condition and that there was every danger of a breach and suggested that the embankment should be repaired?

(*b*) If so, what action was taken on his report?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

" (*a*) It does not appear that any such report has been received. It is a fact that the breaching of the embankment No. 29 in its 4th mile was reported by the Subdivisional Officer of Idilpur on the 15th of June, 1911.

(*b*) The report alluded to in (*a*) above led to an examination of the system of Schedule D embankments on the Ajai river. An estimate (Rs. 23,990) was prepared for raising Schedule D embankments Nos. 27, 28 and 29 on the right bank of the river to a height of 3 feet above the high-flood level of 1911. This raising was not however carried out, as subsequent inquiries raised doubts as to the soundness of the proposal."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Judicial work in Burdwan Courts.

XXVI. (*a*) Are the Government aware that some of the Deputy Magistrates at the headquarters of the Burdwan district are in the habit of taking up judicial work late in the afternoon, *i.e.*, at 2 o'clock, and that they sit on till late in the evening, sometimes till 8 o'clock?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that witnesses and parties are summoned to attend court at 10 A.M. and are required to wait till late in the evening, even when it is known to the court that their cases are not to be taken up that day?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that this practice causes great inconvenience to witnesses, to parties and to their legal advisers?

(*d*) Are the Government considering the desirability of issuing instructions to the effect that judicial work should be taken up earlier in the day and that Deputy Collectors should do their revenue work after attending to their judicial duties?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Government are not aware that any Deputy Magistrates at the headquarters of the Burdwan district habitually take up judicial work late in the afternoon. It is a fact that Magistrates sometimes sit until 7 o'clock, but this does not often occur.

(*b*) & (*c*) Government are aware that witnesses and parties are required to attend at 10 o'clock. It is not a fact that they are required to wait till late in the evening, even when it is known to the Court that their cases are not to be taken up that day.

(*d*) The answer is in the negative. It is not practicable to lay down a rule that judicial work should always be taken up first. Magistrates are well aware that it is their duty to see that witnesses are not unnecessarily detained, and special attention is paid to this point at inspections."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Separation of judicial and revenue duties in Burdwan.

XXVII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that Magistrates presiding over Criminal Courts in Burdwan, are required to do revenue and other miscellaneous work in addition to trying cases, and that this results in the interruption of their judicial duties and also is the cause of inconvenience to the litigant public?

(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of issuing instructions to the effect that Deputy Magistrates at headquarters who are doing judicial work should be relieved of their revenue and other duties and that those doing revenue and other work should be relieved of their judicial duties?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Government are aware that some of the Magistrates who preside over the Criminal Courts in Burdwan do revenue and miscellaneous work in addition to their judicial duties. Government are not aware that this results in the interruption of their judicial duties and is the cause of inconvenience to the litigant public.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative."

Questions and Answers.

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM asked the following SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTION :—

Is it not a fact that Magistrates sitting in Court and doing judicial duties are interrupted in their work by having to attend to references from the Revenue and Miscellaneous Departments?

The Hon'ble NAWAB SIR SYED SHAMS-UL-HUDA said :—

"That is a new question altogether, and I ask for notice."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Appointment of Muhammadans in the District Judge's offices at Birbhum.

XXVIII. Will the Government be pleased to state the number of appointments made in the ministerial establishment of the offices under the District Judge of Birbhum, since the issue of the Government circular about the appointment of Muhammadans in ministerial posts, and also to state how many of these appointments have been given to Muhammadans?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"Since the issue of the circular to the District Judge of Birbhum, 7 permanent and 55 temporary appointments have been made. Of these, 4 permanent and 22 temporary appointments were given to Muhammadans."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM asked the following SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTION :—

Of these appointments how many are new appointments and how many only promotions from one grade to another?

The Hon'ble NAWAB SIR SYED SHAMS-UL-HUDA said :—

"We do not know."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Juma prayers and the Muhammadan Mukhtars of Burdwan.

XXIX. (*a*) Is it a fact that Government have issued a circular to the effect that Muhammadan employés in Government offices, and those having business in the mufassal courts, should be given facilities for saying their *Juma* prayers?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that some of the Criminal Courts in Burdwan have refused the requests of Muhammadan Mukhtars and others for time to enable them to say their *Juma* prayers in the mosque which is situated in the Court compound?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that the refusal of Magistrates to allow time for *Juma* prayers has caused much inconvenience to Muhammadans having business in these courts?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) A copy of the orders issued by Government on the subject is laid on the table.

(*b*) It has been ascertained that one case occurred in the Criminal Courts at Burdwan in which a Muhammadan Mukhtar, who appeared jointly with a Hindu Mukhtar, asked the Magistrate to stop the proceedings that he might go and say his prayers. The Magistrate declined to accede to the request on the ground that the Hindu Mukhtar could continue to conduct the case in his absence

(*c*) The answer is in the negative."

Questions and Answers.

Orders referred to by the HON'BLE MR. KERR *in his answer to question No. XXIX asked by the* HON'BLE MAULVI ABUL KASEM *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

No. 5746P., dated Calcutta, the 21st November 1912.

From—The HON'BLE MR. C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE, C.V.O., I.C.S., Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

To—All Commissioners of Divisions.

THE question whether it is necessary to allow leave for an hour or two on Fridays to Muhammadan employés of Government to enable them to say their *Juma* prayers has recently been under the consideration of Government, and I am directed to communicate to you the following orders on the subject.

2. The Governor in Council is of opinion that no hard and fast rule need be laid down as the conditions prevailing in different parts of the Presidency vary, and any general direction may interfere with the satisfactory working of the machinery of Government. At the same time it is desirable that reasonable facilities should be granted to all communities to perform their religious duties and His Excellency is accordingly pleased to direct that permission should be given on Fridays to such Muhammadan employés of Government as ask for it, to say their *Juma* prayers, on the understanding that they make up the time by working extra hours during the week, if necessary.

3. I am to request that these orders may be communicated to all District and Subdivisional Officers in your division.

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Provincial Judicial Service and Small Cause Court Judgeships.

XXX. Will the Government be pleased to state how many members of the Provincial Judicial Service have been appointed as Judges or Registrars of the Calcutta Small Cause Court since 1900, and how many of them were Muhammadans?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Since 1900 three officers of the Provincial Judicial Service have been appointed Judges of the Small Cause Court, Calcutta, and two have been appointed to the post of Registrar. None of these officers was a Muhammadan."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Internments under the Defence of India Act.

XXXI. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the names of persons who have been interned since the 11th August, 1916, under the Defence of India Act, stating in each case the district to which they belong?

(*b*) Is it a fact that in each case, the suspect is informed of the grounds for the suspicion against him and that before orders are passed he is called upon to explain his conduct before a high official of the Government other than a police officer?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answers given to the question (No. 22) asked by the Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Banerji on the 26th July, 1915, and to the question (No. XXXIV) asked by the Hon'ble Babu Ambica Charan Mazumdar on the 4th September 1916.

(*b*) All representations made by or on behalf of the suspect are examined by an executive officer of Government before orders are passed; and such orders are subsequently examined by a judicial officer. The Hon'ble Member is referred to the reply given to-day to the question asked by the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Dutta."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Gun licenses in Burdwan district.

XXXII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that great damage is caused to crops in the district of Burdwan by wild boars and other animals?

Questions and Answers.

(*b*) Is it a fact that Government have fixed the number of gun licenses to be granted in each district and that District Magistrates are allowed to exercise their discretion only within the limits of the number so fixed or sanctioned?

(*c*) Is it a fact that a large number of applications for gun licenses have had to be refused by the District Magistrate of Burdwan because the sanctioned number could not be exceeded, although otherwise there was no objection to the grant of gun licenses to the applicants?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) It is reported by the District Officer that the damage caused to crops in Burdwan by wild boars and other animals is not great.

(*b*) In 1908 orders were issued by Government that Divisional Commissioners and District Officers should, in consultation, fix the number of licenses in each form that might appropriately be granted in each district and that the standard should be reconsidered every three years Standards have been fixed accordingly in the Burdwan Division. The standard was last revised in 1914. and a further revision will take place next year.

(*c*) The answer is in the negative. The number of licenses issued in Burdwan is below the standard fixed for the district."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Muhammadan representation in certain municipalities.

XXXIII. Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of Municipal Commissioners, the number of Muhammadans, and how many of the latter are elected and how many appointed by Government, and also the proportion of the Muhammadan population in each of the following municipalities, namely :—

(1) Howrah,
(2) Hooghly-Chinsura,
(3) Serampore,
(4) Konnagore,
(5) Baidyabati,
(6) Bally,
(7) Bankura,
(8) Katwa, and
(9) Kalna.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the HON'BLE MR. DONALD *to question No. XXXIII (unstarred) asked by the* HON'BLE MAULVI ABUL KASIM *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

[Number of Muhammadan Municipal Commissioners.†].

Name of the Municipality.	Total number of Municipal Commissioners.	Total.	Elected.	Nominated.	Percentage of Muhammadans to total population.
Howrah	30	3	3	Nil	25 per cent.
Hooghly-Chinsura	18	2	Nil	2	15 "
Serampore	15	1	Nil	1	} 19 "
Rishra-Konnagore	12	1	Nil	1	
Baidyabati	12	1	Nil	1	11 "
Bally	* 21	Nil	Nil	Nil	16 "
Bankura	15	Nil	Nil	Nil	4 "
Katwa	12	2	1	1	19 "
Kalna	15	2	Nil	2	9 "

* This represents the percentage of Muhammadan population in the old Serampore Municipality before its subdivision into Serampore and Rishra-Konnagore as separate figures for the Muhammadan population of the new Municipalities are not available.

† Excluding *ex-officio* Commissioners.

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble MR. Z. R. ZAHID SUHRAWARDY :—

XXXIV. Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of officers (Subordinate Judges and Munsiffs) in the Provincial Judicial Service, and the number of Muhammadans holding permanent posts in that service? Muhammadans and the Provincial Judicial Service.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The total number of Subordinate Judges and Munsiffs employed in Bengal is 293. The number of Muhammadans holding permanent posts in the Provincial Judicial Service is nine"

By the Hon'ble MR. Z. R. ZAHID SUHRAWARDY :—

XXXV. Will the Government be pleased to state— Muhammadans and officiating Munsiffships.

(*i*) the average, for the last five years, of officiating appointments as Munsiffs made in a year and the number of Muhammadans appointed to those posts in each year;

(*ii*) the number of Muhammadan candidates whose names have been enrolled by the High Court as eligible for appointment in the Provincial Judicial Service;

(*iii*) the names of such Muhammadan candidates who have been given officiating appointments and the respective dates of their first appointment?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"A statement containing the required information is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the HON'BLE MR. KERR *to question No. XXV (unstarred) asked by the* HON'BLE MR Z. R. ZAHID SURHARWARDY *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

			Number of Offg. Munsifs.	Number of Muhammadans.
(*i*)	1912	... ...	14	Nil.
	1913	... ...	20	1
	1914	... ...	15	Nil.
	1915	... ...	21	1
	1916	... ...	7	Nil.
		Total ...	77	
		Average ...	15	Muhammadan candidates.
(*ii*)	1912	... ...	...	Nil.
	1913	.. ...	...	2
	1914	... ...	..	Nil.
	1915	... ...	...	Nil
	1916	... ...	...	Nil.

(*iii*) (1) Sayid Amjad Ali—
Date of enrolment ... 23rd June 1913.
Date of appointment ... 3rd July 1913.

(2) Muhammad Abul Ahsan—
Date of enrolment ... 29th May 1913.
Date of appointment ... 3rd December 1915.

By the Hon'ble MR. Z. R. ZAHID SUHRAWARDY :—

XXXVI. Are the Government considering the desirability of following the principle of communal representation in making appointments to the Provincial Judicial Service whenever eligible Muhammadan candidates are available as is done in the case of appointments to the Provincial Executive Service? Communal representation in the Provincial Judicial Service.

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" The answer is in the negative.

Under the provisions of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887, the Local Government are bound to appoint persons nominated by the High Court."

By the Hon'ble MR. Z. R. ZAHID SUHRAWARDY :—

Promotions in the Provincial Judicial Service.

XXXVII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that in the High Court's General Letter No. 5, dated the 28th April, 1916, it was decided that promotions in the subordinate grades of the Provincial Judicial Service would ordinarily be given according to seniority?

(*b*) Has there been any departure lately from the above principle? If so, will the Government be pleased to state the reasons therefor?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) A copy of the letter referred to is laid on the table.

(*b*) Promotions are made in accordance with the principles stated in the letter."

Copy of letter referred to by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *in his answer to question No. XXXVII (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* MR. Z. R. ZAHID SUHRAWARDY *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

GENERAL LETTER No. 5.

TO THE DISTRICT JUDGE OF

Dated Calcutta, the 28th April 1916.

High Court, English Department. (Civil.)

SIR,

I AM directed to request that you will be so good as to bring the following matter prominently to the notice of the members of the Provincial Judicial Service employed in your district.

2. The High Court have hitherto made recommendations for promotion in the Judicial Branch of the Provincial Civil Service in accordance with the principles laid down in the following rule :—

> " Promotion to grades below that on Rs. 600 a month will ordinarily be given according to seniority, subject to fitness and approved conduct. But the Lieutenant-Governor* reserves to himself the right to make promotion to the senior grades of the Provincial Service by special selection for merit without regard to seniority, and hereby declares that seniority alone shall not give a claim to appointment to the grade on Rs. 600 or higher grades.

* Now the Governor in Council.

3. The general conditions governing appointments to the Provincial Civil Services have now been reconsidered by the Government of India in connection with the inquiries made by the Public Services Commission, and the principles determined for future guidance are set out in the Home Department Resolution Nos. 1046-58, dated the 19th August, 1910, which contains the following condition relating to promotion :—

> " The Local Government should reserve to itself the right to make promotion to the superior grades of the Provincial Civil Service without regard to seniority, and seniority alone should not give a claim to appointment to the grade of Rs. 500 a month and higher grades."

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4. The Judges have decided, in concurrence with the Government of Bengal, that the condition above referred to should be strictly applied to the Judicial Branch of the Provincial Civil Service. Accordingly, in future, they will recommend to Government for promotion to the superior grades of the service only officers who, on their merits, are clearly entitled to such promotion; and the members of the Service should, therefore, understand that seniority alone will give no claim to appointments in the grade on Rs. 500 a month and higher grades.

5. The Judges have also decided, in order to give effect to this principle, to procure as much information as possible regarding the merits of each candidate for promotion. In addition to the character reports submitted by District Judges annually, special reports will be called for on the merits and work of officers due for promotion to the grade of Rs. 500 and upwards, and such material as may be available from the records of the High Court will also be carefully examined, so that the case of every officer will receive detailed consideration before he is recommended for promotion.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant.

H. M. VEITCH,

Registrar.

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XXXVIII. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state how many experts there are in the Agricultural Department who are engaged in scientific investigation; and how long the respective scientific branches have been in existence? Experts in Agricultural Department.

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to give a *résumé* of such outstanding results of practical utility, as have been obtained from research work, in these branches up to date?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The details of the expert staff of the Department of Agriculture will be found on page 385 of the Bengal Civil List, corrected up to 1st October, 1916. The Fibre Expert, the Agricultural Chemist and the Economic Botanist are more particularly engaged in scientific investigation, and their branches of work have been in existence respectively for 10, 9 and 7 years.

(*b*) The Hon'ble Member will find a full and interesting account of their work and of the practical results obtained in the Report of the Department of Agriculture for the year ending June 30, 1916, which will be published this month."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XXXIX. (*a*) Is it a fact that among the most important results of agricultural research are— Results of agricultural research.

(*i*) a species of paddy named *Indrasail*, and
(*ii*) a species of jute termed *Kakia Bombai*,

which have been obtained by a process of selection?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state when these results were obtained; also what practical steps have been taken up to date for introducing these improved species of crops among cultivations, and with what measure of success?

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(*c*) What has been, year by year, the approximate total area in Bengal, excluding Government farms, which has been sown with the seed of each of these improved types of crops?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Owing to these varieties having each been produced from selected single plants, the determination of their economic value could only be arrived at after they had been multiplied on a sufficiently large scale to permit of field trials. This may be said to have been effected last year.

(*c*) Until the current year the areas outside the Government Farms under *Indrasail* paddy and *Kakia Bombai* jute were small.

This year seed sufficient to sow 2,000 acres of *Indrasail* paddy and 1,500 acres of *Kakia Bombai* jute was distributed to cultivators."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Demonstrators in the Agricultural Department.

XL. (*a*) What is the total number of demonstrators now employed in the Agricultural Department?

(*b*) Is it a fact that several demonstrators were discharged a few months back?

(*c*) If so, how many were so discharged; what was the length of service in each case; and what were the grounds on which they were discharged?

(*d*) Is it a fact that they had undergone training at the public expense before being employed?

(*e*) Where and for what particular work were they trained?

(*f*) Were they in the enjoyment of any stipend during their period of training?

(*g*) If so, for what periods and at what rates?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Sixty-two.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Twenty-one men were discharged. The length of service varied from six months to about two years. The grounds for the discharge of the twenty-one men were the reduction of the demonstration staff owing to the separation of the statistical from the purely agricultural work in the districts. In reappointing the new demonstrating staff preference was given to the sons of cultivators. The twenty-one men discharged were offered employment on the statistical side for four months in the year in Western Bengal and five months in Eastern Bengal.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) They were trained as apprentices at the various Agricultural Stations in 'general farm work.'

(*f*) Yes.

(*g*) Yes, at Rs. 15 per mensem for periods varying from one to two years."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Deputy Directorship of Fisheries.

XLI. (*a*) Is it a fact that the appointment of the Deputy Director of Fisheries was sanctioned by the Secretary of State, for four years only? If so, when will the term of the present incumbent expire?

(*b*) Is he attached to the Department of Agriculture? What is precisely the relation between the two?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The appointment of the Deputy Director of Fisheries was originally sanctioned for two years in 1911. It was extended for a further period of two years, which expired on 4th December, 1915. The Secretary of State has since sanctioned the permanent appointment of a fishery expert.

(*b*) The Deputy Director of Fisheries is at present attached to the Agricultural Department for administrative purposes."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XLII. (*a*) What outstanding results of practical utility have been obtained in the matter of propagation and protection of fishes, from the labours of the Department of Fisheries, since the appointment of the Deputy Director? Labours of the Department of Fisheries.

(*b*) What progress has been made up to date in the investigation of the habits of fresh-water fishes especially carp and *hilsa* which was stated some time back to have been engaging the attention of the department?

(*c*) Has the proposed investigation of the resources of the Sundarbans estuaries been accomplished? If so, with what results?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) & (*b*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to pages 8—34 of Bulletin No. V of the Department of Fisheries and to paragraph 15 of the Report on the Department of Agriculture, Bengal, for the year ending June 30, 1915. He will find further information in the Report of the Department of Agriculture for the year ending June 30, 1916, which will be published in the course of this month.

(*c*) The proposed further investigation of the resources of the Sundarbans estuaries has not yet been accomplished, as the time of the Deputy Director has been fully occupied in connection with fresh-water fisheries, but the information which has already been obtained on this subject has been brought together in Bulletin No. IV of the Department of Fisheries. Copies of the publications referred to are laid on the table."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XLIII. (*a*) What amount is annually spent on the maintenance of the Department of Fisheries? Expenditure on the Fisheries Department.

(*b*) How much of this amount is due to salaries and how much to travelling allowances; and what proportion of each of these items is credited to the Indian element in the establishment?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The expenditure for the last three years on the maintenance of the Department of Fisheries has been as follows :—

	Rs.
1913-14	61,361
1914-15	55,927
1915-16	37,431

(*b*)

	1913-14. Rs.	1914-15. Rs.	1915-16. Rs.
Salaries	16,449	15,686	16,021
Establishment	2,300	2,797	3,029
Travelling allowances of officers	7,498	6,882	6,048
Travelling allowance of establishment	1,161	1,262	1,062

The expenditure on salaries of Indians has been as follows :—

	Amount. Rs.	Proportion.
1913-14	6,225	37·8
1914-15	7,142	45·5
1915-16	7,021	44·4

As regards travelling allowance, the proportion cannot be ascertained without making calculations which would involve labour out of proportion to the value of the information."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Provident Societies in Bengal.

XLIV. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of existing Provident Societies in Bengal registered under the Provident Insurance Societies Act?

(*b*) How many Provident Societies are registered under the Indian Companies Act of 1882?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) There are at present 45 companies in Bengal, registered under the Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912 (V of 1912).

(*b*) Thirty-nine existing Provident Societies are registered under the Indian Companies Act, 1882 (VI of 1882)."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Inquiries under the Provident Insurance Societies Act.

XLV. (*a*) How many inquiries have been held under the provisions of section 17 of the Provident Insurance Societies Act and in the case of how many Provident Societies, since the promulgation of that Act, and with what results?

(*b*) In how many instances, if any, has the registry of a society been cancelled under section 18 of the Act, and for what reasons?

(*c*) In how many instances have societies been dealt with under the penal provisions of sections 21 and 22 of the Provident Insurance Societies Act?

(*d*) How many criminal prosecutions have there been of Provident Societies and of persons in responsible positions in such societies respecting their administration, and on what charges and with what results?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) Ten inquiries under section 17 of the Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912, were instituted into the affairs of 10 Provident Societies with the following results :—

In five cases, the society's certificate was cancelled.
In two cases, the society went into liquidation.
In two cases, inquiries are still pending.
In one case, the society is still carrying on business.

(*b*) In five instances the registry of the society was cancelled under section 18 of the Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912, in each case as a result of an inquiry held under section 17 of the Act.

(*c*) Eight societies have been dealt with under section 21 of the Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912, and none under section 22.

(*d*) In addition to the prosecutions of societies mentioned in the reply to part (*c*) of this question, criminal prosecutions have been instituted in five cases against persons holding positions of responsibility in Provident Societies. Two cases resulted in conviction for cheating and criminal misappropriation, one case of criminal misappropriation was dismissed, and another withdrawn for want of sufficient evidence. The remaining case, which is one of cheating, is still pending."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Augmentation Grant and the assignment of Public Works Cess to District Boards.

XLVI. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table all material papers and correspondence that passed between the Local Government and the Government of India relating to—

(*i*) the "Augmentation Grant" made by the Government of India to the District Boards since 1905; and

(*ii*) the assignment of the Public Works Cess to the District Boards?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"Government are unable at present to lay the papers asked for on the table."

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Substitute the following statement for the one published at page 569, Part IVA of the Calcutta Gazette of December 27th, 1916.

Statement referred to in the answer by the HON'BLE MR. KERR *to question No. XLVII asked by the* HON'BLE BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

District Boards.	1913-14.			1914-15.			1915-16.			
	Gross Public Works Cess.	Charges for collection of Public Works Cess.	Augmentation grants.	Gross Public Works Cess.	Charges for collection of Public Works Cess.	Augmentation grants.	Gross Public Works Cess.	Charges for collection of Public Works Cess.	Augmentation grants.	Average annual Government grants withdrawn from 1913-14.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan ...	2,03,765	2,472	51,883	2,65,687	2,339	53,711	2,63,341	2,376	40,296	33,669
Birbhum ...	82,599	222	15,756	78,567	219	18,313	82,359	236	16,671*	17,332
Bankura ...	56 142	126	10,944	58,114	136	12,841	51,519	193	11,334†	31,538
Midnapore ...	2,03,661	2,398	39,977	2,06,054	2,462	49,722	2,02,628	2,431	40,301	38,419
Hooghly ...	1,11,094	1,624	20,312	1,08,020	1,910	24,092	1,07,414	1,930	21,860	29,746
Howrah ...	55,547	812	10.106	54,010	955	12,277	50,270	965	10,930	14,263
24-Parganas ...	1,79,910	6,607	30,907	2,17,723	2,406	36,346	2,41,777	1,755	33,746	27,986
Nadia ...	95,248	5,207	16,156	87,532	5,471	20,078	1,06,316	1,790	17,081	6,876
Murshidabad ...	91,314	58	18,515	84,417	609	22,001	92,676	582	18,267	6,064
Jessore ...	71,081	5,222	19,726	1,06,401	1,716	21,469	1,11,131	1,267	12,307	11,533
Khulna ...	1,19,850	5,565	23 586	1,18,765	6,519	27,709	1,15,160	3,418	22,053	29,931
Dacca ...	1,21,175	852	22,324	1,32,012	919	27,658	1.23,863	1,194	24,250	31,592
Mymensingh ...	2,77,478	309	52,578	2,49,261	330	63,558	2,74,213	379	56.227	27,362
Faridpur ...	81,585	844	14,608	94,150	834	15,978	64,850	858	16,212	27,471
Bakarganj ...	2,26,316	4,134	41.869	2,23,654	6,693	57,007	2.31,801	8,077	44,089	30,846
Chittagong ...	1,30,641	453	24,249	1,22,407	540	30,016	1,20,571	548	26,239	10,946
Tippera ...	1,36,791	6,231	22,608	1,28,383	4,267	26,960	1,28,531	319	25,213‡	34,261
Noakhali ...	1,08,303	747	20,052	1,11,822	691	26,705	1,10,441	718	21,669	17.182
Rajshahi ...	1,05,508	655	20,017	1,04,310	668	24,636	1,05,409	2,675	21,151	11,657
Dinajpur ...	1,06,673	4,127	21,041	1,05,357	2,773	24,658	1,16,272	365	19,984	12,875
Jalpaiguri ...	81,751	69	15,988	83,492	68	19,359	1,09,078	69	16,572	4,975
Rangpur ...	1,69,508	848	31,969	1,63.269	1,050	39,273	1,77,816	1 292	34,052	12,625
Bogra ...	65,421	210	10,546	62,690	205	12,485	66,666	229	13,193	3,900
Pabna ...	82,850	363	15,641	80,319	355	19,166	83,182	390	16,657	11,933
Malda ...	56,319	241	8,566	54,205	358	11,019	56,902	278	11.334	1,499
Darjeeling Road Committee.	27,558	1,025	4,622	23,656	...	5,823	27,304	...	5,389	...

* Rupees 25,000 was also allotted to the Birbhum District Board in 1915-16 from arrears of the augmentation grant which were made available this year.
† Rupees 82,666 ditto Bankura ditto ditto ditto ditto.
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Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XLVII. Will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing :— Grants to District Boards.

(*i*) the gross receipts from the Public Works Cess, and the expenses entailed in the collection thereof, in each district in Bengal for the last five years;

(*ii*) the augmentation grants made to the District Boards in Bengal, and the amounts thereof that have fallen to the share of each District Board, during the last five years; and

(*iii*) all grants or subventions from Imperial or Provincial funds, which have been withdrawn or curtailed concomitantly with the assignment of the Public Works Cess to the local bodies, and the average annual receipts from them by each District Board for five years preceding such withdrawal or curtailment?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*i*), (*ii*) & (*iii*) A statement is laid on the table, giving figures for the last three years. The gross receipts under the head ' Public Works Cess ' are not available for each district previous to the year 1913-14."

Statement referred to in the answer by the HON'BLE MR. KERR *to question No. XLVII asked by the* HON'BLE BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY *at the Council Meeting of the 13th December, 1916.*

DISTRICT BOARDS.	1913-14.			1914-15.			1915-16.			Average annual Government grants withdrawn from 1913-14.
	Gross Public Works Cess.	Charges for collection of Public Works Cess.	Augmentation grants.	Gross Public Works Cess.	Charges for collection of Public Works Cess.	Augmentation grants.	Gross Public Works Cess.	Charges for collection of Public Works Cess.	Augmentation grants.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
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‡ Rupees 2,51,546 ditto Tippera ditto ditto ditto ditto.

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Sessions cases in the mufassal.

XLVIII. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement for each of the last five years, showing, district by district, the number of—

(*i*) cases tried at the Sessions; and the number of persons convicted or acquitted therein;

(*ii*) cases which were disposed of by a concurrence of Judge and jury or assessors;

(*iii*) references made to the High Court under section 307 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, upon differences between Judge and jury;

(*iv*) such references in which the verdict of the jury was upheld in regard to all or a majority of the accused persons;

(*v*) appeals preferred to the High Court in cases tried with the help of a jury, and the results thereof;

(*vi*) appeals preferred to the High Court in cases tried with the help of assessors, and the results thereof;

(*vii*) appeals out of the number of those referred to in (*vi*) above, in which the decision of the High Court coincided with the opinion of assessors, in cases where the Judge did not agree with the opinions of the assessors?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to the annual reports on the administration of criminal justice issued by the High Court, which contain a portion of the information required. Government are not prepared to undertake the compilation of statistics regarding the remainder, as they consider that the labour and trouble involved would be incommensurate with the results."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Death sentences by the Courts of Session.

XLIX. (*a*) How many sentences of death were passed by the different Courts of Session during each of the last five years; how many of them were confirmed and how many altered by the High Court each year?

(*b*) In how many instances were further inquiries made at the instance of the High Court under section 375 of the Code of Criminal Procedure during each of the last five years, and with what results?

(*c*) In how many instances were convictions annulled and charges amended under section 376 (*b*), or convicted persons acquitted under section 376 (*c*), during each of the last five years?

(*d*) How many sentences of death have been commuted or otherwise interfered with, by the Government, during the same period, and in what manner?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to the annual reports on the administration of criminal justice issued by the High Court, which contain a portion of the information required. Government are not prepared to undertake the compilation of statistics regarding the remainder, as they consider that the labour and trouble involved would be incommensurate with the results."

By the Hon'ble MR. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Percentage of Muhammadans in Rajshahi Division.

L. Will the Government be pleased to state the percentage of the Muhammadan population of the Rajshahi Division?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"According to the census of 1911 the percentage of Muhammadans in the population of the Rajshahi Division is 61."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble MR. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Inconvenience of female passengers on Eastern Bengal Railway.

LI. (*a*) Are the Government aware that great inconvenience is felt by the female railway passengers travelling in intermediate and third class carriages on the Eastern Bengal Railway in entering or alighting from trains where no platforms exist and no steps are provided?

(*b*) If so, are the Government considering the desirability of requiring the Eastern Bengal Railway Company to provide steps for such passengers, like those which are provided at Goalundo for first and second class passengers?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

"(*a*) Government are aware that a certain amount of inconvenience is felt by intermediate and third class female passengers on the broad gauge portion of the Eastern Bengal Railway, owing to the absence of facilities for entering or alighting from trains where no platform exists.

(*b*) At stations such as Goalundo and Santahar, where steps are provided for first and second class passengers, the railway authorities are arranging to supply steps also for the *zenana* compartments of the intermediate and third classes."

By the Hon'ble MR. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Passenger steamer services in the Presidency.

LII. (*a*) Is it a fact that there is a rule limiting the number of passengers which may be carried by the passenger steamers plying on the important rivers in the Presidency?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the Steamer Companies carry more passengers than the rule prescribes?

(*c*) If the answer to clause (*b*) of the question is in the affirmative, are the Government considering the desirability of issuing instructions to the Steamer Companies enjoining the strict observance of the rule?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

"(*a*) Yes, *vide* sections 6 (*1*), 11 and 54 A of the Inland Steam Vessels Act of 1884.

(*b*) & (*c*) Government have no information that excess numbers of passengers are frequently or habitually carried on inland steamers, but if the Hon'ble Member will favour Government with any information that he may have to this effect, an inquiry will be made and the result communicated to the Hon'ble Member."

By the Hon'ble MR. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Life boats in River Steamers.

LIII. Will the Government be pleased to state whether the river steamers, which carry passengers, have a sufficient number of life boats for use in emergencies?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. GREEN :—

"The scale of life-saving appliances is regulated by rules Nos. 23 and 24 on pages 56 and 57 of the Manual of Requirements for the Survey of Inland Steam Vessels, which is issued under the powers vested in Government by the Inland Steam Vessels Act, VI of 1884. All life-saving appliances are on board the vessel at the time of the survey and no ship is passed unless this is so, and unless all the appliances are in good condition and fully satisfy the rules. Inland steam vessels do not carry life boats but ordinary open gigs and cutters, which have been found to be the most suitable form of boat for their requirements. Government are satisfied that the present rules are complied with by the Steamer Companies, but Government are now examining these rules in order to see whether the scale of boats and other appliances requires amendment."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKARESWAR RAY :—

Publication of the revised Survey and Settlement Manual.

LIV. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are considering the desirability of publishing the revised Survey and Settlement Manual, together with the rules of procedure, at an early date?

(*b*) Is it under contemplation to publish also a Bengali edition of the above manual for the information and guidance of the masses?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) A volume containing the technical rules and instructions of the Settlement Department has recently been published. The Survey and Settlement Manual is under revision and will be published as early as possible.

(*b*) It is not intended to publish a Bengali edition of the Manual, but Bengali copies of the cadastral and khanapuri instructions will shortly be available for sale to the public."

By the Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY :—

Settlement operations in Rajshahi district.

LV. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the recovery of settlement costs has commenced in any part of the Rajshahi district?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state how the recoverable costs work out in that district *per* acre and how they have been apportioned between the various parties?

(*c*) Are the Government bearing any share of the *net* expenditure of the settlement operations?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*b*) The cost of the settlement operations has not yet been worked out for the whole district.

The apportionment order has been issued only in one block the recoverable costs in respect of which work out to 14 annas 4 pies per acre, of which landlords of all classes are to pay 9 annas 8 pies and raiyats 4 annas 8 pies.

(*c*) One-fourth of the net expenditure as usual is borne by the State."

By the Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY :—

Cost of settlement operations in Rajshahi district.

LVI. (*a*) What is the *net* profit *per* acre derived respectively by the landlord and his cultivator-occupancy-raiyat?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the expenditure incurred by the landlords in connection with the supervision of the settlement operations has been very heavy?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that the costs of the settlement operations in Rajshahi are to be distributed between the landlord and his cultivator-occupancy-raiyat in the ratio of 2 to 1?

(*d*) If so, have the Government before them any proposal to reconsider this decision?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) It is not possible to state generally the *net* profit derived respectively by landlord and raiyat from an acre of land. It depends on the rates of rent and revenue and on the nature of the soil and of the produce.

(*b*) Government are aware that some landlords incur heavy expenditure in connection with supervision of settlement operations.

(*c*) The apportionment order has been issued in respect of the first block only in the Rajshahi district. According to the order the cost will be recovered from landlords of all grades at the rate of 9 annas 8 pies per acre and from raiyats at 4 annas 8 pies per acre. This gives a ratio of 29 to 14.

(*d*) The answer is in the negative.

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By the Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY :—

Settlement operations of *patit* lands in Rajshahi district.

LVII. (*a*) Have the Government before them any proposal to reconsider the case of *patit* (waste) lands in the Rajshahi district with a view to exclude them either totally or to an appreciable extent from being charged for the costs of settlement operations?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the zamindars do not derive any profit from these waste lands?

(*c*) Is it also a fact that these lands give no trouble to the Settlement Department?

Answer by the HON'BLE MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) No such proposal is before Government.

(*b*) Some zamindars derive profit from waste lands, and some are likely to do so in the future.

(*c*) Waste lands are surveyed and the rights in them are recorded; the labour involved in doing so is ordinarily less than in the case of cultivated lands, but it is not insignificant."

By the Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY :—

Recovery of costs of settlement operations in Rajshahi district.

LVIII. Are the Government contemplating the recovery of the costs of the settlement operations in the Rajshahi district by instalments?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The rules permit recovery by instalments in the case of large demands at the discretion of the Settlement Officer; and Government do not propose to prescribe special rules for the Rajshahi district."

By the Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY :—

Proposed conference regarding costs of settlement operations in Rajshahi district.

LIX. Have the Government considered the desirability of holding a conference of representative zamindars, tenants and Settlement officials of the Rajshahi district, in order to discuss and advise upon the manner in which the costs of the settlement operations in that district should be apportioned and realised from the various parties?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"No, but any suggestion which may be put forward will receive due consideration."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Proposed tax on stray dogs in Kurseong Municipality.

LX. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the Kurseong Municipality has submitted a proposal to Government that it may be given power to levy a tax on stray dogs in that municipality, by amending, if necessary, the provisions on the point in the Bengal Municipal Act?

(*b*) If so, what effect has been given to that representation?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"No such proposal has been received by Government."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Control of water-supply of Kurseong.

LXI. (*a*) Are the Government aware that the Municipal Commissioners of Kurseong have approached Government, through the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling, with the object of abolishing the dual control of the catchment area of the water-supply of Kurseong?

(*b*) If so, what decision has been arrived at?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"No such proposal has been received by Government."

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THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

His Excellency addressed the Council as follows :—

"I shall not keep you waiting for many minutes before we get to our ordinary business I would not keep you at all, were it not that custom demands that the President should say something at the opening of each cold weather session. I am very glad to welcome you here. I hope that you may be able to do something useful during this session. I am sure you will, because not only will there be the budget to deal with but I feel sure you will ask questions and perhaps move resolutions which will be of great interest, but I cannot promise you much legislative work. Indeed at this moment it seems to me that there is only one Bill with which Government are at all likely to ask you to deal.

We hope to be able to introduce and pass the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, whose object is to supplement and amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in respect of the alienation of land by aboriginals. I cannot, I fear, claim that this Bill will excite much interest : I do not think it will call forth much enthusiasm, but I hope it may prove to be useful.

I regret to say there seems to me no hope of our being able to do anything in regard to the Calcutta Municipal Bill during the present session. That Bill was one of the first things which I considered after I came to Bengal, and I have been sorry each year when it had to be put off.

I regret too that there is probably no chance of our being able to bring in, as I much hoped we might have done, the Bengal Village Self-Government Bill—a Bill which will, we hope, some day help to extend the system of Self-Government in Bengal. As you know this Bill is mainly due to the labours of my colleague, Mr. Beatson Bell, and I feel sure that you will recognize its importance. and I did most sincerely hope that it would have been passed before I left Bengal. for I believe it will go a very long way towards making a sure foundation in Bengal, on which, in time, a very useful structure will be built. I can only hope that my successor may be more fortunate in regard to these measures than I have been and that when eventually they can be brought in and passed, the people of Bengal will find that the delay has been for their advantage.

The war still affects us as it affects people in every part of the world. though not in the same manner. I wish to call your attention to one point. I, and probably you, have often been told how much other provinces have done in the way of sending officials to Military Service. You and I have been glad to hear it. I do not know whether you realize what Bengal has done in this way. If you do, I do not think you will feel that we here have any cause to be ashamed, especially when we consider the relative size of our cadres. Altogether Bengal has supplied 333 officers for some form of Military Service—71 haved joined the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, including 23 men from the Indian Civil Service, 11 from the P. W. D., 9 from the Customs, 7 from the Education Department, and 7 from the Police. Many more officers would have liked to go, and offered to go, from each Department, if we had been able to spare them. Ninety-four men have joined other units on active service. In addition to this, we have supplied 141 medical men, including 37 I.M.S. officers. 29 Military Assistant Surgeons, 75 Assistant and Sub-Assistant Surgeons. Five Government servants have joined the Bengal Double Company and about a dozen others served with the Bengal Ambulance Corps. Four of our officers have been killed in action; one died of disease while on service and one is missing.

Before I sit down I would like to mention that soon, probably before our next meeting, you will all have a copy of a new edition of the Bengal Legislative Council Manual which the Bengal Legislative Department, and especially Mr. McKay, have carefully brought up-to-date and enlarged. I trust that it will be as useful to you as the earlier editions compiled by Mr. Wigley have been to members of this Council in the past."

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The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA moved the following resolution :—

'This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the system of trial by jury be extended to all those districts in Bengal in which it is not at present in force.'

He said :—

"My Lord, the Jury system was first inaugurated by the Criminal Procedure Code passed in 1861 (Act XXV of 1861), under section 322 of which the Government of Bengal introduced the system into 7 districts, *viz.*, the 24-Parganas, Hooghly, Burdwan, Murshidabad, Nadia, Patna and Dacca. This was in 1862. Thirty-five years after, *i.e.*, in 1897 the system was extended to 4 other districts, *viz.*, Chittagong, Mymensingh, Rajshahi and Jessore. So that the system is now in force in 10 out of the 26 districts of Bengal. (Patna no longer forming a part of Bengal.)

I have now the honour of moving for the extension of the system to the remaining 16 districts of the Presidency.

Now, my Lord, my contention is that the time has now arrived—in fact it had arrived long before—when the system of Trial by Jury should be extended to all the remaining districts of Bengal. I shall not dwell upon the inherent merits of Jury trial as a system. They are universally admitted. But to make out a case in favour of my resolution, it lies on me only to establish that the system has worked satisfactorily in those districts in which it has been in force. It has now been under trial for over half a century and my submission is that it has been nothing but a success. But without giving my own humble opinion on this question, I propose to place before Your Excellency the verdict of competent authorities, both official and non-official, on the working of the Jury system in Bengal in chronological order.

Less than three years after the introduction of the system, the District Judge of Nadia expressed, in 1864, his decided opinion that it had worked well. From his actual experience of the trials in his court, he was satisfied that the presence of a Jury in criminal cases had been of essential assistance to himself, and was regarded by the Indians themselves as a safeguard against errors of judgment and a guarantee that all the details in a case would be fully understood before any conclusion was formed. He observed 'Every year I hope to see an improvement of what, in its present stage, can only be regarded as an experiment.'

In 1865, the then Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Cecil Beadon, after an elaborate examination of the working of the system during the period of five years 'and on a review of the reports, submitted both by the executive and judiciary' came to the conclusion that the experiment had succeeded to an extent which was scarcely to be anticipated and that on the whole the Jurymen had discharged their duties intelligently and conscientiously. In the same year the High Court remarked that the Jury system worked well in the districts into which it had been introduced in 1862.

Two years later, in February 1867, Sir Cecil Beadon recorded his deliberate and mature conviction, 'founded on long experience and observation, and specially on the results of the system in the Lower Provinces, so far as it had been acted upon', that the trial of all offences before the courts of sessions, in all parts of the Lower Provinces, ought to be by Jury; and that the system might be universally adopted not only without prejudice to the administration of criminal justice, but with decided benefit to the courts, and with increased confidence on the part of the public in their judgments. He observed that it had been his invariable aim to select the most efficient and generally the most experienced officers at his disposal, to serve as judges in the jury districts, and that it might be, in some degree, owing to the care with which selection of judges had been made that the system had been so entirely successful as far as it had been introduced. He added that even if there were one or two judges on the mufassal Bench who were not fully competent to direct a jury,

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it seemed to him that this circumstance ought not to operate against the general introduction of a measure believed otherwise to be expedient.

My Lord, it is now precisely 50 years since one of the most illustrious rulers of the Province, Sir Cecil Beadon, proposed seriously and earnestly to extend the Jury system to all districts and to all offences triable by Courts of Session. Half a century of British rule has since elapsed—is it too much, my Lord, even now to claim the extension—a consummation which was so devoutly wished in 1867? May I not very legitimately claim that my resolution is a very modest one? May it be reasonably said that I am asking for too much? Sir Cecil Beadon was not an impatient idealist or a visionary enthusiast. He was the responsible ruler of Bengal. Besides his views were not looked upon as ultra radical or fantastic—those were views in which the Government of India also coincided generally. And if the Government of India declined to extend the system to all districts and to all offences at that time, they did so, not because competent jurymen were not available in the country but because in their opinion competent judges were not then available —judges competent to advise and guide the jury properly. What an irony of fate it is that the people of a vast province were refused such a progressive institution for no other reason than that the judges were not competent to preside over a jury trial.

Seventeen years later, *i.e.*, in 1884, the Government of Bengal reopened the question of the extension of the jury system and asked the opinion of the High Court whether it was desirable to introduce Trial by Jury into other districts. The letter of the Government of Bengal, dated the 17th July, 1884, addressed to the High Court after a review of all the official reports on the working of the system from 1862 to 1884 concluded as follows :—"Without going so far as to pronounce the system of Trial by Jury to have been anything like a complete success, the Lieutenant-Governor thinks that it has worked fairly well in the more advanced districts to which it has been applied. Occasionally, no doubt, bad verdicts had been given by juries and miscarriages of justice have resulted; but since 1872, when at the suggestion of Mr. Justice Jackson, the law was amended and a reference to the High Court allowed in cases in which the presiding Judge considered the verdict given to be wrong, these have decreased in number. It will be seen from paragraph 7 of this letter that Sir Cecil Beadon advocated the extension of the system to all the districts of the Lower Provinces so far back as 1867, when it had been in force for only five years. This proposal was apparently abandoned in deference to the views which had been expressed by the High Court that a longer trial should be given to the system in the districts into which it had been originally introduced. Upwards of 14 years have elapsed since Sir Cecil Beadon's Resolution of February 1867 was recorded and Mr. Rivers Thompson thinks the time has now come when the matter might with advantage be reconsidered. I am accordingly to request that the Hon'ble Judges may be moved to favour him with expression of their opinion as to the advisability of extending the system to the districts named in the margin."*

*Midnapore, Rajshahi, Rangpur, Mymensingh, Chittagong and Cuttack.

Sir Rivers Thompson was District Judge of jury districts for a considerable period and had thus enormous experience which is the real training and education of men in responsibility, and was therefore pre-eminently in a position to speak with authority on the subject. This enhances the value of the deliberate opinion recorded by Sir Rivers Thompson about the success of the Jury system in Bengal.

The Judges of the High Court could not, however, agree. Justices Mitter, Norris and Ghosh were for extension, but the other Judges were not. The result was, that on this occasion also, the proposal of the Bengal Government for extension of the system had to be dropped. But, my Lord, more things happened in 1884 than I have yet described—in fact, I have presented only one side of the shield. The disappointment of the Indians in 1884 was more than compensated by the unusual advance made by the Europeans in this country in the matter of Trial by Jury. In that memorable year—memorable for more reasons than I can legitimately discuss here—during those troubled

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days, my Lord, the Europeans in this country were fighting tooth and nail for their rights and privileges as regards the administration of justice. They were very naturally keen about this valued right of Trial by Jury and they acquired it in 1884 after a stormy but triumphant agitation—an agitation which was so vehement and so violent that history has immortalised it by the dignified but sensational expression of " white mutiny ". Act III of 1884, gave every European British subject, charged with an offence, however trivial it may be, not only before a Sessions Judge but even before a District Magistrate, the right to claim to be tried by a jury of which not less than half the number shall be Europeans or Americans. It is a claim which cannot be made by an Englishman in a Magistrate's Court in his own country. Suppose a European of Faridpur or Comilla is charged with committing trespass or mischief, the pettiest of offences known to criminal law before the District Magistrate, he can claim to be tried by a jury. But it is denied to an Indian citizen even if he is charged with murder in the Court of the Sessions Judge of the same place. This distinction between the Indians and Europeans is so remarkable and so glaring that it is not at all consistent with sound and impartial administration of justice. It is quite out of tune, my Lord, with the truly liberal policy which Your Excellency has been striving amid unparalleled difficulties to follow in Bengal. It is a distinction, the perpetuation of which can by no means be consistent with wisdom and statesmanship. The distinction is naturally enough resented by my countrymen, and it is high time, my Lord, that it should be removed. I appeal to Your Excellency with all the earnestness that I can command to do away with this needless distinction between the Indians and Europeans as regards the right of trial by jury, so far of course as lies within Your Excellency's power.

But to return to my chronological story. I have brought it down to 1884. I am not aware whether there are any official reports between 1884 and 1890. The year 1892, however, is a very memorable year in the history of the Jury system in Bengal. But before I come to 1892, I propose to draw the attention of the Council to what the people, not only in Bengal, but throughout the length and breadth of the Indian continent, felt and thought and spoke about the Jury system. How keen the people of Bengal in particular were about this matter at this time will appear from an incident which occurred on the eve of Lord Ripon's departure from Calcutta on a certain occasion.

Before bidding farewell to one of the leaders of public opinion in Bengal, his Lordship asked " Now, tell me, my friend, what can I do for you "? To this the latter replied, going down on his knees, " My Lord, concede to us the right of Trial by Jury." The kneeling gentleman was no other than the late Babu Shishir Kumar Ghosh, the foremost patriot of his generation. In 1884 the Bengal Government, as we have seen, proposed the extension of the system, and in the year following, the Indian National Congress held its first meeting in Bombay. We find, that almost from the very foundation of that great and august body, resolutions were passed from year to year praying for the extension of the system to other districts and for greater finality for the verdicts of jurors.

Vide Resolution	No. 8	of 1886.
,,	No. 4	of 1888.
,,	No. 3(*b*)	of 1889.
,,	No. 2(*b*)	of 1890.
,,	No. 7(*b*)	of 1891.

Thus we find the glorious and edifying spectacle of the Government and the people, the officials and non-officials standing on a common platform and advocating the extension of the Jury system, for which, my Lord, I am now claiming Your Excellency's favourable and sympathetic consideration. Verily this was a sight for the gods to see and enjoy. But the gods, like men, have their reverses and disappointments and they were not allowed to enjoy this sight for any length of time. For, on the 20th October, 1892, Sir Charles Elliott, the then Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, issued a Notification, not for

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extension but for *limitation* of the system, withdrawing the right of Trial by Jury in the majority of serious offences including murder and rioting.

The people asked for bread but instead stones were flung at them. This Notification came to the people like a bolt from the blue and evoked in the country a unanimous outburst of indignant protest which even the author of the Notification felt unable to disregard. On the 30th December, 1892, the Indian National Congress at Allahabad passed a resolution demanding not only the withdrawal of the Jury Notification but also the extension of the system. The following two days were holidays and on the very next office day, *viz.*, 2nd January, 1893, the Lieutenant-Governor addressed an important despatch to the Government of India stating that he desired to reconsider the question and suggested the appointment of a Commission to consider the matter. The above-mentioned Resolution of the Indian National Congress was moved by the late Babu Guru Prosad Sen and seconded by Rai Baikunta Nath Sen Bahadur. The speeches of these two level-headed and sagacious leaders proved conclusively, not by declamation and denunciation, but by 'a careful examination of the crime statistics for a number of years taken from the Administration Reports' that *the Jury system worked much better than the non-jury or the Assessor system.* The very fact that even the author of the Notification with all the natural bias for it was induced to reconsider the matter and to institute forthwith a careful and satisfactory inquiry is proof positive of the fact, if any proof is needed, that the Indian National Congress made out a very strong case in favour of the Jury system. There is therefore no reason to brush aside the Resolution of Babu Guru Prosad Sen as an expression merely of non-official opinion. In fact, I venture to place this Resolution on the same footing with the recommendations of Sir Cecil Beadon and Sir Rivers Thompson for extension of the Jury system and claim no less authority and weight for the former than must unquestionably be conceded by all to the latter.

My Lord, out of evil cometh good. The Jury Notification led to the appointment of the Jury Commission, who, after a most careful and critical examination of the working of the system from 1862 to 1892, and, who, after examining the whole literature on the subject including all official and judicial reports, arrived at the following important conclusions :—

"After the fullest consideration of the very abundant materials before us we cannot come to the conclusion that the Jury system in its present shape has proved a failure in Bengal. Our general conclusion is the same as that arrived at by the Local Government in 1884, that system has worked fairly well in the more advanced districts to which it has been applied." '"And dealing more specifically with the Notification of Sir Charles Elliott, the Commission recorded the following opinion :— * * * * we have come to the unanimous conclusion that the classification of offences triable by jury as it stood before the 20th October, 1892, should be reverted to."

And who were the membbrs of this Commission? The President was no other than Mr. Prinsep who was Judge of the Calcutta High Court for a very long time. Among the members were Sir Romesh Chunder Mitter, another illustrious Judge, 'who officiated as Chief Justice of Bengal,' and Sir Griffith Evans, Advocate-General of Bengal, 'who enjoyed such unstinted confidence of the Government that they appointed him member of the Supreme Legislative Council for about a quarter of a century.'

The Commission submitted their report on the 24th March, 1893. And only three days after, *i.e.*, on the 27th March, the people hailed with delight the publication by the Bengal Government of a Notification by which the Jury Notification of the 20th October was cancelled.

All that happened during the time of Sir Charles Elliott afforded, therefore, the clearest vindication of the Jury system in Bengal. He no doubt condemned the system in the first instance but through the mysterious dispensation of Providence he eventually proved himself to be the most genuine and ardent supporter of the institution.

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So I feel justified in contending that Sir Charles Elliott like Sir Cecil Beadon and Sir Rivers Thompson was an advocate of the Jury system in Bengal.

But there is a strange fatality which has always attended this ill-fated institution in Bengal. For, in spite of the fiery ordeal it passed through in 1892 and 1893, all that was done was merely the maintenance of the *status quo*. The question of extension of the system to other districts was not at all referred to the Commission 'who felt that they were not authorised to travel beyond the matters expressly referred to them, although they received representations on the subject from many non-jury districts.'

The result was that, in spite of the vindication of the Jury system by such competent expert opinion, no step was taken in 1893 for the extension of the same. But the people were not satisfied with merely regaining lost ground. They were keen for extension. Accordingly we find the Indian National Congress reopening the question of the extension of the Jury system in 1894 and passing a resolution in that behalf year after year. I shall only quote the text of one typical resolution, *viz.*, the resolution which was passed by the twelfth Congress in 1896. "That this Congress having regard to the opinion of the Jury Commission as to the success of the system of Trial by Jury, and to the fact that with the progress of education a sufficient number of educated persons is available in all parts of the country, and concurring with previous Congresses, is of opinion that Trial by Jury should be extended to districts and offences to which the system at present does not apply and that the verdicts should be final." The Government was apparently satisfied with the reasonableness of the demand and made a slight response. On the 19th April, 1897, the Bengal Government published a Notification by which the system of Trial by Jury was extended to the districts of Chittagong, Mymensingh, Rajshahi and Jessore with respect to certain offences. My Lord, while certainly thankful to the Government for this concession, my countrymen looked upon it only as a small instalment of a large debt still due to them. The extension of the system in 1897, slight as it is, is valuable to us as a distinct recognition once more by the Government that the system has been nothing but a success in the 7 districts in which it had been under trial for a period of thirty-five years.

Since then education has made phenomenal progress all over Bengal and if education is any test of fitness for this valued right, then it cannot possibly be gainsaid that every district of Bengal has fully established its claim to the Jury system.

Let us now for one moment turn to facts and figures. Let us compare the number of schools, colleges, graduates and under-graduates in 1862, 1867, 1881, 1893, 1897 and 1916. The position is so very clear and so absolutely uncontroversial that I should not feel justified in trespassing upon Your Excellency's time to labour this point by an examination of the statistics on the subject. I shall content myself with summing up the position very broadly by stating that education in the most backward district to-day in 1916 compares very favourably with education in the most advanced district in 1862. There can be no denying the fact that if there was any one district in Bengal which was fit for the Jury system in 1862, then judged by the test of education there is no district now in Bengal which can reasonably be considered unfit for the same. If competent jurors were available in Nadia in 1862—we have quoted the opinion of the Judge of Nadia that they were available—can it be said with any semblance of reason that after the lapse of *over half a century* there will not be found a sufficiently large number of educated men in Tippera or Bakarganj, in Faridpur or Midnapur to draw jurors from? Is there any conceivable reason why Tippera and Faridpur should be considered unfit for jury trial in 1916 when Burdwan and Hooghly were found qualified in 1862? The system was introduced in all the districts of Assam with respect to all offences triable by courts of session as early as 1862. Can it be seriously contended that the 16 Bengal districts on behalf of which I am moving this resolution are more backward in 1916 than

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the even now benighted Assam districts were in 1862? My Lord, I am not demanding more for the Bengal districts than the Assam districts have, as a matter of fact, already enjoyed for the last fifty-four years.

There is one very important fact which I should have mentioned before. I have cited many authorities, but I have not yet cited the authority of the very authors of the Jury system in British India. The system, as I have said, was introduced by the Criminal Procedure Code of 1861. The history of that legislation so far as the question now before us is concerned, is both interesting and instructive. The Indian Law Commissioners 'appointed under the Indian Act of 1853' upon whose report the Code of Criminal Procedure was introduced in the Imperial Legislative Council in 1859 recommended the present double system of jury and assessor. The Code, as prepared by the Commissioners, was laid before the Legislative Council and referred to a Select Committee. Now, my Lord, I beg leave to call your special attention to the report of the Select Committee. They did not accept the double system and struck out altogether the provision respecting assessors and provided for the introduction of a general system of Trial by Jury. We arrive at the next stage, my Lord, when the report of the Select Committee was presented before the Council who approved and adopted the uniform system recommended by the Select Committee. In other words the Bill as approved by the Imperial Council provided for the introduction of the Jury system *in all districts.*

We now come to the last and final stage when the Bill was submitted for approval to the Secretary of State for India in Council, who, however, was of opinion that the course recommended by the Law Commissioners should be followed, that trial in the Session Courts should be generally conducted with the aid of assessors, and that Trial by Jury being settled by law in regard to certain classes it should be left to the Government to extend it to localities as it may deem fit. The Imperial Council accordingly modified their own conclusions and the present double system was brought into existence. It will thus appear that, but for the interference of the Home Government, the Jury system would have been introduced throughout the length and breadth of the Province as early as 1862. My Lord, I am not asking for more than the Supreme Council very graciously, but none the less solemnly, proposed to give us more than half-a-century before. I use the word "graciously" advisedly because the legislation proposed by them was not the result of any agitation or public opinion but proceeded from themselves.

The principal argument against the extension of the Jury system is that the jurors sometimes return wrong verdicts. The Jury system, after all, is a human institution and jurors are, after all, men. Like all other human institutions the Jury system is also bound to have its ordinary share of imperfections. Like all other men the jurors are also liable to err. It is therefore only natural and inevitable that the verdicts of the jurors in some cases will be erroneous. Is this, however, a ground for condemning the system? Are there any tribunals of any description in any country which are absolutely free from wrong verdicts? Are not the decisions of the Sessions Judges in the non-jury districts reversed by the High Court in an appreciably large number of cases? Are not even capital sentences in non-jury districts set aside by the High Court and replaced by order of acquittal? Are not the decisions of the High Courts not infrequently set aside by their Lordships of the Judicial Committee? Is that a ground for the abolition or condemnation of the Sessions Courts or High Courts? Has not the elaborate machinery of our law courts 'beginning from the courts of the Deputy Magistrates and Munsiffs with provisions for appeals in the court of the District Magistrates and District and Sessions Judges and for second appeal and revision and reference in the High Courts with the Privy Council in England as the highest tribunal for counteracting and undoing all the blunders committed by the courts of the various grades in India, has not this elaborate machinery'

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for its basis the fundamental truth that the verdicts of all courts and all tribunals must inevitably be wrong in some cases? We have no right to claim or expect utopian perfection for the Jury system. We ought to judge it by that ordinary standard by which we ordinarily judge all other human institutions. No institution is or can be ideally perfect.

The complaint against the jurors comes chiefly from the police. The police complain because the jurors cannot and do not always see eye to eye with the police. They complain because the jurors sometimes fail to give credence to the evidence that is brought up by the police in Sessions Courts and let off innocent persons who are not infrequently sent up by the police. On this rather ticklish and delicate question, my Lord, I shall not hazard any opinion of my own but with Your Excellency's permission I shall quote the authority of no less a personage than Sir Rivers Thompson who observed that the jurymen were more scrupulous in accepting police evidence than the Judges were and that it was quite right that they should be so scrupulous. There is one fact which lends the utmost weight to the observation of Sir Rivers Thompson. Obviously he did not consider this "scrupulousness" on the part of the jurors to be a discredit or a demerit, for, in spite of this opinion, he was, as a matter of fact, one of the greatest advocates of this institution and he was anxious for gradual extension of the same. I may be permitted, however, to observe that over-scrupulousness on the part of the jury is a failing which leans on virtue's side, if it is a failing at all. One of the fundamental principles of jurisprudence is that it is better to let off ninety-nine guilty men than to send one innocent man to jail. This over-scrupulousness is not the characteristic of the Bengalee jurors alone. That is the distinguishing feature of jurors in England also. Mr. John Bright, speaking of the jurors in England, observed that the jury *naturally* were over-scrupulous in weighing evidence in cases where punishment might be death. But I shall cite still another high authority and shall quote the following passage from the report of the Jury Commission :

"Some of the verdicts alleged to be erroneous may be fairly attributable to distrust of police evidence and of the manner in which cases are got up by the police. This distrust has not been without reason in the past, but steps have been recently taken to improve the police generally, and in particular investigation and preparation of cases shall be entrusted to a higher and more trustworthy class of officers. With these improvements the distrust may be expected to gradually disappear." Whether the hope of improvements of the police and their methods has been justified by the event may or may not be a matter of controversy, and whether the distrust of the police evidence has since disappeared or is still one of the disadvantages the jurors labour under in coming to a right decision—quite apart from these considerations, we have at all events here a most significant and unequivocal pronouncement of most competent Judges that the alleged erroneous verdicts are not always erroneous in point of fact that it is the unreliable police evidence which is the real cause for failure of prosecution and that if there is anything wrong in those cases, it is not in the verdict of the jury but in the very inception of the case—in the placing of a wrong man upon trial and in the attempt to obtain conviction by evidence which is not acceptable to the jury. The opinion of the Jury Commission comes to this, that the police in the first instance try to obtain conviction by misleading the jury by unreliable evidence and that when the jury are intelligent enough to see through their tactics they raise the stereotyped cry—"The verdict is wrong, the verdict is perverse."

The reports of the Judicial Officers as to the success of the system in Bengal, although not uniform, are, on the whole, decidedly favourable. Some of them reported strongly in favour of it, others reported against it. But with respect to the latter, the Jury Commission observed that many of the Judicial Officers who reported against the system based much of their opposition to it on grounds not special to Bengal but equally applicable to England.

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The Judges either agree or disagree with the verdict of the jury. If they agree, then certainly the verdict is not erroneous—at all events it is not erroneous in their estimate. It is only when they disagree that the Judges call the verdict of the jurors to be erroneous. Now the verdict of the jury cannot with confidence be said to be erroneous merely because the Judge differs from the same. There is absolutely no justification for the assumption that in all cases of difference of opinion the Judge is right and the jury wrong. On the contrary, the jury-men being drawn from the people themselves are better able to decide questions of fact than the Judges who are more or less unfamiliar with the customs, manners, and languages of the accused and the witnesses. It is universally admitted that jurors are more often right in the facts than the Judges. That is the dispassionate judgment even of the Judges themselves all over India. I shall quote the testimony of three Judges from three Presidencies. Mr. Woogan, District Judge of Cuttack, observed so far back as 1884 :—"I have found the assessors as a rule take an intelligent interest in the proceedings * * * and although I think them in some cases prone to acquit, I have frequently found where I have over-ruled, that their doubts were endorsed by the High Court on appeal." Mr. Benson, a Judge of the Madras Presidency, remarked in 1890, "Jurors are more often right on the facts than Judges in their self-sufficiency give them credit for." In the same year Sir Charles Farran, Chief Justice of Bombay, said : * * "The verdict of the jurors, by reason of the local knowledge they possess and their more perfect acquaintance with the habits, customs and modes of thought, of the accused and of the witnesses examined before them is more likely to be correct than the decision of a Judge, though the latter approaches the considerations of the case with a more trained intelligence and a more logical mind, but with less accurate preception of native life and native thoughts." That is also the verdict of the Jury Commission who observed that compared with the Sessions Judges, a local jury should be better able to draw inference of fact and to discriminate between the truth and falsehood of conflicting oral evidence given in their language. One of the greatest disadvantages of a Sessions trial in this country is that many of our European Judges do not know the language of the accused and the witnesses and some of them do not care to know it. This is simply disastrous for the end of justice.

As a matter of fact there are numourous cases in which the High Court on a full consideration of the evidence upheld the verdict of the jury and rejected that of the Judge.

It should be borne in mind that the success of the jury system depends to some extent upon the efficiency of the Judges. In a jury trial, the Judge must play the rôle of a friend, philosopher and guide to the jurors. In their Report on the Criminal Administration of Bengal for the year 1865, the High Court went so far as to remark that the success of the system depended not so much upon the proper selection of persons to form the jury list as upon the ability and care with which the presiding Judge performed the duty of explaining the case to the jurors, and they therefore strongly urged the importance of invariably selecting the most experienced and efficient officers at the disposal of the Government to serve as Judges in the jury districts. Sir Cecil Beadon recorded precisely the same opinion in 1867. In the same year the India Government refused to adopt Sir Cecil's recommendation of extension of jury trial to other districts not because competent jurors were not available but because Judges of assured capacity of the requisite number were not then available. In this connection permit me, my Lord, to quote the following passage from the report of the Jury Commission :

"It must be borne in mind that some of the erroneous verdicts are probably due to want of practice on the part of the Judges in the very difficult art of charging a jury. A good and clear charge or an inefficient one frequently makes all the difference in a verdict. The careful appointment of only the best and most experienced Judges to jury districts

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must mitigate this danger." So the High Court, the Local Government and the Supreme Government all unanimously attribute some of the erroneous verdicts of the jurors in Bengal to the inefficiency of the Judges. It is somewhat interesting therefore to find some of the Judges trying to shift the burden of wrong verdicts from their own shoulders to those of the jurors.

But apart from these prior considerations, my contention is that the statistics do not support the charge of "wrong verdict." The statistics furnished by Government reports were examined at length by the Jury Commission from this standpoint. The following extract from their report is a sufficient refutation of this baseless charge :

"The opinions before us shew that experienced officers have frequently complained of the prevalence of wrong verdicts, which they have attributed to various innate defects in the jurors. The statistics, on the other hand, do not shew that there has been any larger number of cases than might have been reasonably expected, and certainly do not indicate any breakdown of the system. We think that considerable weight should be given to the opinion of competent observers. Still, statistics are of great importance as indicating the number of trials, the number of cases in which the Judge has disagreed with the jury, the number of cases referred and the result of references ; and they form a sound basis for judging how far the matters complained of have operated so largely as to seriously interfere with the administration of justice. Opinions of this character have been expressed from time to time since 1862, but they have never been accepted as sufficient material for the condemnation of the system. There is reason to think that the variance between the adverse opinions and the actual result shewn by the statistics can be explained by the bias caused by the occurence of some case, in which the unexpected results have shocked these officers, who are thus too easily led to believe in the prevalence of influence which may have caused a failure of justice in an individual case. Having formed this strong opinion and probably reported it to their superior officers, and having satisfied themselves of the existence of certain tendencies or prejudices calculated to interfere with the correctness of verdicts, and having seen some instances of their operation, they have too readilly assumed that those tendencies and prejudices were overwhelming and generally operative to the subversion of justice, without considering how far education or a sense of responsibility might counteract them and might have led to the majority of the verdicts being such as could not have been given if the tendencies and prejudices in question had swayed the decision of the jury. Assuming that such tendencies and prejudices on the part of the jurors do exist, the statistics show that they do not operate to anything like the extent which might be expected from the perusals of many of the reports made to Government." The statistics of 11 years prior to 1893 were very carefully examined by Babu Guru Prasad Sen from whose speech I quote the following illuminating passage :—

"In my humble opinion, no amount of platitudes, or denunciation, but a careful examination of figures comprising the crime statistics for a number of years can alone help us in coming to a right conclusion regarding the matter. We have jury trials and non-jury trials in Sessions courts under the Government of Bengal, and the result of trials with jury as compared with the result of Sessions trials without a jury, will show the merit of each. Such a statement I now hold in my hand. It is a comparative statement of the above kind from 1877 to 1891 compiled from the reports of the Administration of Criminal Justice in the Lower Provinces. It would be tedious to read to you all the figures, even if our 10 minutes rule will allow. I shall crave your permission to take it as read, and I shall hand over a copy to our Secretary for record as a part of this address. I shall, however, read to you the summary of the result.

From 1877 to 1891, barring the years 1879, 1880, 1881 and 1882 for which certain figures are not available, the number of trials with jury was

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3,567; the number of verdicts agreed to by the Sessions Judges was 632; the number of references disposed of, under section 307, Criminal Procedure Code, was 238; verdicts approved by the High Court were 90; verdicts set aside by the High Court were 148. The percentage, therefore, of verdicts not agreed to by the Sessions Judges to the whole number of verdicts during these years, was 16·9. The percentage of verdicts actually set aside to the total number of verdicts, was 3·68. While, if all cases in which the Sessions Judge disagreed from the verdict of the jury had been referred by them under section 307, Criminal Procedure Code, to the High Court, and verdicts set aside in the same proportion as in cases referred, the percentage of verdicts which would have been set aside, would be 11·8.

On the other hand, we find that during the same period the total number of non-jury trials, *i.e.*, trials with Assessors, was 12,141. The number of appeals disposed of by the High Court from the decisions of the Sessions Judges was 8,205; the number of cases in which there were no appeals, was 3,936; of the appeals disposed of 6,632 were affirmed, and the number reversed, modified and sent back, was 1,603. The percentage of judgment of Sessions Judges affirmed to the total number of appeals was 81·6 and the percentage of judgments reversed, modified and sent back, was 19·4. The percentage of judgments affirmed or not disturbed to the total number of trials was 86·7, while the percentage of judgments that would have to be corrected by the High Court, if there had been appeals in all cases to the total number of trials, would be 13·3.

It would perhaps, be conceded that the cases not referred were such that if they were before the High Court there would be less chance of their being set aside. Under the present Code (sec. 307, Cr. P. C.) wrong verdicts may be set aside in every instance; it is not, therefore, an irremediable wrong. Again, there are doubtless cases in which no appeal against the sentences of the Sessions Judge is preferred, because the prisoner has no money or friends to take up his case before the High Court; and if appeals had been preferred in these cases the sentence would not have been affirmed; while, therefore, the mode in which the percentage has been worked out in column 9 of the statement A, I have in hand, is unfavourable to the jury, the mode by which the percentage in column 7 of the statement B, also in hand, has been worked out, is very favourable to the Sessions Judge, and they have been worked out in this way to remove all hesitation in adopting them for the purpose of comparison.

Now comparing these figures, we find that while the actual percentage of verdicts of juries set aside during these years has been only 3·68, the actual percentage of judgments of Sessions Judges reversed by the High Court in appeal is 19·4. While, if all disagreed verdicts had been referred to by the Sessions Judges to the High Court, under section 307 of the Criminal Procedure Code, and these verdicts set aside in the same ratio as those referred, the percentage of verdicts set aside would have been only 11·8, but the percentage of judgments of the Sessions Judges that would have to be corrected by the High Court, to the total number of trials, treating cases not appealed against as affirmed, would be 13·3.

These figures, I hold, conclusively prove that the jury system has worked much better than the non-jury or the assessor system. Opinions from whatever source they may come, would be no weight if not based on facts, and isolated facts can scarcely furnish a correct basis for generalization."

An ounce of fact is worth a ton of theories and opinions. We must therefore bow down to the conclusions which have been irresistibly drawn from the statistics not of a doubtful character but about which the Government and the people are absolutely certain. The charge of wrong verdicts brought against the jurors of Bengal has therefore no foundation in fact. It is a grand fiction—and a great libel upon the jurors who do a public duty at considerable personal sacrifice. It is too late in the day now to reiterate this

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exploded heresy and worn-out prejudice. I feel persuaded, my Lord, that this argument will not be urged against my resolution.

But conceding for argument's sake that the verdicts of jurors are wrong in an appreciable number of cases, it really passes my comprehension how the alleged wrong verdicts can necessarily lead to a failure of justice any more than the wrong verdict of a Munsiff, or Subordinate Judge, or District Judge or a High Court in a civil suit or the wrong verdict of the Deputy Magistrate, District Magistrate or Sessions Judge in a criminal case can. The law as it stands now has made ample provision for preventing any failure of justice. Whenever the Judge disagrees with the verdict of the jurors, and is of opinion that the verdict will lead to failure of justice, section 307 of the Criminal Procedure Code empowers him to submit the case to the High Court, which may exercise any of the powers which it may exercise on an appeal. There is a good deal of controversy whether the verdict of jurors should be final or not. But certainly under the existing law this apprehension of failure or miscarriage of justice is absolutely unfounded.

My Lord, I am anxious to call Your Excellency's attention to another aspect of the matter. The safe-guard now provided by section 307 of the Criminal Procedure Code against any miscarriage of justice from erroneous verdicts were not in existence when Sir Cecil Beadon and Sir Rivers Thompson proposed to extend the system. The Supreme Council proposed to introduce the system in all the districts with final powers to the jurors. If the system could be extended under the old law without the safe-guard, how much more safely can it be extended now under the existing law with this additional safeguard which has placed the jury and the Judges in the non-jury districts practically in the same position, so far as the powers of the High Court for revision and correction of wrong verdicts are concerned, the intervention of the High Court being invoked by the Judge in one case and by the aggrieved party in the other.

It has been declared by eminent jurists that if Trial by Jury is looked at from the political and moral point of view, everything is to be said in its favour and nothing can be said aginst it. This doctrine of universal application applies with special force to India in the present political condition of the country. Looked at from this standpoint the following aspects of the question cannot fail to strike the most unimaginative and superficial student of the present day politics.

(*a*) In the administration of justice the Jury system may be looked upon as a measure of self-government. So far back as 1872, Sir George Campbell, the then Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, although he was rather hostile to the Jury system in India, remarked in the course of a debate in the Supreme Council that the system had a great effect on the political education of the people in-as-much as they were induced to take part in self-government, and in the administration of justice.

(*b*) The system is also calculated to promote co-operation between the people and the judiciary and will provide a common platform where the leading and educated men of the whole district can meet the Judges. Sir Charles Elliott was of opinion that the Jury system was beneficial on political grounds as a means of identifying the people of the country with the administration of justice.

(*c*) Sir J. F. Stephen, in his history of the Criminal Law of England, observed :—

"Though the Judges are, and are known to be, independent of the Executive Government, it is naturally felt that their sympathies are likely to be on the side of authority. The public at large feel more sympathy with jury men than they do with Judges, and accept their verdicts with much less hesitation and distrust than they would feel towards judgments, however ably written or expressed." If this is true of England, how much more is this

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true about India where the Judges are not independent of the Executive Government. Accordingly, the Jury Commission said: "The odium of what may appear harsh punishments is shifted in great part from the Government, and the dread, however unfounded it may be, of the all-pervading influence of the Government affecting the judgment is removed." My Lord, the importance of this consideration from the standpoint of the Government cannot be too much emphasised. In the peculiar circumstances of India, it is not only necessary that justice should be administered but it is equally necessary that the people should feel and be satisfied that it is being properly administered. This satisfaction of the people is an important asset for the Government. The Jury Commission were so emphatic in their opinion on this point that they held that this advantage is sufficient to compensate for a certain number of cases in which criminals may escape conviction or may be convicted of lesser crimes than the evidence might warrant. Even a superficial consideration should convince the Judges that the jury not only help them in their judicial task but also relieve them of great responsibility. They should therefore welcome the extension of the system for their own sake.

In conclusion I beg leave to submit that the resolution which stands in my name is a resolution which is identical with the resolutions of the Bengal Government on several previous occasions on the one hand and with the resolutions of the Indian National Congress on the other. I believe, my Lord, and I do so honestly, that the proposed extension will operate as much for the benefit of the Government as for the people. A dispassionate consideration will shew that this is at all events a matter in which there is absolutely no manner of conflict between the Government and the people. I hope and trust that the resolution will be acceptable to all parties concerned. I appeal to the non-official members of this Council for supporting the resolution in the name of the Indian National Congress who have been fighting in this behalf ever since 1885. I count upon the ungrudging and whole-hearted support of the European members on the simple ground that they are as keen about the right of Trial by Jury as any other people on the face of the earth. They themselves fought out their own salvation in this matter and I feel sure that they will have nothing but sympathy for us in our efforts for obtaining the same. And, lastly, my Lord, I appeal to Your Excellency for acceptance of the resolution in the name of Sir Cecil Beadon, Sir Rivers Thompson and many other high-officials who from time to time advocated the extension of the system. The system is in force in all the districts of Madras, Your Excellency's first Presidency in India, and my earnest prayer is that Your Excellency will place Bengal on that footing on which Your Excellency found Madras in this respect. In the words of the kneeling gentleman before Lord Ripon I say "My Lord, concede to us the rights of Trial by Jury." May the termination of Your Excellency's rule be signalised by the extension of the Jury system as contemplated by this Resolution.

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY :—

"My Lord,—On the 1st December, 1913, I asked the following question in your Lordship's Council :

'In view of the advance in education during the last 20 years, have the Government of Bengal considered the desirability of introducing the Trial by Jury in the non-jury districts ?'

The answer was :

'Within the last 20 years the Government of Bengal have considered the desirability of introducing Trial by Jury into the non-jury districts. In 1897 the system of Trial by Jury was extended to the districts of Chittagong, Mymensingh, Rajshahi and Jessore ; and in 1905 to the District of Khulna.'

This question was asked by me as a preliminary to the moving of the identical Resolution which my Hon'ble friend has moved just now. When,

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however, I studied the question thoroughly I asked myself have we got the real thing, or is it the mere shadow of the substance, and if the right of Trial by Jury is worth extension to other districts. Whatever my young and exthusiastic friends may think I am sorry to admit that the Criminal Procedure Code of 1898 has made the verdict of a jury and that of an assessor almost identical, in fact, it has made the verdict of a jury worse, for there is no appeal to the High Court against the verdict of the jury when it is concurred in by the Judge on questions of fact except on the ground of misdirection to the jury. The jury system is not what the Law Commissioners under the Indian Act of 1853 recommended, *viz.*, that in jury trials, the verdict of the jury was to be binding on the Court. It is not what it was by the Code of 1861, *viz.*, that the verdict of the jury was to be final when the verdict was either unanimous or that of a substantial majority. The law was amended by the Code of 1872 under the guidance of Mr. Stephen (Sir Fitz James Stephen) who was never known to have been a man of liberal principles so far at least as India was concerned. He made a substantial alteration in the law regarding the verdict of the jury. In presenting the report of the Select Committee on the Code of Criminal Procedure he said : "I am aware that some of my honourable colleagues think that we have changed the spirit of the whole system so much by these alterations, that it would have been better to sweep it away altogether. * * * * In giving the Judge power to refer to the High Court cases in which he differs from the jury, we have no doubt made a considerable alteration upon English precedents.'

According to Mr. Justice Prinsep the course of legislation and the terms in which the law is now embodied in section 307 of the Code shows that it was intended to prevent the finality of a verdict of a jury given to it by the Code of 1861 to enable the Sessions Judge to interpose by refusing to record and act upon that verdict, if he thought that it would cause a failure of justice ; and in such a case to refer the proceedings to the High Court, and to require the High Court to deal with the entire case, even on its merits on matters of fact, after giving due weight to the opinions of the Sessions Judge and jury. In a Trial by Jury it was the jury who were responsible for the finding on the facts, and nothing short of perversity or very clearly demonstrable error was held by most Judges to justify any expression of disagreement. It is no doubt a valued right, but the way in which the Hon'ble Judges of the High Court have of late begun to interfere with the verdict of the jury in cases where there has been verdict of 'not guilty' that we are bound to think that the real Trial by Jury is at an end.

"I have pointed out how the verdict of the jury or at least the verdict of a substantial majority which at first had a finality is now not worth much in cases where the trying Judge disagrees with it, for he has absolute power to refer the case to the High Court. And we find as a result of references to the High Court, during the years 1912-13, out of 22 references decided during the year the verdict of the jury was accepted in 7 cases only, *i.e.*, in only 31·8 per cent. of the cases. In 1913-14, out of 36 references disposed of, the verdict of the jury was upheld in 9 cases only or in 25 per cent. of the cases. In 1914-15 out of 26 references disposed of, the verdict of the jury was accepted in 9 cases, or in 26·9 per cent. of the cases, while during the last two weeks of August last, out of 7 references to the High Court in 6 the verdict of the jury was not accepted. Of course we must admit that this is not the normal state of things. It varies according to the inclinations of individual Judges. As Trial by Jury has been reduced to this skeleton form, we feel some difficulty in giving our whole-hearted support to the Resolution. Trial by Jury is not a thing unknown to the Indians. Settlement of disputes even in civil matters was always decided in the ancient days in India by the *Punchayet*.

My Lord, we all know the history of the last change in the law as to reference to the High Court, I mean the change in the Code of 1898. When

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in 1892, by a Notification it was notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* that certain offences which had hitherto been tried with the aid of jurors would not be so tried in eight of the districts of Bengal, the whole Bengal public was taken by surprise. There was a public meeting in the Town Hall of Calcutta in which both Indians and Europeans joined. The result was that Government appointed a Commission and they recommended the amendment of section 307 of the Code.

I do not know whether my friend the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Judicial Portfolio whose able conduct of the what is known as the Shambazar riot case set free a large number of alleged offenders is not responsible for the amendment of the above section. This is what I find in the report of the Jury Commission :—

"SIR CHARLES ELLIOTT now desires me to bring to the notice of the Government of India the case of the third batch of prisoners tried in the 24-Parganas for rioting near Shambazar in the Suburbs of Calcutta as a conspicuous instance of an important trial before a jury, in which justice has been thwarted and offenders have escaped punishment because they were acquitted by the jury, and in which the Judge (Mr. Rampini), although he was evidently satisfied of the guilt of the great majority of the accused, did not refer the case to the High Court... .....Subsequently to the trial some confidential communications have taken place between Mr. Rampini and this Government, and he has explained that he was actuated by the belief that the verdict of the jury being unanimous, it was useless to hope that the High Court would reverse it."

I am bound to admit that there are instances in which the verdict of the jury had been anything but satisfactory. But that is because proper persons are not appointed as jurors. Formerly Pleaders in the mufassal also used to be appointed as jurors, but Government have ceased to appoint them because they were found to be too independent and could thoroughly sift the evidence. Even Sir Charles Elliott in his letter to the Government of India dated the 22nd June 1891 had to write as follows :—"The Lieutenant-Governor conceives that it is possible that suitable men have not been selected for jurors in many districts ; but His Honour thinks that this is due to the failure of the Judges and of the other officers associated with them under section 321 of the Criminal Procedure Code. to take care that only qualified persons are entered in the jury lists prepared by them, and he proposed to impress strongly on all Judges in jury districts that under the law they are primarily responsible in this matter." For some years the nomination and selection of jurors in some districts were in the hands of the Police and the result was that properly qualified men were not appointed as jurors. Under the circumstances I think Government is partly responsible for improper verdicts.

There is another defect in the present system of trial by jury and it is this—the charge to the jury as given at the time of the trial and that embodied in the judgment are sometimes very dissimilar, and this is accountable to a very large extent for failure of justice in many instances—at least in getting the reference cases properly laid before the High Court Judges. This was pointed out by Sir Ramesh Chandra Mitter who was also a member of the Jury Commission.
He said :

"As a matter of practice I am informed that Sessions Judges generally record from memory or their own notes the substance of the charge delivered orally, after the verdict has been taken. This course is open to many obvious objections and is likely to lead to unsatisfactory results. When an appeal has to be preferred to the High Court in a jury case, the appellant, in appealing against an alleged misdirection of the Judge, is sometimes forced to complain of the Judge's charge, not as it was probably laid before the jury, but as it has been recorded by the Judge

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after the verdict has been delivered. I am of opinion that the record should contain a strictly accurate report of the charge as delivered by the Judge to the Jury." And Sir Ramesh Chandra Mitter suggested that it should be made obligatory upon the Judge to write out his summing up before he proceeds to charge the jury or that a Bench Clerk should be attached to each Sessions Court whose duty it should be, to take down in shorthand the Judge's charge as delivered, and whose transcript of the charge, when signed by the presiding Judge, should form part of the record. This recommendation has not been carried out. Hence miscarriages of justice occur in some cases. These are the reasons why the jury system has not been a real and effective part of the machinery for the administration of criminal justice.

This is no doubt the gloomy side of the picture. But there is also a bright side of it and I shall quote certain figures to show how it has proved to be a safety to the liberty of the subject in a large number of cases. From the Administration Reports of the Government of Bengal we find the following important facts : In the year 1912-13, 1,038 persons were tried by Sessions Judges with the aid of jury. In the cases of 884 persons the verdict of the jury was approved of by the Judge, in the cases of 154 persons the verdict was disapproved of by the Judge but as a matter of fact he disagreed and referred only the cases of 71 persons to the High Court under section 307, Criminal Procedure Code. In the year 1913-14, 1,099 persons were so tried. The Sessions Judge approved of the verdict in the cases of 898 persons, disapproved in the cases of 201 persons, but he disagreed and referred the cases of 71 persons to the High Court. In the year 1914-15, cases of 1,168 persons were so tried. The Sessions Judge approved of the verdict in 973 cases, disapproved of it in the cases of 195 persons but disagreed and referred the cases to the High Court in regard to 71 persons only. It will appear from the above figures that the Judge, though he disapproved of the verdict in several cases, yet he thought it proper to actually disagree with it in less than half the number.

We, however, appeal to Government to select better class of men to act as jurors, and, if possible, to move the Government of India to change the law to what it at present is in Sessions cases tried in the Original Side of the High Court. The two principal defects, viz. (1) that good independent men are not empanelled. (2) that their finding is practically subject to the approval of the trying Judge, virtually vitiate the principle of trial by jury whose verdict should always as judges of fact be upheld unless such verdict be grossly perverse and contrary to natural justice.

I am of opinion that trial by jury even with its faults affords protection to the subject and should therefore be extended to all the districts of Bengal as education has made rapid progress throughout the Presidency. I am informed that the system of trial of jury is in force even in such of the backward districts of Assam as the Garo Hills and the North Eastern Frontier.

There is one other thing, my Lord, which I would like to mention. I am not sure whether in a time like this a Resolution such as this should have been moved. But we are bound to support it. I hope the Government will take the opinion of the High Court whether the system of trial by jury should not be extended to all districts of Bengal."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR, said :—

"My Lord, It is Seeley's phrase, if I remember right, that the British Empire was founded in fits of absent-mindedness. Whether this be strictly correct or not as regards the other parts of the Empire, it seems to be too true as regards India. For here there has hardly been in any matter of political progress an unbroken continuity of policy consistently pursued for more than two successive administrations at a time and an inflexible determination to carry any reform through and through in an uninterrupted course for its fullest development. My Lord, the system of trial by Jury as

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tried in this country furnishes a striking illustration of Seeley's dictum as it is one of those half-hearted measures which have suffered rather severely from the effects of this indecision and fit of absent-mindedness. Introduced in 1862 it had of course a small beginning being extended to seven districts only; but its further expansion was simultaneously checked by a curious invention of Sir James Stephen known as the system of trial with the aid of assessors which was transparently a mock substitute for trial by Jury. Then my Lord, full 30 years passed away as in a trance of this absent-mindedness during which no notice was taken of it either one way or the other, when with the growing clamour of the people for an extension of the system there followed a rude awakening, and it was then suddenly discovered that the small measure of reform tried only in a few districts had not proved a success because, as it was officially stated, it let to the "escape of criminals," as if in the remaining 37 districts the administration was perfectly satisfactory and the mock substitute had not resulted in the conviction of any innocents. Then came the Jury Notification of 1892 for the practical abolition of trial by Jury, which naturally evoked an outburst of indignant protest throughout the province. A commission was appointed, the retrograde Notification was withdrawn and in another fit of generous impulse a further extension of the system was directed. But again the same nervousness and half-heartedness supervened and an over-cautious Government administered another homœopathic doze of the reform which limited the extension to five more districts only. It did not proceed upon any serious inquiry or on even a formal examination of the actual condition of the different districts; but as the bitter pill had to be swallowed a haphazard selection was made based upon equally haphazard reports of some Sessions Judges who were guided mainly by their personal likes and dislikes of the system. My Lord, the humble individual who is now addressing Your Excellency had the honour to appear for one of the unfortunate districts whose claims had been unjustly overlooked; but he was frankly told by the late Sir Henry Cotton, who was then the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, that the question was not really one of the actual fitness or unfitness of any particular district, but of the idiosyncracies and temperaments of different Judges in different places. Thus a district which happened to possess at the time a liberal and broad-minded Judge easily got the franchise, while a district more advanced both in point of education as well as public spirit had to be left out because a prejudiced and unsympathetic Judge could not persuade himself to report favourably for its inclusion. And what was still more regrettable a definite step was taken at this time which practically barred the door against further extension and development of the system for an indefinite period. By a Notification of the Government of Bengal, dated the 19th April, 1897, the legal practitioners were wholly excluded from the list and relieved from the task of jurors or assessors in Sessions trial. The wording of the notification was quite artistic and it possessed a grim humour of its own which was all the more refreshing. The notification ran as follows—

'Under Section 320 cl.(a) of the Criminal Procedure Code the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to *exempt* all legal practitioners in the districts of the province from liability to serve as Jurors or assessors in sessions cases.' This was quickly followed by another exemption equally important which was generously granted to the legal practitioners. For, in the very next year they were further exempted from liability to serve as honorary magistrates also. They could not of course be exempted from the payment of a double income tax against which they had justly complained, but they were gratuitously exempted from offering their services to help the administration and serve as jurors or assessors once in six months. My Lord, it passes the comprehension of ordinary intelligence why the legal profession received so much kind attention and was so zealously exempted from the liability to serve as useful adjuncts to the judicial administration and why the task of carefully weighing evidence was so confidently imposed upon unwilling traders,

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shop-keepers, brokers and village touts. The legal practitioners never asked for this exemption. If it was the bugbear of acquittals, I feel constrained to say that the Government was grievously misinformed. My Lord, during nearly 40 years of my humble experience at the mufassal bar, I have always found it easier to obtain a verdict of acquittal at the hands of shop-keeper assessors than with the stiff *muktars* and the stiffer pleader assessors. It is widely known that the late Mr. Mano Mohan Ghose, who was the terror of the mufassal police, was extremely nervous about pleader assessors or jurors. My Lord, I do not overlook the weighty considerations which may justify the exclusion of practising criminal lawyers from the jury or assessor list. But there are many legal practitioners both at the head-quarters of a district as well as in the subdivisions who do not at all deal with criminal cases, while there are many munsifi chowkies where there are no criminal cases to deal with. The revenue agents have nothing to do with criminal cases anywhere. The exemption or disqualification may therefore be safely withdrawn in the case of a large number of educated persons who are eminently qualified to serve as jurors and who are likely to strengthen the Jury list of a district. Then there are quite a number of High Schools in almost all the districts of Bengal where there are a large number of graduate and undergraduate teachers who may serve as jurors or assessors. There are also intelligent zemindars and their officers who are available for the purpose; so that if the Jury list is carefully prepared by responsible men and not left to the thanah officer and the village *Panchayet* there will not be wanting a sufficiently strong Jury list for every district.

My Lord, as regards the stock argument that Indian jurors are too prone to acquit in murder cases there is in the first place a sufficient safeguard in the provision for reference to the High Court by a Judge differing from a Jury. Then, my Lord, your Excellency's Government will be glad to learn that we have improved a good deal in this respect since the report of the Jury Commission of 1897. Both the Judges and the Jury in this province have taken due note of that report and are now over-anxious to avoid any possible charge of weakness being brought against them, and the result is that there is now almost an equal number of judicial and non-judicial murders in this country

My Lord, the great importance which the people attach to the privilege of trial by Jury and the real necessity that exists for its liberal application in this country were sometime ago emphasised by a most competent and a very high authority whose opinion is entitled to the greatest respect. Sir Richard Garth, the late Chief Justice of Bengal, shortly after his retirement and with full knowledge of experience of the machinery for the administration of Criminal Justice in this Province, said—

'Of all the privileges I believe which Parliament had bestowed upon India there is none more highly prized by the people than the right of trial by Jury, and well they may prize it. The police are notoriously corrupt and mendacious, the Magistrates too often inexperienced, and the Government, I am sorry to say, far too prone to put an undue pressure upon the mufassal Judges to convict. So that the lives and liberties of innocent persons are often in great jeopardy and the best safeguard they have is an independent Jury who knows the crooked ways of the police and can see through their fraud and falsity.'

My Lord, it is high time that the Government threw off this vacillating policy. The country is fully prepared to receive and exercise this privilege. In this matter of trial by Jury, the first and foremost right of British citizenship, more than 50 years have elapsed in a half-hearted and very limited experiment. There has been a "long pull" and a "short pull" and the reform should no longer remain suspended in the air, but there should now be a "pull all together." I earnestly appeal to the Hon'ble Members, both official and non-official, to rise above all narrow considerations and wholeheartedly accept a recognized principle for the vindication of British justice in the administration of the foremost province in the country."

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The Hon'ble RAJA HRISHIKESH LAHA said :—

"May it please Your Excellency—I rise to support the resolution moved by the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Dutta regarding the extension of the system of Trial by Jury beyond the districts in which it is now in force. Since its introduction by the Criminal Procedure Code of 1861, it has by this time received a sufficient trial to justify the proposal of its extension. The sphere of its operation is confined only to a few districts in Bengal and limited to a certain class of offences. In 1890 opinions were called for by the Government of India as to its working in the Lower Provinces of Bengal by their letter No. 742 dated the 31st May of that year. The majority of opinions no doubt shows that the system was still capable of improvement and that it was not working quite in a satisfactory manner. Since then about a quarter of a century has elapsed, a period during which education has made rapid strides and even the most backward districts have now their schools and colleges. My Lord, I do not wish it to be understood that during this period the defects of the system have totally disappeared. Any system, however sound it may be, loses a part of its efficacy under unfavourable circumstances. The very fact that it has been in existence for over half a century shows that the principle of administering justice, at least in certain classes of offences by the jury system, has been recognised by our Government. If anything unfavourable has happened, the circumstances are to be blamed and not the system. It has been said that failure of justice occurs owing to the incompetency of the jurors ; that they are prone to let off persons charged with serious offences, if they happen to be of position and respectability ; that they are influenced by caste and social prejudices, amenable to extra-judicial influences and reluctant to inflict capital punishment even when justice requires it. It should, however, be observed that—

(1) Jurors are selected in a haphazard manner without any reference to their competency or qualification, the list being prepared on the report of the Police or of *Amlahs* who are not in a position to judge of the necessary qualifications.

(2) The Magistrate who commits cases to the Sessions sometimes does so on evidence which cannot stand the test of examination. It should also be noted that the cases committed to the Sessions are Police cases conducted by Police Officers and the commitments are sometimes made with a view to avoid the displeasure of superior officers who are also the heads of the Police, leaving the accused to take their chances of acquittal or conviction in the Courts of Sessions.

(3) There is a general suspicion and distrust of the Police. When therefore a case comes up which involves the infliction of capital punishment, a suspicion arises in the minds of the jurors that the evidence is not as it should be, and when a suspicion once takes hold of the mind, even the best-trained judicial officer, not to speak of the half-educated jurors, cannot shake it off. It is then thought it is better that ten guilty persons should escape than one innocent person should be punished : a life once taken cannot be got back. Under such circumstances it is not strange that the benefit of the doubt is given to the accused. It will therefore be observed that a culprit charged with murder is not wilfully let off by the jury, as it has been supposed.

It is clear therefore that to remove the above defects a scheme for the better selection of qualified jurors be introduced ; careless committals be restricted, and the conduct of Police cases be placed in more capable hands. This will remove the defects ascribed to the system.

On the other hand, the benefit arising from the system has not been inconsiderable. *Firstly*, there can be no doubt that the jurors afford material help in coming to a conclusion about facts, as they are intimately acquainted

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with the manners, customs, habits and modes of thought of their own countrymen, which an alien Judge, who does not fully understand the language of the people, is not in a position to know. *Secondly*, Mr. Justice Beverley rightly observes that "the employment of juries serves to disseminate the knowledge of the criminal law, and such extended knowledge, it may be presumed, must have a tendency to repress crime." *Thirdly*, the people consider it to be a valued right and valuable safeguard to the liberty of the subject. *Fourthly*, Mr. Beveridge says "if it is to be considered also a political institution and as a means of educating the people and interesting them in the subject of crimes, then there is a good deal to be said for the retention of the system."

There can be no doubt that some reluctance is shown even by educated people to serve on the jury, not for their innate hatred of the system, but for the trouble it entails upon them while attending Courts as jurors. Besides coming from a long distance and incurring expenses, they have generally to dance attendance day after day till they are empanelled, without having any room to sit even, except under the shade of the big trees in the compound of the Court premises, and without any arrangement for their comfort and convenience. Most of the people who are thus called upon to serve as jurors are of moderate means, and can therefore ill afford to sacrifice their time and money in prolonged attendance. It is human nature to try to avoid troubles.

If the defects of the system, as stated above, be removed, and the comforts and convenience of the jurors be looked into, with a provision to pay their expenses, there can be no doubt that the system would be a still more popular one.

With these remarks, I beg to support the resolution, leaving it to Government to determine which districts should have the extension of the Jury system and which classes of cases should be tried by the jurors.

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY said :—

"My Lord, I have listened with great interest to the debate in which some of our lawyer friends have naturally taken a prominent part. It may be that a few words from a layman, devoid of technicalities and puzzling references to statute and section, will not be quite amiss at this stage. Indeed, the resolution now before us embodies a demand on behalf of the lay public to try and be tried by themselves—a privilege which has been highly prized in every age and clime. The principle of trial by one's peers has found recognition in one shape or another almost all over the civilized world. In India, it can be traced back to ancient days when the king or his judges were prohibited by sages and law-givers from trying singly and without the aid of chosen members of the public, who formed an indispensable part of the judicial system, and in some respects influenced the trial much more than the modern English jury. The principle of co-operation of expert and lay elements, which is exemplified in every branch of the British constitution, reached a high pitch of development in England in regard to administration of justice even during the middle ages. As a learned author has described the British system, "the judge, a Royal officer of high rank, supplies the expert knowledge, while the lay influence is exerted by means of a panel of twelve men of average ignorance drawn from the community by lot for the occasion; and although this is not the usual method of combining the two elements, their reciprocal control has certainly been effective." My Lord, this control of expert knowledge by common sense—happily ignorant of technicalities—makes for equilibrium in the administration of justice.

Apart from this, we claim to be associated more and more in every branch of administration And this participation by the people in the judicial administration is a necessary factor of self-government, and a concession to

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which there ought not to be the least objection in any quarter. The jury system, moreover, has an educative value all its own, and helps to enhance the self-respect of the people.

My Lord, so far as the principle underlying trial by jury is concerned, the Indian Government has committed itself by introducing the system in selected areas. And what we really want to-day is that it should be liberalised and further extended. As matters stand, eleven districts of Bengal, chosen I do not know on what considerations, enjoy the privilege of the jury system ; and there even the verdict of the jury has not the same value as in England or in Calcutta. But in the remaining districts the decision of the Sessions Judge is not in any way fettered by the opinions of the Assessors. The law no doubt provides for appeals to the High Court even on questions of fact against the decisions of the Sessions Courts in the Assessor districts. But the remedies which the High Court provides in its criminal appellate and revisional jurisdictions, are becoming more and more illusory. I grieve to have to say so, but the High Court of Calcutta, in so far at least as it concerns itself with criminal justice, has managed to forfeit half the confidence of the public that it enjoyed some time back. It is a well-known fact that the personnel of the Criminal Bench very largely determines the number of applications made and appeals preferred against decisions of the subordinate judiciary. And an impression is unfortunately gaining ground that the constitution of the Bench is made with particular care that the decisions of the Courts below may be as seldom interfered with as possible. My Lord, when we are at this juncture that the High Court cannot always be depended upon to right our wrongs, it is incumbent upon us to see that judicial administration is improved at its very base.

With these words I accord my hearty support to the Resolution which has been moved by my Hon'ble friend Babu Akhil Chandra Dutta."

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ said :—

" My Lord, as at present advised, I feel inclined to oppose this resolution, but in doing so, I do not wish to be misunderstood. I find that there is an overwhelming majority of non-official opinion in favour of this resolution, and I cannot say that my own doubts as to the utility of the system of trial by jury are strong enough to justify me in placing myself in direct opposition to such a volume of non-official opinion. But at the same time, I feel that the issues raised by this question are of a somewhat far-reaching importance and it is but necessary and proper that Hon'ble Members should have before them the question threshed out from every possible point of view in order that they may arrive at a correct and more definite opinion on such an important question. My Lord, I do not think that there can be any room for controversy as to the intrinsic merits of a real system of trial by jury. I freely admit that this system, in all its genuine purity is embalmed in all those lofty principles of liberty and justice which distinguish British legal institutions from amongst those of other civilised nations of the world. I also admit that the introduction of a real system of trial by jury will be one of the greatest boons which the beneficence of England could confer upon the people of India. But I cannot bring myself to believe that the system of trial by jury as at present in vogue in India is even a modest approximation of the system as it is known in England. It is defective in form ; it is deficient in constitution and it is essentially wanting in all the safeguards which are necessary not merely in securing verdicts in consonance with law and justice but also in ensuring these verdicts from being revised by any final authority. The English system is the genuine article which deserves to be honoured and encouraged. The Indian system is a base imitation ; it is full of all those elements of danger to the liberty of the accused which the system is supposed to guard against. It is because I am convinced that the system is a baneful one that I find it necessary to say these few words in opposition to a recommendation which I admit has had the enthusiastic support of the

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leaders of political thought in India during the last 30 years. The Hon'ble Member moved the resolution had 30 minutes to deliver his speech, but my time is limited to 15. I will therefore only touch some of the principal points on which I base my condemnation of the system of trial by jury in India.

To begin with, as some of the previous speakers have already pointed out, there is no finality in the verdict of a jury.

The Hon'ble NAWAB SIR SYED SHAMS-UL HUDA said :—

I rise to a point of order. Although several speakers have spoken in the same strain, I think that it is right that there should be no discussion as to the merits of the present jury system. We are not concerned with the merits of the system which now exists, we are concerned only with the extension of the system to the districts. I therefore rise to a point of order that the discussion should be confined to the desirability of extending the present system of trial by jury to districts other than those in which it already exists.

[The Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq was permitted to continue his speech.]

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ, continuing, said :—

"I do not see, my Lord, how it can be possible for anybody to express an opinion on the question before us unless we discuss the system. Is the system one which we should like to see extended, or is the system one which, in the interests of the people we should like to see abolished altogether? I think the question of merits and demerits of the system is intimately bound up with the question whether the system should be extended or not. I hope the Hon'ble Member who will speak on behalf of the Government, will kindly hear me to the end, because I wish to place both official and non-official views on this question before the house. I was just going to refer to the want of finality in the verdict of a jury. Unlike as in England, the verdict of the jury is subject to further scrutiny by a presiding Judge and it is only when the verdict of the jury coincides with the opinion of the Judge, that there is anything like finality. In case the Judge does not agree with the jury he refers the case to the High Court which then becomes the final arbiter of the destiny of an accused. It may be said that when the final orders are to be passed by the High Court there is no possibility of any miscarriage of justice or any danger to the liberty of the subject. If the High Courts in India. I say with great regret, had maintained their reputation for independence which they had justly enjoyed in the past, there might have been some justification for an argument of this character. Unfortunately, however, the deterioration of the High Court during the past few years has shaken the public confidence. I mean no disrespect to any of the learned Judges composing the various High Courts in India, but were I to give expression to a common feeling, the High Courts of the present day inspire no more confidence than, let us say, the Court of the third class Honorary Magistrate in the mufassal. Perhaps in some respects the Honorary Magistrate's Court is slightly better. I do not wish to cause any surprise in the Council, but there are some reasons for what I say. The Honorary Magistrate knows that he is after all a very insignificant person and that his decisions are subject to appeal, but a High Court Judge is full of his own judicial importance and he is puffed up with the idea that whatever rigmarole he may utter will be crystallized into the pages of the law reports and will be propounded as the law of the land. This being so, I do not think that the people are very far wrong in not placing their confidence in the judicial decisions of the High Courts as they used to do previously. So far therefore as to the protection afforded by a reference to the High Court. As to the protection afforded by the provision for a reference to the High Court, I think that I voice a very general public opinion when I say that it is of an extremely shadowy character. I may mention in passing that

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this power conferred by the Code of Criminal Procedure on judges to refer matters to the High Court in cases of disagreement with the jury has been a curious development of the law of Crimnal Procedure. It did not exist in the law of 1861; it was first introduced in the Criminal Procedure Code of 1872 and has been a part of the Criminal Procedure Code ever since. So far therefore as regards the want of finality in the verdict of the jury.

There is another matter in which no referrence has yet been made by any Hon'ble Member to-day, and I do not know if any Hon'ble Members who are going to speak after me, will refer to it. It is this. There is a certain class of cases in which it is sometimes very difficult for accused persons to get a fair verdict. I refer to those cases in which jurors belonging to a particular class are swayed by sentiment, passion or prejudice and are sometimes led to return a verdict not based on the evidence, but on their own opinion and their own feeling as to the guilt or innocence of the accused. I do not wish to go into details, but Hon'ble Members know very well what I mean; it is in these cases that it is almost impossible to get a fair verdict, and if the Judge has got the weakness to accept the verdict of the jury, there is no possibility for the accused to get fair justice because there is no appeal to the High Court and if there is no misdirection to the jury, the verdict of the jury stands good. Then, my Lord, there is another matter to which a passing reference has been made, but which I wish to emphasize as much as I can. This is what happens sometimes in the mufassal, when Judges give the charge to the jury. I speak from personal experience. I have found Judges, not intentionally let me say, charge the jury at the moment using expressions which have got the obvious result of misleading the jury, and of emphasising some portions of the evidence which go against the accused. In these cases the Judge unknowingly and unwittingly misdirects the jury, but when it comes to writing out the charge for the purpose of its being placed before the High Court, he forgets perhaps the exact words he has used and the charge contains very little of the actual expressions used. When the charge is brought up before the High Court, the Judges say, "Well, this is a fair charge, there is no misdirection," when, as a matter of fact, the jury had actually misunderstood the charge. All this would be avoided by having a set of shorthand writers attached to the Courts. But under the present circumstances the Judge may, I do not say he actually will, say one thing and write out something quite different.

Then it has been suggested to me that I should not oppose this Resolution, but support the recommendations and join in a petition to have the law amended. It may be that that would be a very sound policy, but I think that if we were to wait to have the law amended, we might have to wait till the Greek Calends. As I said on a previous occasion, the mills of God grind slowly, but they grind exceeding small, but the mills of Government grind so very slowly that they sometimes seem not to grind at all. It takes years and years before a certain reform is introduced; it may be 50 years before we get the Code of Criminal Procedure in a way we should like to have it, but what is to happen during these 50 years? Are we to have this defective system introduced all over Bengal, and in the words of the Hon'ble Babu Ambica Charan Mazumdar, go on having judicial murders committed without any remedy, or is it not better to wait and to agitate to have the law modified and the defects remedied, and then to ask Government to let us have trial by jury all over the Presidency? I have no doubt, my Lord, that we will have it all over Bengal. The time must come, but it must come, and it is only a question of time. Why not wait a few years and have these defects remedied and then unanimously ask to have the system extended all over the Presidency, in order to meet the united wishes of all the people and of all the communities in this country?"

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, at the meeting of the Council held on the 1st December 1913 a question was put by one of the Hon'ble Members 'that in view of the

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advance in education during the last 20 years have the Government of Bengal considered the desirability of introducing the trial by Jury in the non-jury districts?' To this the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming replied that in 1897, the system of trial by Jury was extended to the districts of Chittagong, Mymensingh, Rajshahi and Jessore, and in 1905 to the district of Khulna. The present motion put forward by my Hon'ble friend to-day is for the introduction of the system of trial by Jury in all non-jury districts in Bengal for offences triable by Courts of Sessions.

If we go to the brief history of jury notifications, we notice that the earliest one dates from the 7th January 1862 and by it, it was ordered by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that in the districts of 24-Parganas, Hooghly, Burdwan, Murshidabad, Nadia, Patna and Dacca, the trial by any Court of Session of all the offences defined in Chapters VIII, XI, XVI, and XVII of the Indian Penal Code should be by Jury. Then followed the notification, dated the 27th May of the same year, for the trial by jury of the offences defined in Chapter XVIII of the Indian Penal Code in the above-mentioned districts, and on the 13th October 1862, it was ordered that abetments of and attempts to commit any of the above-mentioned offences in the districts specified should be tried by Jury.

After a period of 30 years, there appeared the notification dated the 20th October 1892. Its publication led to very considerable public agitation and was referred to a Commission which consisted of many distinguished persons, viz.. Sir H. T. Prinsep, Sir G. H. P. Evans, Maharaja Sir Jotindra Mohan Tagore, Sir Romesh Chandra Mitter and Mr. C. A. Wilkins. On the submission of their report the said notification was withdrawn on the 27th March 1893 and there was a fresh notification for trial of offences under Chapters VIII, XI, XVI, XVII and XVIII of the Indian Penal Code by Jury. On the 19th April 1897 there was a notification for trial by Jury under Chapters VIII, XI, XVI, XVII, XVIII and XX of the Indian Penal Code and it was extended to the districts of Chittagong, Mymensingh, Rajshahi and Jessore. In 1905 it was extended to the district of Khulna. The question that has been raised is of great importance and demands the consideration of the Council. The system of the trial by Jury is not the creation of the law enacted by British Legislature. It is laid down in the Code of Manu—the Hindu Law-giver, and therefore it is not foreign to our ideas. The trial of Session cases by Jury, has been in force since a long time, say more than half a century and I think the system has been tried with success in districts where it has been introduced. To rectify errors on the part of the Jury provisions have been made by section 307 of the Criminal Procedure Code. I am aware that there is a class of people who advocate the view that the provisions of section 307 should be removed from the Code. This is evidently to attach finality to the verdict of the Jury. It is a controversial matter and I may be privileged to say that it ought to demand the consideration of the Imperial Legislature. The High Court in many cases have declined to interfere with the unanimous verdict of the Jury. The reason is clear because the Jurors are 'better able to draw inferences of facts and to discriminate between truth and falsehood of conflicting oral evidence given in their own language.' The Jury is guided by many European Sessions Judges who, though they may be considered as trained Judges of experience, are not familiar with the manners and customs of the Indians. The Legislature has carefully laid down the powers and duties of a Judge and a Jury. The opinion of the Judge may or may not be accepted by the Jury. The whole responsibility of the decision on facts rests upon the Jury. The Judge is merely to expound the law. Under such circumstances, there appears to be a harmonious consistency in the procedure laid down for the trial of Session cases. When Sessions Judges do not understand the vernacular language, the necessity of Jurors who understand the language in which evidence is given, becomes manifest. There are many advantages of a trial by Jury in criminal cases in the Sessions Court.

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The complaint of certain classes of people that convictions in Session cases are not in proportion to what they desire is a chronic one. This is due to their zeal for getting their chosen accused punished and, consequently, this complaint will be an outstanding fact not only in India but in many other civilized countries. Evidence tested by the canons of the law of evidence and properly sifted by Jurors is a guide for the final decision of the case. Cases must frequently arise in which the Court is compelled to give a formal decision which conflicts with a moral conviction The object of evidence is juridical as opposed to moral conviction though in many cases both may co-exist. The trial by Jury system in all districts may be urged on the following grounds :—

(*i*) The Assessors who are required to help the Sessions Judge are recruited from the same class of people as the Jurors.

(*ii*) The advance in education in Bengal after half a century since the first notification of the year 1862 urges the necessity for the extension of the jury notification to all non-jury districts of the Presidency of Bengal.

The success of the jury system of trial depends upon a proper selection of jurors. Justice is done in all cases, if we get intelligent and duly qualified jurors. If the preparation of the list of jurors is virtually left to irresponsible subordinate officers, it cannot be viewed as satisfactory. Your Excellency's Government has been pleased to make it incumbent upon the District officials to spend a great portion of the year on tour. Magistrates may consult the leading men of the locality and have thus great opportunites to select competent persons as jurors. They are on tour in every part of the district and they always come in contact with all sorts of men in the mufassal. If an experienced Magistrate is deputed for this purpose, he may be depended on to obtain men who by the light of common sense, intelligence and education will appreciate the value of evidence adduced before them as section 3 of the Evidence Act defines a proved fact. If a prudent man by appealing to his experience considers that a certain fact is probable, that may be considered as a proved fact. The probabilities of the case must be weighed with caution and certainty. I may add in this connection that the legal practitioners of our country who, by virtue of their special knowledge of law, are competent to weigh evidence properly have been excluded from sitting as Jurors. In my humble opinion this rule should be amended. I am led to think that when education has spread far and wide in the districts of the Presidency of Bengal such people are easily available. My experience warrants me from my place in the Council to submit my views for the consideration of Hon'ble Members. It is the favourite idea of accused persons to be tried by their own countrymen whether in England or India. Many accused persons have expressed their appreciation of the verdict by the Jury in preference to the orders passed by the Magistrates. It cannot be denied, that the verdict of a single Judge is not more safe and sound than that of five Judges.

I submit that the system of trial by Jury may be extended to those districts of the Presidency of Bengal in which it is not now in force.

I am aware that the Criminal Procedure Code is within a short time likely to be amended by the Legislative Council of His Excellency the Governor-General of India, but by virtue of the provisions of section 269, clause (1) of the present Code, Your Excellency's Government may recommend to the Imperial Council for the introduction of the system as the Resolution of the Hon'ble Mover proposes.

My Lord, this system of trial by Jury in non-jury districts is advocated by many educated people of the Presidency. Your Excellency's Government of this Province is based upon the wishes of the people, and if these wishes are reasonable and practicable, they demand a favourable judgment from Your Excellency's Government.

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I am sensible that we are passing through critical times. Crime must be checked, law and order maintained and the people of this country must help and they always do help Your Excellency's Government whenever called upon to do so. Justice must be administered by a machinery which is simple and satisfactory. The people are willing to sit as Judges and deal with crimes if their services are wanted. Experience has shown that, notwithstanding adverse criticism, the system is worth trying. The Jurors cannot but be guided by learned expounders of law, and, by their common sense, they may be depended upon to pronounce those guilty who are really guilty and those innocent who are really innocent."

The Hon'ble MR. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, in rising to support the extension of the jury system in this Province I must state that this extension, if achieved, would be not only a source of the internal improvement of a certain section of our judicial machinery but also of the ultimate betterment of, what I may be permitted to term our legal morality.

I certainly do not mean to suggest that all the defects of our criminal judicial system would disperse simply by the extensive adoption of the jury system, as if by the fairy touch of a magic wand. No, what I do say is that delays, so inherent a factor in our system, the avoidance of which is such a vital factor in every system of justice, would be considerably lessened simply by the necessity of the parties and the pleaders and all others concerned to consult the convenience and the wishes of at least half a dozen men drawn from various sections of the community.

Frequent applications for adjournments and frequent applications for transfer from one bench to another would be a thing of the past. Justice itself would flow more smoothly, the Judge being the interpreter of the Law and the jury the ultimate judges of fact.

Secondly, both the public and the police, recognising the very elementary fact that it is more difficult to please half-a-dozen than one, would avoid entering into 'useless' cases and thoughtless trials. Furthermore, this very cause would lessen the mischief of false witnesses and false evidence, all of which would tend to set a higher and nobler value on our legal morality or legal consciousness.

Of course there are defects in the present system. But weighed in the balance with the sterling benefits derived from the Jury system these defects will be found to be comparatively infinitesimal. I am convinced that in about 80 per cent. of the cases tried by Jurors in our courts, the verdicts given are correct. It would be of no use in doing away with the present system altogether and then trying for the system which prevails in England. It is better to extend the existing system now and then to improve upon it.

Although the system would not usher in the Golden Age, but it would really increase our golden asset of moral independence and would mould the golden chain of sympathy and understanding between the police and the public."

The Hon'ble MR. K. B. DUTT said :—

"My Lord, I have much pleasure in supporting the resolution moved by my Hon'ble friend and, in doing so, I must make my position perfectly clear. I am not prepared to say that the system of trial by jury is perfect or is likely to be perfect ever in this country or in any other country. But Your Excellency's Government must determine what is the feeling of the people in this respect. From the interesting discussion which has taken place in this Council, there cannot be the least doubt in anybody's mind that the people want it and want it because they seem to think that it is the better system of trial. It is for that reason, and that reason alone that Government ought to concede this political concession, because to my mind it is nothing more,

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nothing less, than something in the direction of a cheap political concession The acceptance of this resolution to my mind depends entirely upon the non-official European members of this Council and I shall therefore appeal to them to look to this question apart from any difference which might arise between them and us. This is a matter to which the people of this country attach a good deal of importance. They think that that would improve their method of trial and it would not be wise and it would not be statesmanlike to go against the wishes of the people. The Hon'ble Mr. Faz-ul Haq has pointed out certain defects and I regret to have to say that I also share in his opinion, but at the same time the time must come when Your Excellency's Government must give effect at least to the principle. It is for the principle that we desire an extension of the jury system where it does not exist now. If the principle is recognised, I have not the least doubt that the responsible legislators of the Imperial Council will in time try to remove these obstacles. With these few observations I wish again to appeal to the non-official European members to consider the question not from a party spirit but to consider whether the people want it or not. I think it would not be sound statesmanship to oppose this resolution because the non-official Bengali members want it."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, I have also much pleasure in supporting the resolution moved by my Hon'ble friend Babu Akhil Chandra Datta. I come from a mufassal district and I have sufficient experience of the pre-jury trial system and also the system which now obtains, and without a moment's hesitation I can say that the present system is a far better one. The authoritative opinion of local people, having sufficient knowledge of the habits, peculiarities and social environments of the people to be dealt with, is a thing which is an important factor in determining the question of facts involved in particular cases. My friend the Hon'ble Mr. Haq thinks that it is a pernicious system because there are certain defects. Defects there are, I do not deny, but these defects could be remedied. He thinks that there is no finality and my friend has no confidence in the High Court. My friend practises in the High Court, and of his condemnation of the High Court judiciary, I am not in a position to judge, but I can say that on that account jury trial fares no worse. In a jury trial, my friend thinks we can rely upon the honorary bench in the mufassal more than we can rely upon the High Court Judges. If that is so, in the jury trial there is an honorary bench composed generally of five persons who can pronounce opinions with sufficient knowledge as I have already said on questions of fact. My friend also thinks that fair justice cannot be expected, but he hints on, I believe, personal prejudices. But there is a provision for taking objection to the personnel of a jury. It may be done by the Public Prosecutor ; it may be done by the accused, and if there is any failure, there is the provision for reference to the High Court, so on that account we cannot condemn the system. There is one objection, a very valid objection. In most cases, I think I have got sufficient experience in my own district, charges are not written out before they are submitted to the jury. That can be insisted on. Charges should be written out first, or shorthand writers could be available for taking notes as soon as the charge is delivered. On this account I do not think that we should say that it is not to our advantage to have the jury system and that we should reject it. My friend thinks that the time has not yet come. I do not know when it would come. With the progress of education, I think the time has come when we should extend it to all those districts in which it is not in vogue. With these words, my Lord, I beg to support this resolution."

The Hon'ble MR. Z. R. ZAHID SUHRAWARDY said :—

"My Lord, I have listened with much attention and interest to the arguments that have been advanced in support of the resolution that is now before

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Your Excellency's Council. But I regret very much that I have not been convinced of the cogency of the reasons for the adoption of the resolution, especially in view of the present state of the law. In the first place, my Lord, it seems to me that the cry for the extension of the jury system at the present moment is not the outcome of a natural and keenly felt desire or necessity. It strikes me as the outcome of a desire for imitation or perhaps of provincial patriotism. The triumph on the banks of the Jumna may have inspired some of us with the possibility of securing a similar achievement on the banks of the Ganges. If the cry was real we should have heard it louder and *more shrill* years ago. Apart from all these considerations, I do not think that in the present state of the law any extension of the system of a trial by jury should be granted. We have heard the defects in the law so forcibly put before the Council. Yet there are some defects to which advertence probably has not been made very pertinently. As the law at present stands, the verdict of the jury is always subordinate to the judgment of the Judge. It is the voice of the Judge which is the voice of the Court. Statistics have been brought forward in this Council in order to prove that the verdict of the jury in the majority of cases has been correct. Statistics are very pliable tools which can be made to serve any purpose you like. It has been said that a very small percentage of the verdicts of the jury has been set aside by the High Court. The percentage is drawn on the basis of the entire number of cases tried by jury. In cases in which the Judge concurs with the jury there is no appeal. So in such cases there is no test to find out the correctness of the verdict of the jury or the soundness of the judgment of the Judge. Leaving that aside, if we look to the number of references made to the High Court in which a judge has thought fit to differ from the verdict of the jury, we find that in a large number of cases, almost 75 per cent., the reference has been accepted and the verdict of the jury overruled. That being the state of the law, and that being the state of things, is it desirable to extend it territorially to such offences as are at the present moment included in those which are not triable exclusively with the aid of a jury. The system of trial by jury has been described by an English constitutional writer as the famous institution the development of which is generally regarded as one of the greatest achievements of English jurisprudence. But at the same time many eminent English writers have pointed out the defects in the system even as it obtains in England, and these faults, the inherent faults in the system, are likely to be exaggerated by transplantation. Indian soil is hardly fit for the growth and development of a system of justice which is calculated to control the opinions and the deliberations of a presiding Judge, even as the Parliament aims at controlling or limiting the actions of the Monarch. The difference between the civic life in India and that of England is so great that a wholesale transplantation of an English institution into Indian soil would mean disaster. My Lord, there is one other point which may be urged to illustrate in what confidence Trial by jury is held by the people. Lawyers here, who have supported the resolution, no doubt represent the people, and they have the right to speak on their behalf. But if you ask the people themselves, what they think about this system, you will know what they think about it. Lawyers and legal practitioners in the courts are very jealous of what they call the last word or the right of reply. It is because in the ears of laymen or people who are not trained to weigh evidence or to look at a case dispassionately without being influenced or swayed by personal or communal considerations or by considerations of wealth, position or influence or of the character of the prosecutor or the prisoner, the last word lingers long, and therefore there is the attempt always to have the last word. In 99 out of 100 cases in the subordinate courts where there is no jury, whether the court is presided over by a Magistrate or a Judge, we find that evidence is adduced on behalf of the defence, to refute the case that has been made out by the prosecution, but in the Sessions cases, the ratio is quite the reverse. In 90 cases out of 100, you will find that no evidence is adduced on behalf of the defence because under the law as it stands if any evidence, documentary or oral, is adduced on

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behalf of the defence, the right of reply or the last word is lost and therefore the accused or his lawyer deems the right of reply, to have the last word, more valuable than adducing evidence that may be cogent enough to convince the Judge of his innocence. I feel so strongly on this point that I venture to say that my friends have been to a very great degree led away by sentiment. They have not looked at the practical side of the question. I appeal to them to look at the practical side of it, and to say whether it will be really beneficial to the people, dissociating it from any idea of the propagation of the principle of self-government, or the establishment of any other valued principle. I would humbly request them to look at it from the utilitarian point of view. Taking for example, if, as it is proposed, Trial by Jury is extended to a simple case of theft, the result would be that if the Judge concurs with the jury, the man loses the right of appeal, whereas now if he gets six months, he can go to the Sessions and then to the High Court.* He has at least two other places to try his chance and to get an acquittal if possible. I therefore think that it is not the proper time, considering the law as it stands, to extend the system.

There is one other matter. We must also see whether we are sufficiently educated to be saddled with this responsibility and sit in judgment over our own fellows. By education I do not mean mere literacy, but that developed state of mind which can approach a case without being influenced, swayed or biased by any extraneous matter or independent information. With these remarks, I beg to oppose the resolution which has been proposed."

The Hon'ble MR. A. RASUL said :—

"My Lord, having regard to the fact that this question has already been fully discussed, I shall only add a very few words. As far as the principle of the system of Trial by Jury is concerned, I do not think the members of the Government can say anything against it. If it were so, then I think they would have tried to have the system abolished in the districts in which it exists now. Now, because the system has been in existence in some of the districts for so many years and with good results, I do not suppose the Government will ever think of abolishing this system from these districts. If it is considered good as regards those very districts where it exists, where is the harm in extending this very system to other districts.

Now, in every civilised country it is only natural that a man prefers to be tried by a number of men who are his peers than by one single person. Although this system has existed for so many centuries in England and afterwards also in almost all the countries in Europe as some of the previous speakers have already stated, it was not altogether unknown in India, as we have had the *Punchayat* system. Even now, in some of the districts in Eastern Bengal, when anybody wants to be tried by his people with regard to village disputes, he says—I would like to be tried by *Dash* (*dusher bichar chai*), I want to be tried by ten persons. He does not want to be tried by one single person, so the *Punchayat* system exists in almost every village in Eastern Bengal, and as regards the principle nothing can be said against it. Some of the speakers have said that it ought not to be extended because there are some defects in it. No doubt there are defects, and as one speaker said, no system can be perfect, and we should not expect even the system of Trial by Jury to be perfect. If I am not mistaken, in 1912-13 even in England, a Commission was appointed to inquire into the system as to whether it could be improved upon, so therefore even in England the people do not think it is a perfect system and they want to have it improved.

My Hon'ble friend Mr. Fazl-ul Haq stated in the very beginning of his speech that he was not against the principle of the system, but what he objected to were the defects. The defects are due to what—they are due to the method of selection. If you have a better method of selection, I do not think that you will have so many defects, and so many miscarriages of justice on account of certain offences being tried by jury. My friend also

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said that there was also a question of class and community. No doubt it does happen, even in England. If I am not mistaken, just a few years ago in the trial of Mrs. Maybrick she made an application that she did not want to be tried by the jurors of Liverpool. She did not think that she would get justice from the jurors in that locality; so in other parts of England such questions have arisen and such questions will always arise, but happily such questions will be few and far between.

Now, with regard to what my friend Hon'ble Mr. Zahid Suhrawardy said, I do not know on whose behalf he has spoken whether as a barrister on behalf of the barristers practising in the High Court or on behalf of the Muhammadan community, or on behalf of the public in general. He said that there was no keenly felt desire as far as this question was concerned. I know my learned friend is not a member of the Congress, and I do not know if he reads the newspapers regularly, but I know that for the last 20 or 30 years the Congress has been discussing this question and at the Congress the representatives of the people always attend, and when they are demanding that this reform must be introduced, I take it that they speak on behalf of the people of India, therefore, it is not correct to say that there is no keenly felt desire for this reform. Then my friend says that as the law stands now, it is a perfect system, and I think that as far as he is concerned, he is quite satisfied with it. What my friend said about the 'last word', I submit that it is absolutely irrelevant to the question before us. If it is conceded that the system of Trial by Jury should be adopted, I submit that it should be adopted at once, and with regard to the defects, the Government can easily do away with them by introducing a better method of selection.

The Hon'ble Mr. K. B. Dutt has appealed to the European non-official members of this Council, and I also appeal to them, that they should not be swayed by any personal bias, because the non-official Indian members are supporting it and very likely the Government may oppose this resolution. May I say just one word. I am not here to raise any racial question. Under section 451 of the Code of Criminal Procedure we all know that every European in this country for whatever offence it may be, can claim to be tried by his peers. Here we do not want to go so far as that. We want that those offences which are triable by a Court of Session should be tried by jury. When Europeans in this country can demand to be tried by jury even in theft cases or in paltry cases, I am sure they ought to have some fellow-feeling and ought to support this resolution even if they find that Government are going to oppose it. With these words, I support the resolution."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said:—

"My Lord, when I came into the Council Chamber I had no intention of speaking on the subject now before us. But the debate on the subject has so much enlightened me that I think I should not record a silent vote. My Lord, it must be admitted that there is some divergence of opinion on the subject. But at the same time I am sure that there is a preponderance of public opinion in favour of extending the Jury system. My Lord, it is true that Trials by Jury in muffasal Courts are not the same as Trials by Jury in Presidency towns in India or in Great Britain. I know that there are defects in the system, but knowing also that the system of Trial by Jury is an instrument of self-culture and self-development to prepare us for the administration of affairs in our own country, I give my support to the motion.

My Lord, I have listened with great interest to the various points that have been urged by several Hon'ble members who preceded me. And it struck me that there was a similar interesting debate, perhaps in this very Chamber, in Lord Ripon's time, when the celebrated Ilbert Bill was about to be passed into law. My Lord, I wanted to refresh my memory and through the courtesy of the Legislative Council officers I have got hold of the proceedings of the years 1883 and 1884. I find that a motion was moved by the Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Lachmi Prasad Singh Bahadur of Darbhanga in the

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Viceroy's Council to the effect that the Jury system should be introduced in Session Courts in cases where the accused would demand to be tried by a jury. There was an animated discussion at the time and I find that the sympathies of Government were on the side of the Maharaja. But at the same time it was stated that as that motion was brought forward rather late, it could not be fully considered by Government. As it was the last day of the debate, Lord Ripon asked the Maharaja not to press it although he (Lord Ripon) expressed his full sympathy with the motion. What the Maharaja wanted was that an accused should be tried by a jury in a Court of Session only if he expressed a wish to that effect. The same privilege was accorded, as has been stated by the Hon'ble Mr. Rasul, to European British subjects in India, with this difference, that they can demand to be tried by a jury even before a Magistrate. Sir William Hunter also expressed his full sympathy with the object of the motion but was sorry that he could not rush such a motion at the last stage of the debate. The Hon'ble Mr. Amir Ali, one of the most worthy representatives of the Muhammadans, expressed not only his own opinion but also the opinion of the community which he represented when he said while supporting the motion that there were many assessor-districts quite as advanced as the jury-districts. My Lord, I find that Indian public opinion was whole-heartedly in sympathy with the Maharaja's motion, although there was at that time only one elected member in the Council representing the landholding class in connection with the Bengal Tenancy Bill. My Lord, I have not fully stated what Mr. Amir Ali said on that occasion. While earnestly supporting the motion, Mr. Amir Ali also pointed out that there would be difficulties in granting a wholesale extension of jury trial to all the districts. He was afraid that the Trial by Jury might not be always advantageous to the accused, for while in a trial by assessors the accused had the right of appeal to the High Court on questions of law as well as of facts, in the case of a conviction on a Trial by Jury he had no such right of appeal except only on a question of law. Therefore, he was not in favour of the extension of the jury system to places which were not prepared for it.

My Lord, I find myself somewhat in the position of Mr. Amir Ali. On principle, I fully support the Resolution that has been moved, but at the same time I am not yet quite certain whether a wholesale extension of Trial by Jury to all the districts will be an unmixed blessing to the accused having regard to the legal defects which were pointed out not only by Mr. Amir Ali 34 years ago but also by some members here to-day. I think the matter requires consideration, but at the same time, having regard to the principle involved in the Resolution, I think, we should all support it. I am sure the matter will receive the most earnest and careful consideration at the hands of Government, and as far as practicable the system will be extended to the districts which are ripe for it."

The Hon'ble MR. AMINUR RAHMAN said :—

"My Lord, the question we are discussing to-day has been the subject of long and sometimes bitter controversy in this country. In this meeting to-day we have heard members who staunchly support the Resolution. As far as I know they are really voicing the feelings and opinions of the majority—I must say an immense majority of the people of this land. Others again have as strongly opposed the Resolution and I know that they are giving expression to serious misgivings that exist in the hearts of many. My Lord, if there is one good reason for not establishing the system of Trial by Jury there are a hundred good reasons for having it. I am not sure if all the hundred have not already been put forward by the Hon'ble members who preceded me. I cannot say that I have any special contribution to make. But the subject provokes discussion and the discussion of to-day has given rise to most conflicting thoughts in the minds of many—at least it has in mine. But by weighing the merits of the points in favour and against the extension of this

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system, I am bound to confess that a judgment in favour of extension seems to me inevitable. The question that I asked myself was why it was that men generally had more faith in the judgment of 10 ordinary men than in that of a most learned Judge? Those who have fought for this system in other countries felt in the same way as people in this country feel to-day. This system was really introduced in other countries when abuses crept up in the administration of justice and as an escape from the tyranny of a system which although administered by the most learned and noble-minded of men yet became corrupt or effete for many reasons people demanded that the judgment of a single man, however learned and great he may be, should be reinforced or corrected by the judgment of a number of ordinary but intelligent men who did not form a part of the administrative machinery but could bring to bear their unsophisticated and unbiased minds on the consideration of every point. A prominent Englishman once said that he had more faith in the judgment of ten fishermen than in that of one learned Judge. That may be an exaggeration. But men do feel like that; they have fought for it in some countries and they have got it. It may be that the jurors may not always be just the kind of people who can form a clear and dispassionate judgment on any point even if the merits and demerits of the points are discussed in their presence three times over. But that is very rarely the case; and the authorities have the power to select the right type of men of whom there are plenty no doubt in every district. I feel, that at a time like the present, when restrictions have been imposed, may be for very good reasons, on the liberties of the people and when the thoughts of people are in a state of fermentation and their minds a little excited; when more than ever there should be better understanding between the Government and the people and when the Government should make every attempt to strengthen their position by enlisting the loyalty, sympathy and co-operation of the people in every way, it is eminently desirable that they should grant a concession which will improve rather than thwart the administration of justice. It may be that the Jury system as it exists to-day in this province has not proved to be quite as satisfactory as the people expected. The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray has given some reasons why it has not. One may agree with him or one may not; but I am of opinion that even if the system is not working well for any fault in the system itself, the best way to remedy it is to expose the defects of this system and the best way to do it is for the people to have a share in it so that every incident of maladministration of justice is noticed and discussed by the people and the Government. It is good for the people to discuss and criticise what they think to be wrong. It is also good for the Government. The demand as embodied in this Resolution is just and necessary. It will be another evidence of the justice and benignity of British rule in this country if the Government accept this Resolution. I hope the Government will not miss this opportunity of doing this great act that will make them beloved of the people."

The Hon'ble MR. H. R. A. IRWIN said :—

"My Lord, I think it is a great pity that longer notice of questions of such an important description as this are not circulated to members before the meetings of this Council, so that members may have an opportunity of collecting facts and statistics relating to them. I must confess that this most important Resolution has been practically sprung upon me and consequently I have not been able to prepare myself for it, and do not therefore feel sufficiently competent to discuss it. But, my Lord, what I do feel is, whilst sympathising with the principle of the Resolution, that after the arguments which we have heard to-day, Your Excellency's Government may be trusted to extend the system either at once or from time to time, as may be seen fit and I would ask the Hon'ble mover not to press it to a division."

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The Hon'ble RAI P. N. MUKHARJI BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, 'trial by jury' is a phrase to conjure with and is a precious mouthful ; but like all things good created by God or built by man it has its limitations ; rightly used it may be the greatest of blessings ; wrongly used or abused it might prove the greatest curse. While administration of justice, as it obtains in British India, happens to be the administration of *law* with justice, very often only as a separable accident, not *even* an *inseparable* accident,—perhaps it is well that it should be so, certainly it could not be otherwise under present circumstances,—so long as that obtains, we have to see what the machinery is that we can employ and what the means are that are at our disposal. I am sure that 'trial by jury' in the abstract we are all in love with. There is no one in this House, I venture to say, from your Lordship downwards who is not partial, intensely partial, to 'trial by jury'. We all want it and would be glad to have it, but the question is whether we *should* have it under the present circumstances. I have in my hands a paper book showing that in a certain case, which happened not a hundred miles from Government House and only so far back as the 23rd of November, 1914, in a district where the system of 'trial by jury' had obtained for years and years, the jury found two men guilty of murder. but the judge, now our respected Legal Remembrancer, felt compelled to refer the case to the High Court and the finding of the jury was annulled or partially annulled. That case or even a dozen cases do not prove the inutility or the impracticability of 'trial by jury.' We have good juries and we have bad juries. We have places where we can get good juries and there are places where we cannot get them. I think that after all in most things we get what we deserve. It was well said :—

> 'I hold it as a changeless law,
> From which no soul can sway or swerve ;
> There is that in us which will draw,
> Whate'er we need or most deserve.'

All good things will come in time, and it would not be right to force the hands of Government with a resolution like this and to hasten the extension of the jury system to all the districts of Bengal where it has not already been extended. Bengal is a little continent. All the districts are not similar to one another. My work takes me into all the districts and I submit that to say that Calcutta or the 24-Parganas is on a par with certain other districts of Bengal which are hundreds of miles away and where the conditions of living are absolutely different is to say what is not correct. They are as poles asunder from each other. Although they are under the same Governor, they are as unlike two places as the antipodes are to each other. I think, as the previous speaker has said. that the point should not be pressed to a division. I should have liked to say a few more things. but I find that the ground has been cut from under my feet by some of the previous speakers, and it is no use reiterating facts which have already been stated. I am sure that the house will exercise its good sense, as it always does, and do what is the right thing to do under the present circumstances."

The Hon'ble NAWAB SIR SYED SHAMS-UL-HUDA said :—

"MY Lord, this resolution has been fully discussed and many have supported it, and a few, a very few, have opposed it. Those who have supported the resolution seem to have been influenced very largely by sentiment and political considerations. They have claimed it as a privilege which obtains in other countries and which therefore should be conceded in this country, in places where it has been withheld. On the other hand there are those who have opposed the resolution and they have introduced into the question a variety of subjects. Some have opposed because they think the system itself is not perfect and that finality does not attach to the verdict of a jury in this country. Some have said that the right of appeal to the High Court would be shut out if the system of Trial by Jury is extended.

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Others think this is not a valuable right because they have no confidence in the High Court. Suggestions have been made that the charges are not always fairly recorded, and recorded after they are delivered. These are all collateral matters into which I do not propose to enter. As a matter of fact I do not propose to enter into the merits of the resolution at all. There is one thing that differentiates the position of Government from that of the non-official members who have spoken either in favour or against the resolution. I hope I shall offend nobody when I say that, amongst the non-official classes, the best judge is considered to be he who acquits the largest number of accused and the worst judge is he who convicts, and the feeling in favour of the extension of trial by jury to places where it does not obtain, is perhaps the belief that there would be more acquittals if trials are held by judge and jury than by a judge with the aid of assessors whose opinion is not binding. The position of Government is however different. It is not the interest of Government to secure convictions where there should be an acquittal, nor is it the interest of Government that there should be acquittal where there should be conviction. While most of the Hon'ble Members who have spoken in support of the resolution have looked upon trial by jury as a great political privilege, the absence of which is a stigma on the people of the country, Government will have to consider the question very largely from the point of view of the administration of justice. From their point of view the most relevant question to consider is whether the administration of justice would be facilitated or retarded by the extension of the system. However, as I said, I have no desire to enter into the merits of the question. There are difficulties, and the question is one which is of far reaching effect. Government are not at the present moment in a position to express an opinion one way or the other. It has been said that because the system obtains in 16 districts, it ought to be extended to 10 other districts, but if the system has not worked well in 16 districts there is no reason why it should be extended at all. I do not say that the jury system has not worked well. Perhaps the more correct thing would be to say that it has neither been a conspicuous failure nor a conspicious success. However, in a matter like this, Government can only proceed upon the advice of those most competent to advise in such a matter. There are two parties to be considered. The Crown that prosecutes and the accused who is prosecuted. In a matter like this we can express no opinion without consulting the High Court as well as our own officers whose opinion would carry weight. A great deal has been said about the High Court. It would be impertinent on my part to enter into a defence of that body, nor do they stand in need of any such defence, but I know this, that in spite of what has been said the High Court does command the confidence of the people of this country. As I have already said we have to consult the High Court and we have to consult our own officers, and we are not at the present moment in a position to say whether the system of trial by jury is such a success that we ought to introduce it into the remaining districts of Bengal. I would therefore tell my hon'ble friend that if he would amend his resolution and would only ask that Government should take up the matter for consideration, we will gladly do so. But if he insists on our giving him a pledge now, I am sorry I am not able to do so. I hope my hon'ble friend will realise that in a matter of such importance, we require time and have not had sufficient time to go into the question properly and to get the opinions of those without whose opinion we cannot proceed further. I would therefore request my hon'ble friend either to withdraw his resolution, on my promise to look into the matter, or amend it in the manner I have suggested. As I do not desire to enter into the merits of the system of trial by injury, I will not detain the Council any longer.

The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DUTTA said :—

"My Lord, one word about the observations made by the Hon'ble Mr. Haq. It is not disputed that there are defects in the system. The question is

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because the existing system is not perfect, is that any reason why it should not be extended to other districts? There are many institutions which are not perfect; for instance, our Legislative Council. Nobody would say that it is a perfect institution. Nobody would say that we have the elective element here as we ought to have it, but I do not think that because it is not perfect, therefore other Provinces should not have it. Perfection must follow introduction and not precede it. First of all the system must be introduced and then it will be made perfect. It will be placing the cart before the horse if you talk of perfection before introducing the system. My friend has spoken about the High Court, and I feel constrained to observe that his opinion is an extreme one; but even taking him at his own word and even if the High Court is so bad according to my friend's opinion, is it seriously contended that because the High Court is bad therefore we ought not to have it, or that that institution should not be introduced into other provinces where it does not obtain? We all know that the people of Bihar fought for a High Court and they have got it. We are not satisfied with one Indian member in the Executive Council, we want three, and there are some who want half a dozen, but because there is only one Indian member, is it any reason why we should not have that one member at all? That is not the point. The point is, is it desirable as far as it goes? That is the point. Will anybody demand abolition of the system? I do not think that there is anybody who will say that because the system is bad it ought to be abolished. If the view taken by my friend the Hon'ble Mr. Suhrawardy is correct, certainly I should think that it is his duty in view of the opinion he holds, to move in this Council for the abolition of the system of Trial by Jury. And if his views are correct, then he has failed most conspicuously in that duty. I hope I shall not be misunderstood, and I do not wish to raise any racial question. but there have been cases in which Europeans have been accused and it has been very difficult to obtain a verdict of guilty, but because in one or two more instances that was so, nobody can honestly contend that Europeans should not have the system of Trial by Jury. There are bound to be one or two cases in which there will be failure of justice.

With regard to one other point raised by my Hon'ble friend Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, about the difficulty of obtaining educated jurors, my only answer is that it was a difficulty that we experienced 34 years ago, and since then education has made great progress in this country, and that difficulty has disappeared more or less.

My Lord, I am extremely sorry that I am unable to accept the suggestion made by the Hon'ble Nawab Sir Syed Shams-ul-Huda. The position taken up by the Hon'ble member is this, that the Government are not yet in a position to form any opinion and this would take a year or two. It has also been said that they have not had sufficient time to come to a definite conclusion on this matter. My submission is this. That as this is a very old question, the opinions of the High Court have been taken on several occasions and there has been a very careful inquiry by the Jury Commission, and the literature on the subject is voluminous and unweildy. I mean the official literature, that is, the reports of Executive and Judicial officers. Besides, notice of this Resolution was given about three months ago and the Government have had sufficient time to consider it.

One word, my Lord. It has been said that we are guided in this matter by sentiment. I must admit that as long as we continue to be men, we cannot rid ourselves of sentiment. Sentiment of course there is, but is it sentiment alone that has guided us in bringing up this matter before the Government? My submission is that it has not. Weighty considerations are at the root of this resolution. To the non-official European members of this Council, I would particularly submit this, that it is perfectly clear from the speech of the Hon'ble Nawab Sahib that the Government are not against it. In view of that declaration I appeal to those non-official European members for support and there are more reasons than one why I am entitled to their support. I have already said in my previous speech that the Europeans

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fought for their salvation in 1884 and they succeeded after a very stormy agitation. In view of their attitude at that time, I think I can claim their whole-hearted support in favour of this resolution."

A division was then taken with the following result :—

Ayes—24.	*Noes—22.*
The Hon'ble Sir Rajendra Nath Mookerjee, K.C.I.E.	The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Lyon, C.S.I.
,, ,, Dr. Nilratan Sarkar.	,, ,, Nawab Sir Syed Shamsul-Huda, K.C.I.E.
,, ,, Mr. Ameer Rahman.	,, ,, Mr. N. D. Beatson Bell, C.S.I., C.I.E.
,, ,, Raja Hrishikesh Laha, C.I.E.	,, ,, Surgeon-General W. R. Edwards, C.B., C.M.G.
,, ,, Mr. Provash Chunder Mitter.	,, ,, Mr. F. J. Monahan.
,, ,, Sir Bijay Chand Mantab, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan.	,, ,, Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O.
,, ,, Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray.	,, ,, Mr. J. H. Kerr.
,, ,, Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri.	,, ,, Mr. J. Donald.
,, ,, Babu Arun Chandra Sinha.	,, ,, Mr. H. H. Green.
,, ,, Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur.	,, ,, Mr. C. H. Bompas.
,, ,, Maulvi Abul Kasem.	,, ,, Mr. W. W. Hornell.
,, ,, Mr. M. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri.	,, ,, Mr. S. W. Goode.
,, ,, Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.	,, ,, Mr. H. P. Duval.
,, ,, Mr. A. Rasul.	,, ,, Rai Priya Nath Mukherji Bahadur.
,, ,, Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray.	,, ,, Mr. J. H. Mackenzie.
,, ,, Mr. Altaf Ali.	,, ,, Mr. G. C. Godfrey.
,, ,, Rai Sri Nath Ray Bahadur.	,, ,, Mr. R. Glen.
,, ,, Babu Akhil Chandra Datta.	,, ,, Mr. E. R. Bray.
,, ,, Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur.	,, ,, Mr A. Birkmyre.
,, ,, Babu Surendra Nath Ray.	,, ,, Mr. E. B. Eden.
,, ,, Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, C.I.E.	,, ,, Mr. E. A. Martin.
,, ,, Mr. K. B. Dutt.	,, ,, Mr. H. R. A. Irwin.
,, ,, Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri.	
,, ,, Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar.	

The following members were absent :—

The Hon'ble Sir S. P. Sinha, Kt.
,, ,, Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad.
,, ,, Dr. Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, C.I.E.
,, ,, Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur.

The following member abstained from voting :—

The Hon'ble Mr. Z. R. Zahid Suhrawardy.

The ayes being 24 and the noes 22, the motion was carried.

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The following Resolutions, which stood in the name of the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta, were, with the permission of the President, withdrawn, viz. :—

LIST OF BUSINESS ITEM No. 4.—This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the system of Trial by Jury be extended to all offences triable by Courts of Session.

LIST OF BUSINESS ITEM No. 5.—This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the Special Jury system, as contemplated by sub-section (2) of section 269 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, be extended to all those districts in Bengal in which it is not at present in force.

LIST OF BUSINESS ITEM No. 6.—The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM moved the following Resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that a Government High School be established at Burdwan as soon as practicable.

He said :—

"My Lord, this Resolution is a very simple one and I do not think it requires many words from me to commend it to Your Excellency's Government and to this Council. It may be that this is not the proper time to introduce a Resolution like this, because the condition of our finance is anything but satisfactory, and if I do it, it is simply because I want the administrative sanction of Your Excellency's Government to a proposal like this, and I wish and pray that it may be carried out as soon as there is an improvement in the condition of our finances. There was a Government school in Burdwan which was abolished some 63 years back. That school was abolished when the Maharaja of Burdwan established an institution of his own and it was at that time thought that there was no room in the town of Burdwan for two schools. Thanks to the personal interest taken by the Maharaja Bahadur in this school, the school has developed into a college. That school is now doing excellent work. My Lord, education has advanced to a very large extent and there is room now in Burdwan for more than one school, and what is more, we want a Government school to be established, not so much to provide for education as to serve as a model to the large number of institutions existing in that district. I think that the officers of the Education Department themselves will admit that so far as the district of Burdwan is concerned, there has been some deterioration both in the discipline as well as in the instructions given in the schools there and at one time, only a couple of years ago, one of the schools at the headquarters had to be abolished because the University disaffiliated it, it having failed to carry out the reforms which the departmental officers and the Syndicate repeatedly asked them to do, and about 700 students were thrown into the streets of Burdwan. But for the timely intervention of the Hon'ble Mr. Hornell and Mr. T. O. Dunn, whose services we have just lost, the whole body of these students would have gone without any education. They made a handsome grant to the Municipal school from Government funds for its maintenance. I think there is absolute necessity for the establishment of a Government school at Burdwan, and I may only say that Burdwan is one of the two districts of Bengal where there is not a single Government school. In several districts there are more than one. With these words I commend this resolution to the Council."

The Hon'ble MAHARAJADHIRAJA BAHADUR OF BURDWAN said :—

"My Lord, the resolution is a simple one and I naturally take an interest in any educational institutions about to be started in Burdwan. I may say at the outset that I support the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem's resolution not exactly on the same grounds on which he has put forward, but because I think that there is room in Burdwan for another school, and a model Government school would be, I think, most welcome to the people there. When the

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third school in Burdwan was disaffiliated a few years ago, a lot of young students were put into great difficulty and their parents more so. We have at the present moment two schools, the Municipal High school and the Burdwan Raj Collegiate school, and provided that the Municipal school is maintained, the Burdwan Raj will certainly not have anything to say against the starting of a model school by the Government, and I hope the Hon'ble Mr. Hornell will give that assurance, and subject to that, I will support the Resolution."

The Hon'ble Mr. HORNELL said :—

Sir, the Government accept the Resolution of the Hon'ble member. The general policy is that there should be a Government high school in every district and there is at present no such institution in the Burdwan district. Government therefore consider that there should be a zilla school at Burdwan, but they desire to emphasize another aspect of the policy to which I have just referred—it has also been mentioned by the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur and the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem, *viz.*, that a zilla school should be something of a model. That some Government schools are not now exactly model ones, is not pertinent to the present issue. The point is that Government will not be prepared to establish a Government school in Burdwan until they can establish a good one, *i.e.*, a school with suitable building accommodation and provided with adequate hostel arrangements.

The Resolution of the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem contains the blessed words "as soon as practicable." Some day I will show the Hon'ble member a list of the educational schemes which are awaiting better financial conditions. When he sees this list, he will, I am sure, feel satisfied that in making schemes at least we have not been idle. I shall take an early opportunity of visiting Burdwan and seeing what is required there and what should be done. Then the scheme will be worked out and added to the list of pending projects. It is impossible to say more except perhaps that the scheme is one to which I personally shall assign a place of importance in the waiting list.

To the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur I would say that I think that it is essential that the Government school, being a model, should not replace the Municipal school, but that the existing Municipal school should be retained, because if we start a zilla school in Burdwan, I should not contemplate establishing a school for more than 100 or 500 boys. In that case there would certainly be room for both schools, and I should not be prepared to consider any scheme which contemplates the creation of a school which might be expanded to any size. I can, therefore, assure the Hon'ble Maharaja that the zilla school, whenever it is established, will not take the place of the Municipal school."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"We are deeply grateful to the Director of Public Instruction for kindly accepting this Resolution."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS ITEM No. 7.—The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASIM moved the following Resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that steps be taken to protect from damage by floods the areas of land in the district of Burdwan, lying to the south of the river Damodar, and between the rivers Ajai and Kunur.

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He said :—

"My Lord, at the last meeting of the Council, I had the honour of moving a Resolution to the effect that an embankment be raised on the southern bank of the Ajai river; and I was told that the professional advisers of the Government were strongly opposed to that proposal, and I had no alternative but to withdraw the motion. A Resolution similar to the present one was moved in this Council on the 3rd March, 1914, and that also had to be withdrawn. If I venture to-day to place the present Resolution before the Council, it is because I know that I have the sympathy and I hope I will have the support not only of the Hon'ble member in charge but of this Council as well. Since the last meeting of the Council things have happened, Sir, which loudly call for some redress of the grievances and the protection of the people and villages in the neighbourhood of the Damodar and the Ajai. Towards the close of the month of September there was an abnormal rise in the two rivers and the result was that hundreds of villages have been practically washed away and thousands of poor men rendered homeless and destitute. I do not like to inflict on this Council a description of the ravages caused by these two rivers or to recite harrowing tales of misery and woe. I need only say that thousands would have died of starvation but for the timely help received from the Government. According to the official report the Damodar is responsible for the damage of 127 square miles of country and the destruction of 20 villages with 3,000 houses and the Ajai caused havoc over an area of 225 square miles and caused the destruction of 280 villages with 35,000 houses. The official estimate is in my opinion very moderate. At a time when these reports and estimates were prepared it was not practicable to go from village to village and prepare statistics within the short time by which it was required to be submitted to the Government and consequently the estimate was made on information then available to the officials entrusted with the work. However, that does not matter in the least. Every one knows that the recent floods caused great destruction to the villages lying on the banks of the Danodar and the Ajai. If the loss of cattle caused directly by the floods has not been very great the indirect result had been disastrous. The people not only lost their houses and huts but also their granaries and stock of fodder. There being no grass in the fields people knew not how to feed their cattle; and hundreds of our animals had consequently to be placed under the butcher's knife. While speaking of the last floods I would be failing in my duty if I did not say that my countrymen are deeply grateful to Mr. D. H. Lees, the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, and his able lieutenants, Mr. Bhupendra Nath Gupta, the then District Magistrate of Burdwan, and Mr. Guru Saday Dutt, the Collector of Birbhum, for the prompt, energetic and well organised measures they adopted for the relief of the sufferers. They moved from place to place at great personal inconvenience and without the least concern for their own health or comfort. Wherever they went they carried with them cheer and hope to people who were gloomy and destitute. The subordinate officials also deserve our thanks. They denied themselves the few days' holiday which they get in the year and which they so much needed after a year's hard work. They did their work under trying circumstances in a manner worthy of the great Government they serve and of the highest traditions of the services to which they belong. Babus Prafulla Chandra Ghosh, Abhaya Charan Chatterji, Ashu Tosh Deb and Maulavi Ekramuddin all did their duty zealously and at great personal sacrifice. Babu Kshitinath Ghosh was put in charge of the worst affected area and he had to wade through deep water and knee deep mud from day to day for weeks together. He did his work with a devotion which elicited public admiration and gratitude. Our thanks are also due to non-official agencies such as the Ram Krishna Mission and the Social Service League for the help received from them in the hour of our sorest need. In this connection I may say, Sir, that at Burdwan town the District Magistrate and leaders of public opinion tried to form a volunteer band to help the official agency, but the attempt failed. Rightly or wrongly there is an impression

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among young men that those who engaged themselves in philonthropic works are watched by the police and sometimes get into trouble. I know, Sir, that the works of our volunteers in the past as in the present has been highly appreciated not only by the public but also by the highest authorities in the land. Still, whether there be any grounds or not, the apprehension is there. Above all, Sir, our gratitude is due to the Hon'ble member in charge and to the Government for the sympathy we received and the generous help given to us in our distress. In 1913 there was a great flood from the effects of which even the Municipal town of Burdwan did not escape. It then received a good deal of public attention and philanthropic men came to our rescue in large numbers. The floods of 1916 were no less violent and the damage caused no less serious, but this year our tales of woe did not receive that public sympathy and attention which they deserve. Even the press gave us only a lukewarm attention. The only substantial help received was from the Government and it was not supplemented by non-official agency to an appreciable extent. It may be due to the fact that the Burdwan flood by its repetition has lost its novelty. I know, Sir, that the question of dealing with the Damodar and the Ajai is not an easy one. The Government have considered the gravity of the situation on several occasions in the past and had, from time to time, adopted measures which then seemed to have solved the question. At one time it was thought that the battle of the Damodar and the Ajai had been fought and won, but subsequent events have shown that the measures then adopted were only of temporary success, and to-day we find ourselves in just as great difficulties as ever with these two rivers. The abnormal floods, though in recent years they have become more frequent, are not the subject of the question, the solution of which I beg in the Resolution I have the honour to move. In this Resolution I beg to draw the attention of the Government to the condition of the people of the villages by the side of these two rivers in the years of normal rainfall. So far back as 1859, Mr. Hobhouse, the Collector of Burdwan, who made an enquiry into the matter in the course of his report remarked : "Much sand has been deposited near the river banks and some crops were probably swept away or rotted inland." Further on he says that. "from one to two miles in length and a quarter of a mile on the river bank and inland, scarcely any crops are to be seen, and sand deposits studded now and then with clumps of coarse grass everywhere meet the eye and the villages and their cultivation seemed to have suffered very much destruction of houses, property and crops. Another officer, Mr. Jones, reported that, 'the prevailing feature testifying to the damage done was the immense quantity of waste land to be met with and although these lands were too far from the river to be covered with sand yet the good soil appears to have been washed away by the force of the currents." Another Collector says in his report : "The direct results of abandoning the embankment on the right side of the Damodar have been almost the complete ruin to the cultivators." As the result of an inquiry made by Lieutenant Garnault, R. E., in 1862, it was found that the extent of waste land increased by thousands of bighas from 1854 to 1862, and it was also found that a great quantity of land has been put out of cultivation, and that a great quantity more has been unfitted for rice cultivation. If such was the condition, Sir, more than 60 years back, one can well imagine what it is now. The abnormal floods of 1916 and 1913 attracted public attention. But every year the fields are flooded and the crops are destroyed. This being the normal state of affairs, it does not receive the attention of the people other than those whose misfortune it is to suffer the misery caused by the flood. Captain Beadle, on the 1st of July, 1858, said : "Ajai is perhaps the most torrential of our rivers and its floods come down as an advancing wall of waters full of sand until they reach the normal level bed. Hence there is a considerable fall in the land over the bank and at the craves of the rivers ; it is well to maintain embankment which the experience of a long period has proved to be protective to property and crops." It has been said, Sir, that "rabi crops" flourish in flood areas ; it should be remembered that these crops are grown on scattered

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patches where there are deposits of silt but we get more sand than silt. At best it is only a poor compensation for the loss of rice crops in a large and extensive area. As I have said, the question has been engaging the attention of the Government and we have been repeatedly assured of the sympathy of the Government with the distressed people. Sympathy goes a great way, but it certainly does not relieve the distress. In 1863, the then Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in passing orders on the report of Lieutenant Garnault, remarked that: "It is certainly desirable that a much greater protection should practically be attained." And so late as March 1914, the Hon'ble Mr. Finnimore, speaking on behalf of the Government, closed his reply to a similar resolution in Council by saying that the Government quite realised the difficulties which the inhabitants of the flooded area were put to, and having full sympathy with them, would do all they can to mitigate the evil. The literature on the question of floods in the Burdwan district is getting more voluminous and the reports submitted to the Govrenment for consideration too numerous to be dealt with properly. In this Resolution, Sir, I do not ask the Government to commit themselves to any particular policy or to any definite action, it only prays that steps be taken to alleviate the miseries of the people living within the flood zone. I know the problem is a difficult one, but however difficult it may be, I hope, Sir, that the engineering skill at the disposal of the Government is not so poor as not to be able to devise some practical means of relief and to tone down the miseries of a people once flourishing but now reduced to a state of abject poverty and helplessness. The Government are doing their best to help the people after abnormal floods by loans and gratuitous relief, but I beg to submit that unless steps are taken to save the land from annual floods, measures of relief would be of no avail. People would not be able to repay the loans, and would not be able to obtain such loans in future. Even the resources of the Government are limited and we cannot expect the Government to relieve our wants when these wants are of a recurring character. Make-shift devices and patch-work protection cannot save a people subjected to the ravages of the flood year after year. I respectfully submit, Sir, that the Government be well advised if they follow the old English adage that "prevention is better than cure," and instead of spending large sums of money for the relief of the sufferers from the floods, they adopt measures which would make the recurrence of these floods a matter of past history. I commend for the consideration of the Government the suggestion made by the Collector of Burdwan in 1859, that "a measure of equity to the raiyats and landholders on the right bank would be to fill up all the breaches mentioned, so as to bring them to the level of the river banks on either side of them; and thus perhaps when all the right bank is overtopped by flood, there might be a general and equal spill over the whole country instead of these partial rushes of flood water at 8 breaches over some 36 miles of the river banks." The flooded area between the Ajai and the Kunoor does not seem to have received much attention at the hands of the Government. But I submit, Sir, the situation there is certainly as grave as that of the country lying on the right bank of the Damodar, and I think, Sir, the question of protecting this tract of the country is much easier of solution. I understand that Mr. J. Mallik, the District Engineer of Burdwan, an officer of great experience and ability, who earned some distinction in the service of the Government, submitted a scheme to the Collector of Burdwan, and I hope, Sir, the Government will consider that report in dealing with the question. I submit for consideration, the suggestion made by one of the foremost noblemen and one of our most sagacious leaders, Raja Bahadur Bun Behari Kapur, C. S. I., whose practical knowledge of the situation is greater than that of anybody else, expert or no expert, speaking, as the President of a public meeting held at Burdwan, the other day, asked the people to appeal to the Government that a committee of officials and non-officials, experts and laymen, should be appointed to inquire into the matter and suggest remedies. If this suggestion be accepted, the people of the affected area would submit definite

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proposals for the consideration of the committee and the Government with such expert opinion as we can avail ourselves of. Expert opinion we have had many and too often, yet the question remains where it was. Time has come for its solution. I am afraid it is already too late; and any further delay would be disastrous. It is admitted, Sir, that the present policy has been adopted for the protection of the Railway systems, but I submit that it is not fair to place a helpless people at the mercy of torrential and violent rivers for the protection of prosperous Railway Companies. Railways can certainly devise means for the protection of their lines and can well afford to carry them out. Railway system, Sir, not only obstruct the drainage of the country to a very large extent, but have been allowed to cause obstruction to the free flow of water through the river channels. As regards the cost of any scheme that may be adopted by the Government, I humbly submit that it be equitably divided between the Railway Companies, Landlords, Tenants and the Port Commissioners of Calcutta. I do not remind this Council of the various pledges made by the Government from time to time to maintain and keep up the embankments of the Damodar and the Ajai. They have now become matters of ancient history. Pledges or no pledges, the situation is so grave and serious and the miseries of the people have reached to such an extent that it has become imperatively necessary to take some steps, if not to remove, at any rate to minimise, the evils caused by the floods. If no protective measures are adopted, and adopted immediately, and if the present state of affairs is allowed to continue, the next inundation will be, I am afraid, the last straw on the camel's back, and thousands of people in my district will, in the words of Nawab Abdul Jubbar, "have to leave their homes and their hearths with a bleeding heart." No further power of resistance is left, and the people have been reduced to the last stage of suffering and their patience is exhausted. In conclusion, I place before the Government, the promise made sometime back, and would appeal to Government to give effect to that promise. Sir, I beg to state that the closing of the breaches on the right banks of the Damodar and the Ajai, and bringing them up to ground level will greatly alleviate the miseries of the people and I think the adoption of this measure deserves careful consideration. Whatever has to be done must be done before the rains set in. The matter has been too long under consideration and we have waited too long for the solution of the problem by professional experts and I hope the Government will adopt some measure of protection before it is too late.

(At this stage, His Excellency left the Chamber and the chair was taken by the Hon'ble the Vice-President.)

The Hon'ble the MAHARAJADHIRAJA BAHADUR of Burdwan said :—

"Mr. Vice-President, this Resolution does not really commit the Government to anything very much. I do not know exactly the attitude of Government in this matter, but I know this, that the Government have advanced large sums of money to alleviate the distress of the sufferers from the recent floods of the Damodar as well as the rivers Ajai and Kunur. I certainly think that steps should be taken to protect from damage these areas which are getting flooded now almost every year. Of course this flood in the Ajai has been an unprecedented one, and Government may say that one should not apprehend that this might occur again. but as the question of the embankments of the Ajai and the Kunur has been before the Government for a very long time, and in view of what Raja Bun Behari Kapur Bahadur said on this point at a public meeting in Burdwan, of which mention has already been made by the Hon'ble mover, I think that the Government, if unable to accept the Resolution for its wording, will look into the matter, but if they have no objection to the wording of the Resolution, will kindly accept it.

Resolution.

Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur; Mr. Beatson Bell; Maulvi Abul Kasem.

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, the Resolution suggests that steps be taken to protect from damages by floods the areas of land in the district of Burdwan lying to the south of the river Damodar and between the rivers Ajai and Kunur. I accord my hearty support to the Resolution."

The Hon'ble Mr. BEATSON BELL said :—

"Mr. Vice-President, I may say at once that there is no objection on the part of Government to accepting this Resolution. The Resolution has been worded in such a way that it does not bind us to any specific line of policy, nor does it bind us to the expenditure of any specific sum of money. As the House is aware, we have already begun to consider the budget for the coming year, and the prevention of floods in the division of Burdwan was one of the first objects which we marked for special consideration. Although I am unable to name any specific sum, I can assure the House that the matter will not be overlooked.

I may take this opportunity of thanking the Hon'ble mover for his kind words of appreciation regarding the help which was given by Government for the relief of the people who suffered in the recent floods. It will be gratifying to all the local officers to hear that their work was so thoroughly appreciated.

There are three ways of dealing with rivers which are liable to floods. The first way is to do nothing and to trust entirely to nature. The second is to make embankments and go on making them until the river loses all its natural qualities and runs in a raised bed between two high walls. The third way, is to regulate the flow of water in the upper reaches, and at the same time open out the lower reaches so as to prevent an excessive influx of water, and at the same time ensure that the water which does come down is not obstructed in its passage to the larger rivers and the open sea. Each of these three policies has its supporters, but the weight of the best expert opinion is in favour of the third. It was on the lines of this third policy that Mr. Addams Williams outlined a complete programme for dealing with the river Damodar. The House will remember that at the time of the last budget it was decided, as part of this programme, that a survey should be made to select suitable places for constructing catchment reservoirs. An allotment of Rs. 5,000 was made for this purpose and a specially selected officer of the Public Works Department, Mr. Subarwal, is now engaged upon the survey. We hope that in the next few months he will be able to discover suitable places for constructing the reservoirs in the upper reaches of the Damodar. At the same time, we have schemes before us for the improvement of the lower reaches of this river, and as far as funds are available in the coming year, we intend to carry out these schemes. In fact, we are convinced that the programme of Mr. Addams Williams is a sound and well considered programme and we mean to push it through. It is unfortunate that as regards the river Ajai and its tributary the Konoor we have not at present got a complete programme but the difficult problem of these two rivers is now engaging the anxious consideration of the Public Works Department and I trust that the time is not far distant when the problem will be solved and the safety of the people ensured.

With these few words, I accept the Resolution."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"I thank the Hon'ble member in charge for kindly accepting my Resolution. The people of Burdwan will be deeply grateful when they hear the news."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

Resolution.

Adjournment.

LIST OF BUSINESS ITEM No. 8.—The following Resolution, which stood in the name of the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem, was, with the permission of the Vice-President, postponed for discussion to the next meeting of the Council :—

> This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the pleaders, *mukhtars*, witnesses and parties belonging to the Muhammadan community, when attending in the Civil and Criminal Courts of the Presidency, may be allowed facilities to say their *juma* and midday prayers, and that presiding officers may be specially instructed to grant, on request, to any person of that community reasonable leave of absence from the Court for the performance of these religious duties.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Council was then adjourned to 11-A.M. on Tuesday, the 23rd January, 1917, at Government House, Calcutta.

C. TINDALL,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd December, 1916.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1916.*

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—PALAWAN ISLAND.

Kabulauan (Sombrero) Island—Rock southward of.

No. 379 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1184 of 1916), are re-published :—

Position.—At a distance of about 9½ miles southward of the southern end of Kabulauan island.
Lat. 11° 12′ 45″ N., long. 120° 07′ 35″ E., on chart 967.
Depth.—1¼ fathoms.
Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 2577, Philippine islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 1263, China sea
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part 1, 1911, page 61.
Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2368 of 1916. (*H. 5454/16*).

NEW ZEALAND. SOUTH ISLAND—TASMAN BAY.

Motueka Harbour—Leading lights discontinued.

No. 380 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1200 of 1916), are re-published :—

Position.—Lat. 41° 04¼′ S., long. 173° 02′ E.
Details.—The fixed white leading lights on the western shore of Motueka harbour have been discontinued.

Remarks.—The light on the wharf has also been discontinued, the wharf having been closed to shipping and partially dismantled.
Chart affected.—No. 2616, Cape Foulwind to D'Urville island.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2988.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 192.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 64 of 1916. *(H. 6241/16.)*

INDIA—WEST COAST—KARIL KACHAL CHANNEL.

Chalde: Rock—Buoy relaid.

No. 381 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 186M. of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 87-M of 1916. (*This Office No. 195 of 1916.*)
Details.—The red buoy, which was withdrawn from the following position during the South-West Monsoon, was replaced on November 3rd, 1916.
Position.—At a distance of 2 cables south-westward of Chaldea Rock.
Authority.—The Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, dated 23rd November 1916.

INDIA—WEST COAST.

Bhatkal Approaches—Buoys relaid.

No. 382 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 194M. of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 87-M. of 1916. (*This Office No. 195 of 1916.*)
Details.—The undermentioned buoys which were withdrawn during the South-West Monsoon, were relaid in their respective positions on the dates noted against each :—

Dart Rock Buoy, 18th November 1916.
Bhatkal Rock Buoy, 20th November 1916.

Authority.—The Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, dated 1st December 1916.

INDIA—WEST COAST.

Bombay Harbour—Caution.

No. 383 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 195M. of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Flagstaff Shoal, lat. 18° 55½′ N., long. 72° 50½′ E.
Details.—Dredging operations over and in the vicinity of Flagstaff shoal will shortly be resumed. Three pole beacons have been set up south of the east wall of the Alexandra Dock Mole. These beacons will be marked by day by a cross disc painted red, and by night by red lights as formerly. Vessels are cautioned whilst passing up and down the harbour or in or out of Ballard Pier, to keep clear of these beacons.

Remarks.—Anyone disregarding this warning will be prosecuted.
Charts affected.—No. 655, Port of Bombay.
„ 2621, Bombay Harbour.
Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 2nd December 1916.

The 11th December 1916.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—KANGAROO ISLAND, BACKSTAIRS PASSAGE.

Cape St. Alban Light—Intended Alteration in characteristics.

No. 368 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1147 of 1916), are republished :—

Date of alteration.—On or about 1st November 1916.
Position.—Lat. 35° 48¾′ S., long. 138° 07¼′ E.
New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 10 secs., 120 ft., vis. 14 m.* (U).

Details.—The flashing light with white and red sectors will be replaced by a *group flashing white* light, showing *two* flashes *every ten seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.	Flash.	eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Remarks.—The limits of the arc of visibility of the light will be unaltered ; the light showing from 118° (*S. 67° E. Mag.*), through south, to 5° (*North Mag.*).
Note.—No further Notice will be given.
Variation.—5° E.
Charts affected.—No. 25, Backstairs passage.
„ 1014, Cape Jervis to Rivoli bay.
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 2370.
Australia Directory, Vol, I, 1907, page 311 ; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Authority.—Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, Notice No. 6 of 1916. (*H. 6026/16.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—PALAWAN, EAST COAST.

Anchorage Island—Reef reported eastward of.

No. 369 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1154 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 9 miles eastward of Anchorage island.
Lat. 9° 56′ 12″ N., long. 119° 04′ 30″ E.
Details.—Further particulars concerning this reef are not at present available.
Note.—The position on the charts is to be encircled by a danger line and on chart No. 967 marked "*Reef reported (1916).*"
Charts affected.—No. 967, Palawan island.
„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 97.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 2570 of 1916. (*H. 5904/16.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR SEA.

Roti Island—Alteration in character of Light.

No. 370 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1157 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Near the Governor's house at Baä.
Lat. 10° 44½′ S., long. 123° 02¾′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 15 sec., 49 ft., vis. 12 m.*

Details.—The group flashing white light has been replaced by a *flashing white* light *every fifteen seconds*, thus:—

Flash.	eclipse.
3 secs.	12 secs.

Charts affected.—No. 2468, Plan of Baä road.
„ 942*a*, Eastern archipelago, eastern portion—part II.
„ 475, North-west coast of Australia.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 947.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 303.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1310 of 1916. (*H. 5762/16.*)

INDIAN OCEAN—Chagos Archipelago.

Great Chagos Bank—Shoal reported southward of.

No. 371 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1164 of 1916), are republished:—

Position.—Centre of shoal, lat. 6° 48′ S., long. 72° 21′ E.

Details.—The shoal is reported to be about 3 miles in length, and to extend in a north-easterly and south-westerly direction over a breadth of about 2½ miles.

Note.—The extent of the shoal is to be indicated on the charts by a danger line and marked "*Shoal repd. (1916).*"

Charts affected.—No. 3, Chagos archipelago.
„ 2899, Chagos archipelago to Madagascar.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean, northern portion.
„ 2483, Atlantic and Indian oceans, &c.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 92.

Authority.—Colonial Secretary, Mauritius. (*H. 5675/16.*)

SUMATRA, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Chalang Bay—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 372 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1165 of 1916), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of about 2¾ cables, westward, from Johore reef and $4\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 223° (*S. 43° W. Mag.*), from the conspicuous house on the eastern shore of the bay.
Lat. 4° 37½′ N., long. 95° 35¼′ E.

Depth.—1¾ fathoms, sand.

Variation.—Nil.

Chart affected.—No. 1701, Plan of Rigas and Chalang bays.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I. 1916, page 320.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1372 of 1916. (*H. 6008/16.*)

CHINA SEA, MALAY PENINSULA—Siam.

Patani Roads—Shoal reported.

No. 373 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1166 of 1916), are republished:—

Position.—Tanjong Patani, lat. 6° 57¼′ N., long. 101° 17′ E.

Details.—The following note with regard to a reported shoal, in the channel between Loftus bank and the coast south-eastward of Tanjong Patani, is to be inserted on the chart :—

"*8-ft. shoal reported in this Channel (1916).*"

Chart affected.—No. 998, Pulo Kapas to Lakon roads, with plan.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 122.
Authority.—Master Attendant, Singapore. (*H. 5800/16.*)

PERSIAN GULF.

Henjam Island—Wireless Telegraph Mast.

No. 374 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 181M. of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables 176° (S. 6° E. Mag.) from the White Mosque near Ras-al-Mashia.
Latitude 26° 41′ 12″ N.
Longitude 55° 53′ 26″ E. } On Chart No. 3599.
Height.—205 feet from surface of hill.
Variation.—2° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3599, Plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.
„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.
Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1915, page 208.
Authority.—The Officer Commanding, H. M. S. "Britomart," dated 1st November 1916.

PERSIAN GULF.

Shatt-al-Arab—Light-buoy established and Buoy No. 4 withdrawn.

No. 375 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 182M. of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) Light-buoy :—

Position.—At a distance of one cable 325° (N. 37° W. Mag.) from the former position of Buoy No. 4 on Chart No. 1235.
Latitude 29° 51′ 10″ N., Longitude 48° 41′ 20″ E.
Description.—A light-buoy exhibiting a flashing red light.

(*b*) Buoy No. 4 :—

Details.—The black buoy which is marked No. 4 on the chart has been permanently withdrawn and should be expunged accordingly.
Variation.—2° E.
Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.
Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 281, Indian Light List, 35th Issue, 1916, page 12.
Authority.—The Officer Commanding, R. I. M. S. "Nearchus", dated 21st November 1916.

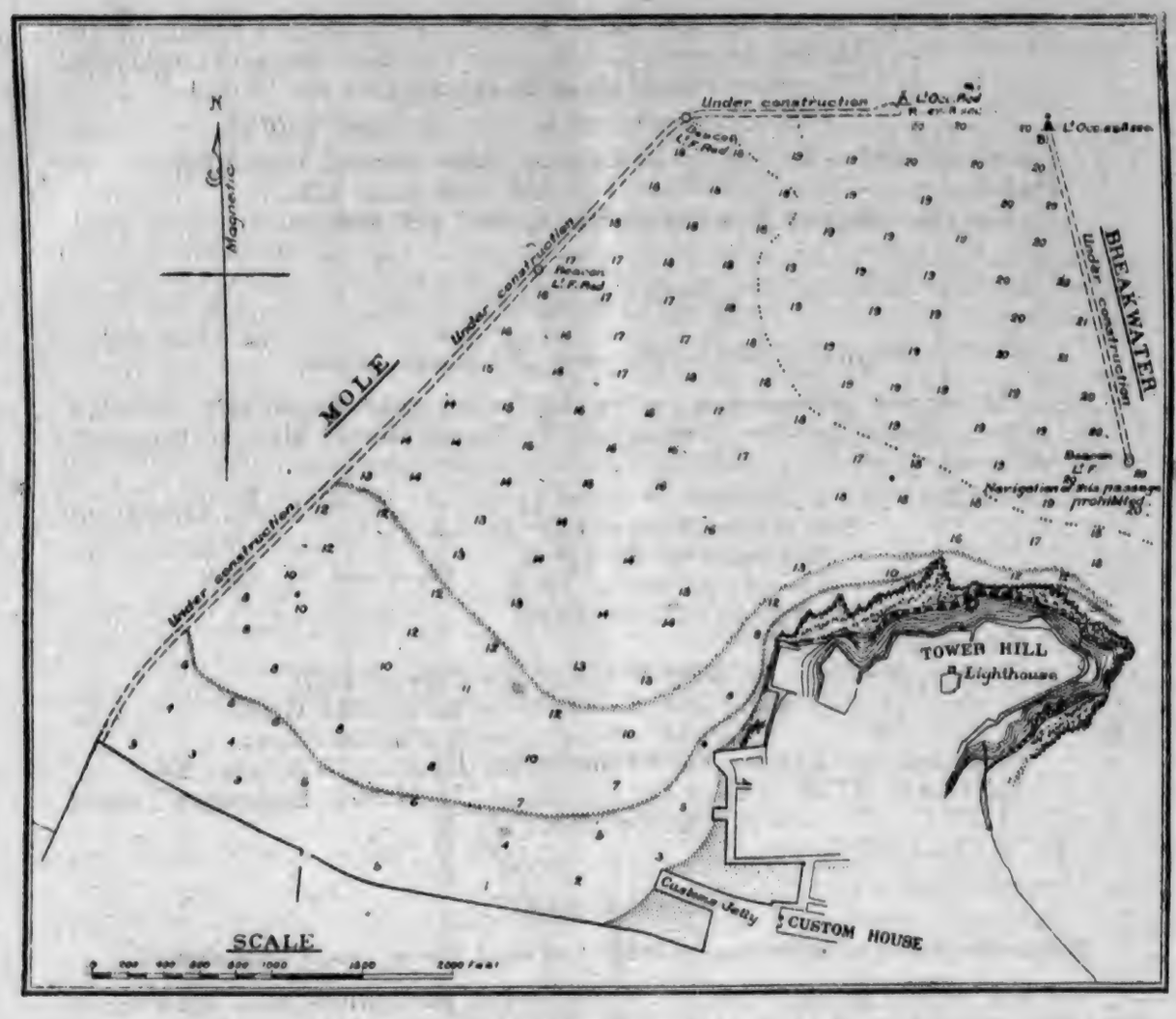
CHINA SEA—CHEFOO DISTRICT.

Chefoo harbour—Breakwater under construction; Establishment of beacon lights on the mole.

No. 376 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 630 of 1916) that two pole-beacons have been established on the mole in the positions indicated on the accompanying plan.

From each of these a *red* unclassed light will be exhibited from sunset to sunrise.

The other aids to navigation in connexion with the harbour works, as notified in previous Notices to Mariners, are also indicated on the accompanying plan.



INDIA, EAST COAST—Bay of Bengal.

Madras harbour—Exhibition of a temporary light.

No. 377 (second publication).—In continuation of this Office Notice to Mariners No. 351 of 1916 regarding the destruction of the North Arm light, Madras harbour, Mariners are hereby informed that a further intimation has been received from the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, in his Notice No. 49 of 1916. that a temporary fixed red light will be exhibited on or about the 12th December 1916, from a position 60 yards south of the old light and 30 feet above high water.

CHINA SEA—Tientsin District—Gulf of Pechili.

Winter Navigation of Taku Bar and of the Haiho; system of supplying information concerning ice in the Gulf of Pechili.

No. 378 (second publication).—The following is a re-publication of Notice to Mariners No. 631 of 1916, issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai.

Notice is hereby given of the following arrangements for the winter navigation of the Taku Bar and the Haiho.

General.

After the removal of the *Taku* Light-vessel, on or about the 1st December, her place will be taken by an ice-breaker to the following extent and showing lights as described hereunder.

At the commencement of the winter season, *i.e.*, immediately after the removal of the *Taku* Light-vessel, an ice-breaker will continuously act as light-vessel so long as ice-breaking operations are not needed.

When such operations are needed, the continuous occupancy of the light-vessel's position by the ice-breaker will cease. She will, however, when possible, act as light-vessel for a few hours before the expected arrival of a steamer.

Subsequently, she will not again act continuously as a light-vessel unless it be so notified.

Ice Conditions.

When ice exists, information concerning conditions will be telegraphed to Chefoo and Dairen. Vessels bound for Taku should call at one of these ports for it.

A vessel arriving off Taku, whose agent has given the necessary notice as laid down herein, will, if conditions permit, find an ice-breaker in the position of the light-vessel. The ice-master will inform the master of conditions. If the master decides to proceed, a pilot will, if desired, be placed on board from the ice-breaker. At a suitable time the ice-breaker will, if necessary, lead the way in, and, in doing so, will make such instructive signals concerning the steamer's action as the ice-master considers desirable.

It should be understood that, when the ice-master makes such a signal, the master of a following steamer is free to use his discretion as to obeying that signal so far as considerations concerning the safety of his own vessel are concerned. It would, however, be well for him to consider what would be the effect of disregarding the signal if that disregard affected the safety of a third vessel.

It should be clearly understood that the Harbour Authority, under whose authority the ice-breakers operate, incur no responsibility in respect to accidents which may happen in the process of following an ice-breaker. A vessel accepting the services of an ice-breaker in the above conditions does so at her own risk.

Particulars.

Ice-breaking Signals.

An ice-breaker leading the way and steamers following shall make use of the following signals:—

One short blast	meaning	I am altering my course to starboard.
Two short blasts	„	„ „ „ „ port.
Three short blasts	„	My engines are going astern.
One long blast	„	(*a*) Can I pass ahead of you? (*b*) (From an ice-breaker ahead) You are requested to pass ahead of me.
Three long blasts	„	Come on.
Five long blasts	„	Keep back.

A vessel requiring the assistance of an ice-breaker should make the following signals:—

By day.—A pennant with two balls beneath it; also a succession of one long and three short blasts on the whistle or siren.

By night.—Three lights in a vertical line one over the other not less than 6 feet apart, of which the highest and lowest are *white* and the middle one *red*; also a succession of one long and three short blasts on the whistle or siren.

Pilots and masters should make a special point not to call upon an ice-breaker to perform any work in connexion with vessels under their charge except such as is actually needed. The ice-breakers will otherwise be unduly hampered in the carrying out of their general routine work.

Ice-breaker acting as Light-vessel.

When acting as a light-vessel the ice-breaker will show—

By day.—A black ball at her masthead.

By night.—Five minutes of flashing with her searchlight every 15 minutes.

During foggy or thick weather a gong will be sounded at intervals of one minute when the fog signal of a vessel in the neighbourhood, showing that she is under way, is heard.

Pilots.

Masters are warned against the danger of taking their vessels over the Taku Bar during the winter season without a pilot.

Inward-bound vessels may obtain a pilot from the ice-breaker acting as a light-vessel.

Notice by Agents.

Steamer agents at Tientsin should give the earliest notice possible to the Harbour Office concerning the following :—

(*a*) Date and time of steamer's departure from Chefoo or Dairen.
(*b*) Time of steamer's expected arrival off Taku

Ice Information.

Ice telegrams, giving information of the ice conditions at Taku, Chinwangtao, and—as far as can be ascertained—in the Gulf, will be sent daily from Taku and Chinwangtao and will be posted at the Harbour Offices at Chefoo, Taku, and Tientsin. They will also be sent to Dairen.

Masters of steamers are requested to co-operate in this matter by reporting the ice conditions met with to the Harbour Masters at Tientsin, Chinwangtao, and Chefoo immediately on arriving at one of these ports. Such reports will be posted.

To facilitate the making of these reports a special book of forms will be supplied on application to any of the Harbour Offices mentioned.

Masters of steamers are further requested to co-operate by making it a routine practice to signal to passing steamers the ice conditions experienced. The following special signals should be used for the purpose :—

Ice Signals.

The nature of the numbered signals is given in Part III.

Part I.—Signals concerning Taku and the Gulf.

Signal No. 1.	No ice.	At Taku Bar.
„ „ 2.	Ice conditions favourable.	
„ „ 3.	„ „ difficult.	
„ „ 4.	„ „ very difficult.	
„ „ 5.	„ „ impracticable.	
Signal No. 6.	No ice.	In the Gulf.
„ „ 7.	Ice conditions favourable.	
„ „ 8.	„ „ difficult.	
„ „ 9.	„ „ very difficult.	
„ „ 10.	„ „ impracticable.	

Part II.—Signals concerning Chinwangtao.

The following signals are to be made in conjunction with a square flag or a *red* light at one of the mastheads :—

Signal No 1	No ice.	At Chinwangtao.
„ „ 2.	Ice conditions favourable.	
„ „ 3.	„ „ difficult.	
„ „ 4.	„ „ very difficult.	
„ „ 5.	„ „ impracticable.	
Signal No. 6.	No ice.	Off Chinwangtao.
„ „ 7.	Ice conditions favourable.	
„ „ 8.	„ „ difficult.	
„ „ 9.	„ „ very difficult.	
„ „ 10.	„ „ impracticable.	

Part III.—Nature of signals.

The signal numbers correspond to certain "dots" and "dashes" as shewn hereunder. These "dots" and "dashes" can be signalled by one or the other of the following means :—

(*a*) By short and long blasts on the steamer's whistle or siren.
(*b*) By short and long flashes by a signal lamp.
(*c*) By a hoist of flags in which "dots" are represented by any square flag and "dashes" by any pennant.

Signal No. 1.	.	—	—	—	—	Signal No. 6.	—	.	.	.	.
„ „ 2.	.	.	—	—	—	„ „ 7.	—	—	.	.	.
„ „ 3.	.	.	.	—	—	„ „ 8.	—	—	—	.	.
„ „ 4.	.	.	.	.	—	„ „ 9.	—	—	—	—	.
„ „ 5.	.	.	.	.	.	„ „ 10.	—	—	—	—	—

These signals, if made by blasts or by flashes, should be repeated several times while the vessels are passing

The 4th December 1916.

JAPAN—KIUSIU, SOUTH COAST.

Osumi Islands, Mage Shima—Reef off.

No. 359 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1118 of 1916), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Off the southern end of Mage shima, at a distance of 13½ cables, 178° (*S. 2° W. Mag.*), from the 225-foot summit.
Lat. 30° 43¼′ N., long. 130° 51′ E.

Depth.—4 fathoms, sand and rock.
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 1493, Plan of Mage shima.
„ 1648, Osumi kaikyo to O shima, with inset.
Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 81.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 209 of 1916. (*H. 5716/16.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Kunfida Southern Approach—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 360 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1125 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1½ miles, north-westward, from Makasir.
Lat. 18° 58′ 30″ N., long. 41° 06′ 30″ E.

Depth.—2 fathoms.
Chart affected.—No. 8c, Red sea, sheet III.
Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, page 344.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5723/16.*)

RED SEA—EASTERN SHORE.

Jebel Sabaya—Shoal reported north-eastward of.

No. 361 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1126 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 6¾ miles north-eastward from the northern extremity of Jebel Sabaya.
Lat. 18° 39′ 00″ N., long. 41° 10′ 00″ E., on chart No. 8*c*.

Details.—A depth of 3 fathoms was obtained in the above position, but the shoal has not been examined and less water may exist.

Note.—The position on the charts is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "*Shoal reported (1916).*"

Charts affected.—No. 8*c*, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 8*d*, Red sea, sheet IV.
„ 2523, Red sea.
Publication.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 345.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5789/16.*)

RED SEA, WESTERN SHORE.

North Massawa Channel—Existence of Shoals.

No. 362 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1133 of 1916), are republished :—

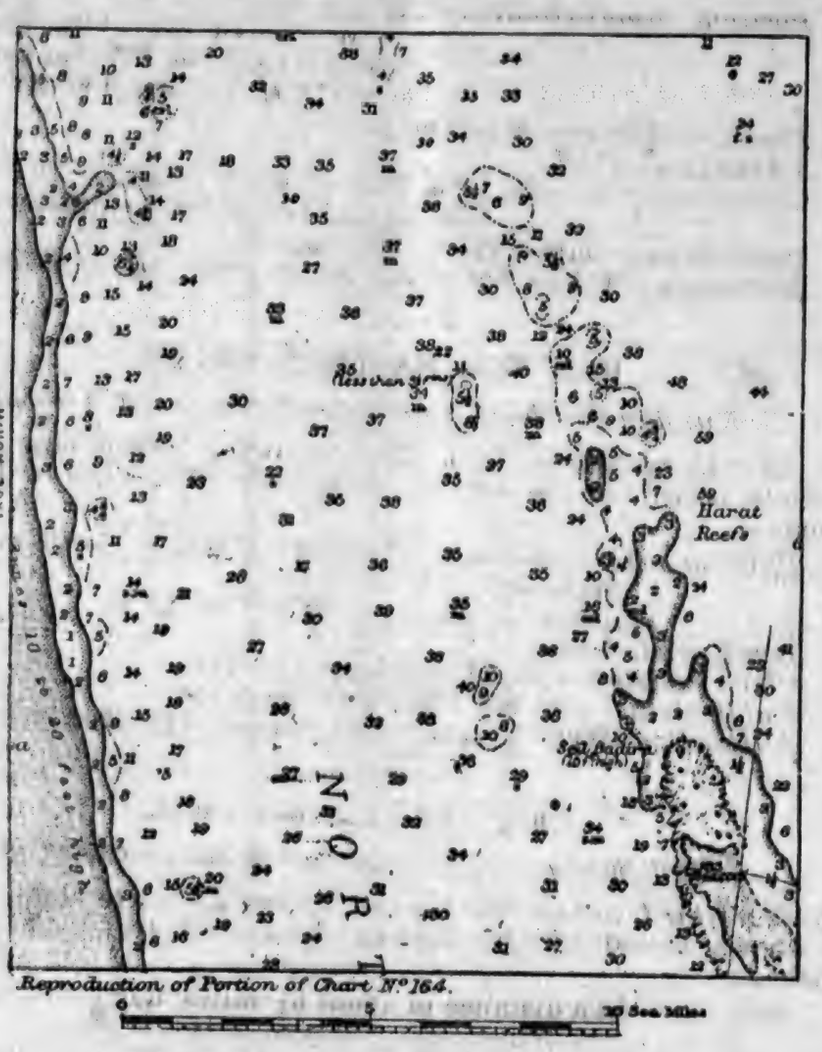
Position.—Harat reefs, lat. 16° 16′ N., long. 39° 25′ E.

Details.—The accompanying reproductions of portions of charts Nos. 164, 8*d* and 2523, show the existence of several shoals not hitherto charted, in North Massawa channel.

Charts affected.—No. 164, Massawa channel.
„ 8*d*, Red sea, sheet IV.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, pages 222, 223.

Authority.—Italian Government Chart. (*H. 5714/16.*)



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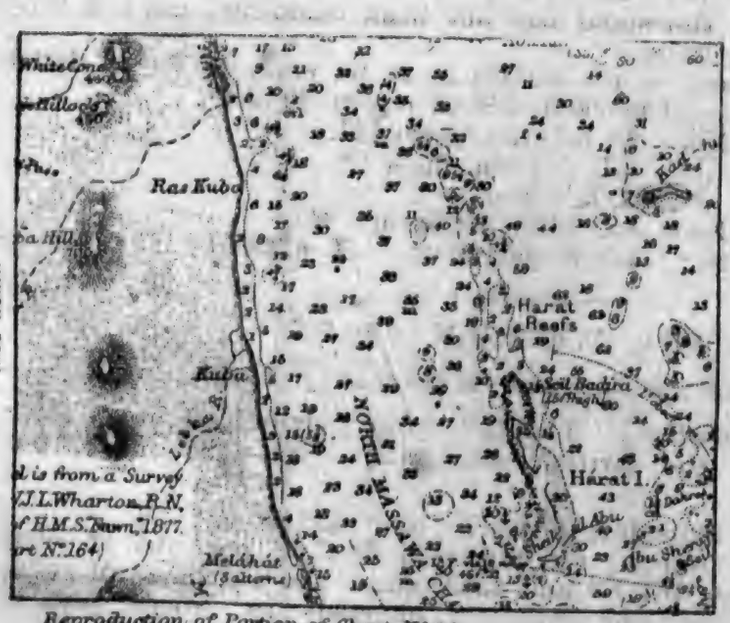

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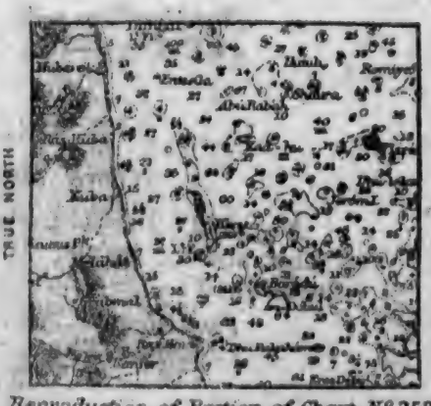

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AFRICA, EAST COAST.

North Mafia Channel Approach—Shoals reported.

No. 363 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1135 of 1916), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 2¼ miles westward from Vulture bank.
Lat. 7° 32′ 00″ S., long. 39° 42′ 38″ E., on chart No. 1032.

Depth.—4 fathoms.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 1¾ miles south-eastward from Vulture bank.
Lat. 7° 33′ 17″ S., long. 39° 46′ 20″ E., on chart No. 1032.

Depth.—9 fathoms.

Remarks.—The above shoals have not been examined, and a note to this effect is to be placed against them on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 1032, Channels between Kilwa point and North Mafia channel.
„ 669, Cape Delgado to Port Mombasa.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 363.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5588/16.*)

SUMATRA, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Mulaboh Bay Approach—Existence of Shoals.

No. 364 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1137 of 1916), are republished :—

Position.—Ujong Karveng, lat. 4° 07′ N., long. 96° 08′ E.

Details.—A recent survey in the vicinity of Mulaboh bay has revealed the existence of the shoals shown on the accompanying reproduction of the plan of Mulaboh on chart No. 2760.

Chart affected.—No. 2760, Plan of Mulaboh.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 323.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1325 of 1916. (*H. 5749/16.*)

Reproduction of Portion of Chart No. 2760.

COCHIN CHINA.

Castlereagh Bank and Cape Vert—Amendments to Charts with regard to Shoals.

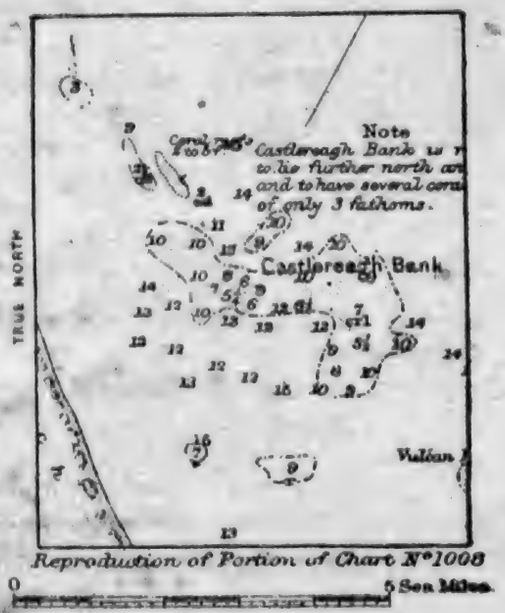
No. 365 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1138 of 1916), are republished :—

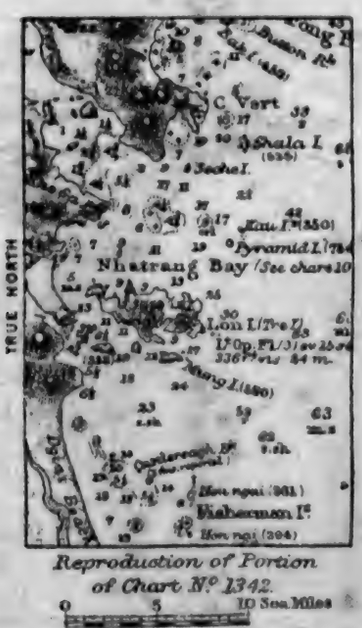
Position.—Castlereagh bank, lat. 12° 03′ N., long. 109° 15′ E.
Cape Vert, lat. 12° 24′ N., long. 109° 19½′ E.

Details.—Amendments to the charts with regard to shoals in the vicinity of Castlereagh bank and Cape Vert are shown on the accompanying reproduction of portions of charts Nos. 1008 and 1342.

Charts affected.—No. 1008, Kam-ranh bay to Vung-ro bay.
„ 1342, Fan-rang bay to Tong king gulf.
„ 2661*a*, China sea, northern portion, western sheet.
„ 2660*a*, China sea, southern portion, western sheet.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, pages 216, 222.
Authority.—French Government Chart. (*H. 5806/16.*)





INDIA; WEST COAST.

Buoys between Alibagh and Vengurla relaid.

No. 366 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 175M. of 1916), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 87-M. of 1916. (This Office No. 195 of 1916.)

Details.—The following buoys which were withdrawn during the South-West monsoon were relaid in their respective positions on the dates noted against each :—

Alibagh Outer Reef Buoy	...	13th October 1916.
Ambolgarh Reef Buoy	...	15th „ „
Malvan, Rock Buoy	...	18th „ „
Malvan, Two Inner Harbour Buoys.		18th „ „
Malvan Fort (Harbour) buoy	...	26th „ „
Malvan, Johnston Castle Rock Buoy.		27th „ „
Malvan, Rajkot Fort Buoy	...	27th „ „
Vengurla, Bubra Rock Buoy	...	28th „ „
Vengurla, South Rock Buoy	...	31st „ „

Authority.—The Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, dated 13th November 1916.

BAY OF BENGAL.

CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced by buoy.

No. 367-I. (third publication).—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 28th December 1916 and replaced in March 1917.

A red conical buoy with staff and cage will mark the position during her absence.

Position.—Lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.
„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 630.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice dated 28th November 1916.

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Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

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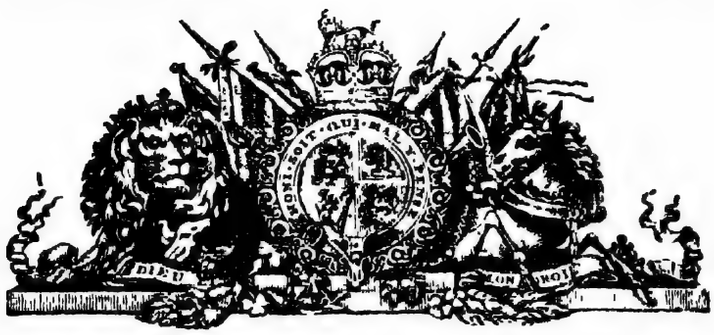

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL, FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE 1916.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

AGRICULTURE.

CALCUTTA, THE 15TH DECEMBER 1916.

RESOLUTION—No. 10016Agri.

READ—

The Report of the Department of Agriculture, Bengal, for the year ending the 30th June 1916.

Staff.—Mr. J. R. Blackwood, I.C.S., was in charge of the Department until the 9th June 1916, on which date he made over charge to Mr. S. Milligan of the Imperial Agricultural Service. Messrs. F. Smith

and K. McLean, Deputy Directors of Agriculture, held charge of the agricultural operations in West Bengal and East Bengal respectively. Mr. Smith was on privilege leave from the 14th August to the 11th October 1915, during which period Mr. McLean performed his work in addition to his own duties. Messrs. R. S. Finlow and H. E. Annett worked as Fibre Expert and Agricultural Chemist, respectively, throughout the year. Mr. G. P. Hector worked as Economic Botanist until the 3rd May 1916, when he went on long leave: during his absence his work has been entrusted to Mr. Finlow. The appointment of a Third Deputy Director of Agriculture has been sanctioned by the Secretary of State, but the post will not be filled up until the war is over. During the year there were five Superintendents of Agriculture and ten District Agricultural Officers as in the previous year: there is need for increasing the number of District Agricultural Officers for the purpose of making a fuller use of the results which have been obtained, but for financial reasons the expansion of the Department is necessarily postponed.

2. **Agricultural Education.**—There is no Agricultural College in the Presidency, but the College at Sabaur in Bihar offers special facilities to students from Bengal. The numbers of such students on the roll of this College on the 30th June 1916 were two in the third-year, six in the second-year and 12 in the first-year class. It is to be regretted that the number of students is so small and that the special opportunities for agricultural study are not more fully appreciated by the landholding and cultivating classes, but as yet there appears to be little or no demand for scientific knowledge of agriculture except as an avenue to Government service. Of the two students who were successful in the Final Diploma Examination in March 1916, one has been appointed temporarily under the Government of Bihar and Orissa as a supernumerary agriculturist, the other is reported to have enlisted. The scheme for giving a course of agricultural training on the Dacca Farm to the sons of zamindars is in abeyance for want of any assurance that students will be forthcoming.

3. **Research and Experiment at Agricultural stations.**—The reports of the scientific officers have been published in a separate volume, and the Director has given in his report a lucid explanation of the objects in view and of the results obtained. The Governor in Council has from time to time observed signs of a not unnatural impatience for definite results of research, and he would specially commend this portion of the report to those who feel such impatience: it shows not only that attention is being concentrated on a limited number of objects which are of the highest importance in Bengal, but also that a very decided advance has been made towards substantial improvement of staple crops. Mr. Hector, the Economic Botanist, after testing very numerous varieties of paddy from different places in Bengal has succeeded in isolating and multiplying several excellent types of the transplanted *aman* variety, one of which, viz., *indrasail*, has been selected and tested with very satisfactory results against the best obtainable local varieties in several districts. These results have apparently convinced those who have studied them, for there has been a large demand for this variety in the immediate vicinity of the Dacca Farm, and arrangements have been made for the further distributions of this seed from other farms. Though it is unlikely that the same variety will be found the most suitable in the totally different conditions of West Bengal, it has been found that *indrasail* has given positive results both at Rajshahi and Rangpur. *Aus* and deep water paddy are also being studied by Mr. Hector, but the experiments are not yet in such an advanced stage as in the case of *aman*. Manurial experiments conducted with bone-meal and lime on the Dacca red soil have shown that whereas a combination of the two gives the best results in the case of jute and *rabi* crops, bone-meal without lime is most effective for rice. The study of the *ufra* disease of rice was continued during the year under report, and a survey of *ufra*-infected districts was undertaken. Further knowledge has been obtained about the habits of the minute worm called *Tylenchus Angustus* which is now recognised as the sole cause of *ufra*, but the work accomplished has not yet reached a

stage at which it can be claimed that the ravages of the disease have been in any way checked in the fields. The Imperial Mycologist has arrived at the conclusion that the burning of the rice stubble after harvest, if done thoroughly and on a large scale, will save the subsequent crop, and the Governor in Council approves of the decision of the Director to spread this information as widely as possible : he relies on the Collectors of the districts in which *ufra* disease prevails to co-operate with the Director in disseminating this information, and to impress on the people concerned that the burning which is now generally practised must be thorough, so that the survival of the worm through incomplete burning may be prevented. The Governor in Council desires again to impress on the Director of Agriculture the necessity of keeping a close watch on the progress of this disease, the spread of which should be regarded as one of the greatest calamities that can befall this province. He also attaches much importance to the experiments which are being made with a view to selecting an early ripening variety of deep water paddy which may avoid the worst attack of the disease. Selection and cross-breeding experiments are being continued with regard to jute, and it has been established that Mr. Finlow's pure line selection Kakya Bombai No. 7 is a heavier yielder than any of the local varieties. Experiments are being made with a view to defining the localities suitable for this variety and the demand for the seed is steadily increasing. Though the manurial experiments with regard to jute have not yet yielded a satisfactory solution of the problem, there are indications that the scientific treatment of this subject will lead to valuable results. Among the most important experiments of the past year are those connected with water hyacinth, a weed which is the cause of very serious obstruction to the waterways of Bengal : the experiments indicate that in the potash contained in the ash and in the rotted plant an excellent manure for jute has been discovered, and that the value of the plant for manure may perhaps induce cultivators to clear the waterways which are infested with it. Mr. Annett continued his experiments on cane sugar ; there is a considerable demand for the selected varieties in the neighbourhood of all agricultural stations. His investigation into the process of *gur* making from palm sugar has established the important fact that the wastage of the juice drawn in the day time on account of its inferior quality can be completely eliminated by liming the pots as is done in Madras ; this process results in the perfect preservation of the day juice and in a marked increase in the quality of the night juice. Demonstrations have been undertaken to make this result widely known.

4. **Demonstration and Distribution.**—Now that certain definite results have been obtained by experiment with improved seed and manure, the problems of demonstration and distribution have assumed a greater importance. In the previous year the number of trained demonstrators employed was 83, but as the preparation and checking of the jute forecast occupied their time during a large portion of the busy agricultural season, their demonstration duties suffered. It was therefore decided during the year under review to separate the staff employed for the jute forecast from the demonstration staff : the number of demonstrators was reduced from 83 to 62, and a separate temporary staff of 103 men was entertained for the period of the jute forecast ; the work of demonstration is thus no longer interrupted during the period from April to September. The principal items of demonstration undertaken by the Department were the value of manures, the introduction of superior varieties of seed and the use of improved agricultural implements. Useful demonstrations were also undertaken by members of the several agricultural associations and very great assistance in demonstrating the value of Mr. Finlow's jute seed was rendered by jute firms. The departmental seed stores established in the previous year in the five divisions of the Presidency have increased their output, and measures have been taken for improving this means of distribution, but, as Mr. Milligan has remarked, a more extensive organization is required for distribution of selected jute and rice seed on a large scale. The Governor in Council notices with much interest the initiation of a system of utilizing Co-operative Credit Societies and Panchayats

as agencies for the distribution and reproduction of seed, and there is reason to expect good results therefrom.

5. **Cattle.**—During the year under review Mr. Blackwood published his report on his survey of the cattle of Bengal: the report was based on a very thorough examination of the cattle found in the Presidency and of their treatment by their owners, and Mr. Blackwood's main conclusion was that, owing to the climate of Bengal and the general disinclination or inability to provide sufficient food to a superior animal, the best prospect of improving the breed of cattle lay in selection from the best cattle found in the Presidency. His policy at the Rangpur Dairy Farm was based on this conclusion. The Governor in Council has, however, been advised that no very substantial improvement in breed can be expected without importing superior cattle, and it is a fact that the cattle of Bengal are continually replenished from Bihar, and that there exists some demand for better cattle than are now bred in Bengal. It has therefore been decided to retain the best of the indigenous animals which have been collected at the farm, and at the same time to start a separate herd of imported cattle. Though it has always been recognized that cattle breeding was the sole object of the farm, the subsidiary object of showing that mixed farming can be conducted at a profit has been found to have a tendency towards the neglect of fodder crops to the advantage of paying crops such as sugarcane, and it has therefore been decided that no crops other than fodder crops shall be grown on the farm until it is self-supporting in this respect. An unfortunate outbreak of rinderpest resulted in serious losses in the Rangpur herd.

6. **Sericulture.**—M. Grangeon, the French Sericultural Expert, being absent on military duty in France, his experiments were continued by Mr. P. C. Chaudhuri, Superintendent of the Berhampore Central Nursery. The ultimate object of these experiments is the creation of cross-bred races which, while retaining the multivoltin character, will yield cocoons equal to those given by the superior univoltin races reared in France, China and Japan. It has been found that the type obtained by crossing the multivoltin Madagascar male with the indigenous Nistari female, gives the best results. This type is now in the sixteenth generation, and so far they have been found to breed true. It remains to be seen whether they will revert to their dominant parental types afterwards. They yield on an average $2\frac{1}{4}$ grains of silky substance per cocoon, against $1\frac{1}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{2}$ grains yielded by the Nistaris. There is also less waste of silky matter in the cross types. The experiments of Miss Cleghorn are reported to be full of promise. To enable her to extend her experiments and research work, she has been given a grant of Rs. 15,000 for the current financial year. Her laboratory has been extended, three control-rearing houses have been established, and a new mulberry plantation begun. The hybrid race evolved by her has been found to be superior to the indigenous Nistari and Desi. The Sericultural School at Rajshahi had eleven students on the roll at the beginning of the year. It is satisfactory to find that most of the passed students are constructing model rearing houses, and have started rearing on scientific lines. The Governor in Council is awaiting with much interest the recommendations of Mr. H. M. Lefroy, the Imperial Silk Specialist. Until they are received, no change in the organisation of the Sericultural Department will be made, but the work which is now being done towards the prevention of disease and the discovery of races which will give an increased yield, and have the power of resisting disease is on the right lines, though it is questionable whether it is conducted on a sufficient scale to achieve commercial results.

7. **Fisheries.**—The preliminary period of the appointment of Mr. T. Southwell, Deputy Director of Fisheries, expired on the 5th December 1915, and it has been decided by the Secretary of State that the post of Fisheries Expert shall be permanent. An important event in the year under review was the discovery that the Indian carp breeds in certain tanks as well as in running water. The importance of this fact lies in the possibilities that it affords for the cultivation in specially constructed tanks of pure carp fry unmixed with the fry of predatory fish. There is a progressive

demand for the carp-fry supplied by the Fisheries Department, and the orders received in 1916 for 4½ lakhs of fry are largely in excess of those of previous years: this line of work is likely to result in a substantial improvement in the supply of fish. The subject of artificial culture of *hilsa* continued to receive attention, and though no material success has been attained in this direction, further information regarding the habits of the fish has been acquired: the Governor in Council recognizes that pending the discovery of the places where *hilsa* breed, no large improvement in the supply is probable, and that it is necessary to await results with patience. Three new co-operative societies of fishermen have been established during the year under report, making the total number seven. With a view to afford the Fisheries Department facilities for research work and for the establishment of co-operative societies, orders have been issued that when the lease of a Government fishery is about to expire, the Collector of the district shall consult the Deputy Director of Fisheries as to the desirability of departmental management, and, where this is not practicable as to the best alternative arrangement and as to the restrictions which are necessary in the regulation of close times and methods of fishing. It is hoped that under these arrangements the Government fisheries will be improved and will afford a valuable field for research, and an example to private owners of fisheries. The Governor in Council has much pleasure in acknowledging the valuable work which is being done by Mr. Southwell, and he entertains no doubt as to the benefits which will result from it.

8. Mr. Blackwood relinquished the charge of the Agricultural Department after holding the post of Director for a period of four years. This period was in a great measure one of organization and expansion and of selection of lines of work which were likely to prove beneficial. The Governor in Council desires to place on record his appreciation of Mr. Blackwood's work and to congratulate him on the attainment of certain definite results on the eve of his departure. The lines of development are now well defined in most branches of the work of the Department, and the Governor in Council looks forward with confidence to a period of concentrated work on special lines in which the expert knowledge of the present Director is likely to be of the greatest value. Apart from the specific results which have been noticed in this review, the feature of the year's work which the Governor in Council regards with most satisfaction is the evidence which it affords of the co-ordination of the work of the Agricultural Department with that of other departments and of the public. The assistance of the co-operative department in measures for the distribution and reproduction of seed and in ameliorating the conditions of fishermen has been noticed already. The work of the jute firms in connection with Mr. Finlow's jute and of the agricultural associations in carrying out demonstrations affords a prospect of great utility. But besides these there are numerous passages in the reports of the Director and of the expert officers which indicate a more general interest and a more widespread desire to assist in the work of the Agricultural Department, and it is only by the further diffusion of such interest that the results of scientific investigation can be made beneficial to the cultivators of the soil.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First Forecast of the Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1916-17.

(Note.—On the average of the five years ending 1914-15, the area under linseed in Bengal represents some 5·7 per cent. and that under rape and mustard 20·8 per cent. of the total area under these crops in British India.)

Explanatory.—Three forecasts are issued for the spring oilseed crops. The present forecast deals only with the area sown and the general condition of the crops.

Area sown.—Oilseeds are grown principally in the Rajshahi, Dacca and Presidency Divisions. The total area under these crops (excepting sesamum for which separate forecasts are published) is returned at 1,405,300 acres, as against 1,513,400 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year, or a decrease of 108,100 acres. The decrease is attributed to excessive rainfall at sowing time.

Character of the season.—The rainfall in the months of September and October was much above the normal. Sowings which generally commence at this time were in consequence delayed in most districts. Untimely heavy showers in the first part of November checked further sowings and caused some damage to the crops on the sown area Subsequent dry weather has, however, improved the prospects of the crops.

S. MILLIGAN,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 19th December 1916.

APPENDIX I.

First Forecast of the Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1916-17.

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER SPRING OILSEEDS.		Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
24-Parganas ...	Linseed	1,600	600*	600*	October	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crop in the Basirhat subdivision but unfavourable elsewhere. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	1,500	800*	800*		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	300	300	200	November.	
	Total ...	3,400	1,700	1,600		
Nadia ...	Linseed	55,700	40,100	35,100	October ...	Sowings were generally normal, but late in some places owing to double sowings. The weather has not been favourable on the whole. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	23,500	17,000	14,800		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	18,900	4,700	3,400		
	Total ...	98,100	61,800	53,300		
Murshidabad ...	Linseed	30,800	16,400	14,200	October to November.	The sowings have been late owing to continued rainfall and are still in progress. The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	18,900	15,400	12,100		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	8,700	4,200	3,200		
	Total ...	48,400	36,000	29,500		
Jessore ...	Linseed	24,000	15,300	13,500	October	Owing to the late subsidence of flood water, sowings have been late. The weather has not been favourable on the whole to the growth of the crops.
	Rape and mustard	49,600	29,900	22,500		
	Other oilseeds (excluding *til*).	3,300	2,400	2,400		
	Total ...	76,900	47,600	38,400		
Khulna ...	Linseed	900	200	100	Beginning of October.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops.
	Rape and mustard	29,700	19,700	16,700	End of October.	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	100	500	500		
	Total ...	30,700	20,400	17,300		
Burdwan ...	Linseed	22,500	13,400	13,200	End of October to November.	The sowings were normal except in the Sadar subdivision where they were late. The heavy rainfall has been unfavourable to the growth of the crops. Their condition is fair on the whole.
	Rape and mustard	21,100	16,800	15,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	1,500	1,100	600		
	Total ...	45,100	31,300	28,900		
Birbhum ...	Linseed	800*	800*	800*	Beginning of November.	The sowings were late owing to constant rainfall. The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops on account of excessive rainfall this year. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	2,000*	2,000*	2,000*		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	200	200		
	Total ...	43,000	3,000	3,000		

* Conventional area.

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER SPRING OILSEEDS.		Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).		
		Acres.	Acres	Acres.		
Bankura ...	Linseed	1,000*	1,000*	1,000*	Middle of October	The decrease in area is due to rainfall in October and November, but the next forecast may show an increase as sowings are still in progress.
	Rape and mustard	7,000	7,500	4,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	8,000	7,500	4,500		
	Total ...	16 000	16,000	9,500		
Midnapore ...	Linseed	15,000	11,500	11,500	November ...	The sowings were normal. The weather has been unfavourable owing to excessive rainfall. The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard	31,000	16,800	11,500	October.	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	14,500	14,300	13,100	November.	
	Total ...	60,500	42,600	36,100		
Hooghly ...	Linseed	800	700*	700*	End of October.	The sowings were late. The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable to the growth of the crops. Their condition is fair.
	Rape and mustard	7,900	4,700	3,800		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	2,700	1,300	700		
	Total ...	11,400	6,700	5,200		
Howrah ...	Linseed	2,000	1,000	300	Middle of November.	The sowings were late owing to heavy rainfall in the beginning of November. The weather has been favourable since and the condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	1,100	1,100*	1,100*		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	100	100	100		
	Total ...	3,0 0	2,200	1,400		
Rajshahi ...	Linseed	28,000	10,500	9,500	Latter part of November in Naogaon subdivision and elsewhere first part of November.	The sowings were late as the flood did not subside in time. The weather has not been favourable owing to excessive rain in October and unusually heavy showers in the first part of November The condition of the crops is fair on the whole.
	Rape and mustard	74,000	55,300	54,000	First part of November.	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	400	1,300	1,100		
	Total ...	102,400	67,100	64,600		
Dinajpur ...	Linseed ...	(40)	(40)*	(40)*	Latter part of October.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been very favourable. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	70,000	72,400	70,200		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	...	...	100		
	Total ...	70,040	72,400	70,300		
Jalpaiguri ...	Rape and mustard	53,600†	52,600	50,100	Middle of October, but not yet finished.	The sowings were normal except in the Chaklajat estate and Mainaguri Tahsil, where they were late owing to continued rain up to October. The weather has been favourable since and the condition of the crops is fair.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	200	200		
	Total ...	53,800	52,800	50,300		
Darjeeling ...	Rape and mustard	7,000	3,400	3,400	Beginning of October.	The sowings were normal. The weather conditions have been favourable and the condition of the crop is fair.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	200	200	End of September.	
	Total ...	7,200	3,600	3,600		

* Conventional area.

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER SPRING OILSEEDS. Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).	Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
Rangpur ...	Rape and mustard	160,000	155,000	155,000	Latter part of October.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops and their condition is good.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	1,100	200	500		
	Total ...	161 100	155,200	155,500		
Bogra ...	Linseed	1,000	500	500	Middle of October.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops. Their condition is fair. The decrease in area under rape and mustard is due to increased cultivation of winter rice owing to favourable weather condition this year.
	Rape and mustard	60,000	55,000	40,000		
	Total ...	61,000	55,500	40,500		
Pabna ...	Linseed	7,000	8,500	8,500	End of October	The sowings were normal. The rainfall in the second week of November affected the growth of the crops to some extent. The condition of the crops is not very good.
	Rape and mustard	110,000	114,500	114,500		
	Total ...	117,000	123,000	123,000		
Malda	Linseed	6,000	5,200	5,000	Beginning of November.	The sowings were late. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops. Their condition is fair.
	Rape and mustard	30,000	25,000	22,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	2 500	1,500	1,200		
	Total ...	38 500	31,700	28,200		
Dacca	Linseed	4,800	4,600	4,600	Latter part of October.	The sowings were late on account of the subsidence of the flood being late this year. The weather and rainfall conditions have been generally favourable to the growth of the crops, but for the fact that during the first week of November the rainfall affected their growth. The condition of the crops is hopeful. The decrease in the area sown is due to the flood standing for a good length of time on low lands portions of which could not be sown at all.
	Rape and mustard	82,400	98,400	65,000		
	Total ...	87,200	103,000	69,600		
Mymensingh ...	Linseed	13,800	14,800	13,800	Middle of October	The sowings were normal. The weather has been generally favourable, but the late October rain hampered the sowing to a certain extent. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	430,700	477,300	472,300		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	300	300	300		
	Total ...	444,800	491,400	486,400		
Faridpur ...	Linseed	5,900	6,000	6,000	November. Normal.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fairly good.
	Rape and mustard	25,700	25,500	23,900		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	1,100	1,100	1,100		
	Total ...	32,700	32,600	30,000		
Bakarganj ...	Linseed	4,300	4,300	4,000	October and first part of November.	The sowings were late. Owing to excessive rainfall the weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	1,100	1,500	1,400		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	100	100		
	Total ...	5,800	5,900	5,500		
Chittagong ...	Linseed	100	100*	600*	Middle of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops and their condition is fair.
	Rape and mustard	5,600	2,000	2,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*.)	100	100	100		
	Total ...	5,800	2,200	2,700		

* Conventional.

District.	Name of spring oil seed crops.	Estimate normal area under spring oilseeds.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER SPRING OILSEEDS. Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).	Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
Tippera ...	Linseed	4,800	4,500	4,000	November ...	The sowings were late. The weather has not been quite favourable on account of the subsidence of flood being late. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	34,500	30,400	26,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	800	600	600		
	Total ...	40,100	35,500	30,600		
Noakhali ...	Linseed	5,000†	22,300	6 000	Ditto ...	The sowings were a little late owing to excessive rainfall in October. The rainfall in November has slightly affected the growth of the early sown crops. The present condition of the crops, however, is fair. The normal areas have been revised on the basis of the settlement records.
	Rape and mustard	600†	9,000	1,000		
	Other oilseeds (except ng (*till*).	700	700	900		
	Total ...	6,300†	32,000	7,900		
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rape and mustard	13,000	13,000	12,400	15th November ...	The sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable. The condition of the crops is fair.
Total Bengal ...	Linseed	226,800†	181,300	153,500		
	Rape and mustard	1,353,400†	1,323,000	1,216,500		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	65,900	42,900	35,300		
	Total ...	1,644,900	1,546,700	1,405,300		

† Revised.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First Forecast of the Wheat Crop of Bengal, 1916-17.

(Note.—On an average of the five years ending 1914-15 the area under Wheat in Bengal has represented some 0·5 per cent. of the total area under Wheat in India. The ratio of Irrigated Wheat acreage to total Wheat acreage in (a) British India and (b) in the territory now reported on has in the five years ending 1914-15 averaged (a) 38·1 per cent., and (b) 16·8 per cent., respectively.)

Explanatory.—Three forecasts of the wheat crop are published. The first forecast deals only with the area sown and general character of the season.

Area sown.—The total area sown with the crop up to date this year, according to District Officers' estimates, amounts to 123,700 acres against 134,600 and 133,600 acres shown in the first and final forecasts, respectively, of last year.

Character of the season.—The rainfall in September and October was in excess of the normal throughout the Province and consequently sowings were generally late in the more important wheat growing districts. Owing to this the condition and prospects of the crop can only be returned as "fair."

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CALCUTTA.

The 19th December, 1916.

First Forecast of Wheat Crop of Bengal, 1916-17.

DISTRICT.	Approximate normal area under the wheat crop, in acres	Approximate area under wheat last year (1915-16), in acres.	Estimated area under wheat this year (1916-17), in acres.	Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	REMARKS BY DISTRICT OFFICERS.
1	2	3	4	5	
Nadia ...	23,100	16,000	13,800	Middle of October	Weather conditions were favourable at sowing time except in parts of the Sadar and Chuadanga subdivisions. The condition of the crop is fairly good.
Murshidabad	69,300	31,300	28,600	October and November.	Sowings were generally late owing to heavy rainfall. In some parts of the Jangipur and Sadar subdivisions lands are still being cultivated and prepared for sowing. The weather was not favourable at the beginning. The crop is not expected to be good owing to late sowings.
Jessore ...	2,300	1,100*	1,100*	Ditto ...	Sowings were completed in normal time. Weather conditions have been favourable and the crop is fairly good.
Burdwan ...	1,800	2,000*	2,000*	.....	Owing to excessive rainfall the sowings were late all over the district except in the Katwa subdivision, where it was normal. The weather has been unfavourable. The crop is poor in Katwa and Kalna subdivisions, but fair in Sadar and Asansol subdivisions.
Birbhum ...	5,000	4,100*	4,100*	Beginning of November.	The crop was sown in normal time. Weather conditions have been favourable. The condition of the crop is fairly good.
Bankura ...	3,600	3,600*	3,600*	Last week of October.	Sowings were normal. The weather has been fair and the condition of the crop is generally satisfactory.
Midnapore ...	2,600	1,200*	1,200*	November ...	Sowings were normal. The weather has not been quite favourable. The condition of the crop is generally fair.
Hooghly ...	2,400	1,700*	1,700*	Ditto ...	Sowings were late. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is poor.
Rajshahi ...	8,500	7,800*	7,800*	Middle of November.	Sowings were late owing to water-logging. The weather has not been very favourable. The condition of the crop is fairly satisfactory.
Dinajpur ...	1,000	1,400*	1,400*	Beginning of November.	Sowings were late owing to rain in the latter part of October. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is fairly satisfactory.
Jalpaiguri ...	1,000	900*	900*	Ditto ...	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable and the condition of the crop is generally good.
Darjeeling ...	4,500	4,400*	4,400*	Since October ...	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions have been favourable for the growth of the crop.
Rangpur ...	3,000	3,400*	3,400*	November ...	Sowings were normal. Weather conditions have been favourable and the condition of the crop is fairly good.
Pabna ...	16,000	13,000	13,000	Middle of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable; the condition of the crop is fairly good.
Malda ...	60,000	40,000	35,000	First part of November.	Sowings were late; but the weather has been favourable for the growth of the crop and its condition is fairly good.
Faridpur ...	2,700	2,700*	2,700*	Middle of November.	Sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable owing to rainfall at the end of October and beginning of November. The condition of the crop is fairly good as far as can be said at present.
Total ...	206,800	133,600	123,700		

* Conventional area.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

FORECAST OF THE WINTER *TIL* (SESAMUM) CROP OF BENGAL, 1916-17.

(*Note.*—On an average of the five years ending 1914-15 the area under *til* in Bengal has represented some 5·3 per cent. of the total area under *til* in British India.)

Character of the Season.—The rainfall in the months of August and September was generally much in excess of the normal. Consequently the sowing of this crop took place under unfavourable conditions. The heavy rainfall in October and the early part of November interfered with the growth of the crop and reduced the outturn considerably. The season has thus been an unfavourable one for the crop.

Acreage.—As estimated by District Officers the total area cultivated this year is 49,400 acres against 53,900 acres last year. Dacca and the Chittagong Hill Tracts show large decreases in area owing, in case of the former, to prolonged floods at sowing time, and, in the latter district, to generally unfavourable weather conditions.

Outturn.—According to estimates from District Officers, the outturn of the crop for the Province works out at 73 per cent. of the normal against 78 per cent. last year. Taking the normal yield per acre to be 4¼ maunds, the gross yield for the Province is estimated at 5,600 tons against 6,600 tons last year, or a decrease of about 15·2 per cent.

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The 21st December 1916.

APPENDIX I.

Forecast of the winter *till* crop of Bengal, 1916-17.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter *till*.	Estimated area under winter *till*.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which sowing generally began this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
24-Parganas ...	300	300*	300	67	83	August	Not yet commenced	The weather was favourable at sowing time, but has subsequently been unfavourable owing to heavy rainfall in September and October, thus causing damage to the crop to the extent of about two annas.
Nadia	5,300	1,300	1,600	83	67	August. Normal	November. Normal	The increase in area this year is due to extension of cultivation in places. The weather has on the whole been favourable. The recent rainfall in October and November has retarded the growth of the crop and caused some damage. The outturn is therefore expected to be much below the normal.
Murshidabad ...	4,100	1,300	1,200	92	75	July to September. Normal. Jangipur—Late.	November to December. Normal. Jangipur—Late.	The decrease in area is due to heavy rainfall at sowing time. The weather has not been favourable. The outturn is expected to be less than the normal by about 25 per cent. owing to damage caused by excessive rain and insect-pests.
Jessore ...	1,600†	1,500	1,300	67	60	August. Normal.	November. Normal.	The weather was not favourable at sowing time but has since been favourable. Some damage has been caused by excessive rain. The outturn is expected to be below the normal.
Khulna ...	2,800	1,100	1,100	96	92	Latter part of August. Normal.	Not yet commenced	The weather has not been favourable. The heavy rainfall and flood caused damage to the crop by about one anna on the whole.
Burdwan ...	500	400	400	67	58	End of August to last week of November. Normal.	Ditto ...	The weather has not been favourable. Heavy rainfall and flood caused damage to the crop from four to six annas in the Sadar and Katwa subdivisions and one anna in the Asansol subdivision, thus causing the outturn to fall below the normal.
Birbhum ...	500	500*	500	83	75	August. Normal	End of November. Normal.	The weather has not been very favourable owing to excessive rainfall this year. The growth of the crop was fair.
Bankura ...	2,300	2,300	2,300	83	83	Middle of July. Normal.	Not yet commenced	The weather from sowing time up till now has been fairly favourable.
Midnapore ...	3,000†	2,400	2,300	100	85	July. Normal ...	November. Normal.	The decrease in area was due to want of rain at sowing time. The weather has not been favourable. Damage to the extent of 15 per cent was caused by drought and other causes.
Hooghly ...	1,000	700*	700	83	67	Middle of September. Normal.	End of November. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable for the growth of the crop. Some damage was done to the crop by heavy and untimely rain, causing the outturn to fall below the normal.
Howrah ...	300	100*	100	100	94	Middle of October. Late.	Not yet commenced	The weather has been fairly favourable on the whole. The outturn is likely to be slightly below the normal owing to sowings being late this year.
Rajshahi ...	3,700	1,700	1,400	80	80	Naogaon—Latter part of September, late. Elsewhere first part of September, normal.	1st part of December. Normal.	The decrease in area was due to heavy rain which prevented sowing in some localities. The weather has not been favourable. The outturn is expected to be below the normal owing to heavy rain in October and an unusually heavy shower in the first part of November.
Dinajpur ...	500	400*	400	88	76	September ...	Not yet commenced	The weather has not been favourable from sowing time up till now. The heavy rains fell in September and October retarded the growth of the crop. Hence the outturn is expected to be below the normal.

* Conventional area.
† Revised.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter *till*.	Estimated area under winter *till*.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which sowing generally began this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1915-16).	This year (1916-17).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
Rangpur ...	1,300	1,500*	1,500	100	100	Beginning of October. Normal.	Will begin from the 1st week of February.	The weather conditions have been fairly good.
Bogra ...	1,600	1,000	1,000	60	50	End of September. Normal.	Middle of December. Normal.	The weather has been unfavourable owing to heavy rain at sowing time and later in November which has affected the growth of the crop to some extent. The fall in outturn is due to untimely rains in October and November.
Pabna ...	7,000†	6,000	6,000	85	85	Middle of September. Normal	Will begin by the end of January.	The rainfall in October did some good to the crop.
Malda ...	1,500	1,500*	1,500*	100	75	By the end of September. Late.	Middle of December. Late.	The weather was unfavourable from sowing time up to October owing to heavy rains, but has since been favourable. The outturn is expected to be below the normal owing to excessive rainfall.
Dacca ...	10,100	9,000	7,500	65	75	End of August. Normal.	End of November. Normal.	The decrease in area is attributed to long-standing high flood this year. The weather has been favourable except in the early part of October, when continual showers left a detrimental effect on the growth of the crop. The outturn is low owing to rainfall in the early part of October and in the first part of November.
Mymensingh ...	8,500	7,500	7,500	90	85	October. Normal.	Will begin in the first week of January.	The weather was generally favourable except that it was raining at Netrokona during the sowing time. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to low outturn expected in Tangail and Netrokona subdivisions.
Chittagong ...	200	200*	200	90	90	November. Normal.	Will begin in March.	The weather has been favourable and a good outturn is expected.
Tippera ...	3,000	2,000	1,800	85	60	November	January to February.	The decrease in area was due to the prolongation of the rainy season. The weather has not been quite favourable. The outturn is likely to fall below the normal.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	13,000	10,500	8,000	60	48	Middle of April. Early.	1st November. Normal.	The decrease in area was due to the fact that owing to scarcity at sowing time the people could not cultivate *jum* in full. The weather has not been favourable. Considerable damage was done to the crop by the last flood. Hence the outturn is expected to be much below the normal.
Total ...	85,500	53,900	49,400	78	73			

* Conventional area.
† Revised.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of estimated acreage and outturn of the winter till *crop of Bengal for 1916-17.*

Province.	Area (in acres).							Yield (in tons).						
	Of current year's crop (1916-17).	Of previous year's crop (1915-16).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), area in—			Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+), or is less than (-), yield in—		
					Column 3.	Column 4.						Column 8.	Column 9.	
1	2	3	4		5	6		7	8	9		10	11	
			Five years.	*Ten years.*		*Five years.*	*Ten years.*			*Five years.*	*Ten years.*		*Five years.*	*Ten years.*
Bengal	49,400	53,900	60,200	85,500	-8·3	-28·7	-42·2	5,600	6,600	10,400	12,200	-15·2	-46·2	-54·1

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 25th December 1916.

Summary.—No rain fell during the week under report. Harvesting of winter rice is in full swing. Sowing of spring crops is nearly completed The prospects of standing crops are generally reported to be fairly good. Cattle-disease exists in three districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 1·3 per cent. as compared with that of the preceding week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops continue. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Rangoon and Singapur rice continues to be imported into Basirhat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8⅛	8⅛	
	Barrackpore	Nil	7½	7½	
	Barasat ...	Nil	8	8	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	7½	7½	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	8	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is still going on in some places. Cutting of sugarcane continues. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	8	8	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	8	7	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7	7	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	9½	10	Weather seasonable. The prospects of winter paddy are good. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	9½	9	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	10	9½	
	Kandi ...	Nil	10½	10	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. *Rabi* crops are still being sown.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	8	8	
	Magura ...	Nil	8½	8	
	Narail ...	Nil	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	8⅞	8⅞	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. The prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	7	6½	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	7½	7½	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8½	8½	Harvesting of winter paddy continues and that of *kalai* has begun in places. Condition of sugarcane and other standing crops is fair. No cattle-disease is reported. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ..	Nil	10	10	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	8½	8	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. A sum of Rs. 2,439 has been given as agricultural loans.
	Rampurhat	Nil	10½	10½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	10⅝	11	Weather cold. Condition of standing crops is good. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	10	10	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Weather cold. Harvesting of winter rice continues. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	9⅞	9½	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Contai ...	0·02	9	9	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. No cattle-disease is reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7⅞	6½	
	Arambagh ..	Nil	7½	7	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	(*n*)	7	Report not received.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	(*n*)	7½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *rabi* crops are fair. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	9	8¾	
	Nator ...	Nil	7	7	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	9⅜	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	9	8½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	10⅜	$10\frac{7}{16}$	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	7½	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·01	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is in progress. Wheat and barley are growing well. Back wheat is in good condition. No cattle-disease. Water is sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8	8	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	8¾	8¾	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	10	9¼	Weather seasonable. Reaping of winter rice continues. Lands are being prepared for the next autumn crops in places. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	7⅞	7¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is nearing completion. *Rabi* crop plants are just sprouting up. Condition of standing crops is fairly good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	(*n*)	(*n*)	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Harvesting of *kalai* has commenced well. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	11	8⅝	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is in progress. State and prospects of standing crops are favourable. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	8	8½ / 8½†	Weather seasonable and is favourable to the standing crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. No cattle-disease is reported excepting a few places in Kapasia thana. Fodder and water are available. No large import or export.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Narayanganj	Nil	(*n*)	8¾ / 8⅝†	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	8	8	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice are in progress; prospects are good. Transplanting of summer rice has commenced. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Tangail ...	Nil	7⅞	7⅞	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	(*n*)	6½	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

† Rangoon rice.

(*n*) Not reported

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1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is nearly finished. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8¼	8¾	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Gopalganj‡	Nil	9	9	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient. Prospects of winter rice are fair.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	(*n*)	7	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	8	8½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	8	8	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Outturn is expected to be fairly good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	9	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8½	8½	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	(*n*)	9	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are nearing completion. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ...	Nil	10⅛	10⅛	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	8	7½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy are not yet over. Prospects and outturn of standing crops are poor. Rangoon rice is being imported. Cattle-disease is reported from Rangamati. Fodder and water are sufficient.

‡ Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here
(*n*) Not reported

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CALCUTTA, *the 26th December 1916.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of December 1916.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Mauzas.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Katai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Katai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Katai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last years
		24-PARGANAS.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat ...	6 8	6 8	6 4	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	11 8	11 8	16 0†
	2	Magra Hat ...	8 14	8 14	8 14	10 0	9 6	9 6	6 11	6 11	6 2	6 11	6 11	5 11	11 10	12 13	15 8
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata	6 0	5 14	5 5	8 12	8 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 1	7 1	6 0	11 0	11 0	16 0
		NADIA.															
	4	Goari	7 0	6 12	6 4	8 14	8 8	6 8	5 13	5 8	5 8	6 3	8 0	5 6	12 12	11 4	16 0†
	5	Ranaghat ...	6 0	6 0	...	7 0	6 12	...	6 6	6 6	...	6 0	6 0	...	10 8	10 8	...
		MURSHIDABAD.															
	6	Berhampur	9 8	9 0	8 8	9 12	9 4	8 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	7 0	14 0	11 0	16 0†
	7	Kandi	10 8	8 0	9 0	10 12	10 0	9 8	6 0	8 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	10 8	10 8	15 4
	8	Jangipur	8 8	8 0	8 4	10 0	9 0	9 4	7 0	7 0	5 4	6 8	7 0	5 4	11 0	13 0	18 0
		JESSORE.															
	9	Sadar	8 8	8 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	7 4	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	10 0	11 8	12 0	15 8
	10	Bangaon	7 12	7 12	7 2	8 14	8 14	7 9	8 8	8 8	8 8	6 6	6 6	6 6	11 7	13 0	14 4
		KHULNA.															
	11	Sadar ...	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	9 8	10 8	13 0
	12	Bagerhat	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	10 0	10 0	15
		BURDWAN.															
Burdwan.	13	Sadar	8 0	8 0	6 8	10 0	10 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	13 0	13 0	17 0
	14	Kalna	7 12	7 6	6 12	8 0	7 12	6 14	6 0	6 0	5 12	5 4	5 4	6 0	13 0	13 0	13 0†
		BIRBHUM.															
	15	Suri	10 8	10 0	7 2	11 4	10 8	7 8	6 0	7 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	13 0	11 0	15 0
	16	Rampur Hat ...	8 0	8 0	7 8	10 8	10 8	9 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	14 0	14 0	16 0
		BANKURA.															
	17	Sadar	10 0	9 0	7 8	11 0	10 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	5 4	11 4	11 8	13 0
	18	Vishnupur	9 0	7 8	7 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 0	12 8	14 0
		MIDNAPORE.															
	19	Sadar	10 6	8 1	8 11	10 12	8 11	9 6	5 8	6 0	...	6 8	5 8	...	8 0	10 0	...
	20	Contai ...	11 0	9 0	11 0	12 0	8 11	12 0	6 8	6 0	8 0	6 4	6 8	5 8	11 0	10 0	14 8
		HOOGHLY.															
	21	Sadar	7 0	7 0	5 8	8 8	8 0	6 4	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	5 8	11 0	13 0	13 0†
	22	Arambagh ...	8 0	8 0	6 10	8 8	8 8	6 12	5 0	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	13 0	13 0	15 0
		HOWRAH.															
	23	Sadar	8 0	7 0	6 4	8 0	8 0	6 10	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	12 8	13 8	16 0
	24	Uluberia ...	7 8	7 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	11 8	13 4	16 0

† Karkatch.

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QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS. †

Division.	Number.	District and Marts	Common Rice — Average — Present return.	Common Rice — Average — Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Average — Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice — Cheapest — Present return.	Common Rice — Cheapest — Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Cheapest — Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Corresponding return of last year.	Salt — Present return.	Salt — Next preceding return.	Salt — Corresponding return of last year.
		RAJSHAHI	S. Ch.	P. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi	26	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 14	7 2	6 9	9 6	7 14	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	5 4	9 12	9 12	12 0
	26	Natore	6 12	6 12	6 8	7 8	7 8	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	4 14	9 0	9 0	12 0
	27	Dhupjuri—Railway Bazar Hat.	9 0	9 0	7 3	10 12	9 10	9 9	6 10	6 0	6 0	6 10	6 10	6 10	10 12	11 0	14 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 8	10 0	9 8	9 0	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	11 0	11 0	13 0
		DARJEELING															
	29	Sadar ...	5 8	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 4	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	10 8
	30	Siliguri ..	6 8	6 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	5 8	5 8		5 8	5 8	5 8	10 0	10 0	12 0
		RANGPUR															
	31	Sadar .. .	6 12	6 12	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	5 4	5 4	6 8	5 4	5 4	6 12	9 8	9 8	13 0
	32	Nilphamari .	8 0	8 0	6 0	9 0	9 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	5 0	6 8	6 12	6 0	10 0	11 0	13 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar(n)	...	8 4	6 0	...	(d)9 12	7 14	...	6 0	6 12		6 0	5 8	...	12 0	15 0
		PABNA															
	34	Sadar	7 8	6 14	6 0	8 10	8 4	7 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 10	6 0	4 8	9 12	8 8	12 0
	35	Sirajganj ...	7 10	7 6	5 4	8 4	7 14	5 10	6 8	6 8	6 12	6 2	6 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	13 0
		MALDA															
	36	Sadar	8 0	8 0	6 8	10 0	9 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	...	5 4	10 0	9 0	15 0
	37	Haria—Nawabganj	8 8	9 0	7 0	9 0	10 0	7 8	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 0	5 12	10 0	10 8	14 0
Dacca		DACCA.															
	38	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	10 0	9 8	8 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	6 4	6 4	5 8	9 8	10 8	13 0
	39	Munshiganj Hat ...	8 0	7 12	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	..	10 0	10 0	...
		MYMENSINGH.															
	40	Nasirabad	6 14	6 14	6 0	7 4	7 2	6 4	5 0	5 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	11 8	11 8	13 8
	41	Netrakona	7 4	6 6	6 6	7 10	7 4	6 8	10 0	10 0	8 12	5 12	5 12	5 4	11 4	11 4	13 8
		FARIDPUR.															
	42	Sadar	7 8	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 0	7 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 4	5 4	4 0	10 12	10 0	13 0
	43	Goalundo	8 12	8 12	7 0	8 12	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 13	6 8	6 8	5 5	9 10	9 10	12 0
		BAKARGANJ.															
	44	Barisa	7 13	6 12	6 0		9 0	9 4	10 10	10 0	7 0	6 6	5 5	5 4	10 10	10 10	13 8
	45	Pirojpur	8 0	7 0	5 8	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	13 0

(d) Revised. † Karkatch. (n) Return not received.

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		Tippera.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Chittagong.	46	Comilla	6 12	6 12	7 9	9 3	8 11	7 14	5 0	4 9	4 9	5 5	5 5	5 8	10 11	10 11	13 0
	47	Chandpur	8 0	6 12	6 10	9 0	8 12	8 14	12 0	10 0	8 10	4 0	5 0	5 2	15 0	15 0	15 0
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ..	8 0	7 8	7 0	9 0	7 12	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	5 8	5 8	5 10	10 9	10 8	13 0†
	49	Feni Hat	9 7	9 2	7 2	10 2	10 2	8 0	9 6	9 2	8 0	*	*	...	10 12	12 13	14 4
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar	8 8	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 8	9 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 0	12 0	13 0	13 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	9 8	9 0	10 0	9 0	8 8	..	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	10 8	11 0	13 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	12 0

This article is not at present sold here. † Crushed.

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CALCUTTA,
The 21st December 1916.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 2 0	3 3 0	4 3 0	2 13 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	7 2 0	7 14 0	8 4 0	6 0 0	6 3 0	7 8 0
Chetla Hat	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...		
Burdwan	2 8 0 to 3 6 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0 to 3 0 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	5 0 0 to 8 0 0	9 8 0	8 0 0	3 12 0 to 4 4 0	4 0 0	5 4 0
Kalna	..	....	....	...			...	...	..	.....		
Ranigunj							.....		...	.....	....	..
Midnapore	2 2 0 to 2 11 0	2 11 0	2 8 0	2 0 0 to 2 6 0	2 10 0	2 4 0	4 4 0 to 6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	3 12 0 to 5 0 0	5 4 0	4 10 0
Chittagong	2 2 8	.....	3 2 0	2 0 0		0	8 8 0	8 8 0	10 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	4 8 0
Chandpur	...	....	...	.....	...	..	.....	...	....	..	.....	..
Dacca	3 4 0	3 1 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	5 12 0	6 12 0	6 10 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	5 10 0
Narayanganj	...	..	.. ..	.....	...	.. .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.. .	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. .	.. .	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	....		..				.....	.....	.....	.....		.....
Pabna	2 13 0	2 11 0	3 6 0	2 11 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 10 0
Sirajganj	. ..	.....	.	....	...		.....	.....	.....		.	.....
Rangpur	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	7 8 0	7 4 0	6 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 0 0

MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD.			OIL.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	22 0 0	19 0 0	19 0 0
Chetla Hat		...		.		..	..	..	..	.....	.....	
Burdwan	6 8 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	5 8 0 to 6 0 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	5 8 0	26 0 0	21 0 0	17 0 0
Kalna	..						.. ...	.....	.....	...	...	..
Ranigunj	..	.. .				.		.. .	.....			..
Midnapore	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 4 0 to 6 4 0	5 4 0 to 8 4 0	7 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 12 0	32 0 0	32 0 0	12 8 0
Chittagong	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	9 0 0	.....	...	.....
Chandpur			.			.....				.....		.
Dacca	6 0 0	6 8 0	10 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 12 0	10 8 0	11 0 0	11 8 0	....		. ..
Narayanganj	. ...		. ...			..		...	..	...		.....
Mymensingh	..	..	...		..	.. ..	.. .		..	.....	.....	
Madaripur	.. ...		..	..			.....		.....	.. ...	....	.....
Pabna	6 4 0	6 0 0	4 14 0	6 3 0	6 2 0	6 3 0	7 8 0	6 5 6	11 0 0	.. ...	.....	.. .
Sirajganj	.. .					...	... .	..	.....	..	.....	.. ..
Rangpur	...	... ..	.....	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	13 0 0	...	.....	.....

mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of December 1916.

WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.			MARTS.
Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4 14 0	4 14 0	5 2 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.	..	....	.....	.....	.....	.....		Chetla Hât.
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0	Burdwan.
.. ..	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.. ..	.	... ..	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	....	.....	... .	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Raniganj.
5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	Midnapore
.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
4 0 0	3 13 0	6 0 0	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	Pabna.
3 13 0	3 13 0	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	Rangpur.

JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).			MARTS.
Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	
38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.	
6 12 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	55 0 0	52 0 0	48 8 0	375 0 0	375 0 0	370 0 0	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	...	....	.... .	.....	....	..	Chetla Hât.
							Per maund.		
8 8 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	56 0 0	51 0 0	46 0 0	50 0 0	48 0 0	48 0 0	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	...	.....	...	.... .	Kalna.
.....	.	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.. ...	.....	Raniganj.
							Cleaned piece per 100.		
6 12 0 to 7 0 0	6 12 0 to 7 0 0	6 8 0	55 0 0 to 58 0 0	55 0 0 to 60 0 0	52 0 0 to 55 0 0	375 0 0	375 0 0	375 0 0	Midnapore.
						350 0 0	Unclean piece per 100. 350 0 0	362 8 0	
. ...	.....	.....	54 0 0	54 0 0	58 0 0	.....	.....		Chittagong.
6 4 0 to 8 0 0	6 8 0 to 9 8 0	5 0 0 to 8 8 0	.....	.....	.	... ..	.....	...	Chandpur.
.....	.....	.....	56 0 0	56 0 0	57 0 0	. .	.....	....	Dacca.
9 0 0 to 10 0 0	8 8 0 to 9 12 0	6 0 0 to 8 8 0	...	.	.....	.....	.....	..	Narayanganj.
7 8 0 to 10 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	7 0 0 to 9 0 0	.. ..	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
7 12 0 to 9 12 0	7 8 0 to 9 8 0	5 0 0 to 8 0 0	.....	... .	... .	... ..	.....	.....	Madaripur.
.....	.....	.....	59 0 0	59 0 0	54 0 0	.. ...	.. ...	.....	Pabna.
6 0 0 to 8 0 0	6 8 8 to 8 8 0	5 8 0 to 7 12 0			..	.....	....	...	Sirajganj.
9 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	56 0 0	58 0 0	54 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	.....	Rangpur.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	17 0 0	16 0 0	9 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 6 0	2 10 0	2 9 6	2 2 9(a)
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	12 8 0	12 8 0	8 8 0	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 6 0	2 12 6	2 12 6	2 4 6(a)
Kalna	....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 0 0 to 16 0 0	2 0 0 to 16 0 0	2 8 0 to 8 0 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	2 10 6	2 11 0	2 11 0	2 2 6(a)
Chittagong ...	16 0 0	16 0 0	10 0 0	3 4 0	2 14 0	2 8 0‡	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0(b)
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	..	.....
Dacca	16 0 0	16 0 0	8 8 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	2 12 0*	2 12 6	2 12 6	2 4 6(a)
Narayanganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...
Pabna	15 0 0	15 0 0	11 0 0	4 0 0	3 11 0	3 0 0	2 13 6	2 13 0	2 5 6(a) / 2 3 0(c)
Sirajganj	....	.. ...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	15 0 0	14 0 0	9 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0*	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | (c) Serpent brand. | * Panga. | ‡ Crushed

CALCUTTA.

The 21st December 1916.

mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of December 1916—concld.

MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14 6 0	14 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 8 3	.....	.....	.....	Calcutta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 10 0	0 8 0	0 4 9	Oberla Hat.
14 8 0	14 8 0	14 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 5	0 6 0	0 5 0	0 4 6	Burdwan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 7 6	0 7 6	0 7 6	Kalna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 1 9	0 1 6	0 1 0	Raniganj.
15 8 0 to 16 12 0	15 0 0 to 16 8 0	15 0 0 to 15 8 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	.....	.....	.....	Midnapore.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chittagong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chandpur.
17 0 0	17 4 0	17 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dacca.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Narayanganj.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mymensingh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madaripur.
16 6 0	16 11 0	16 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Patna.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sirajganj.
20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rangpur.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 16th December 1916, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 16th December 1916			Week ending Saturday, the 18th December 1915.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	525	43,232	793	653	55,321	890
Jute	215	118,796*	1,341	269	89,561†	1,396
Firewood	44	31,575	494	27	14,500	207
Other articles	755	162,636	2,103	594	114,014	1,450
Total ...	1,539	356,239	4,731	1,543	273,396	3,943
Empty boats and rafts ...	509	...	1,091	458	...	977
Grand Total ...	2,048	356,239	5,822	2,001	273,396	4,920

* Weight by canal measurement ... Mds. 139,075
Ditto ditto ... 101,400

CALCUTTA,
The 21st December 1916.

A. N. MITRA.
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement shewing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Waterworks for the week ending the 16th December 1916.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea-level	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks
10th Dec. 1916	At low tide.	53·9	Not connected with mean sea-level.	54·0	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
11th ,, ,,	Ditto	53·7		53·8	
12th ,, ,,	Ditto	53·6		53·2	
13th ,, ,,	Ditto	53·5		53·0	
14th ,, ,,	Ditto	53·5		52·8	
15th ,, ,,	Ditto	53·6		52·6	
16th ,, ,,	Ditto	53·7		52·4	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	... ...	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	... ...	67·86	Ditto.
10th August	1910	... ...	69·86	Ditto.
1st ,,	1911	... ...	68·46	Ditto.
31st ,,	1912	... ...	67·16	Ditto.
26th ,,	1914	... ...	66·7	Ditto.
31st ,,	1915	... ...	69·7	Ditto.
18th ,,	1916	... ...	68·10	Ditto.
23rd February	1907	... ...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th ,,	1908	... ...	51·06	Ditto.
12th March	1912	... ...	51·06	Ditto.
6th ,,	1914	... ...	50·6	Ditto.
22nd February	1915	... ...	50·3	Ditto.
15th ,,	1916	... ...	50·6	Ditto.

DACCA,
The 18th December 1916.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 23rd December 1916.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
17th Dec. 1916	7 A.M.	8·5	8·5	8·6	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
18th " "	"	8·4	8·4	8·5	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
19th " "	"	8·2	8·2	8·4	
20th " "	"	8·1	8·1	8·2	
21st " "	"	7·9	7·9	8·2	Its reduced level is 22·41.
22nd " "	"	7·8	7·8	8·0	
23rd " "	"	7·7	7·7	8·2	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	25·3 on 28th August 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest " ...	3·4 on 10th February 1915
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Highest " ...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Ditto " ...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto " ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).	Ditto " ...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	Lowest " ...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	Ditto " ...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	Ditto " ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	Ditto " ...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	Ditto " ...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B. The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 23rd December 1916.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 23rd December 1916.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 43·00.	Height of surface above mean sea level	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
17th Dec. 1916	8 A.M.	3·00	46·00	46·70	R. L. of gauge-post is 43·00.
18th " "	8 "	2·90	45·90	46·60	B. M. on College step-69·74.
19th " "	8 "	2·80	45·80	46·50	
20th " "	8 "	2·70	45·70	46·40	
21st " "	8 "	2·60	45·60	46·30	
22nd " "	8 "	2·40	45·40	46·20	
23rd " "	8 "	2·30	45·30	46·20	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	66·00 on 8th September 1915.
Ditto ...	Lowest " ...	41·90 on 4th May 1915.
Record ...	Highest " ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	Ditto " ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885
Do. ...	Ditto " ...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	Ditto " ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	Lowest " ...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	Ditto " ...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do. ...	Ditto " ...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897
Do. ...	Ditto " ...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1905.

N. B.—The gauge readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 23rd December 1916.

MADHU SUDHAN SEN GUPTA.
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Division.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 9th December 1916, on 1,628 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	750,390	3,78,770 0 0	2,851,700 0	4,25,240 0 0	32,370 0 0	9,36,380 0 0 (d)	102,989	(a) 65,782	168,771
Per mile of railway per week	(b) 478	(b) 241 0 0	1,752 0	260 0 0	(c) 15 0 0	(c) 508 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	6,152,290	29,48,430 0 0	25,076,480 0	39,17,650 0 0	2,06,080 0 0	70,71,160 0 0	898,443	592,686	1,491,128
Total for 10 weeks ...	6,902,680	33,24,200 0 0	27,928,180 0	43,40,890 0 0	2,40,450 0 0	79,03,540 0 0	1,001,432	658,467	1,659,899
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	794,287	3,49,043 0 0	3,360,407 0	3,25,044 0 0	43,315 0 0	7,17,402 0 0	102,483	53,860	156,343
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,629 miles)	(b) 468	(b) 221 0 0	1,562 0	198 0 0	28 0 0	434 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	6,424,805	30,29,442 0 0	26,070,252 0	37,35,203 0 0	3,21,322 0 0	69,85,967 0 0	1,030,661	588,157	1,618,818

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 7,075.
(b) Excluding 58 miles open only for goods traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,880
(d) Increase is chiefly due to jute traffic and partly passenger traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 9th December 1916, on 118·55 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	68,310	20,400 0 0	113,510 0	6,430 0 0	3,290 0 0	30,120 0 0	7,014	(b) 2,420	9,434
Per mile of railway per week	576	172 0 0	949 0	54 0 0	(a) 8 0 0	(a) 239 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	572,690	1,72,870 0 0	1,289,780 0	84,590 0 0	27,280 0 0	2,84,690 0 0	63,022	26,229	89,251
Total for 10 weeks ...	640,900	1,93,270 0 0	1,403,290 0	91,020 0 0	30,570 0 0	3,14,810 0 0	70,046	28,649	98,695
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	52,338	17,909 0 0	160,995 0	8,722 0 0	2,126 0 0	28,757 0 0	6,693	1,865	8,558
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118·55 miles)	443	151 0 0	1,358 0	73 0 0	2 0 0	226 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	527,122	1,70,399 0 0	1,220,997 0	73,352 0 0	21,225 0 0	2,64,886 0 0	66,970	22,890	89,860

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 3,000.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 670.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY (NATIVE SECTION).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 9th December 1916, on 33·09 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,380	2,660 0 0	39,280 0	2,060 0 0	30 0 0	4,750 0 0	952	(a) 270	1,222
Per mile of railway per week	199	81 0 0	1,187 0	62 0 0	1 0 0	144 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	70,620	26,860 0 0	383,320 0	23,060 0 0	290 0 0	50,210 0 0	8,586	2,456	11,042
Total for 10 weeks ...	77,000	29,520 0 0	422,600 0	25,120 0 0	320 0 0	54,960 0 0	9,538	2,726	12,264
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,896	2,198 0 0	41,748 0	2,784 0 0	29 0 0	5,011 0 0	1,004	383	1,387
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33·09 miles)	148	66 9 0	1,262 0	84 0 0	1 0 0	151 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	49,867	25,191 0 0	462,548 0	30,675 0 0	249 0 0	56,115 0 0	9,730	3,625	13,355

(a) Including ballast train-miles, nil.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 9th December 1916, on 53·66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	19,140	5,360 0 0	176,230 0	10,770 0 0	40 0 0	16,170 0 0	1,701	(a) 1,831	3,532
Per mile of railway per week	357	100 0 0	3,297 0	200 0 0	1 0 0	301 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	170,320	47,770 0 0	1,404,950 0	79,100 0 0	330 0 0	1,27,200 0 0	15,235	14,527	29,762
Total for 10 weeks ...	189,460	53,130 0 0	1,581,180 0	89,870 0 0	370 0 0	1,43,370 0 0	16,936	16,358	33,294
Total for 28 weeks of calendar half-year(b)...	396,591	113,586 0 0	3,969,497 0	1,79,770 0 0	884 0 0	2,94,190 0 0	41,375	33,165	74,540
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	32,378	5,829 0 0	138,348 0	4,490 0 0	22 0 0	10,341 0 0	1,978	850	2,828
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (53·66 miles)	415	109 0 0	2,576 0	84 0 0	.....	193 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	175,128	51,318 0 0	1,373,207 0	61,050 0 0	278 0 0	1,12,646 0 0	20,059	11,555	31,614
Total for corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	381,419	1 13,515 0 0	3,602,384 0	1,26,797 0 0	726 0 0	2,41,038 0 0	46,253	23,965	70,288

(a) Including ballast train-miles, 128. (b) Audited figures to end of September 1916.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 9th December 1916, on 50·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	2,360	3,400 0 0	29,200 0	1,910 0 0	20 0 0	5,330 0 0	1,428	(a)700	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	184	68 0 0	581 0	38 0 0	.....	106 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	97,420	32,470 0 0	389,160 0	27,990 0 0	160 0 0	60,620 0 0	12,852	6,540	19,392
Total for 10 weeks ...	1,06,680	35,870 0 0	418,360 0	29,900 0 0	180 0 0	65,950 0 0	14,280	7,240	21,520
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	184 0 0	7 0 0	191 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (22·37 miles)	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	1 0 0	9 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	.....	.....	.....	1 172 0 0	91 0 0	1,263 0 0	.....	.....	.....

(a) Ballast train miles, *nil*.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 9th December 1916, on 2,527·42 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	868 813	5,74,283 0 0	83,73,531 0	14,67,922 0 0	24,700 0 0	20,66,904 0 0	177,208	292 314	469,522
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	227 3 6	.....	580 12 9	9 12 5	817 12 8	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year ...	5,999,716	52,91,208 0 0	77,376,714 0	1,31,47,880 0 0	1,24,000 0 0	1,85,63,088 0 0	1,804 615	2,887,104	4,491,719
Total from 1st October ...	6,868,529	58,65,490 0 0	85,750,245 0	1,46,15 752 0 0	1,48,700 0 0	2,06,29,942 0 0	1,781,823	3,179,418	4,961,241
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	656,859	5,60,716 0 0	9,059,637 0	14,49,280 0 0	33,934 0 0	20,43,930 0 0	184 829	292,375	477,104
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	221 14 6	.....	573 9 0	13 6 10	808 14 4	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	6,530,348	58,09,098 0 0	83,958,770 0	1,36,80,659 0 0	5,51,857 0 0	2,00,11,612 0 0	1,839,886	2,774,031	4,613,917

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,527·42	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	701,047	6,36,743	7,563,707	13,66,337	19,750	19,22,830	761	515,617	3 11 8
2,527·42	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	687,132	5,96,390	8,231,776	13,38,019	7,750	19,42,089	768	498,879	3 14 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 21st ,,	635,906	5,76,650	9,601,148	15,85,890	6,750	21,69,290	858	519,287	4 2 10
2,527·42	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	596,756	5,24,773	9,226,706	15,16,515	27,750	20,69,038	819	508,547	4 1 1
2,527·42	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	679,376	6,11,341	8,805,710	14,84,704	24,800	21,20,845	839	492,315	4 4 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	649,593	5,63,755	8,605,831	14,57,424	17,750	20,38,929	807	494,118	4 2 0
2,527·42	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	677,200	5,77,302	8,886,801	15,12,793	...	20,89,995	827	499,539	4 3 11
2,527·42	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	664,344	5,84,423	8,178,545	14,74,572	4,750	20,63,746	817	489,942	4 3 3
2,527·42	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	668,361	6,30,000	8,476,890	15,11,645	14,700	21,46,345	849	473,475	4 8 6
2,527·42	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	668,819	5,74,382	8,873,531	14,67,923	24,700	20,86,904	818	469,522	4 6 5
	Totals up to date ...	5,668,526	55,65,490	85,750,345	1,46,15,752	1,48,700	2,06,29,942	816	4,961,241	4 2 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Per week Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,526·81	First 9 days of Oct. ...	836,026	7,48,935	11,566,943	18,58,027	60,848	26,67,810	821	591,965	4 8 1
2,526·81	Week ended 16th ,, ...	693,469	6,02,563	8,310,319	13,05,367	54,028	19,61,953	776	476,299	4 1 11
2,526·81	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	634,798	5,27,108	6,475,657	10,53,846	60,963	16,42,007	650	416,616	3 15 1
2,526·81	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	613,271	5,53,241	7,802,989	12,89,234	58,630	19,01,125	752	447,387	4 4 0
2,526·81	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	597,131	5,31,715	8,787,840	14,03,241	63,808	19,96,764	791	465,121	4 4 9
2,526·81	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	650,581	5,94,173	7,984,207	12,93,674	62,051	19,49,898	772	456,040	4 4 5
2,526·81	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	647,496	5,89,999	9,144,098	14,88,868	59,564	21,18,431	838	455,264	4 10 5
2,526·81	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	716,365	6,31,332	8,669,554	14,08,264	59,564	21,79,060	862	475,842	4 9 3
2,526·81	,, ,, 4th Dec. ...	670,917	6,44,187	8,736,622	14,56,625	51,063	21,51,875	853	483,847	4 7 2
2,526·81	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	656,859	5,80,716	9,039,627	14,49,280	33,934	20,43,930	809	477,104	4 4 7
	Totals up to date ...	6,716,862	59,73,959	86,517,786	1,40,76,426	5,64,466	2,06,14,851	793	4,745,485	4 5 6

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 9th December 1916, on 231·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	48,456	33,156 0 0	485,376 0	43,706 0 0	300 0 0	77,162 0 0	12,150	10,081	22,231
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	143 1 3	.....	188 9 9	1 4 9	332 15 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year.	426,962	3,42,442 0 0	4,973,785 0	3,97,984 0 0	2,250 0 0	7,42,676 0 0	104,906	87,787	192,693
Total from 1st Oct. ...	475,418	3,75,598 0 0	5,459,161 0	4,41,690 0 0	2,550 0 0	8,19,838 0 0	117,056	97,868	214,924
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	41,867	26,703 0 0	401,690 0	27,786 0 0	342 0 0	54,830 0 0	11,040	8,251	19,291
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	139 5 5	.....	144 15 9	1 12 7	286 1 9	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	429,560	3,50,985 0 0	4,136,148 0	3,03,958 0 0	2 674 0 0	6,57,617 0 0	118,721	80,442	199,163

1916-17. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	Week ended 7th Oct. ...	41,588	35,194	469,795	30,985	350	66,359	346	19,568	3 6 3
191·64	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	45,784	36,962	587,651	37,740	250	74,952	391	21,295	3 8 4
191·64	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	42 208	35,288	483,413	41,980	250	77,518	405	21,140	3 10 8
191·64	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,667	34,926	543 087	44,360	250	80,036	418	20,538	3 14 4
216·56	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	44,337	37,785	673,111	52 981	200	90,966	420	21,286	4 4 5
335·98	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	61,476	44,681	586,311	52 022	250	96,953	412	23,033	4 3 4
231·73	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	56,854	46,588	582,746	49 638	250	96,476	416	23,520	4 1 3
231·73	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	50,056	37,986	534,344	46,013	250	83,549	361	21 377	3 14 6
231·73	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	49,242	33,802	524,337	41,765	300	75,867	327	20,946	3 9 11
231·73	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	44,486	33,156	485,376	43,706	300	77,162	333	22,231	3 7 6
	Totals up to date ...	475,418	3,75,598	5,459,161	4,41,690	2,550	8,19,838	383	214,924	3 13 0

Abstract of progresive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1916-17 in comparison with 1915-16—concld. *1915-16.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
191·64	First 9 days of Oct. ...	52,764	44,612	499,604	45,388	326	90,326	366	25,726	3 8 1
191·64	Week ended 16th ,, ...	39,133	37,511	370,660	33,515	251	71,289	372	19,903	3 9 4
191·64	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	43,663	34,922	325,379	29,143	251	64,316	336	20,748	3 1 7
191·64	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	40,062	35,853	440,619	41,488	251	77,542	405	20,845	3 11 6
191·64	,, ,, 6th Nov. ...	43,472	38,835	404,921	27,986	320	66,041	345	20,670	3 3 1
191·64	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	40,491	34,147	440,238	27,680	246	62,082	324	18,797	3 4 10
191·64	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	46 923	35,932	462,105	28,948	246	65.141	339	19,307	3 4 1
191·64	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	50,064	37,648	496,662	28,325	246	66 019	344	18,882	3 7 11
191·64	,, ,, 4th Dec. ...	43,430	33,538	411,277	26,944	260	60,742	317	20,620	2 15 2
191·64	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	41,867	26,703	401,690	27,785	342	54,830	286	19,291	2 13 6
	Totals up to date ...	440,929	3,39,423	4,345,131	3,14,026	2,769	6,76,308	343	204,879	3 4 10

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 9th December 1916, on 36·4 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	8,440	2,863 0 0	83,886 0	15,395 0 0	(a)490 0 0	18,658 0 0	527	(d)753	1,280
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	79 0 0	...	420 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 500 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 9 weeks of half-year.*	72,828	20,586 0 0	669,747 0	100,973 0 0	4,139 0 0	1,25,698 0 0	4,378	7,525	11,903
Total for 10 weeks ...	81,268	23,449 0 0	753,633 0	116,378 0 0	4,629 0 0	1,44,356 0 0	4,905	8,278	13,183
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	8,754	2,560 0 0	70,636 0	8,689 0 0	((b)461 0 0	11,710 0 0	391	(e)894	1,285
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	70 0 0	...	239 0 0	3 0 0	(c) 312 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	76,225	21,935 0 0	853,224 0	109,070 0 0	4,844 0 0	1,35,849 0 0	4,016	8,815	12,831

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 460.
(b) Ditto, 1915, Rs. 350
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 90.
(e) Ditto, 1915, 36.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 9th December 1916, on 117 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P		(a)	
Total traffic for the week...	17,597	6,320 0 0	127,386 0	24,915 0 0	28 0 0	31,263 0 0	1,884	3,530	5,414
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	54 0 0	.....	213 0 0	...	267 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 9 weeks of half-year *	160,637	53,796 0 0	997,880 0	153,158 0	2,240 0 0	209,194 0 0	16,777	30,053	46,830
Total for 10 weeks ...	178,234	60,116 0 0	1,125,166 0	178,073 0 0	2,268 0 0	240,457 0 0	18,661	33,583	52,244
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	15,544	5,225 0 0	94,444 0	16,301 0 0	39 0 0	21,555 0 0	1,604	(b)3,105	4,709
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	45 0 0	.....	139 0 0	...	184 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	152,468	52,818 0 0	1,205,182 0	213,085 0 0	519 0 0	266,422 0 0	16,457	32,798	48,255

(a) Ballast train-miles, 678.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1915, 106.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 9th December 1916, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,668	9,685 0 0	21,770 0	9,048 0 0	94 0 0	18,825 0 0	2,072	1,988	4,060
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	190 0 0	.....	177 0 0	2 0 0	369 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of the half-year	52,892	1,33,302 0 0	2,78,658 0	1,22,397 0 0	1,288 0 0	2,56,987 0 0	26,383	27,083	53,416
Total traffic up to 9th December 1916	57,580	1,42,985 0 0	3,00,428 0	1,31,445 0 0	1,382 0 0	2,75,812 0 0	28,305	29,071	58,376
(70 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	280 0 0	.....	258 0 0	3 0 0	541 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	2,930	8,282 0 0	24,271 0	10,812 0 0	149 0 0	19,243 0 0	1,944	2,652	4,596
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	162 0 0	.....	212 0 0	3 0 0	377 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	47,463½	1,30,607 0 0	3,05,371 0	1,41,660 0 0	1,389 0 0	2,73,646 0 0	26,214	38,435	64,649
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	256 0 0	.....	278 0 0	3 0 0	537 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes.—Difference for the week...		+ 1,401		— 1,764	— 55	— 418			
Difference up to date ...		+ 12,378		— 10,905	— 7	+ 2,166			

The increase in Coaching during the week is mainly in foreign passengers, and troops.
The decrease in Goods during the week is mainly in rice and potato traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TISTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 9th December 1916, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	1,220	1,100 0 0	7,062 0	1,316 0 0	2 0 0	2,418 0 0	230	610	840
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	37 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	81 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of the half-year.	6,589	6,051 0 0	50,564 0	9,873 0 0	27 0 0	15,951 0 0	1,383	2,621	4,004
Total traffic up to 9th December 1916	7,809	7,151 0 0	57,647 0	11,189 0 0	29 0 0	18,369 0 0	1,613	3,231	4,844
(70 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	24 0 0	.....	37 0 0	.....	61 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	1,055	665 0 0	6,335 0	1,818 0 0	4 0 0	2,487 0 0	105	806	911
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	22 0 0	.....	61 0 0	.....	83 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	6,766½	4,320 0 0	44,262 0	10,691 0 0	39 0 0	15,350 0 0	1,050	4,322	5,372
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	14 0 0	.....	37 0 0	.....	51 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes.—Difference for the week		+ 435		— 502	— 2	+ 69			
Difference up to date		+ 2,831		+ 198	— 10	+ 3,019			

The increase in Coaching during the week is mainly in local and foreign passengers.
The decrease in Goods during the week is mainly in wool traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 9th December 1916, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,370	3,105 0 0	23,627 0	1,832 0 0	29 0 0	4,956 0 0	934	1,096	2,030
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	45 0 0	.....	26 0 0	.....	71 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of the half-year	70,205	33,858 0 0	170,265 0	14,436 0 0	156 0 0	38,450 0 0	8,604	7,986	16,590
Total traffic up to 9th December 1916	76,575	36,963 0 0	193,892 0	16,268 0 0	185 0 0	43,406 0 0	9,538	9,082	18,620
(70 days) or per week per mile of railway	.....	39 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	62 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,500	2,224 0 0	14,550 0	1,138 0 0	15 0 0	3,377 0 0	489	1,467	1,956
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	32 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	48 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding weeks of previous year ...	46,535	17,858 0 0	206,221 0	17,439 0 0	176 0 0	35,491 0 0	3,469	10,446	13,915
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	26 0 0	.....	25 0 0	.....	51 0 0	...	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week		+ 881		+ 684	+ 14	+ 1,579			
Difference up to date		+ 9,077		+ 1,171	− 9	+ 7,915			

The increase in Coaching during the week is mainly in local passengers.
The increase in Goods during the week is mainly in jute traffic.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 9th December 1916, on 2,065 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,065 miles open ...	473,680	(a)2,07,140	1,267,910	(b)1,85,090	(c)25,640	4,17,870	63,860	(d)50,139	113,999
Or per mile of railway ...	229·39	100·31	614·00	89·63	12·42	202·36			
For previous 9 weeks of official half-year ...	4,359,010	17,04,060	9,422,620	15,35,710	2,13,840	34,53,610	564,930	433,393	998,323
Total for 10 weeks ..	4,832,690	19,11,200	10,690,530	17,20,800	2,39,480	38,71,480	628,790	483,532	1,112,322
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,063 miles open	471,129	2,18,567	1,159,616	1,65,415	28,984	4,12,966	66 613	(e)47 320	113,933
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	227·71	105·64	560·47	79·95	14·01	199·60			
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	4,553,344	18,34,954	9,319,429	14,34,289	2,06,091	34,67,334	646,449	449,696	1,096,145
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		3·24		2·89	·22	3·67			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·28		2·54	·25	3·62			

(a) Decrease mainly under foreign outward passengers.
(b) Increase chiefly under local and foreign outward, the latter with nger lead; foreign inward decreased.
(c) Decrease chiefly under mileage and demurrage.
(d) Includes 2,456 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 2,121 miles of ballast trains

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